

Computer Engineering

University of Kansas

Johnson County Community College Transfer Program to the University of Kansas	School of Engineering
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Computer Engineering, B.S.	kuengr@ku.edu
Academic Year 2025-2026	www.eecs.ku.edu

Program Description

Students interested in KU's Engineering programs need to work closely with advisors at both JCCC and KU. This helps students stay on track and not prolong the time it takes to earn an engineering bachelor's degree from KU. Students are advised to complete the Kansas Systemwide General Education requirements, and the prerequisite courses listed on the transfer guide. Students are also encouraged to use the Reverse Transfer (<https://www.jccc.edu/student-resources/transfer/>) option (if eligible) after transferring to KU. Reverse Transfer (<https://www.jccc.edu/student-resources/transfer/>) allows students to earn their associate degree from JCCC while working towards their bachelor's degree at KU.

Computer engineers may work in computer elements and architectures, very large-scale integrated circuits for data processing and storage, embedded and real-time computer systems, or computer networking. Computer engineers may work in the computer industry, telecommunications, government and defense, software companies or consulting firms.

Admissions Requirements

- Admission to The University of Kansas is required, along with the following, for admission to the KU School of Engineering as a transfer student:
 - 2.5+ cumulative college GPA
 - "C" or better in MATH 125 Calculus I, or its direct equivalent (MATH 241 Calculus I* at JCCC)
 - "C" or better in all math, science and engineering coursework
- The School of Engineering recommends that students apply for transfer admission to KU by May 1 for summer and fall; December 1 for spring.
- Admission is selective. Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee admission.
- Timely completion of prerequisite courses is imperative due to tight sequencing of major courses. Consult KU catalog and seek KU advising early.
- The B.S. in Computer Engineering is an ABET accredited program.
- A total of 127 credit hours is required for the B.S. in Computer Engineering.
- A maximum of 75 hours may be transferred to KU from community colleges. Students should be aware that 45 junior/senior credit hours are required for completion of the bachelor's degree; the last 30 hours of course work must be at KU; and community college courses do not transfer as junior/senior hours.
- Transfer students will have their applications to the School of Engineering evaluated on a case-by- case basis and must have a minimum GPA of 2.5 to be considered.
- Transfer credits must have a grade of "C" or higher to be applied toward the degree.
- Upper Level Eligibility: In addition to prerequisites and co-requisites, EECS undergraduates are required to earn Upper Level Course Eligibility by attaining grades of "C" or better ("C-" does not qualify) in each of the following 17 courses: Core 34: English (both), EPHX 210 & PHSX 216, MATH 125, 126, 127, 220, 290, EECS 101, 140, 168, 202, 210, 212, 220, 268. If students earn less than a "C" in any of the above listed courses, they must repeat the course at the next available opportunity and must not take a course for which that course is a prerequisite. It is the students' responsibility to contact their advisors before beginning the new semester regarding any required repetitions and the associated enrollment adjustments (drops and adds).
- To enroll in any upper-level EECS course (numbered 300 and above), students must have fulfilled the UpperLevel Eligibility Requirements detailed above. To enroll in any upper-level EECS course (numbered 300 and above), students must have fulfilled the Upper-Level Eligibility Requirements detailed above. Exceptions: EECS 312, EECS 330, EECS 361, and EECS 388 may be taken in the same semester as students are completing their upper-level eligibility. Students may also petition for a Partial Waiver of Upper-Level Eligibility Requirements by completing the appropriate petition (<http://www.eecs.ku.edu/>).
- Credit/No Credit: For EECS majors, courses used to fulfill the KU Core 34 in Communications, Social & Behavioral Sciences, Arts & Humanities, U.S. Culture, and Global Culture accept Credit/No Credit.
- Students transferring to KU, that complete the General Education requirements required for the Associate of Arts (AA) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degree requirements/associate-arts/>), Associate of Fine Arts (AFA) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degree requirements/associate-fine-arts/>) or Associate of Science (AS) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degree requirements/associate-science/>) degree from JCCC will be considered to have satisfied KU's Core 34 general education curriculum.
- Students who transfer to KU, without completing the General Education requirements required for the Associate of Arts (AA) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degree requirements/associate-arts/>), Associate of Fine Arts (AFA) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degree requirements/associate-fine-arts/>) or Associate of Science (AS) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degree requirements/associate-science/>) degree will have courses evaluated on a course-by-course basis toward meeting KU requirements. To learn more about courses that satisfy KU Core 34 Requirements (<https://catalog.ku.edu/core34/>) and KU CredTran (<https://creditransfer.ku.edu/>).
- Visit the KU Core 34 General Education guide (<https://nam12.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fnextcatalog.jccc.edu%2Ftransfer-guides%2Fku%2Fku-general-education&data=05%7C02%7Cskhalif2%40jccc.edu%7C506a4b607ca34eaa00fb08de158ef1c2%7C15244239dcf245e7aefd127b69fc5438%7C1%7C0%7C638971900858599422%7CUnknown%7CTWFPbGZsb3d8eyJFbXB0eU1hcGkiOnRydWUuSllYiOiWlJlAuMDAwMCIslAiOiJXaW4zMlslkFOLjoiTWFPbCIslldUljoyfQ%3D%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=b2O9VaVq9VFjN8MJkWWQ4YCl60oq5GZXnn69Vpa2sSL0%3D&reserved=0>) for JCCC equivalents.

