

DUAL ENROLLMENT ARTICULATION AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
EINSTEIN MONTESSORI ACADEMY  
OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA  
AND  
DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
EASTERN FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE  
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## **Introduction**

The Dual Enrollment Articulation Agreement, as required by Section 1007.271 (24), Florida Statutes, is made by and between the Board of Trustees of Eastern Florida State College, hereinafter referred to as the College, and Einstein Montessori Academy of Cocoa, FL, hereinafter referred to as Einstein Montessori.

Einstein Montessori is a non-public secondary school in compliance with Florida Statute 1002.42 (2), is listed in the Florida Department of Education Private School Directory and is recognized by the College as awarding a standard high diploma that reflects completion of a secondary education program. Einstein Montessori will notify the College immediately in writing of any changes related to the private school's name, mailing address, email address, phone number, or administrative contacts. Einstein Montessori shall annually designate and provide to the College a primary point of contact for all dual enrollment communications, including the individual's name, email address, and telephone number. Einstein Montessori shall notify the College within thirty (30) days of any change in the designated contact and shall provide updated contact information. Both parties agree that communications transmitted via electronic mail (email) shall constitute written communication for purposes of this Agreement.

This agreement is effective from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027; if any part(s) of the Agreement is in conflict with any law, statute or rule of a higher governing body, then such part(s) shall be deemed inoperative to the extent it conflicts therewith and shall be modified to conform to such law, statute, or rule.

### **I. A ratification or modification of all existing articulation agreements**

The signing of this Agreement attests to the ratification of all existing articulation agreement(s) regarding dual enrollment and other accelerated education programs between Einstein Montessori and the College.

### **II. A description of the process by which students and their parents are informed about opportunities for student participation in the dual enrollment program**

#### **A. Einstein Montessori Responsibilities**

Disseminate information yearly to all secondary students regarding dual enrollment as an educational opportunity. Information will include eligibility requirements, the option for taking dual enrollment courses during and after school hours and during the year, how dual enrollment may be used to meet high school credits required for graduation, and the transfer guarantee statement by the State Articulation Coordinating Committee.

#### **B. The College Responsibilities**

1. Provide comprehensive information about Dual Enrollment on the college website.
2. Monitor and evaluate postsecondary readiness data for student eligibility.

### **III. A delineation of courses and programs available to students eligible to participate in dual enrollment**

#### **A. Dual Enrollment**

The dual enrollment program shall be the enrollment of a first-time 6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade student in a postsecondary course creditable toward a high school diploma and a career and technical certificate, a college credit certificate, an associate degree, or a baccalaureate degree. The student must meet eligibility criteria identified in this Agreement and be on track to meet promotion and graduation requirements as determined by Einstein Montessori. Students in grades 6 – 9 should confer with their school administration regarding the students' readiness for college level coursework. Students may be enrolled in their identified secondary grade level no more than one year, which includes the summer, fall, and spring terms. Students may enroll in dual enrollment for a maximum of 4 years in high school (grades 9 – 12 or equivalent).

Eligible students shall be permitted to enroll in postsecondary courses offered during and after school hours. Students are expected to enroll in courses pursuant to their identified program of study and/or courses identified on the on the FLDOE Dual Enrollment Course Equivalency List. Students who will graduate from high school prior to the completion of the postsecondary course may not register for that course under dual enrollment



## **B. Academic Dual Enrollment – Associate Degree**

Academic dual enrollment is a form of dual enrollment in college credit courses leading to an Associate in Arts, Associate in Science, or a Baccalaureate Degree. Eastern Florida will award an associate degree to qualifying high school students in the same semester that Einstein Montessori awards the high school diploma. Students seeking an A.S. Degree may dual enroll only in the A.S. Degree programs identified in the table below:

| <b>ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE PROGRAMS</b>        |
|----------------------------------------------------|
| Accounting Technology ACAA                         |
| Business Administration BUAS                       |
| Business Entrepreneurship ENAS                     |
| Chemical Technology CHAS                           |
| Computer-Aided Drafting and Design Technology DRAS |
| Computer Information Technology CIAS               |
| Computer Programming and Analysis CPAS             |
| Crime Scene Technology CRAS                        |
| Criminal Justice Technology CJAS                   |
| Cybersecurity and Network Systems NSAS             |
| Early Childhood Education CCAS                     |
| Engineering Technology ETAS                        |
| Graphics Technology GDAS                           |
| Healthcare Navigator HNAS                          |
| Interactive Media Production Technology AHSC       |
| Office Administration OFAS                         |
| Transportation and Logistics TLAS                  |

