

Agreement for the Articulation of Tech Prep Curricula Graphic Communications

Edison State Community College and Tri Star Career Compact

Effective August 2021

Purposes:

- To recognize the achievement of students and faculty at Tri Star Career Compact (TSCC)
- To offer college credit to all TSCC students and to award credit for those who merit it
- To create a seamless pathway to college that avoids unnecessary duplication of content
- To hold both high school and college students to the same rigorous standards for credit

This agreement applies to students who have:

1. Successfully completed the two-year Graphic Communications program at TSCC,
2. Earned an average grade of B better in program coursework at TSCC,

The parties agree that:

1. College credit will be awarded for the appended college courses (Application for College Credit) with a passage rate of 70% or higher on the college administered proficiency exam or other means of assessment required by Edison State Community College (ESCC).
2. The TSCC instructor will submit each student's Application for College Credit to ESCC by the stated deadline.
3. All students requesting articulated credit will submit an application to ESCC.
4. This agreement will be valid for a period of three years from the effective date with an annual review by program instructor and college professors. The parties will meet every three years to update curriculum and assessment procedures and to approve a new agreement.
5. Changes to this agreement may be requested at any time by notification from either party.
6. Credits will be added to the transcript and counted toward a pathway degree program at ESCC.

For Edison State Community College

Sam Baith 4/9/2022
Curriculum Committee Chair Date

Levi J. Smith 3/3/2022
Instructor Date

Chi Spalko 5-10-22
Provost Date

For Tri Star Career Compact

Tim Buschur, Director Date

Instructor Date

**Tri Star Career Compact/Edison State Community College
Application for College Credit**

Graphic Communications

Directions: The TSCC instructor will complete one form for each senior student in the program and submit to the Tech Prep Coordinator by May 1.

Student Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ SSID # _____ Date of Birth _____

Proficiency: Upon successful completion of Edison State Community College Proficiency Examination(s), I recommend this student receive articulated credit(s) for the following courses by achieving a score of $\geq 70\%$ on the corresponding SAM or Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS) assessment, as documented by attached certificate(s).

Note: Student will be awarded credit for CIS 110S upon successful completion of that proficiency exam or by successful completion of the assessments for three of the one-hour classes listed. (Maximum – 3 Credit Hours)

_____	CIS 101S	Introduction to Word Processing	1 credit hour
_____	CIS 102S	Introduction to Spreadsheets	1 credit hour
_____	CIS 103S	Introduction to Data Processing	1 credit hour
_____	CIS 104S	Introduction to Presentation Graphics	1 credit hour
_____	CIS 110S	Computer Concepts and Applications	3 credit hours

Articulation: This student has completed the Graphic Communications Program of Study with an average grade of B or better, and I recommend this student receive articulated credit(s) for: (Check only if curriculum completed.)

_____	IMD 101S	Introduction to Interactive Media	1 credit hour
_____	IMD 111S	Principles of Interactive Design	2 credit hours
_____	IMD 131S	Fundamentals of Graphic Design	2 credit hours
_____	IMD 133S	Typography and Layout	2 credit hours

TSCC Instructor Signature _____

Date _____

Student Signature _____

Date _____