

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
VALENCIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE
and
ORANGE TECHNICAL EDUCATION CENTERS –
MID FLORIDA TECH AND WESTSIDE TECH**

**Building Construction Technology/Electricity/HVAC/Apprenticeships
and
Building Construction Technology A.S. Degree**

In a continuing effort to provide career ladder opportunities for students in career and technical education programs, Valencia Community College agrees to extend full college credit at no cost (other than the application for admission fee) to eligible students who have completed one of the following specified programs at Orange Technical Centers – Mid Florida Tech and Westside Tech, Orange County Public Schools.

COURSE EQUIVALENCY IN SPECIALIZED COURSES

WESTSIDE TECH PROGRAM
Building Construction Technology
(1050 Hours)

VALENCIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROGRAM
Building Construction Technology (5 credits)
ETD 1031C Intro. to Construction/Drafting Tech (2 credits)
BCN 1272 Construction Blueprint Reading
(3 credits applied toward technical elective)

MID FLORIDA TECH & WESTSIDE TECH
Electricity *
I460314 (1200 Hours)

Building Construction Technology (3 credits)
ETD 1031C Intro to Construction/Drafting Tech.(2 credits)
BCN 2942 Internship in Arch/Building Construction (1 cr)

HVAC *
I470202 (1350 Hours)

Building Construction Technology (3 credits)
ETD 1031C Intro to Construction/Drafting Tech.(2 credits)
ETD 2942 Internship in Drafting & Design Tech (1 credit)

MID FLORIDA TECH
Apprenticeships in: *

- HVAC
- Electrician
- Fire Sprinkler Systems
- Industrial Pipefitter
- Plumbing
- Structural Steel and Iron Worker

Building Construction Technology (10 credits)
ETD 1031C Intro to Construction/Drafting Tech.(2 credits)
BCN 2942 Internship in Arch/Building Construction (1 cr)
BCN 2563 Building Service Systems (3 credits)
ARC 2461 Materials & Methods of Construction (4 credits)

WESTSIDE TECH
Apprenticeships in: *

- Building Construction Technology
- Electrician
- HVAC

Building Construction Technology (10 credits)
ETD 1031C Intro to Construction/Drafting Tech.(2 credits)
BCN 2942 Internship in Arch/Building Construction (1 cr)
BCN 2563 Building Service Systems (3 credits)
ARC 2461 Materials & Methods of Construction (4 credits)

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MAXIMUM AWARD OF CREDIT

This agreement makes it possible for a student to receive three to ten (3 – 10) semester hours of college credit towards the Building Construction Technology Program at Valencia Community College which is in accordance with commonly accepted good practice in higher education.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

Valencia and Orange County Public Schools faculty and staff with responsibility for supervision and coordination of the Industrial Related programs and Building Construction Technology program have assessed the adequacy of the documentation and determined that the learning outcomes, performance standards, and assessment procedures meet the college standards for college credit course work and that the learning outcomes are:

1. consistent with the course work in AAS/AS degree being articulated.
2. taught by faculty who have a minimum of an AAS/AS degree in the required area or meet other described criteria.

TRANSFERRING PROCESS

The transferring student must have compiled a GPA of "C" or better and must furnish a certificate of completion for the Industrial Related programs at Mid Florida Tech or Westside Tech, along with an official signed copy of their student record. To have the courses reported on the official Valencia Community College transcript, transferring students must:

1. Meet regular College entrance requirements.
2. Complete the College Application and pay the College Admission Fee.
3. Be accepted into Valencia within five years of completing the Industrial Related programs.
4. Declare a major in the articulated program.
5. Comply with the appropriate placement, course prerequisites and requirements of the college.

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TRANSFERRING PROCESS (Cont.)

6. Successfully complete course work with a "C" or better at Valencia while currently enrolled on either a part-time or full-time basis for one semester to have the credit awarded on the official college transcript.
7. * Student must submit a copy of an industry license or certification or a portfolio of work to be evaluated by the Building Construction Technology Program Director.
8. The Dean of Architecture, Engineering and Technology, West Campus at Valencia and the Program Director for the Building Construction Technology program, West Campus, at Valencia, will evaluate the student's record and notify the Registrar's Office of acceptable credit to be transferred and awarded.

TERMS OF AGREEMENT

This agreement shall be reviewed annually and evaluated biannually. It shall remain in effect from March 2007 until either party identifies a need for revision or terminates this agreement with thirty days written notice.