



**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
STARK COUNTY COLLEGE TECH PREP CONSORTIUM AND
STARK STATE COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY
PART A HEALTH TECHNOLOGIES**



Articulation is defined as the planned process with the educational system which facilitates the transition of students between the secondary and post-secondary levels of instruction and allows students to move with continuity and without hindrance through levels of the education process. (OBOR/SDOE Articulation Statement Draft, 1979)

In order for the students to receive college credit from the College Tech Prep program, the student must do the following:

- **Apply to Stark State College within one year of high school graduation**
- **Complete the college application**
- **Pay the application fee**
- **Submit a high school transcript**

Students who successfully complete the high school portion of the College Tech Prep program may receive a maximum of **12 advanced standing/articulated credits**. In addition, students may also be strongly encouraged to **test out of (free of charge)** identified courses (Each program varies, see part B)

It is the **student's** responsibility to obtain the Advanced Standing application form from one of the following entities:

- High school College Tech Prep teacher
- Guidance counselor
- Stark County College Tech Prep Office, Room B226-Business Building
- The Stark County College Tech Prep website, www.starkcountyttechprep.org

College credits awarded through the agreement will comprise part of the total credits required for an associate degree. A student who receives credit for a course without taking the course will not receive a grade to calculate into their college GPA for that course.

Procedures to attain advanced standing/articulated credit are as follows:

- Completed articulation agreement in place at the time of high school graduation. This agreement will be reviewed every two years. **Student must send high school transcript with articulation agreement two weeks prior to admissions counseling appointment.**
- Student's must earn a "B" or better in the high school course to receive articulated credit
- Student's **High School College Tech Prep Teacher** must initial next to course(s) for which students are eligible to receive articulated credit and/or test out.
- Pass Algebra 2 (or equivalent)
- Student must take 3 units of Science, two of which are lab-based
- Student's **High School College Tech Prep Teacher must** submit Advanced Standing Application form to the **College Tech Prep Office. (Students are not permitted to handle the Advanced Standing Application once a College Tech Prep Teacher has signed the agreement)**
- Test-outs are to be scheduled with the appropriate Department Chair by the student.
- Student must take at least **one course** at Stark State to receive articulated credit.
- To take a **second course in anatomy or chemistry**, the student must meet with an advisor to have the prerequisite (first course in anatomy or chemistry) waved. This advisor could be someone in the sciences department, or an admissions counselor.

**Stark County College Tech Prep Consortium
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Stark State College of Technology & The Stark County College Tech Prep Consortium

**Advanced Standing Application
Health Technology**



*Perry, Timken, GlenOak, Lake, Alliance, Massillon, Hoover,
Canton South, RG Drage CTC, Jackson, Louisville*

Part B

Student: Please complete the upper portion of this application and forward it to your high school Tech Prep teacher to complete the lower portion. Credit for advanced standing courses will be given at the end of the college semester. Please be sure Stark State College (SSC) has a copy of your final High School Transcript. Students must be enrolled in the technology to receive credit for course(s). NOTE: It is the student's responsibility to ensure that all required forms, transcripts, etc. are on file by the date required at Stark State College of Technology.

Name: _____ Social Security Number _____

High School: _____ Date of Graduation: _____

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Instructor: Please initial and indicate by marking an "X" in the box(s) for the course or courses you recommend this student be given credit for or for which you encourage proficiency testing. Student's must earn at least a "B" to be given credit. **Sign and return to:**

**College Tech Prep Office
Stark State College of Technology
6200 Frank Avenue NW
North Canton, Ohio 44720**

* **Note:** See Articulation Agreement for Health Technologies (Part B) for specific course credit/proficiency requirement information.

Technology

X	(SSCT) Course Number	Stark State College of Technology (SSCT) Title	SSTC Credit Hours	High School Grade	Dual Credit	Art Credit	Test out
	BIO 121	Anatomy & Physiology I	4				
	BIO 123	Principles of Human Structure & Function	5				
	BIO 125	Medical Terminology (Perry HS Only-Dual Credit)	3				
	CHM 121	General Chemistry	4				
	EMS121	EMT Basic (Perry HS Only – Dual Credit Option)	5				

Instructor's Approval: _____ Date: _____

Term Applied _____

Date Entered _____

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PART C

Listed below are courses, which may appear on a student's curriculum pathway for health technologies at Stark State College of Technology. Following each course are directions specific to students currently enrolled in a four year (two years of high school and two years of college) Tech Prep program for health technologies. The purpose of this agreement is to facilitate transition of Tech Prep students between the secondary and post-secondary levels of instruction with continuity and without hindrance in consideration of the student's prior learning experiences. Each student's prior learning experiences and consideration of that student for advanced standing will be considered on an individual basis with permission of the appropriate Stark State College department head. Any college credits awarded through this agreement will comprise part of the total credits required for an associate degree.

Students who have successfully completed the high school portion of the Tech Prep program are strongly encouraged to attempt to test out of those courses listed below which appear on their college curriculum pathway.

BIO125 - Medical Terminology - If the student receives a grade of "B" or better in the technical lab portion of the high school Tech Prep program, they will not be required to take BIO125 and will receive 3 hours of credit on their college transcript for BIO125. There will not be a grade to calculate in the student's college GPA. If the student receives a grade of "C" or lower in the technical lab portion of the high school Tech Prep program, they may either attempt to proficiency out of the course or they may take the course.

BIO121 - Anatomy & Physiology I - Tech Prep students who receive an "A" in high school Anatomy and Physiology (A&P) MAY be eligible to receive credit for BIO121. A conference will be scheduled with the student, their parent(s)/guardian, high school science teacher and a Stark State College faculty/Dept. Head to discuss what the student has accomplished to date and identify what the student will be missing by not taking BIO121. If it is decided appropriate, the student may then bypass BIO121 and enter BIO122. The student must then receive a "C" or better in BIO122 to receive credit for BIO121. Each case will be decided on an individual basis.

BIO123 - Principles of Human Structure & Function - If the Tech Prep student is eligible to enter BIO122 without taking BIO121 (see above), they are advised to take BIO122 in place of BIO123. Again, if the Tech Prep student receives a "C" or better in BIO122, they will receive credit for BIO121 and will not need to take BIO123.

CHM121 - General Chemistry - The Tech Prep student may select one of two options: (1) Enroll in CHM122. If the student receives a grade of "B" or better in the course, they will receive credit for CHM121. (2) Take the proficiency test for CHM121. If the student passes the test, they will receive credit for CHM121 and may enter CHM122.

NOTE: A student who elects to receive credit for a course without taking that course will not receive a grade to calculate into their college GPA for that course. In some cases, this could put the student at a disadvantage when attempting to enter certain programs at the college. Please contact the Student Admissions office for further information.