

Credit Transfer Arrangements for Common University Requirements of the HKUST-NTHU Dual Degree Program

The common university requirements mentioned in this document are referred to as the Common Core Requirements of the HKUST; and the General Education, Chinese, English and Physical Education requirements of the university requirements of the NTHU.

The following outlines the courses or tests to be completed by HKUST and NTHU students for receiving the required credits and transfer credits to fulfill the HKUST common core and NTHU university requirements.

(1) Meeting NTHU's Physical Education (PE) and HKUST's Healthy Lifestyle (HLTH) Area Requirements

1.1 For NTHU students:

- 4 terms of PE courses at NTHU + HKUST's Healthy Lifestyle Course (HLTH 1010)

1.2 For HKUST students:

- HKUST's Healthy Lifestyle Course (HLTH 1010) + 4 terms of PE courses at NTHU

(2) Meeting NTHU's English and HKUST's English Communication Area Requirements

2.1 For NTHU students:

- a) 6 credits of English courses at NTHU + Attainment of NTHU English exit standard at IELTS 6.5 or above; OR
- b) Attainment of HKUST English Communication credit transfer criteria

2.2 For HKUST students:

- a) 6 credits of E-Comm courses at HKUST; OR
- b) Attainment of HKUST's English Communication credit transfer criteria

2.3 HKUST E-Comm credit transfer criteria:

- IELTS 7.0, or TOEFL (paper-based) 600
- Other criteria at <http://cle.ust.hk/wp-content/uploads/2015/08/CREDIT-TRANSFER-CRITERIA-5-August-2015.pdf>

(3) Meeting NTHU's University Chinese and HKUST's Chinese Communication Area Requirements

3.1 For NTHU students:

- a) 2 credits of University Chinese courses at NTHU/ Completion of the Basic Writing course offered by the Department of Chinese at NTHU + 1 credit of thematic Chinese course at NTHU; OR

- b) 2 credits of University Chinese courses at NTHU/ Completion of the Basic Writing course offered by the Department of Chinese at NTHU + Pass in HKUST's Putonghua Oral Proficiency Test; OR
- c) Attainment of HKUST's Chinese Communication credit transfer criteria (Applicable to NTHU students who are not enrolled in the Department of Chinese and are exempted from taking the University Chinese courses)

3.2 For HKUST students:

- a) 3 credits of Chinese Communication courses at HKUST; OR
- b) Attainment of HKUST's Chinese Communication credit transfer criteria + Pass in NTHU's Chinese written test

(4) Meeting other NTHU general education and HKUST common core requirements

4.1 The credit transfer arrangements must comply with the general education or common core requirements of both NTHU and HKUST (including both course and credit requirements for individual area).

4.2 NTHU General Education Requirements:

- a) 8-12 credits from at least 4 NTHU General Education Core Courses from 4 of the 6 dimensions; AND
- b) 8-12 credits of NTHU General Education Elective Courses (subject area requirements may vary among departments)

4.3 HKUST Common Core Requirements:

- a) 9 credits of HKUST SSC (3 credits each in the Humanities, Social Analysis, and Science and Technology areas); AND
- b) 18 credits of HKUST Common Core Courses in these 5 areas: Humanities, Social Analysis, Science and Technology, Quantitative Reasoning, and Arts areas; including at least 3 credits each from the Humanities, Social Analysis, Science and Technology and Quantitative Reasoning areas

4.4 Credit Transfer Arrangements:

- a) Credits from HKUST SSC (school-sponsored courses) in the Humanities, Social Analysis, and Science and Technology areas can be transferred into relevant dimensions of the NTHU General Education Core Courses
- b) Credits from HKUST Common Core courses in the Humanities, Social Analysis, Science and Technology, Quantitative Reasoning, and Arts areas can be transferred into NTHU General Education Elective Courses
- c) Credits from NTHU General Education Core or Elective Courses can be transferred into the relevant HKUST Common Core areas of Humanities, Social Analysis, Science and Technology, Quantitative Reasoning, and Arts; however they cannot be transferred to meet the SSC requirement.
- d) Subject to approval of individual program, up to 6-9 credits of introductory-level

NTHU courses (such as calculus, physics or computer programming) can be transferred into the relevant HKUST Common Core areas of Humanities, Social Analysis, Science and Technology, Quantitative Reasoning, and Arts; however they cannot be transferred to meet the SSC requirement.

(5) The arrangements stated in paragraphs 1-4 above are illustrated in Figure 1 below.

