

# Graceland University

## Academic Programs

**We develop more than just students;** we develop lives.

A Graceland degree will help you achieve your goals, whether that's getting started on your career, being accepted into the graduate school of your choice, or advancing in your profession.

### Undergraduate Programs

Accounting  
Agricultural Business  
Art: Studio\*  
Art: Visual Communications  
Athletic Training  
Basic Science\*  
Biology\*  
Business Administration  
Chemistry\*  
Communications\*  
Computer Science and  
Information Technology  
Criminal Justice  
Economics  
Elementary Education  
English\*  
Film, Theatre, and  
Performance Studies\*  
Health\*  
Health Care Management  
Health Services  
History\*  
Human Services  
International Studies  
Liberal Studies  
Mathematics\*

Music\*

Organizational Leadership  
Physical Education\*  
Psychology  
Publication Writing and Design  
Recreation  
Religion and Philosophy  
Sport Management  
Wellness Program Management

### Pre-Professional Programs

*(Programs that offer graduate school and career preparation)*

Pre-Chiropractic  
Pre-Dentistry  
Pre-Forensic Science  
Pre-Law  
Pre-Medicine  
Pre-Optometry  
Pre-Pharmacy  
Pre-Physical Therapy  
Pre-Veterinary Medicine

### Graduate Programs

Master of Arts in Religion  
Master of Education  
Master of Science in Nursing

\* Secondary teacher education program offered

**SWCC**  
Southwestern Community College

  
**GRACELAND**  
UNIVERSITY

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**Admissions and Advising Partnership**  
**Southwestern Community College**

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## Admissions and Advising Partnership (AAP) with Southwestern Community College

The Graceland University Admissions and Advising Partnership program (AAP) helps SWCC students smoothly transfer to Graceland. Students benefit from academic advising and a shared experience with the university prior to transferring. Graceland assists each student in planning their academic program at SWCC and Graceland to attain a B.A., B.S. or B.S.N. degree in a timely manner.

### Benefits for Students

- Mentoring and academic advising from both institutions from the time the student is accepted into the program, which will assist in efficient progress toward a baccalaureate degree.
- Guaranteed admission to Graceland under the catalog of beginning enrollment at SWCC, provided all admissions requirements are met. Students entering Graceland with 56 semester hours of transfer credit will have junior status. Students entering Graceland with 48 hours of transfer credit will qualify for the alternative general education requirements.
- Option to choose graduation requirements from the Graceland academic catalog at the time of entrance to SWCC or at the time of transfer to Graceland, whichever is most advantageous for the student.
- Graceland student identification card, My Graceland account and e-mail address.
- Admission to athletic and cultural events at the same rate as Graceland students.
- Access to Graceland's career related programs, including career fairs and workshops.
- Use of the Graceland University library.
- Information about Graceland campus events and opportunities.
- Updated transcripts sent by SWCC to Graceland at no charge after each semester.



### Eligibility Criteria for the AAP

- Students must be admitted at SWCC.
- Students who have completed community college coursework must have a cumulative GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale.

### Applicant Steps for Acceptance

- After admission to SWCC, students meet with their SWCC academic advisor to discuss the AAP.
- Students complete an application for the AAP and have their SWCC advisor sign it.
- Students send the signed application to: Graceland University, Admissions Office, 1 University Place, Lamoni, IA 50140.
- Students arrange to have final official transcripts from their high school and each college attended sent to Graceland University Admissions. For students with a GED, supply a copy of the GED scores.
- Students should complete these steps as soon as possible after being admitted to SWCC and deciding to transfer to Graceland University. However, students may submit the AAP application at any time prior to admittance to Graceland.

### Student Responsibilities while in the AAP

- Enroll at SWCC in a major suitable for transfer to a program at Graceland.
- Consult with SWCC and Graceland academic advisors, prior to acceptance into the AAP, to review courses completed and to consider a Graceland degree.
- Consult with a Graceland University advisor the first semester of enrollment in the AAP to create a transfer and graduation plan. Meet with Graceland advisor as appropriate in semesters prior to transfer.
- Meet with the SWCC advisor each semester before registration to select courses that will meet the requirements of the transfer plan.
- Consult with SWCC and Graceland advisors before changing an agreed-upon course schedule.
- Earn and maintain a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA (on a 4.0 scale) in all transferable coursework and meet degree program requirements.
- Submit a Graceland University Undergraduate Application for Admission, final official high school transcript, GED Scores (if applicable) and final official transcripts from SWCC and all other post-secondary schools in which previously enrolled.
- Agree to support the rules and regulations of Graceland University as specified in official publications. This includes refraining from using tobacco and possessing or using alcohol or drugs on campus or at Graceland sponsored activities.

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### Application for Admissions and Advising Partnership

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Last (Family Name) First Middle Preferred First Maiden

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City and State/Province Zip/Postal Code

Country (if not U.S.): \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: ☐ M ☐ F

Citizenship (if not U.S.): \_\_\_\_\_ Permanent Resident: ☐ Yes ☐ No

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Social Network: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated enrollment at Graceland University: Academic year 20\_\_\_\_ - 20\_\_\_\_ Term: ☐ Fall ☐ Spring

Desired major at Graceland University: (1st Choice) \_\_\_\_\_ (2nd Choice) \_\_\_\_\_

List in chronological order your last high school and ALL colleges attended (even for one course):

Name of Institution	City	State/Province	GPA	Year graduated	College hrs earned
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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AAP Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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1 University Place  
Lamoni, IA 50140**

or Fax to:

**641.784.5480  
Attn: Admissions Transfer Director**

**Questions?**

**Call 866.GRACELAND (866.472.2352)**  
and ask for the Admissions Transfer Director  
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