North Central Michigan College

Postsecondary Credit Agreement/Articulation Agreement

This Postsecondary Credit Agreement/Articulation Agreement (also known as an Articulation Agreement) is made and entered into as of March 1, 2024, by the Michigan Department of Education (MDE) and North Central Michigan College. The agreement is for state-approved secondary career technical education (CTE) programs. Separate agreements should be submitted for each state-approved CTE secondary CIP Code number.

Purpose of this Agreement:

1) Expand educational opportunities for high school students allowing them to earn postsecondary credits.
2) Eliminate unnecessary duplication of course materials and instruction.
3) Maximize the use of resources for students to complete programs as efficiently as possible.
4) Support postsecondary enrollment, retention, and completion.

Aligned Postsecondary/Articulated Programs and Courses:

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<tr>
<th>State-Approved CTE Secondary Program Name</th>
<th>Mechatronics</th>
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<tr>
<td>State-Approved CTE Secondary CIP Code Number</td>
<td>14.4201</td>
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<td>Perkins Approved at Postsecondary Level (if applicable)</td>
<td>Yes ☑ No ☐</td>
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<td>Postsecondary CIP Code Number (if applicable)</td>
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<td>Postsecondary CIP Code Name (if applicable)</td>
<td>Mechatronics, AAS</td>
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<td>Web Link for Postsecondary Program of Study</td>
<td><a href="https://www.ncmich.edu/admissions/college-for-high-school-students/cte-articulation.html">https://www.ncmich.edu/admissions/college-for-high-school-students/cte-articulation.html</a></td>
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General Conditions & Requirements:

1. Student must apply for Articulated Credit at North Central Michigan College within two years of high school graduation.
2. Student must complete course competencies with a “B” or better final grade. The student must complete the entire state-approved CTE program to receive college credit.
3. Student must submit a recommendation from the high school or each course being articulated.
4. Student must contact the Registrar at North Central Michigan College after being admitted to the college in order to begin the articulation process.
5. Student must complete one North Central Michigan College course before credit will be posted to their official transcript. Course overrides may be given by Academic Advising for enrollment in subsequent courses.
6. Student must provide SACA C-101 Certification.
**Aligned Postsecondary/Articulated Courses:**

Credit for students is approved for the following course(s) based upon the passage of the relevant CTE course/program or corresponding credentialing exams. All conditions and requirements must be fulfilled.

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<th>High School Course or Industry Credential</th>
<th>Postsecondary Course Name</th>
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<td>Mechatronics</td>
<td>Introduction to Mechatronics</td>
<td>EGT 101</td>
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**Participating Partners:**

North Central Michigan College is pleased to be able to provide statewide postsecondary credit/articulated agreements to benefit Michigan high school students by partnering with the Michigan Department of Education, Office of Career and Technical Education, and state-approved secondary CTE programs.

**Approval Signatures:**

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Implementation date: March 1, 2024  
Expiration date (Recommended for five years): March 1, 2029

For questions regarding this agreement, please email Joe Balinski, Registrar at North Central Michigan College, jbalinski@ncmich.edu.