

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY
AND
MOTLOW STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Bachelor of Science Degree in Agricultural Sciences

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This articulation agreement outlines a joint program of study between Tennessee State University (TSU) and Motlow State Community College (Motlow State). The agreement specifies which courses may be taken and transferred from the Associate of Science (A.S.) Degree at Motlow State to meet general education, major, and elective requirements for the B.S. in Agricultural Sciences.

Motlow State students who follow the program of study outlined in the respective articulation agreement are given academic credit for courses listed in the curriculum matrix. In the event of program revisions at TSU or Motlow State, this agreement is subject to revision. This agreement is in accordance with guidelines established by the Tennessee Board of Regents (TBR) for articulation agreements between community colleges and universities.

The 2+2 program of study outlined below leads to the **Associate of Science (A.S.)** degree, Agriculture Emphasis, from Motlow State Community College (MSCC) and a **Bachelor of Science (B.S.)** degree in **Agricultural and Environmental Sciences** from Tennessee State University (TSU). This articulation agreement recognizes the following course work is needed to complete an A.S. degree at Motlow State Community College.

Agriculture- Animal Science A.S. Degree (TTP) (TSU path) or

GENERAL EDUCATION (41 credit hours)

Communications (9 credit hours)

- ENGL 1010 – English Composition I
- ENGL 1020 – English Composition II
- COMM 2025 – Fundamentals of Speech
or other approved speech/communication course

Humanities/or Fine Arts (9 credit hours)

Three of the following:

At least one course must be in Literature

- ART 1035 – Introduction to Art
 - ART 2000 – Art History Survey I
 - ART 2020 – Art History Survey II
 - MUS 1030 – Introduction to Music
 - THEA 1030 – Introduction to Theatre
 - ENGL 2045 – Introduction to Literature
 - ENGL 2130 – Topics in American Literature
 - ENGL 2235 – Topics in British Literature
 - ENGL 2310 – Survey of World Literature I
 - ENGL 2320 – Survey of World Literature II
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- ENGL 2330 – Survey of World Literature

Social/Behavioral Sciences (6 credit hours)

At least one course must be ECON 2100 or ECON 2200

- ANTH 1100 – Introduction to Anthropology
- COMM 1010 – Introduction to Mass Communications
- ECON 2100 – Principles of Macroeconomics
- ECON 2200 – Principles of Microeconomics
- GEOG 1012 – Cultural Geography
- GEOG 2010 – World Regional Geography
- HPE 2340 – Wellness Perspectives and Lifestyles
- POLS 1030 – American Government
- POLS 2025 – State and Local Government
- PSYC 1030 – General Psychology (*recommended if Ag Ed is in your plan*)
- SOCI 1010 – Introduction to Sociology
- SOCI 1040 – Social Problems
- SOCI 2010 – Marriage and Family

History (6 credit hours)

Option 1:

- HIST 2310 – Early World History
- HIST 2320 – Modern World History

or

Option 2:

Two of the Following: (taken in any order)

- HIST 2010 – Survey of American History I
- HIST 2020 – Survey of American History II
- HIST 2030 – Tennessee History

Natural Science (8 credit hours)

- BIOL 1110 – General Biology I
- BIOL 1120 – General Biology II

Mathematics (3 credit hours)

- MATH 1530 – Introduction to Probability and Statistics or other MATH as advised by faculty

GENERAL EDUCATION TOTAL (41 credit hours)

Area of Emphasis Requirements (19-20 credit hours)

- CHEM 1110 – General Chemistry I
 - CHEM 1120 – General Chemistry II
 - AGRI 1020 – Introduction to Animal Science
 - AGRI 1030 – Introduction to Plant Science
 - Agriculture Electives (3-5 credit hours)
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AREA OF EMPHASIS TOTAL (19 credit hours)

AGRICULTURE – ANIMAL SCIENCE TOTAL (60 credit hours)

Semester Hours Credit: 60-62 (See notes below)

All Agriculture majors who are required to take Learning Support must also complete MSCC 1300-First Year Experience, and the degree program will require 62-64 credit hours.

Agriculture-Agriculture Business A.S. Degree (TTP)

GENERAL EDUCATION (41 credit hours)

Communications (9 credit hours)

- ENGL 1010 – English Composition I
- ENGL 1020 – English Composition II
- SPCH 1010 – Fundamentals of Speech
or other approved speech/communication course

Humanities/or Fine Arts (9 credit hours)

Three of the Following:

At least one course must be in Literature

- ART 1035 – Introduction to Art
- ART 2000 – Art History Survey I
- ART 2020 – Art History Survey II
- MUS 1030 – Introduction to Music
- THEA 1030 – Introduction to Theatre
- ENGL 2045 – Introduction to Literature
- ENGL 2130 – Topics in American Literature
- ENGL 2235 – Topics in British Literature
- ENGL 2310 – Survey of World Literature I
- ENGL 2320 – Survey of World Literature II
- ENGL 2330 – Survey of World Literature

Social/Behavioral Sciences (6 credit hours)

- ECON 2100 – Principles of Macroeconomics
- ECON 2200 – Principles of Microeconomics

History (6 credit hours)

Option 1:

- HIST 2310 – Early World History
- HIST 2320 – Modern World History

OR

Option 2:

Two of the Following: (taken in any order)

- HIST 2010 – Survey of American History I
- HIST 2020 – Survey of American History II
- HIST 2030 – Tennessee History

Natural Science (8 credit hours)

- BIOL 1110 – General Biology I
- CHEM 1110 General Chemistry I

Mathematics (3 credit hours)

- MATH 1530 – Introduction to Probability and Statistics or other MATH as advised by faculty

GENERAL EDUCATION TOTAL (41 credit hours)

Area of Emphasis Requirements (19 credit hours)

- MATH 1830 Calculus for Business
- AGRI 1010 - Introduction to Agriculture Business
- AGRI 1020 – Introduction to Animal Science
- AGRI 1030 – Introduction to Plant Science
- Agriculture Electives (3-4 credit hours)

AREA OF EMPHASIS TOTAL (19 credit hours)

AGRICULTURE – AGRIBUSINESS TOTAL (60 credit hours)

Semester Hours Credit: 60-64 (See notes below)

All Agriculture majors who are required to take Learning Support must also complete MSCC 1300-First Year Experience, and the degree program will require 62-64 credit hours.

