

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK, COLLEGE AT ONEONTA
AND
FINGER LAKES COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

**AS LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES
ARTICULATED TO
BS BIOLOGY WITH AN ECOLOGY & FIELD BIOLOGY TRACK**

This statement of purpose and procedures is intended to facilitate the transition of graduates of an associate degree program at Finger Lakes Community College to the baccalaureate degree program at SUNY Oneonta. The College at Oneonta recognizes particular responsibility to students from its surrounding region as well as from the rest of New York State to insure a smooth transition from a two-year institution. The College at Oneonta has made a strong commitment to help transfer students maximize their opportunities.

AGREEMENT

1. Finger Lakes Community College students who have graduated or who will graduate with an AS in Liberal Arts and Science, who apply in a timely manner and meet the current admission criteria, will be admitted to the BS degree program in Biology with an Ecology and Field Biology track upon application as matriculated students with junior status at the College at Oneonta.
2. There is a 66-credit limit on the number of eligible transfer credit granted. Further information on the College at Oneonta's transfer credit policy can be found on our website, www.oneonta.edu.
3. Students completing the course of study put forth will complete seven of the twelve College at Oneonta General Education requirements.
4. The courses recommended in this agreement are not to be considered contractual; they reflect the current, appropriate sequencing of courses that will make the articulation most compatible. Students are advised to consult both Finger Lakes Community College and the College at Oneonta's catalogs to check any modification or changes to program requirements.
5. This agreement will be monitored on a yearly basis by contact among the articulation coordinators and department chairpersons. Each institution assumes responsibility for making this a viable and workable agreement for interested students.

6. Each institution may carry out publication and marketing of this agreement. This can include, but is not limited to, printed material, websites, and inclusion in admissions material.

All students transferring to the College at Oneonta from Finger Lakes Community College as part of this articulation must:

- Be in good academic standing with Finger Lakes Community College.
- Have a minimum cumulative quality point average of 2.50.
- Have completed and been awarded the appropriate associate degree.
- Have followed the appropriate application process in applying to the College at Oneonta and must furnish a final transcript with their degree posted.
- Have earned grades of “D” or better in coursework to assure transferability when associate’s degree is earned.

Exceptions may be made on a case-by-case basis.

Once accepted into the College at Oneonta, students who are transferring into the BS program in Biology with an Ecology and Field Biology track with an associate’s degree in Liberal Arts and Sciences will:

- Be given junior status.
- Be advised by their respective academic department as they pursue the successful completion of degree requirements. Upon acceptance, a transfer credit evaluation and advisement document outlining coursework to be completed will be available to the student.
- Students will be considered for all Transfer Scholarships available through the Office of Admissions without filing any additional paperwork.
- The College at Oneonta will extend every opportunity to help the student complete the baccalaureate degree in two additional years.

This agreement will come into effect on June 8, 2001 and both colleges will review and re-sign this agreement again by June 8, 2006. The course selection included in this articulation may be subject to change as new requirements are established for majors. Both institutions assume a good faith effort to continually update each college on any changes to programs and requirements. This is a joint effort on the part of both institutions to help transfer students maximize their transferability.

The primary contact person at Finger Lakes Community College will be Teresa M. Daddis, Student Services Counselor, Finger Lakes Community College, 4355 Lakeshore Drive, Canandaigua, NY 14424. (716) 394-3500, ext. 7455.

The primary contact at the College at Oneonta will be Maureen Artale, Coordinator of Transfer Articulation, College at Oneonta, 102 Netzer Administration Building, Oneonta, NY 13820. (607) 436-3390.

