

**BILATERAL ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY
AND
SANDHILLS COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

THIS ARTICULATION AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and between **NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY**, a public university located in Greensboro, North Carolina (hereinafter “N.C. A&T”) and **SANDHILLS COMMUNITY COLLEGE**, a North Carolina Community College System Institution (hereinafter “SCC”). N.C. A&T and SCC hereby join in a collaborative effort to facilitate the transfer of students graduating from SCC with an Associate in Applied Science in Landscape Gardening into the Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education (Secondary Education) Program at N.C. A&T and agree to the following terms and conditions:

1. **Admissions Requirements** - The parties agree that a graduate of SCC with an Associate in Applied Science (AAS) in Landscape Gardening with at least a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 based on a 4.0 scale will be admitted to N.C. A&T provided all other admissions conditions are satisfied. In order to be considered for admissions in accordance with this Articulation Agreement, SCC students must submit an official transcript that indicates AAS Degree completion.
2. **Transfer Requirements** - N.C. A&T agrees to accept transfer coursework completed at SCC as equivalent on a course-by-course basis. All SCC transfer students may receive up to a maximum of sixty-four (64) semester hours of academic credit for approved courses completed (*see page 3*) with a grade of “C” or better earned.
3. **Faculty** - SCC courses approved for transfer credit must be taught by faculty who meet the community college credential requirements.
4. **Student Class Status**- SCC transfer student class status will be based on the total number of transfer hours.
5. **Associate Degree Completion** - Parties at SCC and N.C. A&T shall encourage AAS Degree completion at SCC prior to transferring. To be eligible for inclusion in this Articulation Agreement, SCC students must complete the AAS Degree. SCC students who transfer prior to completing all AAS Degree requirements will have their coursework evaluated on a course-by-course basis. In addition, SCC students who transfer prior to completing all AAS Degree requirements must meet the N.C. A&T transfer admission requirements.
6. **Promotion** - Parties at SCC and N.C. A&T shall support and promote this Articulation Agreement on campus through marketing, recruiting, and websites.
7. **Accreditation** - SCC and N.C. A&T will ensure that they maintain accreditation with the appropriate regional accrediting agency and ensure that all operations will be in keeping with accreditation requirements of the two institutions.

8. **Official Designees for Articulation Agreement Administration** - The following representatives will jointly administer this Articulation Agreement and will be responsible for the evaluation and assessment of this Articulation Agreement between N.C. A&T and SCC.

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9. **Agreement Review, Change, and Termination** - This Articulation Agreement shall be reviewed at least once every three years, by the designated officials at both institutions and is subject to change by mutual written consent. Either party may revoke this agreement by written notice to the other party, giving at least one year's notice of intent to discontinue the agreement. However, it is understood and agreed that any student admitted to N.C. A&T under this Articulation Agreement will be allowed to complete the program notwithstanding the termination provision above, so long as such student is in good standing and is making progress toward degree completion. This Articulation Agreement is effective beginning the fall semester 2023.

REMAINING REQUIRED COURSES TO COMPLETE DEGREE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

(In addition to any requirements above not fulfilled)

HIST	106	African-American History to 1877	3	EDPR	210	Culturally Relevant Pedagogy	2
HIST	207	Modern World History	3	EDPR	455	Ed Psych & Class Management	3
PHIL	102	Logic	3	EDPR	410	Differentiated Instruction	2
ENVS	201	The Earth's Environment	3	EDPR	420	Content Area Literacy	3
AGED	101	Introduction to Agriscience Education	1	EDPR	498	Clinical Practice II	12
AGED	301	Youth Program Management	3	MATH	101	Fundamentals of Algebra and Trigonometry I	3
SPED	350	Introduction to Exceptional Children	3	FRST	101	College Success	1
AGED	303	Foundations of Agricultural Education	3	AGED	302	Educational Technology in Ag Ed	3
AGED	304	Adult Education in Agriscience Education	3	BIOL	100	Biological Sciences	4
AGED	405	Clinical Practice I: Methods of Teaching Agriculture	3				
AGED	406	Program Planning and Evaluation	3				
AGED	407	Overview of Environmental Education	3				
EDPR	102	Introduction to Teacher Education	2			Total Additional Hours	71
EDPR	110	Ethics of Teaching	2			REQUIRED TOTAL HOURS FOR MAJOR	120

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Chancellor of North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University and the President of Sandhills Community College have affixed their signatures below:

North Carolina A&T State University

Sandhills Community College

By: _____

By: _____

Dr. Harold L. Martin, Sr., Chancellor

Dr. Sandy Stewart, President

Date: _____

Date: _____