

Applied Behavior Analysis

Central Methodist University

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Program Description

The Associate of Arts degree (A.A.) or the Associate of Science (A.S.) at JCCC is a general transfer degree and partners well with the first two years of most bachelor degree programs. Students who transfer to CMU with an A.A. or A.S. degree are considered to have met the UCM General Education requirements.

Student who transfer to CMU without a degree (or a degree other than an A.A. or A.S.) will have all coursework evaluated on a course-by-course basis. JCCC students not completing the A.A. or A.S. degree should refer to the CMU General Education guide (<https://www.jccc.edu/student-resources/transfer/files/transfer-guides/cmu-gen-ed.pdf>) for course equivalents.

Note: The CMU General Education guide can be found at: <https://www.jccc.edu/studentresources/transfer/files/transfer-guides/cmu-gen-ed.pdf> (<https://www.jccc.edu/student-resources/transfer/files/transfer-guides/cmu-gen-ed.pdf>)

The Bachelor of Science in Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) program teaches students how to work successfully with children who have autism, developmental delays, behavioral challenges and other related conditions. Majors become familiar with contemporary research findings in the field and learn to develop, implement, and monitor behavioral programs to treat various behavior issues.

The Applied Behavior Analysis program is 120 credit hours total and is completely online.

Admission Requirements

- Transfer applicants must have a 2.0 or higher GPA for all previously attempted college coursework and be eligible to return to the last college attended. Those who do not meet these criteria must present a letter of appeal to the Academic Standards and Admission Committee, which will determine whether the student will be admitted.
- All transfer applicants must submit official transcripts of their high school records clearly indicating GPA and class rank. Transfer applicants must also submit official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended. These transcripts are part of the student's permanent college record.
- For more information, visit <https://www.centralmethodist.edu/admissions/applications.php>

Program Requirements

Course Code	Course Title	Course Hours	Transfer Code	Transfer Title	Transfer Hours
Code	Title	Hours			
General Education Requirements (40-43 hours) Refer to General Education guide.					
Additional University Requirements (4 hours) Courses must be taken at CMU.					
Major Requirements (35 hours)					
PSYC 218	Human Development*	3	PY 223	Developmental Psychology	

Additional coursework will be taken at CMU.

Electives to complete minimum (38-41 hours)

* JCCC course has a prerequisite or corequisite.

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