

Articulation Agreement

Institution: Bristol Community College
Transfer Institution: Salem State College

Date: updated Fall 2007

Summary of Benefits

- Guaranteed acceptance with a minimum G.P.A. of 2.5, submitted OTA license and letter from employer verifying employment as an OTA
- Guaranteed transfer of approved courses with a grade of C- or better

BCC: Occupational Therapy Assistant	CR	Salem: Occupational Therapy	CR
General Courses			
ENG 11 College Writing	3	ENG 101 Composition I	3
ENG 12 Introduction to Literature	3	ENG102 Composition II	3
PSY 51 General Psychology	3	PSY101 General Psychology	3
HUM Elective <i>choose one from the following:</i> SPH 11 Fundamentals of Speech ENG 51 World Literature ENG 52 World Literature II ENG 53 English Literature I ENG 54 English Literature II ENG 55 American Literature I <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> ENG 56 American Literature II	3	SPC101D Survey of Communication ENG225 English Literature I ENG226 English Literature II ENG294 World Literature I ENG295 World Literature II ENG355 Amer. Literature I <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> ENG356 Amer. Literature II	3
<i>Students transferring to Salem State should take HST 11 and 12</i>	3		3
HST 11 The West and The World I	3	HIS 101 History of World Civilization I	
HST 12 The West and the World II	3	HIS 102 History of World Civilization II	
MTH 19 Fundamentals of Statistics	3	MAT 247 Statistics I	3
BIO 33 Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4	BIO 200 Anatomy and Physiology I	4
BIO 34 Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4	BIO 201 Anatomy and Physiology II	4
HLT 13 Medical Language Module I	1	NOT TRANSFERABLE	
Program Requirements			
OTA 11 Introduction to Occupational Therapy	3	OTA Advanced Placement	21
OTA 17 Psychosocial Performance	4		
OTA 21 Cognitive and Sensorimotor Performance	4		

OTA 25 Movement in the Human Performance	3	SFL309 Kinesiology	3
OTA 27 Psychosocial Therapeutic Modalities	4		
OTA 33 Common Conditions of Physical Dysfunction	4		
OTA 35 Professional Practice Skills	4		
OTA 37 Developmental/Pediatric OT Practice	4		
OTA 41 Level II Occupational Therapy Clinical Practice-A	5		
OTA 43 Level II Occupational Therapy Clinical Practice-B	5		
OTA 44 Seminar in Occupational Therapy	2		
Total credits	68		53

Please be advised that students may transfer up to 68 from the two-year college. If you are interested in completing additional courses at Bristol for transfer to Salem State College, we advise the following courses.

SOC 11 Intro. to Sociology

Literature Sequence: TWO sequential literature courses are suggested

Public Speaking

PSY 55 Abnormal Psychology

ARTICULATION OF ACADEMIC PROGRAMS
Between
BRISTOL COMMUNITY COLLEGE AND SALEM STATE
COLLEGE
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY
Updated Fall 2007

Salem State College and Bristol Community College, in recognition of a valuable and barrier free public academic experience, have created a transfer articulation agreement between the Occupational Therapy department at Salem State College and the Occupational Therapy department at Bristol Community College. The Bachelor of Science in Occupational Health Studies is offered in the evening through the Division of Continuing Education.

OBJECTIVES:

1. To encourage the transfer of qualified students from Bristol Community College to Salem State College.
2. To award academic credit for courses completed at Bristol Community College that meet the terms of the Occupational Therapy Associate Degree, for application toward the requirements for the Bachelor of Science in Occupational Health Studies at Salem State College.
3. To provide effective and concise guidelines for students seeking to transfer to Salem State College. Students will have accurate and clear information regarding the transfer of their coursework and credits toward the Bachelor of Science in Occupational Health Studies at Salem State College.

TERMS OF THE TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT:

1. Salem State College guarantees the acceptance of students who completed the Occupational Therapy Associate Degree program at Bristol Community College with an overall GPA of 2.5 or better. To be admitted to the Bachelor of Occupational Health Studies Program at Salem State College directly from Bristol Community College, students must also meet the following criteria:
 - a. A licensed OTA, a copy of the license must be submitted
 - b. Employed as an OTA, a letter form the employer must be supplied

2. Salem State College guarantees the transfer of credit as stipulated in the attached Program of Studies. This agreement assumes the completion of the Associate Degree and completion of the courses listed on the attached Program of Studies. Salem State College requires that 50% of the major is completed in residence. A minimum of 126 credits must be completed to earn the Bachelor of Science in Occupational Health Studies. Salem State College may accept courses taken beyond the Associate Degree (60 credits); however, students are encouraged to contact the transfer advisor at Salem State College for approval.
3. Bristol Community College transfer students will be subject to all general education requirements of Salem State College as set forth in the Salem State College catalogue.
4. This document is based upon the evaluation of course descriptions presented to Salem State College. Courses as listed in this agreement will transfer to Salem State College provided a grade of "C-" or better has been earned. Bristol Community College students interested in participating in this agreement should be advised to take the suggested liberal arts courses. These courses are required at Salem State College and students are advised to complete them as part of their Associate Degree.
5. This agreement shall remain in effect for a period of two years from the date listed below, with the provision that the terms specified herein will continue to apply to students admitted from Bristol Community College's Occupational Therapy Associate Degree program within one year of the expiration of the agreement. Each institution agrees to provide timely notice to the other in the event of any modification to the curriculum that might affect compatibility for admission and transfer of coursework. This agreement may be subject to change, without notice, if curriculum requirements change at either institution. Students admitted to the Bristol Community College's Occupational Therapy Associate Degree program prior to such notification shall be admitted to Salem State College on the basis of this agreement.

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And
SALEM STATE COLLEGE

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