College to University

Joint Institutional Agreement Cooperative Degree Program Leading to the Bachelor of Science in Bachelor of Science in Family and Consumer Sciences (Infant and Child Development)

Between Central Georgia Technical College and Fort Valley State University

In order to provide a path for advancement for the students in Central Georgia Technical College (CGTC) in pursuing their Bachelor of Science in Family and Consumer Sciences with a concentration in Infant and Child Development at (FVSU), the two parties, Central Georgia Technical College and Fort Valley State University, agree to the following:

1. Agreement in Principle

Both parties agree to work towards easing the transition from Central Technical College, SACSCOC accredited institution, to FVSU, a SACSCOC accredited institution, for students who want to pursue their Bachelor of Science in Family and Consumer Sciences with a concentration in Infant and Child Development at FVSU. The goal of the course articulation agreement between the Associate of Applied Science Degree in Early Childhood Care and Education at Central Georgia Technical College and the Bachelor of Science Degree in Family and Consumer Sciences with a concentration in Infant and Child Development program at Fort Valley State University is to facilitate the transfer of courses from CGTC to FVSU. Both parties enter into this articulation agreement as cooperating partners with their responsibilities to remain true to their institutional mission and to the spirit of this articulation agreement.

2. Agreement in Communication

Central Georgia Technical College and Fort Valley State University agree to cooperate in communicating with each other and with the public release of information in their respective websites as required by USG BOR Policy Section 2.17-Concerning the Acceptance of Core Courses and Placement Test Scores from TCSG Colleges.

3. Agreement of Admission

Students at CGTC must satisfy all of the requirements for admission at FVSU. Note that for each course, students must have at least a grade of "C" for a course to be transferable. In order to be admitted to the Family and Consumer Sciences

Baccalaureate Program with a concentration in Infant and Child Development at Fort Valley State University under this agreement, the student must complete or be near completion of Central Georgia Technical College's Associate Degree in Early Childhood Education. A student transferring into the baccalaureate program may graduate under the provisions of the FVSU Catalog and requirements which were in effect when the student was accepted into the four (4) year program except when changes are mandated by external agencies such as the Board of Regents (BOR).

4. Agreement on Courses That Can Be Transferred

The courses for articulation are given in table I.

Group Care & Curriculum

Table 1. Courses for Articulation

CGTC Courses	CGTC	FVSU Courses	FVSU	
	(Semester		(Semester	
	Hours)		Hours)	
General Education Core Curriculum (Areas A-E)				
ENGL 1101	3	ENGL 1101	3	
Language Arts/Comm Elective	3	Equivalent course*	3	
PSYC 1101	3	PSYC 1101	3	
MATH 1103 or MATH 1101,	3	MATH 1101 or MATH	3	
or MATH 1111		1111		
Humanities Elective	3	Equivalent course*	3	
General Education Electives	6	Equivalent courses*	6	
COMP 1000	3	CSCI 1153	3	
		Sub Total =	24	
System of Georgia (TCSG). Courses will only be accepted from institutions accredited by the Commission of Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC). Occupational Courses in Program of Study (Areas F-G)				
ECCE 1103- Child Growth &	3	ICDV 2813-Human	3	
Development		Develop through		
-		Lifespan		
ECCE 1105-Health, Safety,	3	PEDW 2522-Personal	2	
Nutrition		& Community Health		
ECCE 2115-Language &	3	ICDV 3843 Origins of	3	
Literacy		Language & Literacy		
ECCE 2202-Social Issues &	3	SOCI 2008 Cultural	2	
Family Involvement		Diversity		
ECCE 2330 Infant/Toddler	3	ICDV 2833- Behavior	3	
Development		in Infancy		
ECCE 2310 Professional	3	ICDV 3853 Curriculum	3	
Methods & Materials/		Models & Approaches		
ECCE 2332 Infant/Toddler		to ECCE		

Transfer 9 Hours of Restrictive Electives from the following:				
ECCE 1101 Intro to Early	(3)	EDUC 2110	(3)	
Childhood Care & Education		Investigating Critical		
		& Contemporary		
		Issues		
ECCE 2116 Math and Science	(3)	EDUC 2130 Explore	(3)	
		Teaching & Learning		
ECCE 2201 Exceptionalities	(3)	EDUC 2503 Intro to	(3)	
		Exceptional Children		
ECCE 2203 Guidance and	(3)	EDUC 3132	(3)	
Classroom Management		Classroom		
		Management		
		Sub-Total =	25	
		Grand Total =	49	

5. Duration of This Agreement

This agreement is in effect immediately and will remain in effect until such time as program changes in either college require that it be re-articulated. Central Georgia Technical College and the Family and Consumer Sciences Program with a Concentration in Infant and Child Development agree to review this document annually. Additionally, each college agrees to keep the other informed as program changes affecting this agreement occur.

The agreement may be terminated at the option of either institution following written notice of no less than six (6) months. However, all students who are currently in the program at the time of such notice of termination will be allowed to complete their baccalaureate degree.

Signatures

This agreement is in effect and valid starting with the date of the signature of both Presidents and will remain in effect until terminated in writing by either institution.

Central Georgia Technical College

Fort Valley State University

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