Articulation Agreement

Between Weber State University and Mount Hood Community College

I. PURPOSE

Weber State University, (WSU), will guarantee admission to Mount Hood Community College, (MHCC), students according to the terms of this Agreement. The purpose of the Articulation Agreement is to coordinate transfer policies, enhance advising, and promote the acceptance of equivalent courses/credits between WSU and MHCC. The Articulation Agreement facilitates a clear pathway for admission to MHCC students who intend to graduate MHCC with an AAS in Automotive Technology degree and transfer directly to WSU to earn their baccalaureate degree.

II. TERMS AND CONDITIONS

A. Admissions Practices

1. As an open enrollment institution, WSU accepts applications from MHCC students to pursue any degree program at WSU. Transferring MHCC applicants must meet the same general admissions criteria as other students applying for transfer to WSU. Students transferring from MHCC to the WSU BS- Automotive Technology program must meet the same prerequisites, grade point average (GPA) and other specific admissions criteria, as other native or transfer students applying to this specific WSU program.

B. Acceptance and Application of Credits

1. General Education. Students completing an AAS in Automotive Technology at MHCC will have partially fulfilled the General Education requirements at WSU. AA or AS at MHCC will generally be considered to have met all lower division general education requirements at WSU. However, students completing an AA or AS at MHCC may have their transcripts reviewed by WSU to assure they have successfully completed relevant courses in three specific Core Areas: Written Communication, Quantitative Literacy, and American Institutions. While WSU will honor associate degrees, deficiencies found in one or more of the three Core Areas may need to be addressed.
2. Where course equivalencies exist for required courses and/or prerequisites, these courses will apply to WSU graduation requirements in the student's stated major field of study.

3. College-level course credits and grades accepted by Weber State University are transferrable. Grades of F, I, or U will be considered failing grades generating 0.0 points in the incoming starting WSU Cumulative GPA calculation.

4. WSU will evaluate courses/credits listed on MHCC transcript that were awarded through Advanced Placement (AP), College-Level Examination Program (CLEP), DSST exams, and courses/credits earned at other institutions. The student must submit separate transcripts or exam results documents to WSU. If requested by the student, WSU's Automotive Technology Department will evaluate Prior Learning Activity for Credit Evaluation and other life experiences for possible credit.

5. WSU will maintain course equivalency information and make this information readily available to MHCC. The transfer map for the 2017-18 Field Service Operations emphasis is outlined in Exhibit A. The transfer map for the 2017-18 Advanced Vehicle Systems emphasis is outlined in Exhibit B.

6. Students transferring from MHCC will be required to complete a minimum of 30 semester hours of WSU coursework to be eligible for the WSU bachelor's degree.

7. WSU will not use grades accepted as transfer credit in the calculation of the student's WSU cumulative grade point average. These credits, however, will be included in the calculation of a student's total attempted/earned credits.

8. WSU reserves the right to evaluate the transferability of all automotive technology coursework.

9. It is the responsibility of the student to notify WSU's Transfer Articulation Office when exercising this agreement to ensure the credits are appropriately transferred.

C. Exclusions to the Guaranteed Admission Agreement

1. In accordance with state and federal guidelines, some students may be ineligible to enroll at WSU based on their immigration status. The Office of Admissions reserves the right to request supporting documentation to determine immigration status and eligibility.

2. WSU reserves the right to deny admission or the benefits of this agreement to students who have been suspended, dismissed, or expelled for academic or non-academic reasons from any college or those who have been convicted of, pled guilty or no contest to, a felony.

3. Admissions to WSU does not guarantee admission to specific WSU degree programs which may have additional requirements such as GPA, test score or other criteria. This agreement does not convey promises, such as financial aid or course placement, unless otherwise noted.

D. Update/Report/Relationship

WSU and MHCC agree to review the agreement and relevant transfer course equivalencies annually. The agreement shall be updated as courses are added, deleted, modified or retitled, including course numbers. It is the responsibility of the school making the changes to notify the other partner school of the changes so that the appropriate updates can be made. Curriculum changes by either institutions must be communicated in writing no later than June 30 of any academic year for the
subsequent academic year. MHCC will designate an individual to serve as liaison for
the purposes of monitoring this agreement.
WSU designated liaison: Jessica Slater
Contact Information (email): jessicarees@weber.edu

MHCC designated liaison:
Contact Information (email);

E. Amendments and Term of Effect
1. The curriculum transfer guides in effect at the time a student first enrolls at MHCC
will be honored by WSU if the student completes an AAS degree in Automotive
Technology and successfully transfers to WSU within 6 years of that first enrollment
at MHCC.
2. All course-by-course transfer guides may be amended as needed.
3. This master agreement, dated March 1, 2019, shall remain continuous unless
terminated as provided herein. Either party may terminate or suspend this agreement
for convenience upon sixty (60) days written notice; provided however, that the
parties shall discuss and reasonably attempt to resolve the issues that led to the
notice of termination or suspension during the sixty (60) day period.