### **Transient Permission Form**

Undergraduate Students

CWID		Last Name			First Name		MI
I request to take	the following courses at						
					Name of Accre	dited Col	lege/University
	during the			of Year			
City and State of College/University		Te			rm		Year
Initials:	Note: Completion of this Please visit the Financial					ling your	status.
	Course Information from Othe College Completed by the Student	r			Equivalent Cit Course Informa Completed by the S	ation	Completed by the Dept Head of Course
Course ID Ex. ENGL 101	Course Name Ex. Composition & Literature I	Credit Hours	Select applicable Semester/Quarter		Course ID Ex. ENGL 101	Credit Hours	Dept. Approval

**NOTE for Non-Returning Seniors:** You may take up to 7 of your last 37 hours away from The Citadel, only if you earn fifty percent of your hours at The Citadel. The Associate Provost for Academic Affairs must approve transferring more than 7 hours.

Your signature acknowledges that you understand the guidelines and requirements listed on page two of this document. Your signature also acknowledges that The Citadel will not accept transfer credits earned while a student is on academic or conduct discharge or while conduct charges are pending. Upon successful completion of the course you must send your official transcript to The Citadel.

Student Signature

Date

Associate Provost for Academic Affairs (only needed for Non-Returning Seniors)

Date

Office Use Only

The above student is in good standing and has been given permission to take the above courses away from The Citadel.

Initials

## Important Tips about Transferring Courses

- You must request an official transcript from the other college/university be sent <u>directly</u> to The Citadel Registrar's Office. Transfer credit will not be awarded until an official transcript is received. Hand delivered transcripts cannot be accepted.
- Quality points and grades do not transfer, thus your GPA is not affected by courses taken at other colleges.
- While courses taken at other institutions might fulfill degree requirements, <u>you may not use</u> <u>transfer courses as grade replacement.</u>
- This form must be submitted to the Registrar's Office for final approval. The student will be given a copy to take to the other college/university. We will not submit this form to other institutions on your behalf.

#### Guidelines for Taking Courses at Another College

The Citadel requires that the following guidelines be met for a course to be accepted for transfer credit:

- A course must be taken at an accredited institution.
- There must be a comparable course offered by The Citadel.
- A grade of "C-" or better must be earned in order to transfer the class to The Citadel.
- Credit hour value of transfer courses must be equal to or greater than The Citadel course for which equivalent is sought; however, credits transferred will not exceed those of The Citadel equivalent.
- Courses previously passed at The Citadel are not acceptable for transfer.
- Permission to take approved course(s) does not waive institutional credit hours requirements at The Citadel, specifically:
  - o One-half of all credits applied toward a degree must be earned at The Citadel.
  - 30 of the last 37 hours must be obtained at The Citadel and these hours must be earned within five years of the date of graduation.
- No more than one course totaling three credit hours may be transferred during Maymester. Over a summer, a student will not normally be permitted to enroll at The Citadel in, or transfer in from another accredited institution, more than 16 credit hours total. Any exception to the number of hours that may be earned during a summer session or to the total number of hours that may be earned during summer school must be approved by the Associate Provost for Academic Affairs.

#### How to Determine if a Course is Pre-Approved to Transfer to The Citadel

The South Carolina Transfer and Articulation Center (SC TRAC) is a resource that helps students transfer between South Carolina colleges and universities: <u>www.sctrac.org</u> or mobile app Academic GPS. For course equivalencies in and outside of South Carolina, visit <u>www.collegetransfer.net</u>.

Please visit the appropriate website above and follow the instructions below:

- Select 'Course Equivalencies'
- Transfer **FROM** College = college where you want to take courses
  - o Click on the name of the institution when it populates in the drop-down menu
- Transfer **TO** College = The Citadel
  - o Click on the name of the institution when it populates in the drop-down menu
- Click on '**Search**' and any pre-approved courses for transfer will show

\*\*Courses with equivalencies on the website(s) above do <u>not</u> require department approval.\*\*

# If the course is <u>not</u> pre-approved for transfer, then the student must obtain a copy of the FROM College's course description (found in their school's course catalog) and get it approved by the Department Head of the corresponding course here at The Citadel.