

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE MOBERLY AREA COMMUNITY COLLEGE
AND
NORTHWEST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY**

OVERVIEW:

This formal program articulation agreement is made and entered into by Northwest Missouri State University, hereinafter referred to as Northwest, and Moberly Area Community College District, Moberly Missouri, hereinafter referred to as MACC. By this agreement MACC and Northwest express a shared commitment to increasing opportunities for student access to and success in higher education. By clarifying transfer policies and procedures which assure articulation between programs, the institutions seek to assist students in making a seamless transfer from the associate to the baccalaureate degree.

PURPOSE:

This agreement provides students who have earned an Associate of Applied Science: Early Childhood the opportunity to complete a Bachelor of Science with a major in Child and Family Studies at Northwest. Any Moberly Area Community College student who has earned an Associate of Applied Science: Early Childhood is guaranteed that Northwest will accept 22 credits of designated freshman and sophomore courses from the Associate of Applied Science in Early Childhood, (12 credits in the major and 10 credits of electives), general education credits required for the AAS degree, plus any freshman and sophomore general education hours required by Northwest beyond the AAS degree. Northwest will apply such to the Bachelor of Science Degree with a Child and Family Studies major in a manner consistent with the treatment of native students.

CONDITIONS OF TRANSFER:

Section I: Admissions and Matriculation

MACC students maintaining continuous enrollment under this agreement or matriculating into Northwest within one year from the last registration date with MACC will be afforded the same treatment and protection as Northwest native students enrolled under the Northwest catalog in effect the year the student officially matriculates into MACC.

Criteria for acceptance into the Bachelor of Science will be the same for transfer as for native students.

Students seeking admission to Northwest must have a minimum 2.00 cumulative grade point average (GPA) in transfer.

All students who achieve a 2.00 cumulative GPA in transfer will be fully considered for admission to Northwest. The GPA used to determine admission to the baccalaureate program will be based upon the academic policies of Northwest.

MACC, upon request of students, will provide verification of completed courses to Northwest through its Office of Admissions.

The transcript of students transferring from MACC will be evaluated by a representative from the Family and Consumer Sciences Department and the Office of Admissions at Northwest.

The Office of Admissions at Northwest has established application procedures and deadlines. Students should contact the Office of Admissions for details or consult the Northwest Undergraduate Academic Catalog.

Transfer students from MACC will have access to financial aid, scholarships, and student services on the same basis as native students. Students will be referred to “Financing Your College Education,” available from Northwest’s Financial Assistance Office, for more details.

Northwest will apply the same academic progress and graduation standards to MACC transfer students as those applicable to native students.

Section II: Transfer of Credit

A maximum of 84 credit hours will be accepted by Northwest from MCC to be applied to the Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Child and Family Studies.

Courses that are non-college level (commonly less than 100 level courses) are not transferable toward a baccalaureate degree.

Only academic courses with passing letter grades (A, B, C, D) will be accepted for graduation requirements; although all grades, including F’s are transferred they do not meet requirements for graduation. Grades of "audit" do not transfer.

Students who have earned scores of Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) tests offered in high school may be awarded college credit after evaluation of official score reports from the College Entrance Examination Board. Accepted credit will be recorded on a student’s transcript in accordance with the Northwest credit for external examination policy for the AP or IP score.

Students may earn college credit by examination in the College Level Examination Program (CLEP) in general education subject areas if scores meet the score requirements outlined in Northwest’s undergraduate academic catalog. Official test scores must be submitted to the Office of Admissions at Northwest.

Northwest will accept for credit courses taken while the student is enrolled in high school in a Dual Enrollment Program as long as the courses are not vocational in nature and follow the Missouri CBHE Guidelines for Dual Enrollment Courses issued October 1999. In order to receive credit, the Office of Admissions must receive an official college transcript from the college or university granting the credit.

Section III: Program Plan

Students under this program articulation agreement will be responsible for successfully completing the following requirements.

YEARS ONE AND TWO AT MACC ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE: EARLY CHILDHOOD

LAL 10	English 1	3cr.
PSY 101	General Psychology	3cr.
DRM 120	Theatre Appreciation	3cr.
PSYC 140	General Psychology	3cr.
BIO ***	Biological OR	
PHY ***	Physical Science (Accepted at NW for General Education Science Requirements)	3cr.
SKL 111	Computer Awareness	2 cr.
PSC 104	Functions and Policies of American Government	3 cr.

If the student completes one or both of the following as electives they will transfer to meet additional general education requirements:

SOC 101	Sociology	3 cr.
SPK 101	Public Speaking	3 cr.