### Eligibility Criteria:

1. Present an unweighted high school GPA of at least 3.0.
2. Achieve college-ready Reading and Writing scores on an approved placement test or college approved Alternative Placement Measure as identified in Rule 6A-10.0315 (3)(a) and/or (3)(c).
3. Meet all prerequisites for the selected course.
4. Have a secondary school record of good attendance, appropriate conduct, and responsible behavior.
5. Requirements for students who do not currently demonstrate college-level readiness in reading, writing, and/or mathematics per Rule 6A-14.064 (b) College Credit Dual Enrollment.
  - a. Enrollment in College Credit Courses: Students are allowed to enroll in college credit courses even if they have deficiencies in basic competency areas of reading, writing, and/or mathematics; however, they cannot earn more than twelve (12) college credit hours before correcting all deficiencies in all three areas.
  - b. Exceptions to the Limitation: Exceptions to the twelve (12) credit hour limit are granted by EFSC given that the student is concurrently enrolled in secondary courses that address the basic competency areas in which they are deficient. The Board is responsible to ensure that the student is concurrently enrolled in secondary courses that address the student's basic competency areas in which they are deficient.
  - c. Advisory Requirements: The Board will advise the student in writing, who has accumulated twelve (12) college credit hours but has not yet demonstrated proficiency in basic competency areas about the requirements for associate degree completion, state university admission, future financial aid eligibility, and potential costs associated with accumulating excessive college credit.

### Academic Standards

Students must continuously maintain the unweighted high school GPA required for the program. In addition, students are expected to complete and achieve an overall GPA of 2.0 in college coursework taken during a term. Dual enrollment students must adhere to the EFSC Academic Progress Standards.

A student whose EFSC's term GPA falls below a 2.0, and/or the student withdraws from a dual enrollment course after the college designated add/drop date, may remain eligible for dual enrollment for one subsequent term so long as their unweighted high school GPA, including the grades earned in dual enrollment coursework, remains at 3.0+. The student's dual enrollment status, however, will be considered provisional and the student must achieve in the subsequent high school semester at least a cumulative college GPA of 2.0 and a term GPA of 2.0 and complete all coursework to maintain eligibility.

A student who fails to meet the above requirements will be ineligible for dual enrollment for a period of one term after which time the student may again be considered for eligibility if all admission standards are met.

### **C. Career Dual Enrollment**

Career dual enrollment is a form of dual enrollment that provides a curricular option for secondary students who wish to earn credits toward a high school diploma and a degree or certificate from a job preparatory program. Students may not take isolated vocational courses. Eastern Florida will award a college credit certificate to qualifying high school students in the same semester that Einstein Montessori awards the high school diploma.

Eligible public secondary students may apply to enroll in college credit courses leading to a College Credit Certificate (CCC) provided that the selected program of study is identified in the table below:

