

Ontario College/University credit transfer formula (draft).

To determine the academic value of a credit earned at Ontario College or University the following formula could help.

Step 1

Calculate the college/university factor based on academic credentials hold by the administration of your college/university/school/department using the values:

	Credentials				
	Doctorate	Masters	Bachelor	Associate	Other
President	1	0.7	0.6	0.3	0
Provost	1	0.7	0.6	0.3	0
Dean	1	0.7	0.6	0.3	0
Associate Dean	1	0.7	0.6	0.3	0

Example:

	Credentials				
	Doctorate	Masters	Bachelor	Associate	Other
President	1				
Provost	1				
Dean		0.7			
Associate Dean			0.6		

$$1 + 1 + 0.7 + 0.6$$

$$3.3$$

$$3.3 / 4 = 0.825$$

The school factor = 0.825

Step 2

Calculate the course factor based on the credentials hold by your professor:

	Credentials				
	Doctorate	Masters	Bachelor	Associate	Other
Professor	1	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.2

Example:

	Credentials				
	Doctorate	Masters	Bachelor	Associate	Other
Professor	1				

Course factor =1

	Credentials				
	Doctorate	Masters	Bachelor	Associate	Other
Professor		0.7			

Course factor =0.7

Step 3

Calculate the academic value of your course taken at your college/university using the formula:

$$\text{Academic course factor} = (\text{school factor} + \text{course factor}) / 2$$

Example 1

The school factor = 0.825

Course factor =1 (course taught by professor with PhD or other doctorate)

$$\text{Academic course factor} = (0.825 + 1) / 2 = 0.9125$$

Example 2

The school factor = 0.825

Course factor =0.7 (course taught by professor with masters degree)

$$\text{Academic course factor} = (0.825 + 0.7) / 2 = 0.7625$$

Step 4

Calculate how much academic credit you have earned using formula:

$$\text{Course academic credits} = \text{school credits} \times \text{academic course factor}$$

Example:

Course with 3 semester hours offered at a college with school factor 0.825 taught by a professor with doctorate

$$\text{Course academic credits} = 3 \times 0.9125 = 2.7375$$

Course with 3 semester hours offered at a college with school factor 0.825 taught by a professor with masters degree

$$\text{Course academic credits} = 3 \times 0.7625 = 2.2875$$

