

**Articulation Agreement
Between**

VALENCIA COLLEGE

**A.S. degree in Construction and Civil Engineering Technology
and**

VALENCIA'S ACCELERATED SKILLS TRAINING (A.S.T.) PROGRAMS

**Apartment Maintenance Technician
Carpentry
Core Construction
Electrical Powerline Technician
Heavy Equipment Operations**

In a continuing effort to provide career ladder opportunities for students in career and technical education programs, Valencia College agrees to extend full college credit at no cost (other than the application for admission fee) to eligible students who have completed one of the following articulated accelerated skills training programs at Valencia College and met all of the requirements.

COURSE EQUIVALENCY IN SPECIALIZED COURSES

ACCELERATED SKILLS PROGRAM

VALENCIA COLLEGE A.S. PROGRAM

**Apartment Maintenance Technician
(320 Hours)**

**Construction/Civil Engineering Technology (9 cr.)
Construction Specialist Technical Certificate (9 cr.)**

ETD 1031C Introduction to Construction (3 credits)
BCN 1272 Construction Blueprint Reading (3 credits)
ETC 1251C Engineering Materials & Processes (3 cr.)

**Carpentry
(320 Hours)**

**Construction/Civil Engineering Technology (9 cr.)
Construction Specialist Technical Certificate (9 cr.)**

ETD 1031C Introduction to Construction (3 credits)
BCN 1272 Construction Blueprint Reading (3 credits)
ETC 1251C Engineering Materials & Processes (3 cr.)

**CORE Construction
(200 Hours)**

**Construction/Civil Engineering Technology (9 cr.)
Construction Specialist Technical Certificate (9 cr.)**

ETD 1031C Introduction to Construction (3 credits)
BCN 1272 Construction Blueprint Reading (3 credits)
ETC 1251C Engineering Materials & Processes (3 cr.)

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ACCELERATED SKILLS PROGRAM

VALENCIA COLLEGE A.S. PROGRAM

Electrical Powerline Technician
(480 Hours)

Construction/Civil Engineering Technology (9 cr.)
Construction Specialist Technical Certificate (9 cr.)

ETD 1031C Introduction to Construction (3 credits)
BCN 1272 Construction Blueprint Reading (3 credits)
ETC 1251C Engineering Materials & Processes (3 cr.)

Heavy Equipment Operations Level I
(324 Hours)

Construction/Civil Engineering Technology (9 cr.)
Construction Specialist Technical Certificate (9 cr.)

ETD 1031C Introduction to Construction (3 credits)
BCN 1272 Construction Blueprint Reading (3 credits)
ETC 1251C Engineering Materials & Processes (3 cr.)

MAXIMUM AWARD OF CREDIT

This agreement makes it possible for a student to receive nine (9) semester hours of college credit towards the Construction and Civil Engineering Technology A.S. degree program at Valencia College which is in accordance with commonly accepted good practice in higher education.

ASSESSMENT AND COURSE EQUIVALENCY

Valencia's faculty and staff with responsibility for supervision and coordination of the articulated programs have reviewed and assessed the program curriculum for alignment of learning outcomes and determined that the learning outcomes, performance standards, and assessment procedures meet the college standards for college credit course work.

The following materials were reviewed to align the program learning outcomes and determine the equivalency of the content and course work to be articulated: *(program curriculum, samples of instructional materials, syllabi with learning outcomes, various assignments and assessments, and textbooks).*

VALIDATION MECHANISM

The validation mechanism for awarding college credit is based on industry certifications and/or licensure.

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TRANSFERRING PROCESS

To receive college credit for the articulated AST programs, transferring students must do the following:

1. Meet with the Valencia A.S. Degree Career Program Advisor to prepare all of the required documentation needed for application to Valencia College (Note: GED or H.S. Diploma is required).
2. Submit a Valencia College Application for Admission and declare a major in the articulated program.
3. Meet college entrance requirements and satisfy the requirements for Degree-Seeking Status, including submission of all official transcripts.
4. Be accepted into Valencia within three years of completing the articulated program.
5. Complete orientation and comply with the appropriate placement, course prerequisites and requirements of the college.
6. Following enrollment at the College, student must meet with the Career Program Advisor to verify all of the required documentation has been submitted. Student must provide a certificate of completion for their AST program and a copy of their student record/transcripts as well as a copy of all the required industry certifications.

Industry Certifications required:

- **Carpentry**

Students may receive credit based upon the submission of a *current* and *valid* copy of the following certifications: NCCER Core Construction **and** NCCER Carpentry Level I.

- **All other Programs** (*Apartment Maintenance Technician, CORE Construction, Electrical Powerline and Heavy Equipment Operations*)

Students may receive credit based upon the submission of a *current* and *valid* copy of the NCCER Core Construction Certification.

7. Once eligibility has been determined, the Career Program Advisor will initiate the award of credit process, and notify the Registrar's Office of acceptable credit to be awarded. (*Credit will be awarded after the drop/add date, and the evaluation process has been completed*).

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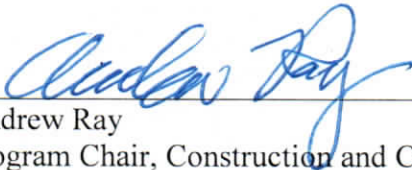
TERMS OF AGREEMENT

This agreement will be reviewed on an ongoing basis to ensure that it remains current and up-to-date. The AST instructors and staff will work collaboratively with the Valencia College faculty and staff to stay informed of any curriculum/program changes that may impact this agreement and require it to be modified or terminated. If it is determined that an agreement needs to be modified or terminated due to program changes, both institutions will be notified accordingly.

APPROVED:

VALENCIA COLLEGE

**VALENCIA'S ACCELERATED SKILLS
TRAINING PROGRAMS**



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