Program Requirements

Course Code Code	Course Title Title	Course Hours	Transfer Code Hours	Transfer Title	Transfer Hours
KU Core 34					
Visit the KU Core 34 English (https://catalog.jccc.edu/transfer-guides/ku/ku-transfer-core34/) for JCCC equivalents.					
Visit the KU Core 34 Communications (https://catalog.jccc.edu/transfer-guides/ku/ku-transfer-core34/) for JCCC equivalents.					
Visit the KU Core 34 Core 34 Social and Behavioral Sciences (https://catalog.jccc.edu/transfer-guides/ku/ku-transfer-core34/) for JCCC equivalents. (Select two courses in two different disciplines – 6 hrs. total)					
Select one of the following:					
ECON 230	Principles of Macroeconomics +	3	ECON 144	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ECON 231	Principles of Microeconomics +	3	ECON 142	Principles of Microeconomics	3
Visit the KU Core 34 Arts and Humanities (https://catalog.jccc.edu/transfer-guides/ku/ku-transfer-core34/) for JCCC equivalents. (Select two courses in two different disciplines – 6 hrs. total)					
Visit the KU Core 34 US Culture (https://catalog.jccc.edu/transfer-guides/ku/ku-transfer-core34/) for JCCC equivalents.					
Visit the KU Core 34 Global Culture (https://catalog.jccc.edu/transfer-guides/ku/ku-transfer-core34/) for JCCC equivalents.					
Mathematics					
Select one of the following:					
MATH 241	Calculus I* #	5	MATH 125	Calculus I	4
MATH 231	Business and Applied Calculus I*	3	MATH 115	Calculus I	3
MATH 232	Business and Applied Calculus II*	3	MATH 116	Calculus II	3
MATH 242	Calculus II*	5	MATH 126	Calculus II+	
MATH 243	Calculus III*	5	MATH 127	Calculus III+	
MATH 246	Elementary Linear Algebra*	3	MATH 290	Elementary Linear Algebra	2
MATH 254	Differential Equations*	4	MATH 220	Analytic Geometry Calc I	4
CS 210 & CS 211	Discrete Structures I* and Discrete Structures II*	6	EECS 210	Discrete Structures+	
Basic Science					
PHYS 220	Engineering Physics I* ^	5	PHSX 211	General Physics I##+ AND PHSX 216 General Physics I Lab##	
Computer Engineering					
Select one of the following:					

CS 200	Concepts of Programming Algorithms Using C++*	4	EECS 168	Programming I	4
CS 202	Concepts of Programming Algorithms using Python*	4	EECS 168	Programming I	4
CS 205	Concepts of Programming Algorithms using Java*	4	EECS 168	Programming I	4
Select one of the following:					
CS 250	Basic Data Structures using C++*	4	EECS 268 Programming II+		
CS 252	Basic Data Structures Using Python*	4	EECS 268 Programming II+		
CS 255	Basic Data Structures Using Java*	4	EECS 268 Programming II+		

* JCCC course has a prerequisite or corequisite.

+ Must earn a grade of "C" or better

% This course is a Recommended Core 34: Systemwide General Education course. This specific course is not required but is recommended by the program's faculty.

This course is a Required Core 34: Systemwide General Education course. This program is approved by the Kansas Board of Regents to require this specific Core 34: Systemwide General Education course. If a student did not take this course, it must be taken in addition to other degree requirements.

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