CREDIT HOUR & GRADING CONVERSION FOR

Philipps-Universität Marburg

INTENSIVE GERMAN STUDIES PROGRAM (IGSP)

(GERMANY)

These guidelines have been developed based on information provided by the partner institutions and by professional credential evaluation organizations. Any questions about grade or credit equivalency should be addressed to the Study Abroad Office.

CREDIT HOURS

Courses in the IGSP program at Marburg have various scheduled contact hours and are not issued an ECTS value. The standard IGSP program consists of two intensive German classes and a Literature course. For individual courses worth more than the approved BSU equivalent, excess credit will be articulated as INSA 400 unless otherwise designated by the academic department(s) on the Request for Study Abroad Credit form.

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<th>Marburg Course</th>
<th>Ball State Credit</th>
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<td>138 scheduled hours</td>
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<th>Marburg Grade (Local Grade)</th>
<th>Ball State Equivalent</th>
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<td>13-15 (very good/sehr gut)</td>
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<td>10-12 (good/gut)</td>
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<td>6 (sufficient, ausreichend)</td>
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<td>5 (sufficient, ausreichend)</td>
<td>C</td>
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<td>0-4 (inadequate/fail, nicht ausreichend)</td>
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Students must earn the Ball State equivalent of a C or better (Local grade of 5 or better) in order to transfer a course from Marburg IGSP. The Ball State University transcript will reflect grades of CR or NC, which are not calculated into the student’s cumulative grade point average.