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Transfer Pathway Between Stark State College and University of Phoenix

Associate of Applied Science Degree in Cyber Security & Computer Forensics (Stark State College)
2026-2027 Catalog Year to:
Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity v002A (UOPX)

UOPX General Education and Elective Program Requirements

Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity Degree Requirement	Recommended Courses	Institution	Credits Utilized
Communication Arts (6 credits) **[Must Include three (3) credits of College Composition]**	ENG 124 College Composition*	Stark State	**3**
	COM 121 Effective Speaking*	Stark State	**3**
Mathematics (6 credits) **[Must Include six (6) credits of the University's mathematics acceptable coursework]** **[Math Proficiency Requirement]**	MTH 125 College Algebra*	Stark State	**4**
	Any two (2) credits from the Mathematics courses listed on the Ohio Transfer 36 that does not duplicate**	Stark State	**2**
Science and Technology (6 credits) **[Must Include CMGT 245 IS Security Concepts or equivalent and three (3) credits in Physical or Biological Sciences]**	CMGT/245 IS Security Concepts or equivalent	UOPX	**3**
	CHM 105 Introduction to Forensic Science*	Stark State	**3**
Humanities (6 credits)	Any six (6) credits from the Arts and Humanities courses listed on the Ohio Transfer 36 that does not duplicate** (except HIS 121, HIS 122, HIS 221, HIS 222)	Stark State	**6**
Social Science (6 credits) **[Must include CYB/160 Governance and Privacy or equivalent]**	CYB/160 Governance and Privacy or equivalent	UOPX	**3**
	Any three (3) credits from the Social and Behavioral Sciences Electives listed on the AAS degree requirements that does not duplicate*	Stark State	**3**
Liberal Arts (3 credits) **[Must Include GEN/201 Foundations for University Success]**	GEN/201 Foundations for University Success	UOPX	**3**
Elective (6 credits)	*Lower Division Elective Credits Filled by Combined Credits From:* CFS 136, CFS 137, CFS 250, CFS 256, CFS 257, CFS 258, CFS 280, SSC 101, ACC 237, CFS 175, CSE 122, NET 120*	Stark State	**6**

*Course recommended or required to maximize transfer into UOPX based off Associate degree requirements to obtain an Associate of Applied Science Degree in Cyber Security & Computer Forensics from Stark State College.

**Course recommended by UOPX outside of Associate degree requirements to reach transfer credit totals listed on pathway. Students may have other options to satisfy this course requirement at UOPX. Students should consult an advisor at their respective institution if they would like to take courses outside of the recommended sequence.

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UOPX Course of Study Requirements

Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity Degree Requirement	Recommended Courses	Institution	Credits
Foundations of Networking+	***NET 121 Introduction to Computer Networking****	***Stark State***	***3***
Foundations of Cloud Services+	NTC/260 Foundations of Cloud Services	UOPX	**3**
Cyber Domain+	CYB/100T Cyber Domain	UOPX	**3**
Foundations of Security+	***CFS 210 Cyber Defense Fundamentals****	***Stark State***	***3***
Computer Network Defense Part 1+	CYB/120T Computer Network Defense Part 1	UOPX	**3**
Object-Oriented Scripting Language+	***CSE 235 Python Development*****	***Stark State***	**3**
Object-Oriented Security Scripting+	CYB/135 Object-Oriented Security Scripting	UOPX	**3**
Computer Network Defense Part 2+	CYB/140T Computer Network Defense Part 2	UOPX	**3**
Computer Network Defense Part 3+	CYB/150T Computer Network Defense Part 3	UOPX	**3**
Linux Fundamentals+	***NET 220 UNIX/LINUX Operating Environment****	***Stark State***	**3**
Sniffing and Network Analysis+	***CFS 287 Network Forensics****	***Stark State***	**3**
Ethical Hacking Part 1+	***CFS 275 Ethical Hacking****	***Stark State***	***3***
Ethical Hacking Part 2+	CYB/231T Ethical Hacking Part 2	UOPX	**3**
Ethical Hacking Part 3+	CYB/233T Ethical Hacking Part 3	UOPX	**3**
Global Cyber Ethics	CYB/320 Global Cyber Ethics	UOPX	**3**
Security Team Participation	CYB/350 Security Team Participation	UOPX	**3**
Wireless Security	CYB/360 Wireless Security	UOPX	**3**
Capstone Bachelor Design	CYB/490 Capstone Bachelor Design	UOPX	**3**
Capstone Bachelor Implementation	CYB/492 Capstone Bachelor Implementation	UOPX	**3**
Upper Division Cybersecurity Electives	Cybersecurity Electives	UOPX	**21**
Lower Division Cybersecurity Electives+	CSS/201 Generative AI in Everyday Life	UOPX	**3**

Institutional Credit Breakdown

Minimum Credits Required for Associate of Applied Science Degree in Cyber Security & Computer Forensics	64 Credits
Credits Utilized from Associate of Applied Science Degree in Cyber Security & Computer Forensics	37 Credits
Recommended Credits Outside AAS Degree in Cyber Security & Computer Forensics to Maximize Transfer	11 Credits

Total Credits Required to Complete Bachelor's Degree 120

Total Stark State College Applied Credits	**48**
Required University of Phoenix Credits (36 Upper Division)	**72**

+ Identifies lower division courses that can be waived using transfer coursework providing certain conditions are met upon admission to UOPX. In addition, students in this program may waive a maximum of 18 lower division credits from their required course of study and cybersecurity electives.

NOTE: This breakdown represents the recommended course sequence a student should pursue in order to transfer into University of Phoenix. This summary is an estimation of credits only based on the current catalog and degree program requirements. Actual credit may vary based on each individual student's submission. Concentrations are reflected on the transcript only. All courses that apply to an associate's degree transfer to the University of Phoenix with the exception of remedial or vocational courses. Courses must have received a grade of C- or higher to transfer. All credit amounts are reflected in semester credits.

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