

LOCAL ARTICULATED CREDIT AGREEMENT BETWEEN
WAKE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM AND WAKE TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE
July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2026

DEFINITION

Articulation is a systematic, seamless student transition process from secondary to postsecondary education that maximizes use of resources and minimizes content duplication.

GOAL

Students will make a seamless transition of identified courses from the Wake County Public School System (WCPSS) to Wake Technical Community College (Wake Tech).

GUIDING CRITERIA FOR ARTICULATION

- The Local Articulated Credit Agreement between the Wake County Public School System and Wake Technical Community College builds on the [*North Carolina High School to Community College Articulation Agreement*](#). The local review teams (or ‘matrix teams’) are comprised of a minimum of one WCPSS Curriculum Specialist and one Wake Tech Curriculum Specialist. Wake Tech agrees to award credits earned for courses listed on *North Carolina High School to Community College Articulation Agreement* and offered in Wake Tech curriculum programs.
- WCPSS high school courses for which advanced credit is granted must have been completed with the grade and conditions as specified in this agreement.
- WCPSS students may receive credit for industry-recognized credentials earned in high school based on Transfer Credit policies found at <https://www.waketech.edu/student-services/registration-and-records/registration/transfer-credit>.
- Advanced credit hours shall be applied toward Wake Tech graduation requirements if applicable to the major but shall not be calculated in the student’s grade point average.
- The student must enroll in the Wake Tech curriculum program within two years after leaving a WCPSS high school.
- The student must be enrolled at Wake Tech in the semester for which credit is granted.
- Students who receive advanced credit will not be required to register and pay tuition for courses for which they receive such credit.

IDENTIFICATION AND ALIGNMENT OF ARTICULATED COURSES

The matrix teams used the following procedures to identify courses for articulation:

1. Reviewed WCPSS high school and Wake Tech course descriptions.
2. Reviewed high school course blueprints, community college course outlines, and industry-recognized credentials associated with courses to compare competencies.
3. Determined if articulation is course-to-course, courses-to-course, courses-to-courses, or course to courses, and if competencies are equivalent.
4. Followed policies and regulations of licensing/accrediting bodies.

CRITERIA TO AWARD COLLEGE CREDIT

The following criteria will be used to award college credit for identified high school courses:

1. Grade of B or higher in the course, and;
2. A scaled score of A on the CTE post assessment* (either provided by NC DPI or an approved third party) or the Performance Based Measure (PBM), and;

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3. Students must enroll at Wake Tech within two years of their high school graduation date.

OR

4. Students earn an industry-recognized credential included on the Wake Tech Prior Learning Assessment list, and
5. Students must enroll at Wake Tech within two years of their high school graduation date.

*If post- assessment data are not available due to field test or pilot status, Wake Tech will not require this score as part of the articulation criteria.

WCPSS Courses and Conditions for Articulated Credit to Wake Tech

High School Courses Designated for Advanced Credit	Criteria for Granting Credit	Community College Course Equivalent
Business and Information		
Project Management I CS11 AND CS12 Project Management II	Grade of B or higher in the course and a scaled score of A on the CTE post assessment (either provided by NC DPI or an approved third party) AND Certification: PMI Project Management Ready	OMT 222-Project Management
Global Logistics & Supply Chain Management / TTEI		
IK36-Logistics I Honors BL16-Logistics II - Supply Chain Management Honors	Certified Logistics Associate (CLA)- Certification AND Certified Logistics Technician (CLT) Certification	LOG 110-Introduction to Logistics

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Family & Consumer Science Education		
FN41-Food and Nutrition I AND FN42-Food and Nutrition II OR FH10-Culinary Arts AND Hospitality I AND FH11-Culinary Arts AND Hospitality II Applications OR FH12-Culinary Arts AND Hospitality II Internship (From The Statewide Articulation Agreement)	As a Local Requirement Wake Tech will require a current ServSafe Certification	CUL-110 Sanitation & Safety AND CUL-110A Sanitation & Safety Lab
Marketing Education		
MM51-Marketing	PBM (Performance-based Measurement) Grade of B or higher in the course and a scaled score of A on the Consumer Packaged Good utilizing the assigned rubric for the project in the PBM Guide	HRM240-Marketing for Hospitality
Technology Engineering and Design		
CT10-Technology Engineering & Design AND CT11-Technological Design		EGR 115-Introduction to Technology
Health Science Education		
HU40-Health Science I		MED 116-Introduction to Anatomy & Physiology
HU40-Health Science I AND HU42-Health Science II		MED 121- Medical Terminology I AND MED 122-Medical Terminology II

