



ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Upper Valley Career Center – First Responders Academy
Effective August 2025

Purposes:

- To recognize the achievement of students and faculty at Upper Valley Career Center (UVCC)
To offer college credit to all UVCC 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:

- Successfully completed the two-year First Responders Academy program at UVCC.
Earned an average grade of B or higher in all program coursework at UVCC.

The parties agree that:

- College credit will be articulated 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.
The UVCC instructor will submit each student’s Application for College Credit to Edison State Community College by the stated deadline.
All UVCC students requesting articulated credit will submit an application to Edison State Community College.
This agreement will be valid for a period of three years from the effective date with an annual review by the program instructor and college professors. The parties will meet every three years to update curriculum and assessment procedures and to approve a new agreement.
Changes to this agreement may be requested at any time by notification from either party.
Credits will be added to the transcript and counted toward a pathway degree program at Edison State Community College.

For Edison State Community College

Signature of Curriculum Committee Chair, Date 5/5/26

Signature of Dean, Date 4-27-26

Signature of Provost, Date 5/7/26

For Upper Valley Career Center

Executive Director Date

Instructor Date

Upper Valley Career Center/Edison State Community College
Application for College Credit

First Responders Academy

Directions: The UVCC instructor will complete this application for each senior student requesting articulated credit and submit by May 1.

Student Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ SSID # _____ Date of Birth _____

Proficiency: Upon successful completion of Edison State 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 assessment 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 completed the First Responders Academy Anatomy & Physiology course with a 70% or higher, and I recommend this student receive articulated credits for: (Check only if course completed.)

_____ BIO 124S Human Biology 4 credit hours

UVCC Instructor Signature _____ Date _____

____ Yes ____ No I give Edison State permission to retrieve/post any eligible CTAG credit earned.

Student Signature _____ Date _____