

Articulation Agreement of Academic Programs
Between
Clark University
And Mount Wachusett Community College

Clark University and Mount Wachusett Community College (MWCC) are committed to the development of productive interactions between our campuses. Consistent with that commitment, both institutions recognize the opportunity to reinforce an already-strong relationship by establishing a programmatic articulation agreement. This agreement will facilitate the transfer of students enrolled in the MWCC Associate's Degree in Liberal Arts and Sciences to Clark University and, by doing so, will enhance the number and quality of learning options available to MWCC students who aspire to achievement of a Bachelor of Arts Degree.

Terms of Agreement:

Clark University and MWCC hereby agree as follows:

1. Clark University agrees to accept graduates of MWCC's Liberal Arts and Sciences associates' degree provided that eligible students graduate with a minimum 3.0 grade point average while also meeting all other Clark University admissions criteria.
2. This agreement relates to general admission to Clark, and not to any specific major or program, per standard university procedure.
3. Eligible students must complete an application for Admission to Clark. The deadline for application for admission under this agreement will be extended to May 15th for the fall semester and November 15th for spring semester. The application fee will be waived for program participants.
4. Clark University shall make available to all students a list of approved courses which will transfer from MWCC to Clark.
 - a. This listing (Appendix A) will also show which courses fulfill requirements for the Program of Liberal Studies. Major/minor program fulfillments will be determined by each department on a case by case basis.
 - b. Transferred classes may be used to fulfill program or PLS requirements, but transfer students will be held to the same graduation requirements as all Clark students.
 - c. Appendix B (attached) shows a recommended course schedule for the MWCC Liberal Arts program which will lead to the most transferrable courses to Clark University.
5. Clark University and MWCC agree to endeavor to make this effort a success by providing information and advising to students on this agreement, making regular visits to each other, and designating a contact person for all student inquiries and administrative issues.
6. In addition to the Clark University Transfer and Phi Theta Kappa Scholarships, eligible students will also be considered for the Jonas Clark Transfer Scholarship and the Clark University Transfer Achievement Scholarship.
7. This agreement will become effective on the date of signature, and continue in effect for three years from that date. Substantive changes in the courses or program of either institution will necessitate a review of the agreement. This agreement may be terminated or re-negotiated at the request of either institution while giving due protection to those students enrolled at either institution who expect to pursue this plan of study.

8. This agreement does not preclude either institution from entering into agreements with others.

Signatures of appropriate institutional leaders and representatives

For Mount Wachusett Community College



Melissa Fama, Vice President, Academic Affairs

For Clark University



Davis Baird, Provost