

**BILATERAL ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY
AND
PIEDMONT 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 "NCA&TSU ") and **PIEDMONT COMMUNITY COLLEGE**, a North Carolina Community College System Institution (hereinafter "PCC "). NCA&TSU and PCC hereby join in a collaborative effort to facilitate the transfer of students graduating from PCC into the Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education (Secondary Education) at NCA&TSU and agree to the following terms and conditions:

1. **Admissions Requirements** - The parties agree that a graduate of PCC with an Associate in Applied Science (AAS) in Agribusiness Technology with at least a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 based on a 4.0 scale will be admitted to NCA&TSU provided all other admissions conditions are satisfied. In order to be considered for admissions in accordance with this Articulation Agreement, PCC students must submit an official transcript that indicates AAS Degree completion.
2. **Transfer Requirements** - NCA&TSU agrees to accept transfer coursework completed at PCC as equivalent on a course-by-course basis. All PCC 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** - PCC courses approved for transfer credit must be taught by faculty who meet the community college credential requirements.
4. **Student Class Status**- PCC transfer student class status will be based on the total number of transfer hours.
5. **Associate Degree Completion** - Parties at PCC and NCA&TSU shall encourage AAS Degree completion at PCC prior to transferring. To be eligible for inclusion in this Articulation Agreement, PCC students must complete the AAS Degree. PCC students who transfer prior to completing all AAS Degree requirements will have their coursework evaluated on a course-by-course basis. In addition, PCC students who transfer prior to completing all AAS Degree requirements must meet the NCA&TSU transfer admission requirements.
6. **Promotion** - Parties at PCC and NCA&TSU shall support and promote this Articulation Agreement on campus through marketing, recruiting, and websites.
7. **Accreditation** - PCC and NCA&TSU 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 NCA&TSU and PCC.

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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 NCA&TSU 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 2020.

PIEDMONT COMMUNITY COLLEGE Agribusiness Technology (Plant Science) Associate in Applied Science				NORTH CAROLINA A&T STATE UNIVERSITY Agricultural Education (Agricultural Professional Service) Bachelor of Science			
ENG	111	Writing and Inquiry	3	ENGL	100	Ideas & Their Expressions I	3
ACA	111	College Student Success	1	FRST	101	College Success	1
Select one (1) of the following courses to transfer to NCATSU as ENGL 200							
HUM	115	Critical Thinking	3	ENGL	200	Survey of Humanities I	3
CIS	110	Introduction to Computers	3	COMP	120	Computers and Their Use (this course will be substituted for AGED 302 Educational Technology in Ag Ed Education)	3
*ANS	110	Animal Science	3	*ANSC	163	Animal and Lab animal Science	3
*AGR	121	Biological Pest Management	3	*AGR	121	Biological Pest Management (this course will be substituted for ANSC 214 – Agricultural Genetics)	3
*AGR	160	Plant Science	3	*NARS	110	Introduction to Urban and Community Horticulture	3
*AGR	214	Agricultural Marketing	3	*ABM	214T	Agricultural Marketing (this course will be substituted for ABM 330 Applied Economics in Agribusiness)	3
*AGR	262	Weed ID and Control	3	*AGRI	262T	Weed ID and Control (this course will be substituted for BIOE 114 Home and Farm Maintenance)	3
**AGR	140	Agricultural Chemicals	3	**AGRI	140T	Agricultural Chemicals	3
**AGR	213	Ag Law & Finance	3	**AGRI	213T	Ag Law & Finance	3
**AGR	170	Soil Science	3	**SLMG	170T	Soil Science	3
**AGR	212	Farm Business Management	3	**ABM	212T	Farm Business Management	3
*AGR	263	Vegetable Production	3	*AGR	263T	Vegetable Production (<i>this course will be substituted for HORT 334 – Plant Propagation</i>)	3
*AGR	130	Alternative Ag Production	3	*AGR	130T	Alternative Ag Production (these courses will substitute for SLMG 200 Soil Science)	4
*AGR	111	Basic Farm Maintenance	2	*AGR	111T		
MAT	143	Quantitative Literacy	3	MATH	101	Fund of Algebra & Trigonometry I	3
PSY	150	General Psychology	3	PSYC	101	General Psychology (this course will substitute in place of POLI 110 – American Government and Politics as the Social Science Elective)	3
Total Hours			51	Total Hours			50

***This course will fulfill an Agricultural Science Elective requirement.**

****This course will fulfill a Second Major Concentration Elective requirement.**

REMAINING REQUIRED COURSES TO COMPLETE DEGREE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (In addition to any requirements above not fulfilled)							
ENGL	101	Ideas and Expression II	3	EDPR	102	Introduction to Teacher Education	2
BIOL	100	Introduction to Biological Science	4	EDPR	110	Ethics of Technology	2
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	AGED	406	Program Planning and Evaluation	3
AGED	301	Leadership Theory and Youth Program Management	3	EDPR	498	Clinical Practice II	12
AGED	303	Foundations of Agricultural Education	3	SPED	350	Introduction to Exceptional Children	3
AGED	304	Adult Education in Agriscience Education	3				
AGED	405	Clinical Practice I: Methods of Teaching Agriculture	3				
AGED	406	Program Planning and Evaluation	3			Total Additional Hours	70
AGED	407	Overview of Environmental Education	3			REQUIRED TOTAL HOURS FOR MAJOR	120

Major Program Requirements
Student must earn a "C" or better in the following courses:

AGED 101 - Introduction to Agriscience Education
AGED 302 - Educational Technology in Ag Ed
AGED 301- Leadership Theory and Youth Program Management
AGED 303 - History and Philosophy of Agriscience Education in the American Public School System
AGED 304 - Adult Education in Agriscience Education
AGED 405 - Clinical Practice I: Methods of Teaching Agriculture
AGED 406 - Program Planning and Evaluation
AGED 407 - Overview of Environmental Education

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

North Carolina A&T State University

Piedmont Community College

By: _____

By: _____

Dr. Harold L. Martin, Sr., Chancellor

Dr. Pamela Gibson Senegal, President

Date: _____

Date: _____