

Articulation Agreement

Between

NJ's 19 Community Colleges

and

New Jersey Regional Council of Carpenters

This articulation agreement specifies the requirements and conditions for qualified students to complete the Technical Studies Associate in Applied Science degree at NJ County Colleges.

Upon official presentation of completion of a New Jersey Regional Council of Carpenters Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee Program, students will be automatically accepted into the NJ County Colleges' Technical Studies Associate in Applied Science Program.

Attached to this agreement is the Transfer Course Agreement. The Transfer Course Agreement lists the manner in which the apprenticeship program translates into NJ County College equivalent coursework or Technical Studies credits. It should be noted that qualified students in any New Jersey Regional Council of Carpenters Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee Program in New Jersey can complete the degree requirements at any county college in New Jersey thus waiving the residency requirements of each college. NJ State requires that all students pursuing an Associate in Applied Science degree complete a minimum of 21 general education credits. Additional credits from apprenticeship training may be credited towards either the career electives or general education portion of the AAS degree. This credit application will be determined in accordance with the apprenticeship training completed and the degree program pursued. Further, excess credits not applied from the ACE evaluation may be applied to a Bachelors Degree program at a participating baccalaureate institution.

These documents will be revisited annually to reflect curriculum changes by NJ County Colleges and/or curriculum changes of the New Jersey Regional Council of Carpenters Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee Program.

For NJ's 19 Community Colleges

George R. Laufenberg
For New Jersey Regional Council of Carpenters

Date: _____

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Transfer Course Agreement

NJ County Colleges

Associate in Applied Science in Technical Studies

Courses/Credits for New Jersey Regional Council of Carpenters Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee Apprenticeship Students

General Education 21 credits (Credits must be earned at county colleges or transferred as course equivalents)^{A-} minimum

English Composition I	3
English Composition II	3
Mathematics Elective (generally algebra or higher)	3
Science/Lab (generally biology, chemistry, physics)	3-4
Introduction to Computers	3
Humanities Elective	3
Social Science Elective (psychology/sociology)	3

^{A-} Note: Some County Colleges may have other requirements for graduation, such as Health/Physical Education.

Technical Core 25 credits (Credits assigned in recognition of apprenticeship experience—exact components may differ from college to college)

Technical Core can be transcribed as 25 block transfer credits or as specific course or transfer equivalencies based on ACE review, as determined by each community college (see example).

Example Course by Course Listing

TC: Construction Materials and Methods	3
TC: Labor History Part I-IV LAH101	3
TC: Concrete Formwork	2
TC: OJT Technical Concentration Concrete Formwork OJT102	3
TC: Introduction to Welding & Advanced Welding (combined)	2
TC: Blueprint Reading Part I and Part II (combined)	3
TC: Mathematics for Construction	1
TC: Wood and Light Gauge Metal Framing/student must complete the following 4 courses to receive the credit recommendation: Wood & Light Gauge Metal Framing TT1103; Metal Framing and Drywall TT1104	2
TC: Exterior Finish/student must complete the following 4 courses to receive the credit recommendation: Exterior Finish TT105; Interior Finish TT106; Drywall Finishing DWF101, Part I and Part II	3
TC: Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation/student must complete the following 7 courses to receive the credit recommendation: Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation CPR; Basic Hand & Power Tool Use and Safety CBS100; First 5 Minutes SA101; Power Actuated Tools Use & Safety PAT 101; OSHA 10 Construction Outreach SA104; OSHA 30 construction outreach; General Knowledge Ergonomics	3

Career Electives 12 credits (Credits must be earned at county colleges or transferred as course equivalents)^{B-}

^{B-} Additional articulated credits the apprentice may earn through completion of the apprenticeship program will vary depending on the apprenticeship program completed by the apprentice and the associate degree the apprentice pursues.

- Course offerings may vary based on curriculum offered at specific NJ County Colleges.

60 credits

- Most county colleges actually require a higher number of General Education requirements. However, if the college's general education requirement is 21, the student would need to make up the missing 2 credits in the Career Electives area in order to reach the minimum of 60 credits for an AAS degree.

Transfer Course Agreement

NJ County Colleges

Associate in Applied Science in Technical Studies

Business Management Concentration

Courses/Credits for New Jersey Regional Council of Carpenters Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee Apprenticeship Students

General Education (Credits must be earned at county colleges or transferred as course equivalents)^{A-}	21 credits minimum
English Composition I	3
English Composition II	3
Mathematics Elective (generally algebra or higher)	3
Science/Lab (generally biology, chemistry, physics)	3-4
Introduction to Computers	3
Humanities Elective	3
Social Science Elective (psychology/sociology)	3
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Career Electives (Credits must be earned at county colleges or transferred as course equivalents)^{B-}	12 credits
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Concentration in Business Management	
- Introduction to Business	3
- Introduction to Management	3
- Additional course offerings in Business Management	6

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NJ County Colleges

Associate in Applied Science in Technical Studies

Construction Management Concentration

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Selected from Concentration in Construction Management:

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- Construction Management II	3
- Additional course offerings in Business Management/Construction Management	6

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