| <b>COLLEGE CREDIT CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS</b>                         |                                         |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Accounting Technology Management AACC                              | Graphic Design Support DSCC             |
| Accounting Technology Operations AOCC                              | Help Desk Support Specialist HDCC       |
| Accounting Technology Specialist ATCC                              | Human Resource Administrator HRCC       |
| Applied Technology Specialist ATCC                                 | Infant/Toddler Specialization INCC      |
| AutoCAD Foundations AFCC                                           | Interactive Media Productions MPCC      |
| Business Development and Entrepreneurship BECC                     | Interactive Media Support MSCC          |
| Business Entrepreneurship ENCC                                     | Intermodal Freight Transportation IMCC  |
| Business Management International Business Specialization BMCCINBS | Internet Protocol Communications IPCC   |
| Business Management Specialization BMCCMGMT                        | Mechatronics MHCC                       |
| Business Operations BOCC                                           | Medical Office Management MECC          |
| Business Specialist BSCC                                           | Network Infrastructure NICC             |
| Child Care Center Management CMCC                                  | Network Security NECC                   |
| CNC Machinist CNCC                                                 | Network Server Administration NACC      |
| Composite Fabrication and Testing CFCC                             | Network Support Technician NTCC         |
| Computer Programming CPCC                                          | Network Virtualization NVCC             |
| Crime Scene Technician CRCC                                        | Office Management OMCC                  |
| Criminal Justice Technology Specialist CJCC                        | Office Specialist OSCC                  |
| Drafting Design DACC                                               | Office Support OFCC                     |
| Early Childhood Development CHDI                                   | Oracle Certified Database Admin OACC    |
| Educational Assisting EDCC                                         | Preschool Specialization PSCC           |
| Engineering Technology Support Specialist ESCC                     | Real Estate Specialization RECC         |
| Graphic Design Production DPCC                                     | Robotics and Simulation Technician RSCC |

#### **Eligibility Criteria**

1. Present an unweighted high school GPA of at least a 2.5 for college credit courses leading to a College Credit Certificate (CCC).
2. Have college placement test scores on file with the College in reading, writing and mathematics.
3. Requirements for students who do not currently demonstrate college-level readiness in reading, writing, and/or mathematics per Rule 6A-14.064 (b) College Credit Dual Enrollment.



- a. Enrollment in College Credit Courses: Students are allowed to enroll in college credit courses even if they have deficiencies in basic competency areas of reading, writing, and/or mathematics; however, they cannot earn more than twelve (12) college credit hours before correcting all deficiencies in all three areas.
  - b. Exceptions to the Limitation: Exceptions to the twelve (12) credit hour limit are granted by EFSC given that the student is concurrently enrolled in secondary courses that address the basic competency areas in which they are deficient. The Board is responsible to ensure that the student is concurrently enrolled in secondary courses that address the student's basic competency areas in which they are deficient.
  - c. Advisory Requirements: The Board will advise the student in writing, who has accumulated twelve (12) college credit hours but has not yet demonstrated proficiency in basic competency areas about the requirements for associate degree completion, state university admission, future financial aid eligibility, and potential costs associated with accumulating excessive college credit.
4. Meet all prerequisites for the selected course.
  5. Meet age requirement specified by the College.
  6. Have a high school record of good attendance, appropriate conduct, and responsible behavior.

Students entering a College Credit Certificate (CCC) program with a GPA below 3.0 are limited to taking courses within their selected CCC and may not change their initial program of study until the program is completed. Once students meet the qualifications to enter an associate degree program, the students will continue to enroll in courses within the CCC and may enroll in courses towards an associate degree.

#### Academic Standards

Students must continuously maintain the unweighted high school GPA required for the program. In addition, students are expected to complete and achieve an overall GPA of 2.0 in college coursework taken during a term. Dual enrollment students must adhere to the EFSC Academic Progress Standards.

A student whose EFSC's term GPA falls below a 2.0 and/or the student withdraws from a dual enrollment course after the college designated add/drop date may remain eligible for dual enrollment for one subsequent term so long as their unweighted high school GPA, including the grades earned in dual enrollment coursework, meets the degree or certificate admission criteria. The student's dual enrollment status, however, will be considered provisional and the student must achieve in the subsequent high school semester at least a cumulative college GPA of 2.0 and a term GPA of 2.0 and complete all coursework to maintain eligibility.

A student who fails to meet the above requirements will be ineligible for dual enrollment for a period of one term after which time the student may again be considered for eligibility if all admission standards are met.