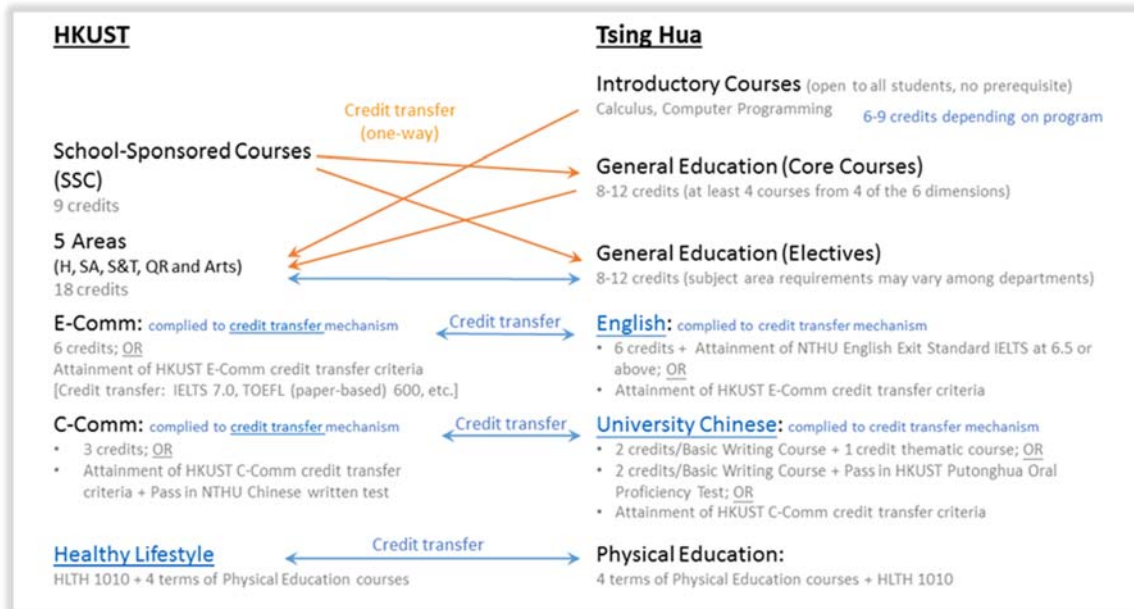


FIGURE 1 Framework for Mapping HKUST and NTHU Common University Requirements

(6) Upon confirmation of the above credit transfer arrangements for the Common University Requirements of the HKUST-NTHU Dual Degree Program by the Undergraduate Core Education Team of HKUST, and the concerned units of NTHU, these will be submitted to the Dual Degree Program Office for consolidation and subsequent used in publicity and student recruitment.

(7) In the event of any discrepancy between the English and Chinese versions of the above arrangements, the English version shall prevail.

港科大暨台清大雙聯學位校定共同必修學分認抵安排確認

文件內提及之校定共同必修學分僅包括港科大的核心教育課程，以及台清大的通識、大學中文、英文領域及體育校定必修。

港科大生及台清華生必須修畢下列之港科大核心教育課程及台清大校定共同必修課程，或通過相關測試，從而取得相關之學分及學分認抵。

一、台清大體育及港科大活力生活領域之認抵：

(一) 台清華生：

清華體育課 4 學期 + 港科大活力生活課 (HLTH 1010 Healthy Lifestyle Course) 2 學期

(二) 港科大生：

港科大活力生活課 (HLTH 1010 Healthy Lifestyle Course) 2 學期 + 清華體育課 4 學期

二、台清大英文領域及港科大英文傳意領域之認抵：

(一) 台清華生：

1. 清華 6 學分英語課程 + 清華英文檢定門檻 (IELTS：6.5 級分(含)以上)；或
2. 取得港科大英文學分認抵門檻 (請參見右方連結網頁 <http://cle.ust.hk/wp-content/uploads/2015/08/CREDIT-TRANSFER-CRITERIA-5-August-2015.pdf>)

(二) 港科大生：

1. 港科大 6 學分英文傳意 (English Communication/ E-Comm) 課程；或
2. 取得港科大英文學分認抵門檻 (請參見右方連結網頁 <http://cle.ust.hk/wp-content/uploads/2015/08/CREDIT-TRANSFER-CRITERIA-5-August-2015.pdf>)

三、台清大大學中文及港科大中文傳意領域之認抵：

(一) 台清華生：

1. 清華 2 學分大學中文課程/修畢清華中文系開設之校定必修基礎寫作課程 + 1 學分專題課程；或
2. 清華 2 學分大學中文課程/修畢清華中文系開設之校定必修基礎寫作課程 + 通過港科大相關口語測試；或
3. 通過港科大相關口語測試 (免修清華大學中文之非中文系學生適用)

