

**Articulation Agreement between
Marietta College
and
Washington State Community College**

This agreement is intended to formalize the transfer relationship between Marietta College and Washington State Community College by indicating courses for which transfer credit will be awarded. By accepting this agreement, both institutions are aware that a distinction exists between acceptance of credit and application of those credits towards graduation requirements. The accepting college will provide the necessary information to prospective students inquiring on the advantages of the transfer program.

MARIETTA COLLEGE
and
WASHINGTON STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
authorize this agreement effective Fall 2019

for Marietta College

09/24/2019

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Between Marietta College And Washington State Community College

Consistent with the philosophy and objectives of providing high quality educational programs, Marietta College and Washington State Community College enter into this Articulation Agreement. The primary purpose of this agreement is to facilitate the transfer of credit from Washington State Community College to Marietta College for those students intending to pursue a bachelor's degree. Through this commitment to inter-institutional cooperation, Washington State Community College and Marietta College seek to demonstrate leadership within the higher education community by removing barriers to transferability for the students and their credits. In order to advance post-secondary educational attainment in our region, Marietta College and Washington State Community College will cooperate to facilitate transfer credit for students who wish to pursue a bachelor's degree including those who have earned an associate degree.

Marietta College (Marietta, OH) is located in southeast Ohio and is easily accessible by major east-west and north-south highways. Historically preceded by the community's Marietta College Academy, established in 1797, today's College was chartered in 1835. Marietta College is rich in tradition and proud of its heritage dating back to the first half of the nineteenth century. Today, approximately 1,050 undergraduates and 100 graduate students study on Marietta College's picturesque 90-acre campus. Since its charter in 1835, Marietta College has been recognized as one of the nation's leading liberal arts colleges.

Washington State Community College is a state assisted two-year college serving Washington and Morgan Counties as well as adjacent counties in both Ohio and West Virginia. For more than 45 years Washington State Community College has been a provider of opportunity- the opportunity to realize dreams, to enhance skills, and to broaden understanding. The college exists to "serve the education and workforce needs of our community by providing dynamic and affordable associate degree and certificate programs in an atmosphere that promotes student success."

Marietta College agrees to the following:

1. Applicants for admission to Marietta College from institutions with which Marietta College has an articulation agreement must be in good standing, and must meet the same admission criteria required of all transfer students. The College will recognize the system of preparation afforded by the completion of an associate's degree with the embedded Ohio Transfer Module –the Associate of Arts and Associate of Science degrees— for completion of the general education portion of the Marietta College curriculum with the exception of the PioPath, (i.e., PIO 201, Junior Core, and Capstone), and the foreign language requirement (mastery through the 102 level of any single language other than English) . Transfer with the Associate of Applied Science, Associate of Applied Business, or the Associate of Technical Studies will be on a course by course basis as these degrees do not include the Ohio Transfer module.

2. Marietta College adheres to the Ohio Department of Higher Education Transfer and Articulation Policy. Students who have earned an Associate's Degree, or who have completed at least 60 semester credit hours of earned transferable credit, from regionally accredited institutions, will be able to earn a Baccalaureate Degree from Marietta College by meeting the following requirements: Successfully complete the Transfer Module recognized by the Ohio Department of Higher Education, complete a minimum of 120 earned semester credit hours, complete requirements for an academic major, complete the residency requirement of a minimum of 36 earned semester credit hours at Marietta College, complete a minimum of 30 semester credit hours at the 300-400 level, complete an experiential education experience.
3. Transfer students will be subject to the catalog in force at the time of their matriculation at Marietta College. Once admitted, transfer students will be subject to the same regulations governing applicability of catalog requirements (including, but not limited to major, GPA, graduation, and/or residency requirements, policies, procedures and standards) as native Marietta College students. Furthermore, transfer students shall be accorded the same class standing and other privileges as native students on the basis of the number of credits earned.

Students admitted will be considered for selective admission programs (majors, minors, or fields of concentration) with the same guidelines that are applied to native Marietta College students. Students are responsible for understanding and adhering to the selective admission requirements, according to catalog requirements at Marietta College.

