

BridgeBack to ISU is a student success program designed to help high school students who did not initially meet Indiana State University's admission standards prepare to re-apply to the University for a future term. Participating in BridgeBack offers you the opportunity to strengthen your basic skills and knowledge for future success at ISU by:

- Beginning college studies at selected colleges
- Taking courses that will prepare you for meeting Indiana State University admission standards
- Transferring credit to ISU
- Completing an ISU degree

How BridgeBack Works

BridgeBack to ISU offers a step-by-step path for admission to Indiana State University that includes:

- Step 1:** Apply for admission to a college listed in this brochure under "Getting Started." Prerequisite course work and/or testing may be required.
- Step 2:** Complete the participation agreement for BridgeBack at ISU. The form is available at www.indstate.edu/bridgeback.
- Step 3:** Complete 24 semester hours of transferable course work with a minimum grade point average of 2.0 and a grade of C or better in each course. Some ISU programs require a higher grade point average for admission to these departments.
- Step 4:** Re-apply for admission to ISU. You must provide an official copy of your college transcript with your application. However, an application fee is not charged.
- Step 5:** Transfer your college credits to ISU.
- Step 6:** Complete an Indiana State University baccalaureate degree.

Program Requirements

To be eligible to transfer to ISU through the BridgeBack program, you must complete 24 semester hours at another college with a minimum grade point average of 2.0 on a 4.0 grading scale and a grade of C or better in each course. You must also complete specified general education course work. Note that remedial or study skills courses do not transfer. All course work must be at the 100 or 200 (freshman and sophomore) level.

Among the courses you may choose to complete are:

- English Composition I*
- English Composition II*
- Communications
- Quantitative Literacy (mathematics)
- Information Technology Literacy (computers)
- Basic laboratory science course
- Science course in biology, chemistry, geography, life sciences, etc.
- Social and behavioral science courses in history, political science, economics, psychology
- Literary, artistic, or philosophical studies courses
- Multicultural studies course

*ISU recommends that these courses be among those selected prior to transferring.

For More Information

For information on BridgeBack to ISU or admission to Indiana State University, contact:

Office of Admissions
Indiana State University
1-800-GO-TO-ISU
www.indstate.edu

Getting Started

To get started in BridgeBack to ISU, apply for admission to one of the following colleges.

Indiana

Ivy Tech Community College
www.ivytech.edu
1-888-IVY-LINE

Vincennes University
www.vinu.edu
1-800-742-9198

Illinois

Danville Area Community College
www.dacc.edu
1-888-455-3222

Lincoln Trail College
www.iecc.edu/ltc
1-866-582-4322

Frontier College
www.iecc.edu/fcc
1-877-464-3687

Olney Central College
www.iecc.edu/occ
1-866-622-4322

Lake Land Community College
www.lakelandcollege.edu
1-217-234-5253

Wabash Valley College
www.iecc.edu/wvc
1-866-982-4322

Before registering for courses, you should consult with your academic advisor at the college you have chosen. You should also visit Indiana State University's Transfer Central Web site and access the **Course Applicability System (CAS)** to select courses which will transfer to ISU. By using CAS you can easily and conveniently ensure that your course work will apply to completing a bachelor's degree at Indiana State University. To access CAS:

- Go to www.indstate.edu/transfercentral
- Click on CAS, then Login to ISU-CAS
- Click on "New Account"
 - Set up your account at ISU, e.g., yourname@ISU
 - Complete the registration form
 - Click "Submit"
- Run a Planning Guide for BridgeBack with your college as the cross-reference institution
- Record the courses you plan to take or have already taken. Your progress through the BridgeBack Program will continuously be updated through this planning guide.

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