#### **D. Early Admission**

Early Admission is a form of dual enrollment through which first-time, seniors may enroll at the College instead of their high school of attendance in courses that are creditable toward the high school diploma and the associate or baccalaureate degree, a college credit certificate or a career and technical certificate. It is an option for students in the final year of high school. Early admission students are no longer eligible for dual enrollment upon completion of the spring term regardless of their high school graduation status. Early admission students must enroll in at least four courses totaling twelve credit hours or more per term and earn a sufficient number of credit hours in appropriate courses each term to meet high school graduation requirements by the end of their senior year. One-credit laboratory courses do not count toward the four course requirement. Einstein Montessori and the College recommend students enroll in five courses.

Early admission students remain eligible to participate in all extracurricular and graduation activities at their high school of attendance in accordance with Einstein Montessori policies and procedures.

#### **Eligibility Criteria for Early Admission students entering in the fall semester:**

1. Must have completed the 11<sup>th</sup> grade and be entering the fall semester of the 12<sup>th</sup> grade for the first time.

2. Present an unweighted high school GPA of at least 3.0.
3. Provide college-ready scores in Reading, Writing, and Mathematics on an approved college placement test or college approved Alternative Placement Measure as identified in Rule 6A-10.0315 (3)(a) and/or (3)(c).
4. Have a high school record of good attendance, appropriate conduct, and responsible behavior.
5. Submit the online EFSC Application for Admission and complete all admission requirements by the established deadlines posted on the college website.
6. Submit the EFSC Early Admission Application in accordance with published directions by the established deadlines posted on the college website.

**Eligibility requirements for Early Admission students entering in the spring term with an unweighted High School GPA of 3.0+:**

1. Must be in 12<sup>th</sup> grade.
2. Present an unweighted high school GPA of at least 3.0.
3. Provide college-ready scores in Reading, Writing, and Mathematics on an approved college placement test or Alternative Placement Measure as identified in Rule 6A-10.0315 (3)(a) and/or (3)(c).
4. Have a high school record of good attendance, appropriate conduct, and responsible behavior.
5. Submit the online EFSC Application for Admission and complete all admission requirements by the established deadlines posted on the college website.
6. Submit the EFSC Early Admission Application in accordance with published directions by the established deadlines posted on the college website.

**Eligibility requirements for Early Admission students entering in the spring term with an unweighted High School GPA of 2.5+**

1. Must be in the 12<sup>th</sup> grade.
2. Present an unweighted high school GPA of at least 2.5.
3. Provide college-ready scores in Reading, Writing, and Mathematics on an approved college placement test or Alternative Placement Measure as identified in Rule 6A-10.0315 (3)(a) and/or (3)(c).
4. Have a high school record of good attendance, appropriate conduct, and responsible behavior.
5. Submit the online EFSC Application for Admission and complete all admission requirements by the established deadlines posted on the college website.
6. Students are limited to CCC programs.

**Academic Standards**

Early admission students are expected to complete sufficient credits to meet high school graduation requirements, maintain the unweighted high school GPA of 3.0 and achieve an overall GPA of 2.0 in college coursework taken during a term. Dual enrollment students must adhere to the EFSC Academic Progress Standards. Early admission students who are in jeopardy of earning sufficient credits to graduate or do not maintain an overall EFSC fall term GPA of at least 2.0 may not continue in Early Admission the following semester. These students, however, may participate in part-time dual enrollment provided they meet dual enrollment eligibility criteria. Dual enrollment students must adhere to the EFSC Academic Progress Standards. Upon completion of their senior year in early admission, students are no longer eligible for dual enrollment regardless of their graduation status.

**E. Postsecondary courses that may not be taken through dual enrollment include:**

1. Vocational preparatory, developmental education instruction, and other forms of pre-collegiate instruction.
2. Physical education courses that focus on the physical execution of a skill rather than the intellectual attributes of the activity.
3. Applied music courses that focus on the development of basic proficiency with a specific instrument.
4. One credit hour Service Learning Field Studies or Human Experience courses (exception, a second semester



senior in need of one credit hour for associate degree completion).

