Automotive Articulation Agreement
Between
Seminole Community College
And
Orange County Public Schools

The American Counsel on Education's Commission on Educational Credit and Credentials (ACE) has recommended that college credit be granted for passing the Automotive ASE exams.

It is the intent of this agreement between Seminole Community College (SCC) and Orange County Public Schools (OCPS) to recommend that college credit be granted to individuals who successfully complete an approved automotive program that meets the articulated Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) certification standards.

1. Eligible coursework

The courses listed in this agreement are designed to allow for articulation of Automotive Technology program credits, which can result in up to 19 earned credits towards the A.S. Degree in Automotive Management Technology at Seminole Community College.

AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY
A.S. Degree
CIP 1615080300

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Note: Credit may be awarded for the completion of individual ASE exams.

# Note: AER1005 Automotive Fundamentals and Minor Services, will be awarded after successful completion of the required 5 ASE exams.
2. Student Eligibility

To be eligible for articulation credit, students must meet all college requirements necessary for admission to SCC. Students must complete the required admissions application process and submit an official high school or GED transcript to SCC. Upon successfully passing the required ASE exams, and acceptance into SCC, a student will be eligible for receiving articulated credit under the terms stated in this document.

- Students must complete their approved State of Florida high school or technical center automotive technology curriculum, successfully complete the automotive final exam(s) and submit an official copy of their transcript to the community college registrar.

- All automotive credits as previously listed will be awarded after the student is accepted as a college student, and passes the required ASE certification exams. Students must have all ASE transcripts forwarded to the articulating community college.

- Students are responsible for all of the articulating institution’s administrative and transcript transfer costs. The student shall also be responsible for all ASE testing/transcript costs associated with the course articulation process.

- Students are required to enroll and successfully complete 12 credit hours of course work at the college before articulated course credits are awarded.

3. Minimal Institutional Standards for Course Work and/or Credentials

The automotive technology program seeking articulation must be NATEF (National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation) certified in those areas for which the training will be articulated.

4. Minimal Faculty Standards for Course Work and/or Credentials

Faculty teaching non-transferable certificate and diploma programs must meet the credentialing specifications of the approved institutional and programmatic accrediting body and approved industry standards.

a. All automotive technology center instructors must be ASE certified in the articulated areas.

b. All articulating community college automotive technology instructors must be ASE Master Certified.
5. Course Outline, Instructional Strategy (ies) and Grading Plan

Orange County Public Schools shall ensure that all OCPS automotive technology programs meet Florida Department of Education guidelines, are NATEF certified and use the approved curricula, and that all students are given the prescribed final examination included in the curricula once such students have completed the coursework.

6. Academic Policies and Support Services

All academic/instructional policies governing the articulated instructional program and delivery (e.g. the communication of grading policies to students, calendar for distribution of course syllabi, academic appeals process, etc.) shall comply with those of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) and the Florida Department of Education. Students in the articulated course must be eligible to utilize the same or comparable support services afforded to regular community college students in the Automotive Management Technology program.

7. Funding Sources

Cost for providing the automotive technology curricula to the students is to be incurred by the school provider. The student is responsible for any costs related to ASE testing as well as enrollment/admissions fees for the community college. The community college is responsible for the administration costs incurred in reviewing curriculum articulation planning, review, and enrollment procedures.
This agreement is effective as of January 2005. All parties involved shall follow state required curriculum frameworks. Any changes to this agreement shall be agreed to by all parties and shall be made in writing and signed by both parties.

APPROVALS

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