Math 1830 has a prerequisite of Math 1630 or 25 ACT or permission of curriculum chair

Condition(s) for transfer

- This articulation agreement applies only to the B.S. degree in Agricultural Sciences. Any future changes to the degree program may not be applicable to this agreement and may necessitate renegotiation.
- A change of major invalidates these courses/credits for transfer unless they are approved within some other program-to-program articulation agreement for a different major at TSU.
- A minimum 2.00 Grade Point Average (GPA) is required for transferable credit.
- The **Course Substitution Chart** articulates some of the common MSCC courses that are interchangeable with the TSU Agricultural Science degree. Courses with the same course number at each institution are not noted in the chart below. General Education Core courses where students have different options are not listed in the chart.

Course Substitution Chart

Motlow State Community College	Credits	Tennessee State University	Credits
MATH 1530	3	MATH 1110	3
AGRI 1010	3	AGSC 2010	3
AGRI 1020	3	AGSC 1410	3
AGRI 1030	3	AGSC 1200	3
COMM 2025	3	COMM 2200	3
PSYC 1030	3	PSYC 2010	3

This articulation agreement recognizes the following course work is needed to complete the B.S. degree in Agricultural & Environmental Sciences at TSU.

Course Titles	
AGSC 2200	Fundamentals of Soil Science
AGSC 2400	Fundamentals of Environmental Science
AGSC 2510	Fundamentals of Geospatial Information Systems (GIS)
AGSC 3010	Farm Management
AGSC 3040	Agricultural Policy
AGSC 3050	Fundamentals of Agricultural & Extension Education
AGSC 3060	Intra-Curricular and Related Activities in Agricultural Education
AGSC 3070	Methods of Ag Ed Instruction
AGSC 3080	Methods of Teaching Agri/Env/STEM
AGSC 3090	Introduction to Agricultural Engineering
AGSC 3112	Introduction to Leadership: Practical Applications
AGSC 3120	Introduction to Applied Statistics
AGSC 3125	Introduction to Applied Research
AGSC 3185	Internship in Agriculture
AGSC 3200	General Agricultural Botany
AGSC 3230	Soil Morphology and Classification
AGSC 3340	Forestry
AGSC 3480	Poultry Production and Management
AGSC 3459	Beef Production & Manage
AGSC 3710	Biotechnology and Society
AGSC 4030	Practicum in Agribusiness
AGSC 4070	Agricultural Special Problems
AGSC 4090	Community Development
AGSC 4100	Organization and Contemporary Issues Facing Agriculture Firms
AGSC 4500	Senior Project
<i>Other courses as assigned by faculty advisor</i>	

Term – This Agreement will be effective from the date of final signature below, the Effective Date, until terminated in writing by either party. It is agreed that if terminated, both institutions will honor the terms of the Agreement until the end of the next admissions applications and review period of TSU.

Post-Termination- Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement for any reason, Motlow State students previously accepted by or admitted to TSU shall continue to receive the benefits contemplated by this Agreement.

Non-discrimination

The parties agree to comply with Titles VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Executive Order 11,246, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and the related regulations to each. Each party assures that it will not discriminate against any individual including, but not limited to, employees or applicants for employment and/or students because of race, religion, creed, color, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity/expression, age, disability, veteran status, genetic information, national origin, or any other legally protected class with respect to all employment, programs and activities.

The parties also agree to take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed and that employees are treated during their employment without regard to their race, religion, creed, color, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity/ expression, age, disability, veteran status, genetic information, national origin, or any other legally protected class. . Such action shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer, recruitment or recruitment advertising, layoff or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection available to employees and applicants for employment to the extent that such laws are applicable to each party individually.

Binding agreement. This Agreement shall not be binding upon the parties until it is approved by the president or designee and the Tennessee Board of Regents.

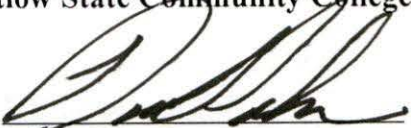
Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Tennessee without regard to its conflict of law provisions.

Confidentiality of Records. All educational records created, disclosed, or maintained pursuant to the terms of this Agreement are confidential and shall be created, disclosed, and maintained pursuant to the provisions of Family Educational Right to Privacy Act, also known as FERPA (20 U.S.C.A. s1232g) and its regulations.

Notices. All notices or other written communications relating to termination, expiration, or any other legal matter relating to this Agreement will be effective when received and must be given in writing by courier or reputable overnight delivery service, or by certified mail, return receipt requested, to either party at the following address (or to such other address as such party may substitute, by providing a written notice.)

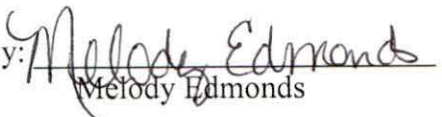
In witness whereof, the parties have by their duly authorized representatives set their signatures

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