5. Study abroad or internship courses.
6. Non-credit courses.
7. 3000+ level courses.
8. Courses with activities that presume an adult level of maturity and personal responsibility. Course examples include, but may not be limited to, Criminal Justice Defensive Tactics, Criminal Justice Weapons, Vehicle Operations and Study Abroad in the Humanities.
9. Courses within selected limited access programs.
10. Recreation and leisure studies courses shall be evaluated individually in the same manner as physical education courses for potential inclusion in the program.
11. Courses in programs not identified on the CAPE Funding List.

**G.**

The College may add, revise, or delete courses and programs at any time pursuant to section 1007.271(24)(b)1., Florida Statutes.

**IV. A description of the process by which students and their parents exercise options to participate in the dual enrollment program**

**A. Established Deadlines**

Dual enrollment students must meet dual enrollment admissions, registration, and add/drop deadlines posted on the college website. Dual enrollment students must also follow the withdrawal deadlines in compliance with College policies and the College's academic calendar.

**B. Admission and Registration Process**

Students must complete the following admission steps when dual enrolling for the first time in an EFSC course:

1. Submit the online EFSC Application for Admission and official high school transcript by the established application deadline posted on the college website.
2. Complete the online EFSC Dual Enrollment Orientation by the established admissions deadline posted on the college website.
3. Submit college placement test scores or college approved Alternative Placement Measure as identified in Rule 6A-10.0315 (3)(a) and/or (3)(c) if dual enrolling in college credit courses by the established admissions deadline posted on the college website.
4. Complete the dual enrollment first-time advising appointment with an EFSC advisor if registering for an EFSC class for the first time by the established admissions deadline posted on the college website.

Students must complete the following registration steps each semester if registering for an EFSC course:

Students will self-register through the college's online registration system by the established deadline posted on the college website.

Students registering for courses offered at the college campus or through EFSC online shall also be responsible for:

1. Obtaining personal tools/materials required in selected college credit courses.
2. Paying the EFSC Wi-Fi Access Fee each enrollment term.
3. Purchasing a parking decal if driving to campus.
4. Paying user fees, fines, and parking tickets.
5. Paying the graduation application fee if applying for graduation.



**C. Where to Submit Admissions Application Materials**

Students will complete the EFSC Online Application for Admission and request Einstein Montessori send an official high school transcript to the EFSC Admissions office.

**D. Withdrawal**

Students wishing to withdraw from a dual enrollment course(s) by the college-designated withdrawal date must first consult with their parent/legal guardian and Einstein Montessori, then follow all college withdrawal procedures. The parent/legal guardian will be expected to co-sign the withdrawal form along with the student and school administrator.

The student who withdraws or is withdrawn by the College or Einstein Montessori from dual enrollment coursework and returns during the term to their private school of attendance will be subject to Einstein Montessori policies relating to the instructional hours and transfer of grades required for earning a high school credit. The College, by law, must count a course "withdrawal" for any reason after the add/drop date as an "attempt" on the student's college transcript.

A student who withdraws from two college courses in a term will be ineligible for dual enrollment in the subsequent private school semester.

A student who is withdrawn by the college from a college course due to non-compliance with Florida statutes and rules or EFSC policies and procedures related to student behavior and conduct will be ineligible for dual enrollment in the subsequent private school semester.

Students must inform the private school of any change in their class enrollment status. A student who drops or withdraws from a course without school approval or stops attending class must notify their private school.

**E. Maximum Course Loads**

During the Fall and Spring terms students are allowed up to three EFSC dual enrollment courses. Rising 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students – those who have completed 10<sup>th</sup> or 11<sup>th</sup> grade and will be advancing to the next grade level in the upcoming academic year- are permitted to register for no more than one course during the summer.

Students may exceed the total number of allowable courses, as identified above, take college courses not available through dual enrollment (with college approval), and/or retake a course for grade forgiveness through the Early College Credit Option (ECCO). ECCO courses do not count towards high school graduation requirements and do not require approval by the private school administrator.

Early admission students must take four, but no more than five, courses totaling at least twelve credit hours each semester. Based on their strong academic record, students with a cumulative unweighted high school GPA of 3.5 may register for six courses each term with their private school's approval.

