Postsecondary Credits Available



Articulation agreements are written agreements between the Delaware Department of Education and postsecondary institutions, such as colleges, universities, and adult education programs offered through vocational/technical school districts.

These agreements allow students enrolled in *Career and Technical Education (CTE) career pathways* to earn postsecondary credit while in high school. **This reduces the time and cost associated with postsecondary education**, similarly to Advanced Placement and dual enrollment courses.

In some cases, individual Delaware school districts may also have their own articulation agreements with specific postsecondary institutions. These agreements are not monitored by the Delaware Department of Education.

How do students earn articulated credits?

- Students who successfully complete the courses or sequences of courses will earn the credits listed at the specific institution as identified in the articulation agreement matrix. Successful completion is defined in each agreement.
- High school students should review existing **Articulation Agreements** to see if their CTE career pathway is listed and review the terms of the agreement. As students consider and enroll in high school courses, they should be aware of the opportunities and terms for earning articulated credit.
- Students should know what credit they have successfully earned when considering college options. Upon applying to a postsecondary institution, students should ask about articulated credit opportunities, share their high school transcript and provide a copy of the articulation agreement associated with their CTE career pathway.

| These schools have agreements: Delaware Technical Community College | Sample high school courses correlated to postsecondary institutions and number of credits available for successful completion | | | | |
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| These schools do not have agreements: Delaware State University, Goldey-Beacom College, Polytech Adult Education, Sussex Tech Adult Education, | | | | | |
| Delaware Technical Community College view agreement | | | | | |
| CTE Courses | Туре | Articulated Course Title | | Articulated Course Code | Articulated Course Credits |
| Processes of Architecture and Construction | Directly Articulated Courses | Architectural Draftir | ng/Design | AET 123 | 4 |
| | Directly Articulated Courses | Intro to CAD Using AutoCAD | | EDD 171 | 3 |
| Architectural CAD Applications | Directly Articulated Courses | Architectural CAD Applications | | AET 164 | 3 |

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