

Articulation Agreement – Statewide Industry Certification to Credit Memorandum of Understanding

Per the Florida Department of Education Statewide Articulation Agreement, Industry Certification to AAS/AS Degree Program, Eastern Florida State College (EFSC) will award postsecondary credit as listed below to eligible students who have the designated industry certification. *The student will not be charged tuition or fees for the postsecondary credit awarded through this agreement.*

EFFECTIVE TERM: Spring 2015

Industry Certification: CompTIA A+ (COMPT001)

www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/7525/urlt/compt001-computerinformationtechnology.pdf

AS Degrees: AS/Computer Information Technology - CIP 1507030600 or 1511010305

***AS/Network Systems Technology - CIP 1511010111**

***AS/Computer Programming & Analysis – CIP 1507030500 or 1511020100**

College Credit Certificate: Helpdesk Specialist (Information Tech Support Specialist) CIP 0507030606 or

0511010311; *Network Server Administrator - CIP 0511100112; *Network Infrastructure - CIP 0511100114

*** Local EFSC articulation agreement, not prescribed by the FL DOE.**

| Course Number | College Course Title | College Credit |
|---------------|------------------------------------|----------------|
| CET 1172 | Beginning PC Repair | 3 |
| OR | | |
| CETC 1176 | Computer Maintenance and Repair A+ | |
| OR | | |
| CET 1176 | Computer Maintenance and Repair | |

Procedure for obtaining credit

Student must meet the following criteria:

- All EFSC admissions requirements. Students entering the above program(s) must have a standard high school diploma or its equivalent, or a CPT Eligible Certificate of Completion, and must meet the requirements of State Board Rule 6A-10.0315(3), FAC (College preparatory testing, placement, and instruction).
- Be an active student, currently enrolled and declared in the major in one of the programs listed above.
- Hold a current industry certification in CompTIA A+. Certification must NOT BE EXPIRED at the time the credit will be awarded. Certification must have been issued no later than **three** years prior to enrollment in the program.
- Must complete CGS 1000 Introduction to Computers or a minimum of three credit hours of the major core courses or support courses or technical electives required for the degree or certificate with grade of “C” or higher through traditional instruction offered by EFSC. CGS 1000 is a prerequisite course for CET(C) 1176
- Petition for credit to include copy of the industry certification certificate to: EFSC, Office of the Registrar, 1519 Clearlake Road, Cocoa, FL 32922

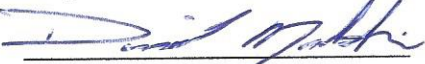
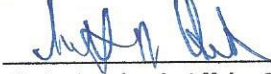
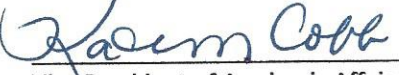

Questions regarding this agreement should be addressed to the Computer Science Discipline Cluster Chair, the Director of Career & Technical Programs, and/or the Registrar.

APPROVALS

This Articulation Agreement shall be effective upon the signatures below, and shall remain in effect until reviewed and modified every two years, or terminated by the Florida Department of Education.

(http://www.fldoe.org/workforce/dwdframe/artic_indcert2aas.asp) This agreement is subject to change by legislative action, the Department of Education, or the EFSC District Board of Trustees.

Faculty agrees that the CompTIA A+ certification represents industry acknowledgement of technical skill attainment of competencies in the degrees and certificates identified in this memorandum of understanding.

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|  _____ Program Manager, Department Chair or Cluster Chair | 2/24/15 _____ Date |  _____ Chair, Academic Affairs Council | 3/13/15 _____ Date |
|  _____ Vice President of Academic Affairs and Chief Learning Officer | 3-13-15 _____ Date |  _____ J. Miedema | |

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STATEWIDE AGREEMENT information from the fldoe.org web site
<http://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/7525/urlt/compt001-computerinformationtechnology.pdf#page=1&zoom=auto,0,761>

| Florida Department of Education Statewide Articulation Agreement Industry Certification to AAS/AS Degree Program | | | |
|--|---|------------------------------|-------------------|
| AAS/AS Degree Name: | Computer Information Technology | | |
| CIP Number(s): | AAS: 0511010305* | AS: | 1511010305* |
| Industry Certification: | CompTIA A+ | Code: | COMPT001 |
| College Credit: | This Gold Standard Career Pathways Statewide Articulation Agreement guarantees the minimum award of course credits or a block of credit toward the above AAS/AS program is <u>3</u> hours of credit. This agreement does not preclude the awarding of additional credits by any college through local agreements. | | |
| Validation Mechanism: | | | |
| To be eligible for articulation, the student must show evidence of their CompTIA A+ certification and it must have been issued within three (3) years prior to their enrollment in the program. | | | |
| Rationale/Justification: | | | |
| The CompTIA A+ certification represents industry acknowledgement of technical skill attainment of competencies in the Computer Information Technology program. | | | |
| Applicability: | | | |
| State college administrators (statewide) were consulted and agreed that the "CompTIA A+" shall articulate <u>three (3)</u> college credit hours to the AAS/AS Degree in <u>Computer Information Technology</u> . | | | |
| Articulated credit awarded under this agreement may only be applied to the above AAS/AS Degree and the following College Credit Certificate (CCC) programs: Information Technology Analysis (0511010312) and Information Technology Support Specialist (0511010311). | | | |
| Date Presented to ACC | ACC Recommendation | Date Submitted to SBE | SBE Status |
| 10/28/2009 | Approved | 3/26/2010 | Approved |

*Certain programs may not have an AS/AAS degree available.