Students may not enroll in the same course more than one time through dual enrollment unless the student receives written approval from Einstein Montessori and the College.

**F. Grade Forgiveness**

Students who have received a grade of D or F or withdrew (W) from the class by the deadline, may retake the class for grade forgiveness through the Early College Credit Option (ECCO) offered by the College. ECCO courses do not count towards high school graduation requirements and do not require approval by the private school administrator.

**V. A list of any additional initial student eligibility requirements for participation in the dual enrollment program**

There are no additional initial eligibility requirements.

**VI. A delineation of the high school credit earned for the passage of each dual enrollment course**

**Einstein Montessori Responsibilities**

1. Post the grade earned in a dual enrollment course on the high school transcript in accordance with F.S.1007.271(20).
2. Permit qualified students to satisfy high school identified subject-area and/or elective-credit graduation requirements through dual enrollment in postsecondary courses contained in the statewide course numbering system and considered "eligible" by statute and by this Agreement.
3. Einstein Montessori will provide the College with a final transcript, with the graduation date recorded, for each graduating senior who earned credit through dual enrollment.

**VII. A description of the process for informing students and their parents of college-level course expectations**

**Einstein Montessori Responsibilities**

Ensure that a fully executed *Parent or Guardian Dual Enrollment Participation Agreement* is obtained and maintained on file at Einstein Montessori for every student participating in dual enrollment.

**The College Responsibilities**

The College will inform students and parents of college-level course expectations through the College's Dual Enrollment webpage.

The College will ensure that each first-time dual enrollment student completes the online Dual Enrollment Orientation that addresses:

1. College placement testing
2. Study expectations
3. College attendance and grading policies
4. Add/Drop and withdrawal policies
5. Impact of poor grades on the student's high school and college record
6. Adult level course content and design
7. Behavior expectations
8. Potential costs for students
9. FERPA considerations

**VIII. The policies and procedures, if any, for determining exceptions to the required grade point averages on an individual student basis**

There are no exceptions.

**IX. The registration policies for dual enrollment courses as determined by the postsecondary institution**

Dual enrollment students must comply with all EFSC registration policies, dual enrollment deadlines identified on the EFSC website, academic calendar and in this Agreement, including the last day to register for a class, add/drop a class, withdraw from a class, apply for graduation, and pay fees and fines.

**X. Exceptions, if any, to the professional rules, guidelines, and expectations stated in the faculty or adjunct faculty handbook for the postsecondary institution**

There are no exceptions.

**XI. Exceptions, if any, to the rules, guidelines, and expectations stated in the student handbook of the postsecondary institution which apply to faculty members**



There are no exceptions.

**XII. The responsibilities of Einstein Montessori regarding the determination of student eligibility before participating in the dual enrollment program and the monitoring of student performance while participating in the dual enrollment program**

**A. Student Conduct Standards**

Dual enrollment students are expected to adhere to the policies and procedures, including attendance requirements, at the institution where the dual enrollment course is offered and to exhibit appropriate conduct at all times. Inappropriate and disruptive behavior will not be tolerated and may result in administrative withdrawal by the College. The College and Einstein Montessori shall consider the offending student ineligible for dual enrollment for one or more terms following the withdrawal action.

Einstein Montessori shall notify the College when a Dual Enrollment student is expelled from the school. That student shall be considered ineligible for Dual Enrollment and shall be administratively withdrawn from all EFSC courses by the College. The student will remain ineligible for dual enrollment for one term following the expulsion.

**B. Einstein Montessori Responsibilities**

Screen secondary student school applicants for Dual Enrollment programs in compliance with the Articulation Agreement.

Einstein Montessori shall notify with the College within forty-eight (48) business hours of the withdrawal of a participating dual enrollment student from the school. Such notification shall include the student's name, date of birth, and grade level.

**C. Einstein Montessori and the College Responsibilities**

Monitor the success of students participating in dual enrollment courses offered under this Agreement and use the success rate of students as the primary criterion for judging the quality of dual enrollment courses and programs and for identifying areas for program improvement.