(二) 港科大生：

1. 3 學分中文傳意 (Chinese Communication/ C-Comm) 課程可認抵清華大學中文 (2 學分) 之要求；或
2. 取得港科大 C-Comm 學分認抵門檻 + 通過清華專業筆試評估

四、其他通識/核心課程規定之認抵：

- (一) 認抵安排必須滿足兩校通識/核心課程之相關規定(包括領域別與學分數)

(二) 台清大通識規定：

1. 應滿足清華核心通識六選四向度，至少四門課 (8-12 學分)
2. 應滿足清華通識選修課程 8-12 學分 (各系有領域別之要求)

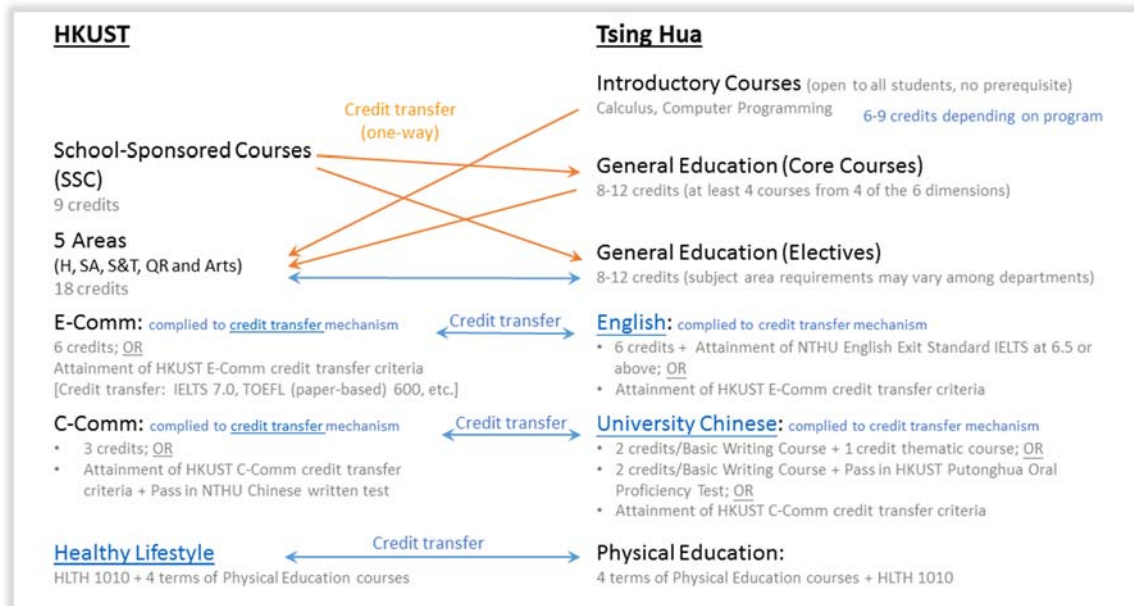
(三) 港科大核心課程規定：

1. 應修習港科大 3 領域之學院精品科目課程 (School-Sponsored Courses/SSC) 計 9 學分 (包括人文 Humanities、社會分析 Social Analysis、科學與科技 Science and Technology 領域各 3 學分)
2. 應滿足港科大 5 領域 (人文、社會分析、科學與科技、計量推理 Quantitative Reasoning、藝術 Arts) 之學分數要求計 18 學分，當中須包括人文、社會分析、科學與科技、計量推理領域各 3 學分

(四) 認抵安排：

1. 港科大 3 領域 SSC 課程 (人文、社會分析、科學與科技領域) 可認抵清華相關向度核心通識課程
2. 港科大 5 領域核心課程 (人文、社會分析、科學與科技、計量推理、藝術領域) 可認抵清華通識選修課程
3. 清華核心通識或通識選修課程可認抵港科大相關領域核心課程 (人文、社會分析、科學與科技、計量推理、藝術領域)，但不可認抵港科大 SSC 課程
4. 經港科大個別學位課程批准，部分清華基礎課 (如微積分、物理學、電腦程式編寫) 可認抵 6-9 學分港科大相關領域核心課程 (人文、社會分析、科學與科技、計量推理、藝術領域)，但不可認抵港科大 SSC 課程

五、下圖簡單總結及說明上述四大範疇之認抵安排：



六、校定共同必修學分之認抵，經雙方(港科大核心教育課程組及台清大校定共同必修相關單位) 確認無誤後，遞交雙聯學位負責單位彙整，以利後續招生宣傳。

七、上列細則的中英文文本如有歧異，概以英文本為準。