

**BILATERAL ARTICULATION AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY  
AND  
ALAMANCE 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 “N.C. A&T”) and **ALAMANCE COMMUNITY COLLEGE**, a North Carolina Community College System Institution (hereinafter “ACC”). N.C. A&T and ACC hereby join in a collaborative effort to facilitate the transfer of students graduating from ACC with an Associate in Applied Science in Horticulture Technology into the Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education (Secondary Education) Program at N.C. A&T and agree to the following terms and conditions:

1. **Admissions Requirements** - The parties agree that a graduate of ACC with an Associate in Applied Science (AAS) in Horticulture Technology with at least a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 based on a 4.0 scale will be admitted to N.C. A&T provided all other admissions conditions are satisfied. In order to be considered for admissions in accordance with this Articulation Agreement, ACC students must submit an official transcript that indicates AAS Degree completion.
2. **Transfer Requirements** - N.C. A&T agrees to accept transfer coursework completed at ACC as equivalent on a course-by-course basis. All ACC 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** - ACC courses approved for transfer credit must be taught by faculty who meet the community college credential requirements.
4. **Student Class Status**- ACC transfer student class status will be based on the total number of transfer hours.
5. **Associate Degree Completion** - Parties at ACC and N.C. A&T shall encourage AAS Degree completion at ACC prior to transferring. To be eligible for inclusion in this Articulation Agreement, ACC students must complete the AAS Degree. ACC students who transfer prior to completing all AAS Degree requirements will have their coursework evaluated on a course-by-course basis. In addition, ACC students who transfer prior to completing all AAS Degree requirements must meet the N.C. A&T transfer admission requirements.
6. **Promotion** - Parties at ACC and N.C. A&T shall support and promote this Articulation Agreement on campus through marketing, recruiting, and websites.
7. **Accreditation** - ACC and N.C. A&T 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 N.C. A&T and ACC.

Dr. Tonya Smith Jackson  
Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor  
for Academic Affairs  
North Carolina A&T State University  
1601 East Market Street  
Greensboro, NC 27411  
336-334-7965  
[tlsmithj@ncat.edu](mailto:tlsmithj@ncat.edu)

Dr. Elizabeth Riley  
Agriculture Department Chair  
Alamance Community College  
1001 Burkemont Avenue  
Morganton, NC 28655  
336-506-4192  
[Elizabeth.riley@alamancecc.edu](mailto:Elizabeth.riley@alamancecc.edu)

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 N.C. A&T 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 2023.

ALAMANCE COMMUNITY COLLEGE Horticulture Technology Associate in Applied Science				NORTH CAROLINA A&T STATE UNIVERSITY Agricultural Education (Agricultural Professional Service) Bachelor of Science				
*HOR	116	Landscape Management I	3	*HORT	116T	Landscape Management I (This course will be substituted for ANSC 214 Agricultural Genetics.)	3	
*HOR	160	Plant Materials I	3	*HORT	302	Plant Materials 1 (This course will be substituted for ANSC 163 - Animal and Lab Animal Science.)	3	
*HOR	168	Plant Propagation	3	*HORT	334	Plant Propagation	3	
**HOR	164	Horticultural Pest Management	3	**HORT	164	Horticultural Pest Management	3	
*AGR	170	Soil Science	3	**AGRI	170T	Soil Science	3	
ENG	111	Writing & Inquiry	3	ENGL	100	Ideas & Their Expressions I	3	
*HOR *HOR	253 257	Horticulture Turfgrass Arboriculture	5	*HORT *HORT	166T 265T	Horticulture Turfgrass & Arboriculture (This course will be substituted for SLMG 200 Soil Science.)	4	
*HOR	162	Applied Plant Science	3	*NARS	110	Introduction to Urban and Community Horticulture	3	
		HORT Elective	3			Horticulture Elective	3	
COM	231	Public Speaking	3	SPCH	251	Public Speaking (This course will be substituted for ENGL 331 – Writing Science and Technology)	3	
**HOR	112	Landscape Design I	3	**HORT	112T	Landscape Design I	3	
		Social Science	3			Social Science	3	
*HOR	273	Mgmt & Marketing	3	*HORT	273T	Mgmt & Marketing (This course will be substituted for ABM 330 Applied Economics in Agribusiness.)	3	
		Humanities Elective	3			Humanities Elective	3	
*HOR	134	Greenhouse Operations	3	*HOR	134	Greenhouse Operations	3	
**HOR	215	Landscape Irrigation	3	**HORT	215T	Landscape Irrigation	3	
		HORT Elective	2			Horticulture Elective	2	
			<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>52</b>			<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>51</b>

**\*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)*

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
		Free Elective	1	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	EDPR	498	Clinical Practice II	12
AGED	301	Youth Program Management	3	MATH	101	Fundamentals of Algebra and Trigonometry I	3
SPED	350	Introduction to Exceptional Children	3	FRST	101	College Success	1
AGED	303	Foundations of Agricultural Education	3	BIOL	100	Biological Sciences	4
AGED	304	Adult Education in Agriscience Education	3	ENGL	101	Ideas & Their Expressions II	3
AGED	405	Clinical Practice I: Methods of Teaching Agriculture	3				
AGED	406	Program Planning and Evaluation	3				
AGED	407	Overview of Environmental Education	3				
EDPR	102	Introduction to Teacher Education	2			<b>Total Additional Hours</b>	<b>69</b>
EDPR	110	Ethics of Teaching	2			<b>REQUIRED TOTAL HOURS FOR MAJOR</b>	<b>120</b>

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

**North Carolina A&T State University**

**Alamance Community College**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Dr. Harold L. Martin, Sr., Chancellor

Dr. Larry Keen, President

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_