

Blue Water Middle College: Transferring SC4 credits to a four-year university



THE BLUE WATER MIDDLE COLLEGE allows its students to earn free college credits through St. Clair County Community College. These credits will transfer to four-year universities, which will save students and their families considerable money. Here are three examples:

MICHAEL

Graduated from the middle college with 68 credits. Transferred all 68 to Western Michigan University.



Tuition per credit hour at WMU:
\$388

68 SC4 credits transferred to WMU

$$\$388.70 \times 68 =$$

\$26,384
saved

JENNA

Graduated from the middle college with 63 credits. Transferred all 63 to Central Michigan University.



Tuition per credit hour at CMU:
\$385

63 SC4 credits transferred to CMU

$$\$385 \times 63 =$$

\$24,255
saved

CAITLYN

Graduated from the middle college with 64 credits. Transferred 54 to Michigan State University.



Tuition per credit hour at MSU:
\$441

54 SC4 credits transferred to MSU

$$\$441 \times 54 =$$

\$23,814
saved

THE SAVINGS SHOWN in these estimates are based solely on tuition costs. They do not include the cost of books, housing, and meals, and do not figure in any scholarship or grant funds. Note that books and classroom materials are provided free to middle college students. It's also important to know that students who complete the middle college enter a four-year college with freshman standing, and are eligible for the same scholarships as a traditional high school graduate.



Generally, students will have no issues transferring their SC4 credits to any four-year university. We strongly encourage students to meet with us early and often to discuss their future plans and what classes to take. This will help to make sure you are able to transfer as many credits as possible.

SC4 IS A MEMBER of the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) which helps simplify the transfer of credit to four-year public colleges and universities of Michigan. The MTA stipulates that 30 semester credit hours will be granted smooth transferability to participating universities and will count toward a student's general education requirements. Students who meet the requirements for any of SC4's three transfer degrees — Associate in Arts, Associate in Science, and Associate in General Education — will automatically meet the MTA requirements.