Students who have not completed their Associate of Arts (AA)/ Associate of Science (AS)/Associate of Applied Science (AAS)/Associate of Applied Business (AAB) degree, or who have earned a cumulative grade point average below 2.0, or those who have been dismissed previously from another institution will be considered for admission according to the admission policy and standards of Marietta College according to catalog requirements.

4. The College will grant academic credit for coursework taken at Washington State Community College which is comparable in content, scope and depth to similar classes at Marietta College, whether or not these courses are part of an earned associate's degree. This course equivalency will allow for credits earned to be applied as appropriate toward the student's academic major, the general education requirements, and as general elective credit applicable to the total hours required for completion of a bachelor's degree.

Program-specific articulation agreements may be developed between Marietta College and Washington State Community College for students enrolling in specific programs. Program specific agreements supporting this institutional agreement will outline selective admission requirements, course equivalencies, and other pertinent information. These supplemental program articulation agreements will be consistent with the tenets of this overarching institutional agreement.


5. Students who transfer to Marietta College under the terms of the agreement shall retain all credits and academic standing guaranteed by the agreement for up to six years following matriculation at Marietta College. Due to curricular structures and the variability in student enrollment patterns, Marietta College cannot guarantee that students who transfer under the provisions of this agreement will complete all the requirements to graduate within two years. All collegiate-level credit transferred from Washington State Community College shall be accepted toward the student's class standing and shall be articulated to specific Marietta College courses when possible.
6. Collegiate level courses completed at Washington State Community College with a "C" or better will be accepted for students who transfer with an earned associate degree. Students may retake any course in which they received a grade of "C" where there is a higher minimum grade required for the academic program.
7. Marietta College will provide Washington State Community College with course equivalent information regarding Washington State Community College courses and their Marietta College equivalents. Updates and course changes will be provided on an ongoing basis to Washington State Community College.
8. As new baccalaureate programs and/or degrees are approved at Marietta College, Washington State Community College will be given information about the programs or degrees and their requirements.
9. Marietta College will provide program-specific degree completion information to the appropriate staff at Washington State Community College for distribution to students completing an associate's degree at Washington State Community College.

Washington State Community College agrees to the following:

1. To provide Marietta College any updates or changes in their course offerings on an ongoing basis.
2. To provide information about Marietta College's programs and offerings to students who wish to pursue a bachelor's degree.
3. To permit Marietta College recruiting staff an opportunity to promote its programs on Washington State Community College's campus.
4. To share with appropriate staff at Marietta College information about new associate degrees approved at Washington State Community College in order that additional course and program articulations can be evaluated.

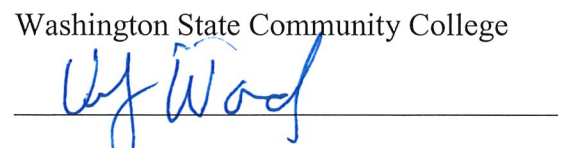
General Provisions

1. This agreement will be comprehensively reviewed and updated by appropriate representatives from both institutions no later than two years from the date of the most recent signatures. The partners of this articulation agreement agree to provide individual contact information regarding the person(s) responsible for implementing and maintaining the terms of this agreement.
2. The partners of this agreement will allow the sharing of programmatic information on each institution's respective website. Each partner institution agrees to post on its website that an articulation agreement relationship exists between the two institutions.
3. Each institution shall comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title III of the Older American Amendments of 1975, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1992, and all related regulations and executive orders, and each party assures that it does not and will not discriminate against any person on the basis of race, color, sex, creed, national origin, age or non-disqualifying handicap under any program or activity receiving federal or state assistance, and any state or local law pertaining to nondiscrimination in education.
4. Each party agrees to be responsible for any negligent acts or negligent omissions by or through itself or its agents, employees and contracted servants and each party further agrees to defend itself and themselves and pay any judgments and costs arising out of such negligent acts or negligent omissions, and nothing in this agreement shall impute or transfer any such responsibility from one to the other.
5. The agreement may be terminated by either party by providing official notice at least sixty (60) days prior to the intended date of termination. Students who transferred to Marietta College under the terms of the agreement shall retain all credits and academic standing guaranteed by the agreement until such time as they complete a bachelor's degree at Marietta College.

Marietta College


William Ruud, President
9/24/2019

Date

Washington State Community College


Vicky Wood, President
11-2019

Date