

Ohio Transfer Module (OTM) and Transfer Assurance Guide (TAG)

In order to guarantee transferability of courses within Ohio public colleges and universities, a course may have **OTM (Ohio Transfer Module)** approval, **TAG (Transfer Assurance Guides)** approval, or both.

The Ohio Transfer Module provides students the opportunity to transfer courses as a block or on an individual course basis. OTM approved courses are typically general education courses that can transfer from one college or university to another. This can help students make progress towards general education requirements and avoid unnecessary duplication of courses.

TAG approved courses are those foundational courses that represent a commonly accepted pathway towards a Bachelor's degree. A TAG approved course is guaranteed to transfer and apply to the degree or program requirements.

To determine whether your course is designated OTM (Ohio Transfer Module) or TAG (Transfer Assurance Guides), click https://ssb.starkstate.edu/PROD/bwckctlg.p_disp_dyn_ctlg to access Stark State's course catalog. Choose your course by name. If the course is OTM or TAG, it will list the designation under "Course Attributes."