Specialized courses for Associate of Applied Science: Early Childhood		
CCE100	Orientation to Early Child Development	1cr.
CCE 101	Child Care Clinical Observation	3cr. <i>Transfer to Northwest for 15-413</i>
CC102	Principles of Early Childhood	3cr. <i>Transfer to Northwest for 15-312</i>
PED 121	First-Aid	2cr. <i>Transfer to Northwest as an elective</i>
CCE110	Creative/Physical Development	3cr. <i>Transfer to Northwest as an elective</i>
PSY 201	Child Growth and Development	3cr. <i>Transfer to Northwest as an elective</i>
CCE 208	Personal, Family & Community Relations	2cr. <i>Transfer to Northwest as an elective</i>
CCE 120	Nutrition Health & Safety	3cr. <i>Transfer to Northwest for 15-330</i>
CCE 211	Management of Child Care Centers	3cr. <i>Transfer to Northwest for 15-212</i>

TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED FOR THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE 64

ADDITIONAL GENERAL EDUCATION HOURS REQUIRED FOR BS IN CHILD AND FAMILY STUDIES MAY BE TAKEN AT EITHER INSTITUTION AND INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

**Northwest Missouri State University
General Education Requirements Articulation Agreement**

Northwest Missouri State University Undergraduate Catalog 2000 – 2002	Moberly Area Community College 2000 -2002
Core Courses:	
English 111 English 112 Speech 102	LAL 101 LAL 102 SPK 101
Math (Only courses equivalent to General Statistics I or Concepts of Mathematics at Northwest will fulfill this requirement; however, other courses listed will waive the requirement)	MTH140, MTH 160, MTH 201, MTH 210
Computer Literacy 130	CIS 102, or SKL 111
Lifetime Wellness 110	PED 120
P.E. Activities (two)	PED 101, PED 102, PED 103, PED 104
Liberal Studies Courses:	
Government 102	PSC101, PSC102, PSC103, PSC105
History 155	HST105,HST106
Science: (8 hrs. from two areas; BSEd must have one Biology & one Physical Science, both with lab components)	
Biology (Must take Biology for the Child and Family Studies Major)	BIO101, BIO105, BIO 150, BIO151, BIO205, BIO 209
Chemistry	PHY120, PHY121
Earth Science	PHY260, PHY263
Physics/Phys. Science	PHY125, PHY201; PHY202, PHY262, PHY264
Humanistic Studies: (9 hrs., 1 course from each area)	

Humanities/Philosophy	HST101, HST102, PHI150, PHI151, PHI152, PHI251
Literature	LAL120, LAL121, LAL150, LAL 151, LAL153, LAL210, LAL211, LAL222, LAL251, LAL275
Fine Arts	ART 101, ART 102, ART DRM120, MUS 102, MUS 201
Social & Cultural Studies: (9 hrs., 1 course from each area)	
Social Science (Sociology or Economics required for Child and Family Studies Major)	ECON 110, SOCI 160
Psych 103, (must take 08-303 for BSED.	Psy 101
Multicultural Studies	FLN101, FLN111, HST150, HST151, HST210

YEAR THREE AND FOUR

NORTHWEST

Child and Family Studies at Northwest Missouri State University

15-201	Foundations and Careers in Human Environmental Sciences	2cr.
15-401	Issues in Human Environmental Sciences	3cr.
15-214	Human Development	3cr.
15-250	Contemporary Housing	3cr.
15-310	Family Relationships	3cr.
15-322	Consumer Economics and Personal Finance	3cr.
15-410	Parenthood Education	3cr.
15-412	Family Theory and Application	3cr.
15-424	Family Resource Management/ Consumer Policy Issues	3cr.
15-426	Independent Living for Special Populations	3cr.
15-418	Problems-Child Development and Family Relations (Must complete a case study in Child Development)	1cr.
		Total 30cr.

In addition the student must complete a minor from the Northwest offerings of 18-24 credit hours, to total a minimum of 124 semester hours for the baccalaureate degree.

TERMS OF THIS AGREEMENT:

This agreement is made and entered into the academic year 2001-2002 and remains in force unless changed in writing by mutual agreement of both parties. The agreement may be amended at any time with the approval of both parties and is subject to regular review to assure currency with the respective degree requirements. Should either party desire to discontinue this agreement, advance notification of two years will be required.

SIGNATURES:

The Moberly Area Community College, Moberly, Missouri and Northwest Missouri State university hereby enter into this program articulation agreement leading from the Associate of Applied Science in Early Childhood to the Bachelor of Science with a Major in Child and Family Studies by affixing the signatures of the chief executive officers of both institutions.

Evelyn E. Jorgenson, Ph. D.
President
Moberly Area Community College
Moberly, Missouri

Date

Dean L. Hubbard, Ph.D.
President
Northwest Missouri State University
Maryville, Missouri

Date