**XIII. The responsibilities of the postsecondary institution regarding the transmission of student grades in dual enrollment courses to Einstein Montessori**

The College will provide a master list to Einstein Montessori for EFSC campus courses taken through dual enrollment with each student's name, EFSC course titles, and grade earned in each course.

**XIV. A funding provision that delineates costs incurred by each entity**

Students shall be exempt from payment of registration, matriculation, textbook and laboratory fees; however, students seeking to complete a career program that requires ownership of personal tools/materials shall be responsible for the purchase of these items.

**Einstein Montessori Responsibilities**

1. By 12:00 p.m. on the Wednesday of the week prior to the first day of classes each term, Einstein Montessori shall notify the College in writing (email is sufficient) of any changes to dual enrollment student course registrations and/or school enrollment. For example, Einstein Montessori shall notify the College if a particular student is no longer enrolled at or attending Einstein Montessori. Failure to notify the College in this manner shall constitute Einstein Montessori's acceptance of any resulting financial responsibility for any such student.
2. The College will assess the standard tuition rate per credit hour to Einstein Montessori from the Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP) for dual enrolled students when the student is certified as taking college courses for college and high school credit and the courses are approved for dual credit per this agreement. The standard tuition rate at a Florida College System institution is \$71.98 per college credit hour. As required by Section 1007.271, F.S., costs associated with tuition and fees, including registration, fees, and instructional materials, will not be passed along to the student. The College shall seek reimbursement for the standard tuition rate per credit hour and for instructional materials from the Florida Legislature, as provided for by 1009.30, F.S. In the event that the College is unable to obtain reimbursement under 1009.30, F.S. for the full cost associated with tuition and fees for dual enrollment, and instructional materials for any academic term the College shall invoice Einstein Montessori



for the standard tuition rate and instructional material costs, which may not be charged to or passed along to Einstein Montessori's students. Einstein Montessori shall pay the College the full invoiced amount not later than thirty (30) days following the date of the invoice. Einstein Montessori's failure to timely pay the invoice in full may result in termination of this agreement and/or the College's refusal to enter into a future dual enrollment agreement until all outstanding invoiced amounts are paid.

**The College Responsibilities**

1. The College will provide Einstein Montessori with a list of dual enrollment student course registrations one week prior to the first day of classes each semester for Einstein Montessori to review and notify the College of any corrections.
2. The associated college bookstore shall loan REQUIRED instructional materials at no cost to Einstein Montessori students. "Recommended" items and personal tools, such as lab coats, goggles, and calculators will not be provided.

**XV. Any institutional responsibilities for student transportation, if provided**

Einstein Montessori agrees to inform dual enrollment candidates that it is the student's responsibility to:

1. Arrange for transportation to and from EFSC classes.
2. Purchase a parking decal if driving to campus.

**XVI. Section 1007.271(25), F.S., requires that the dual enrollment articulation agreement include services and resources that are available to students with disabilities who register for dual enrollment.**

**Einstein Montessori Responsibilities**

Notify students with disabilities and their parent/guardian that it is the student's responsibility to register with the EFSC SAIL Office (Student Access for Improved Learning) on the selected campus in order to be considered for accommodations and services.

**The College Responsibilities**

Provide the same level of accommodation to dual enrollment students with disabilities taking courses on an EFSC campus as the College is required by law to provide to "non-dual enrollment" students with disabilities.

**XVII. Execution of Agreement**

Agree that exceptions of an administrative nature may be made to this Agreement with the approval of the Einstein Montessori and EFSC president or designee.

Agree that issues that cannot be resolved within the guidelines of this Agreement shall be referred to the Einstein Montessori Board of Directors and the EFSC president or designee for resolution.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have adopted this Agreement, effective as of the last date set forth below.

EINSTEIN MONTESSORI ACADEMY

EASTERN FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE

Signature  19Jun26  
School Administrator (or designee) Date

By  6/22/26  
Dr. Phil Simpson Date  
Vice President Academic and Student Affairs, Chief  
Academic Officer

Printed Name Heather Panek