



CREDIT HOUR & GRADING CONVERSION FOR

MURDOCH UNIVERSITY (AUSTRALIA)

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.

TERMINOLOGY

“Course”= Major

“Subject”= Course/Class

“Faculty”= Department/College

CREDIT HOURS

Murdoch University utilizes a credit point system. Most subjects have a weight of 3-4 credit points. Three Murdoch credit points are worth 4 BSU credits. Ball State students are required to enroll in a minimum of 9 credit points (3 subjects) during each term of their exchange abroad. To maintain progress toward graduation we strongly recommend students take 4 subjects (12 credit points) each term. For 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.

Murdoch Credit Points

3 credit points

4 credit points

Ball State Credits

4 credit hours

5 credit hours

GRADE CONVERSION

Murdoch Scale

HD High Distinction (80-100%)

D Distinction (70-79%)

C Credit (60-69%)

P Pass (50-59%)

N Fail (below 50%)

Ball State Equivalent

A

A

B

C

F

Students must earn the Ball State equivalent of a C or better (50%/Pass) in order to transfer a subject from Murdoch University. The Ball State University transcript will reflect grades of CR or NC, which are not calculated into the student’s cumulative grade point average.