

**MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES AND
UNIVERSITIES
ARTICULATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN**

**Mesabi Range Community College
004009
AND
Southwest Minnesota State University
002375**

*The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities is authorized by Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 136F to enter into Agreements and has delegated this authority to colleges and universities.

This Agreement is entered into between **Mesabi Range Community College** (hereinafter sending institution), and **Southwest Minnesota State University**, Marshall, MN (hereinafter receiving institution). This Agreement and any amendments and supplements, shall be interpreted pursuant to the laws of the State of Minnesota.

The sending institution has established a Health Sciences (Broad Field), A.S. (hereinafter sending program), and the receiving institution has established a

Community Psychology & Health Promotion, B.A.

(hereinafter receiving program), and will facilitate credit transfer and provide a smooth transition from one related program to another. It is mutually agreed:

Admission and Graduation Requirements

- A. The receiving institution's admission and program admission requirements apply to both direct entry students and to students who transfer under this agreement.
- B. Students must fulfill the graduation requirements at both institutions.
- C. Students must complete the entire sending program and meet the receiving institution's admission requirements for the agreement to apply, including grade requirements for courses and an overall GPA requirement

Transfer of Credits

- A. The receiving institution will accept **60** credits from the sending program. A total of **60** credits remain to complete the receiving program.
- B. Courses will transfer as described in the attached Program Articulation Table. For system institutions, once the courses are encoded, they will transfer as described in the "Transferology" audit.

Implementation and Review

- A. The Chief Academic Officers or designees of the parties to this agreement will implement the terms of this agreement, including identifying and incorporating any changes into subsequent agreements, assuring compliance with system policy, procedure and guidelines, and conducting a periodic review of this agreement
- B. This Articulation Agreement is effective on 01/01/2020 and shall remain in effect until the end date of 07/31/2025 or for five years, whichever occurs first, unless terminated or amended by either party with 90 days prior written notice.
- C. The college and university shall work with students to resolve the transfer of courses changes to either program occur while the agreement is in effect.
- D. This Articulation Agreement will be reviewed by both parties beginning 01/31/2025 (within six months of the end date).
- E. When a student notifies the receiving institution of their intent to follow this agreement, the receiving institution will encode course waivers and substitutions

SECTION B - Major, Emphasis, Restricted and Unrestricted Electives or Other

(pre-requisite courses, required core courses, required courses in an emphasis, or electives (restricted or general) within the major). Restricted electives (in Major) fulfill a specific requirement within a major. Example A: "Chose two of the following three courses;" Example B: A Biology degree may require 40 science credits (20 credits of required courses + 20 credits of listed related courses, such as botany, genetics, sociobiology, etc. which students can select).

Major, Emphasis, Restricted, Unrestricted Electives or Other Courses										
Major or Emphasis Courses										
Course prefix	number	name	Credits	Course prefix	number	name	Credits Applied	Equiv, Sub, Wav		
GECL	1415	Freshman Year Experience	1			Elective Credit	1			
HLTH	2459	Introduction to Nutrition	3	HLTH	232	Nutrition	3			
		Elective	1 or 2				1-2			
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Major, Emphasis, Unrestricted Electives Total			5-6	Total College Credits Applied (sum of sections A and B)				60		
Special Notes, if any:										

SECTION C - University Requirements Completed before Transfer

Major course prefix, number and name				
	Course prefix	number	name	Credits
	PSYC	120	Introduction to Community Psychology	2
	PSYC	235	Abnormal Psychology	3
	PSYC	200/200L	Stats for Behavioral Science & Lab (4)	
OR	MATH	200	Intro to Statistics (Section A) (4)	
Start of Upper Division				
	PSYC	339	Positive Psychology	3
	PSYC	400	Advanced Applied Psychology	6
	PSYC	440	Advanced Health Psychology	3
	PHIL	303	Ethical Issues in Professional Life	
OR	ENGL	351	Writing in Medical & Health Professions	3
OR	ENGL	360	Scientific & Technical Writing	
	COMM	305	Principles of Health Communication	
OR	HLTH	370	Community Health & Health Promotion	3
OR	EXSC	380	Comm & Corporate Wellness & Hlth Promotion	
	PSYC	360	Cross Cultural Psychology	
OR	SOCI	212	Human Relations (lower division)	3
OR	SOCI	331	Racial & Ethnic Relations	
OR	SWRK	351	Diverse & At-Risk Populations	
OR	HIST	359	African American History	
OR	INDS	217	Indigenous Peoples/Upper Midwest (lower)	
	PSYC	XXX	Any Psychology Course (upper div recom)	
OR	JUAD	385	Crime, Race, Poverty & Social Policy	6
OR	SOCI	220	Social Problems (lower division)	
OR	SOCI	310	Sociology of Aging	
OR	SWRK	280	Substance Use & Addictive Beh (lower div)	
OR	POL	340	Public Policy & Administration	
OR	MGMT	333	Conflict Resolution	
OR	MGMT	454	Labor Relations	
OR	MGMT	450	Diversity Management	
OR	PE	300	Recreation Diversity & Leadership	
OR	PE	360	Intro to Recreation, Parks & Comm Education	
OR	COMM	260	Media Writing (lower division)	
UPPER DIVISION (Major) ELECTIVE COURSE FROM APPROVED LIST				
Total Upper Division complete by articulation				(27)
Unrestrict upper division elective to meet 40 credits				13
MNTC Courses to reach Min of 40 credits and 10 goal areas				0
University unrestricted elective credits not counted elsewhere to meet 120 total credit requirement				15
Total University Credits²				45

Total Major Credits completed
32

Special Notes, if any: Upper division courses are assumed for electives. Lower division choices will change credit counts.


SECTION D - Summary of Total Program Credits

College (sending) Credits		University (receiving) Requirements	
MnTC/General Education	54-55		
Major, Emphasis, Unrestricted Electives or Other	5-6		
Total College Credits	60	Total College Credits Applied	60
		Remaining credit to be taken at the university (receiving institution)	45
		Credits required to reach 120 total credits (Electives)	15
		Total Program Credits	120

Special Notes, if any:

¹ MnTC goal areas transfer to the receiving MnSCU college/university according to the goal areas designated by the sending college/university

² At least 40 of the required credits for the baccalaureate degree shall be at the upper-division level. If a lower division course is shown as equivalent to an upper division course, check with the university to determine if it will count toward the 40 required credits of upper division

College	Name	Signature	Date
Chief Academic Officer	Shelly McCauley-Tugovich		11/15/19
Title			
University	Name	Signature	Date
Chief Academic Officer			
Provost	Pat Carmody	Teri Walker	10-16-19
Title			
DARS Encoder	Pat Carmody	Pat Carmody	11/19/19

Date when equivalencies were verified/encoded in DARS by the receiving MnSCU institution

PROGRAM ARTICULATION TABLE

	College (sending)	University (receiving)
Institution	Mesabi Range Community College	Southwest Minnesota State University
Program name	Health Sciences (Broad Field)	Community Psychology & Health Promotion
Award Type (e.g., AS)	A.S.	B.A.
Credit Length	0	0