

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY PROGRAMS OF STUDY PARTNERSHIP**

<p><i>Criminal Justice Operations (8918000) (HCPS)</i> <i>And</i> <i>Associate in Science in</i> <i>Criminology & Criminal Justice Studies (AS.CJT) (HCC)</i></p>

In a continuing effort to serve the needs of students in Career and Technical Education Programs, Hillsborough Community College enters into this agreement with The School Board of Hillsborough County, Florida, to award college credit toward an Associate in Science degree in Criminology & Criminal Justice Studies to graduates of the Hillsborough County Public School's Career and Technical Education program in Criminal Justice Operations as delineated below:

Secondary LEA: School District of Hillsborough County, Florida		Postsecondary Institution: Hillsborough Community College		
CTE Courses	Secondary Codes	Postsecondary Course Code	HCC Courses	Credit Awarded
Criminal Justice Operations 1	8918010	CJE1000	Introduction to Law Enforcement	3
Criminal Justice Operations 2	8918020	CJE2600	Criminal Investigation	3
Criminal Justice Operations 3	8918030	SCC1000	Introduction to Security	3
Criminal Justice Operations 4	8918040			
Total Credits	4		Total credits	9

This agreement makes it possible to award 9 articulated credits to a student who has completed the stated Hillsborough County Public School's Career and Technical Education Program of Study if the student meets the following criteria:

- Enroll in the Criminology & Criminal Justice Studies program seeking a degree in same;
- Request articulation within three years of high school graduation date;
- Furnish official copy of high school transcript indicating Criminal Justice Operations program completion;
- Satisfactorily complete the program with a B or better in the program courses;
- Must matriculate 15 credits of coursework at Hillsborough Community College on either a full or part-time basis to have these articulated credits noted on student's official college transcript.

AND

Hillsborough County Public Schools has complied with the following provisions:

- Hillsborough County Public Schools agrees to provide to the Criminology & Criminal Justice Studies Department Chair copies of the course scope & sequences and FLDOE curriculum frameworks for each of the articulated courses prior to each academic school year:
 - 8918010, Criminal Justice Operations 1
 - 8918020, Criminal Justice Operations 2
 - 8918030, Criminal Justice Operations 3
 - 8918040, Criminal Justice Operations 4
- Hillsborough County Public Schools agrees to meet the teaching objectives for each of the credited courses that Hillsborough Community College offers:
 - CJE1000, Introduction to Law Enforcement
 - CJE2600, Criminal Justice
 - SCC1000, Introduction to Security

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- Hillsborough County Public Schools agrees to use the following textbooks/online resources for the articulated courses and not to change textbooks/resources without the prior permission of the Criminology & Criminal Justice Studies Department Chair:
 - Criminal Justice in Action, 2019, 10th ed., Gaines, Cengage, 9781337557832
 - An Introduction to Policing, 2019, 9th ed., Dempsey, Cengage, 9781337558754
 - Criminal Investigations, 2019, 12th ed., Swanson & Chamelin, McGraw-Hill, 9780078026577
 - Introduction to Private Security, 2011, 2nd ed., Dempsey, Cengage, 9780495809852

The articulating agency will annually review the contents of the curriculum and qualifications of teachers employed by Hillsborough County Public Schools. The purpose of the review is to verify that competencies are being taught and are equivalent to the postsecondary institution's course(s) which has been designated as equivalent and for which college credit is being offered.

This articulation agreement for the 9 credit(s) toward the Hillsborough Community College Degree is effective upon both institutions' signatures, and will be reviewed five years from the latter date. This agreement may be terminated by either party upon 60 days written notice.

Signatures below indicate endorsement and attestation of this agreement.

Hillsborough Community College

**The School Board of Hillsborough County,
Florida**


I hereby endorse the above articulation agreement:



Dr. Ken Atwater, College President 7/25/23 DATE



Van Ayres, Interim Superintendent 9/7/23 DATE



HCC, College Board of Trustees Chair 7/25/23 DATE



School Board Chair 9/7/23 DATE