

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

1. **Admissions Requirements** - The parties agree that a graduate of CFCC with an Associate in Applied Science (AAS) in Landscape Gardening and Horticultural Science 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, CFCC 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 CFCC as equivalent on a course-by-course basis. All CFCC transfer students may receive up to a maximum of sixty-four (64) semester hours of academic credit for approved courses completed (*see pages 3*) with a grade of “C” or better earned.
3. **Faculty** - CFCC courses approved for transfer credit must be taught by faculty who meet the community college credential requirements.
4. **Student Class Status**- CFCC transfer student class status will be based on the total number of transfer hours.
5. **Associate Degree Completion** - Parties at CFCC and N.C. A&T shall encourage AAS Degree completion at CFCC prior to transferring. To be eligible for inclusion in this Articulation Agreement, CFCC students must complete the AAS Degree. CFCC students who transfer prior to completing all AAS Degree requirements will have their coursework evaluated on a course-by-course basis. In addition, CFCC students who transfer prior to completing all AAS Degree requirements must meet the N.C. A&T transfer admissions requirements.
6. **Promotion** - Parties at CFCC and N.C. A&T shall support and promote this Articulation Agreement on campus through marketing, recruiting, and websites.
7. **Accreditation** - CFCC 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 CFCC.

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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 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 2024.

CAPE FEAR COMMUNITY COLLEGE Landscape Gardening and Horticultural 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
ENG	114	Professional Research and Reporting	3	ENGL	101	Ideas and Expression II	3
Select one (1) of the following courses to transfer to N.C. A&T as H/FA Elective							
ART	111	Art Appreciation	3	ART	124	Art Appreciation	3
MUS	110	Music Appreciation	3	MUSI	216	Music Appreciation	3
HUM	115	Critical Thinking	3	ENGL	115T	Elective Critical Thinking	3
Select one (1) of the following courses to transfer to N.C. A&T as S/SB Elective							
ANT	210	General Anthropology	3	SOCI	200	Introduction to Anthropology	3
ECO	251	Prin of Microeconomics	3	ECON	200	Principles of Economics – Micro	3
HIS	132	American History II	3	HIST	105	U.S. History Since 1877	3
PSY	150	General Psychology	3	PSYC	101	General Psychology	3
*HOR	164	Hort Pest Management	3	*HORT	164T	Hort Pest Management (This course will be substituted for ANSC 163 – Animal and Lab Animal Science.)	3
*HOR	114	Landscape Construction	3	*HORT	112	Biological Pest Management (This course will be substituted for ANSC 214 Agricultural Genetics.)	3
*HOR	162	Applied Plant Science	3	*NARS	110	Introduction to Urban and Community Horticulture	3
*HOR	134	Greenhouse Operations	3	*HORT	134T	Greenhouse Operations (This course will be substituted for ABM 330 Applied Economics in Agribusiness.)	3
*HOR	160	Plant Materials I	3	*HORT	160T	Plant Materials I (This course will be substituted for BIOE 114 Home and Farm Maintenance.)	3
**HOR	124	Nursery Operations	3	**HORT	124T	Nursery Operations	3
**HOR	161	Plant Materials II	3	**HORT	161T	Plant Materials II	3
**TRF	110	Intro Turfgrass Cult & ID	4	**HORT	110T	Intro Turfgrass Cult & ID (This course will be substituted for SLMG Soil Science.)	4
**HOR	213	Landscape Design II	3	**HORT	213T	Landscape Design II	3
**AGR	139	Intro to Sustainable Ag	3	**AGRI	139T	Introduction to Sustainable Agriculture	3
**HOR	166	Soils and Fertilizers	3	**HORT	166T	Soils and Fertilizers	3
*HOR	168	Plant Propagation	3	*HORT	334	Plant Propagation	3
HOR	112	Landscape Design I	3	HORT	112	Landscape Design I (This course will count as an Agricultural Science Elective.)	3
LSG	121	Fall Gardening Lab	2	HORT	121T	Fall Gardening Lab (This course will count as an Agricultural Science Elective.)	2

LSG	122	Spring Gardening Lab	2	HORT	122T	Spring Gardening Lab (This course will count as an Agricultural Science Elective.)	2
LSG	123	Summer Gardening Lab	2	HORT	123T	Summer Gardening Lab (This course will count as an Agricultural Science Elective.)	2
HOR	118	Equipment Op and Maintenance	2	HORT	118	Equipment Op and Maintenance (This course will count as an Agricultural Science Elective.)	2
LSG	232	Garden Management	2	LSG	232	Garden Management	1
		Total Hours	62			Total Hours	61

***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	AGED	498	Practicum in Ag Prof Services	6
HIST	207	Modern World History	3	AGED	200	Rural Leadership	3
PHIL	102	Logic	3			Free Electives	5
ENGL	331	Writing Science and Technology	3	MATH	101	Fundamentals of Algebra and Trigonometry I	3
AGED	101	Introduction to Agriscience Education	1	FRST	101	College Success	1
AGED	301	Leadership Theory and Youth Program Management	3	BIOL	100	Introduction to Biological Science	4
AGED	303	Foundations of Agricultural Education	3	ENVS	201	The Earth's Environment	3
AGED	304	Adult Education in Agriscience Education	3				
AGED	411	Methods of Teaching Agricultural Professionals	3				
AGED	406	Program Planning and Evaluation	3				
AGED	407	Overview of Environmental Education	3			Total Additional Hours	59
AGED	408	Cooperative Extension Organization and Methods	3			REQUIRED TOTAL HOURS FOR MAJOR	120

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

North Carolina A&T State University

Cape Fear Community College

By: _____

By: _____

Dr. Harold L. Martin, Sr., Chancellor

Mr. Jim Morton, President

Date: _____

Date: _____