Finger Lakes – Oneonta Articulation Agreement
 Liberal Arts and Sciences (AS)

Articulated to:

Biology with an Ecology and Field Biology Track (BS)

First Semester

ENG 101 Freshman English	3sh
MAT 121 Statistics I	3sh
BIO 121 General Biology I	4sh
CHM 121 General Chemistry I	4sh
History SUNY Gen. Ed.	3sh
	17sh

Oneonta Course Equivalencies

COMP 100 Composition	3sh
STAT 101 Intro to Statistics	3sh
BIOL 100 General Biology I	4sh
CHEM 111 General Chemistry I	4sh
History SUNY Gen Ed Met	3sh

Second Semester

ENG 102 Intro to Literature	3sh
MAT 271 Calculus I	4sh
BIO 122 General Biology II	4sh
CHM 122 General Chemistry II	4sh
Social Science SUNY Gen Ed	3sh
Physical Education Elective	1sh
	19sh

LITR 100 Intro to Literature	3sh
MATH 173 Calculus I	4sh
BIOL 105 General Biology II	4sh
CHEM 112 General Chemistry II	4sh
Social Science SUNY Gen Ed Met	3sh
Physical Education Elective	1sh

Third Semester

COM 110 Public Speaking	3sh
CSC 100 Computing, Info. Age	3sh
Biology List	3-4sh
CHM 211 Organic Chemistry	5sh
Physical Education Elective	1sh
	15sh

SPCH 100 Intro to Communications	3sh
CSCI 100 Intro to Computers	3sh
Biology Major Elective Course	3sh
CHEM 221 Organic Chem I	5sh
Physical Education Elective	1sh

Fourth Semester

Social Science SUNY Gen Ed	3sh
Biology List	3-4sh
PHY 118 Physics I	4sh
CHM 212 Organic Chemistry II	5sh
Physical Education Elective	2sh
	18sh

Social Science SUNY Gen Ed Met	3sh
Biology Major Elective Course	3sh
PHYS 103 General Physics	4sh
CHEM 322 Organic Chem II	5sh
Physical Education Elective	2sh

Biology List

Complete two of the following courses:

- BIO 221 Prin. of Terrestrial & Aquatic Eco.
- BIO 230 Microbiology
- BIO 240 Principles of Genetics
- BIO 245 Field Natural History
- BIO 246 Limnology

Students following the above outline would have to complete the following coursework upon transfer to Oneonta State College:

Fine Arts Gen Ed Course	3sh
History Gen Ed Course	3sh
History Gen Ed Course	3sh
Foreign Language Gen Ed Course	3sh
Writing Skills Course	3sh
BIOL 212	4sh
BIOL 282	4sh
BIOL 362	4sh
BIOL 370	3sh
Field Experience	3sh

Complete two of the following courses:
 BIOL 216, 220, 228, 236, 242, 250, 259, 260, OCEA 210 6sh

Complete one of the following:
 BIOL 333, 338, 356, 367, 381, 384, 385, 386 3sh

**48 SEMESTER HOURS REQUIRED
 + ELECTIVE CREDITS TO REACH
 A MINIMUM OF 122
 GRADUATION CREDITS**

Actual Biology coursework to be completed may vary depending on courses completed at Finger Lakes

Fifth Semester

Fine Arts Gen Ed Course	3sh
Foreign Language Gen Ed Course	3sh
BIOL 212	4sh
BIOL 370	3sh
200 level Elective Credit	3sh
	16SH

Sixth Semester

History Gen Ed Course	3sh
BIOL 362	4sh
BIOL 250	4sh
200 level Elective Credit	3sh
Elective Credit	1sh
	15SH

Seventh Semester

Writing Skills	3sh
BIOL 236	3sh
BIOL 282	4sh
200 level Elective Credit	3sh
Elective Credit	1sh
	14SH

Eighth Semester

History Gen Ed Course	3sh
BIOL 381	3sh
Field Experience	3sh
Elective Credit	3sh
	12SH

The previous schedule shows how the requirements for the BS in Biology with an Ecology and Field Biology track degree may be met in eight semesters when transferring from Finger Lakes Community College with an Associates degree in Liberal Arts and Science. This schedule is an example of one of many possible different schedules. It is included only as an illustration of the type of schedule that might be followed by a full time student. **All students should consult their advisors when they plan their schedules at Finger Lakes and then at Oneonta State College upon transfer.**