

Articulation Agreement
between
Metropolitan State University,
School of Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice
and
Leech Lake Tribal College
Law Enforcement Programs

Metropolitan State University, Law Enforcement major designated degree
- Bachelor of Science
Leech Lake Tribal College, Law Enforcement program designated degree
- Associate of Applied Science

Sending institution: Leech Lake Tribal College,
Cass Lake, Minnesota
and

Receiving institution: Metropolitan State University,
Minneapolis/St. Paul, Minnesota

Statement of Purpose

This agreement has been entered into by Metropolitan State University (Metropolitan State) and Leech Lake Tribal College (LLTC). The purpose of this agreement is to facilitate credit transfer and provide a smooth transition from one related degree program to another.

Terms and Conditions of Credit Transfer:

The evaluation and transfer of earned college credits shall be in full compliance with MnSCU policies and all other state and Federal education policies pertaining to undergraduate credit transfer. Current students and graduates, who have earned an associate of applied science degree, in law enforcement, from LLTC, shall be eligible for credit evaluation under the terms of this agreement. Program specific requirements and/or required courses are listed and defined in the attached appendices of this agreement. Transfer students will be accorded the same standards and criteria for admission to a major degree sequence as Metropolitan State students.

- Associate in Arts degree transfer students who have completed the Minnesota Transfer Curriculum are exempt from additional lower-division general education courses unless the degree requires program specific lower division general education courses.

- Students with an Associate of Arts degree from a MnSCU institution will have fully met all general education requirements at Metropolitan State.
- Associate in Science degree transfer students will transfer the first two years of an articulated baccalaureate degree program.
- **Associate in Applied Science degree transfer students will transfer the number of credits agreed upon by both sending and receiving institutions as identified in the attached appendices.**
- Community college courses will be accepted toward meeting Metropolitan State general education requirements consistent with MnSCU transfer curriculum.
- **Law Enforcement courses offered by LLTC and their relationship to Metropolitan State law enforcement major requirements are listed in Appendix A.**

Joint Admission Option

Students may be admitted to both institutions simultaneously. With joint admissions, students receive a place in Metropolitan State, School of Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice program as a premajor upon transfer from LLTC.

Students may also:

- Concurrently enroll in courses at both institutions.
- Have access to advising and other services at both institutions.

Articulation Implementation and Agreement Review

The Chief Academic Officer or designee of the collaborating institutions, shall be responsible for implementing this agreement, for identifying and incorporating any changes into subsequent agreements, and for conducting a periodic review of this agreement. Both institutions will inform potential students about this program. Students should be directed to advising services for a complete understanding of program requirements.

This agreement became effective **May 2007**, and remains in effect until terminated or amended by either party with prior written notice, for the succeeding academic years on or before June 30 of each year.

Signatures

Sending Institution

R. A. Dahl 5/30/07
 President Date

[Signature] 29/5/07
 Chief Academic Officer Date

Virginia K. Lore 5/29/07
 Dean or Designee Date

Michael Brevi 5/7/07
 Department Faculty Date
 Member

Receiving Institution

Leah J. Carpenter 5-8-07
 President Date

Jimmy Carney 5-8-07
 Chief Academic Officer Date

Bruce A. [Signature] 5-14-07
 Dean or Designee Date

Matthew J. [Signature] 05-07-07
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Law Enforcement Articulation Agreement

The following major program courses will be acceptable in lieu of required major courses for students completing the Leech Lake Tribal College Associate of Applied Science in law enforcement and transferring into Metropolitan State's Bachelor of Science, law enforcement major.

Course	Metropolitan State University	Credits
CJS 101*	Introduction to Criminal Justice (CJ)	3
CJS 200**	Literature in Criminal Justice	2
LAWE 220	Legal Issues in Law Enforcement	3
LAWE 230	Patrol Operations	3
LAWE 240	MN Criminal and Traffic Codes	3
LAWE 301	Community Oriented Policing	4
CJS 302	Juvenile Justice	3
CJS 320	Applied Criminology	3
LAWE 325	Criminal Procedures and Investigations	4
CJS 350	Citizenship: Community Involvement	3
CJS 360	Diversity Issues in CJ	4
LAWE 370	Assisting Families in Crisis	4
CJS 375	Criminal Justice Ethics	4
CJS 483	Research Seminar in CJ	4
CJS 490+	CJ Capstone	4
	Law Enforcement Skills	9
	Total	60
Required for POST Exam	LAWE 104 First Responder	4

Course	Leech Lake Tribal College	Credits
LE 105 & LE 211	Intro to CJ and Community Policing	3 + 3
LE 111 & LE 122	MN Selected Statutes and Constitutional Law & Civil Liability requirement met with degree	3 + 3
LE 110	MN Traffic Laws	3
LE 210	Juvenile Delinquency & Justice	3
LE 221 & LE 223	Evidence & Procedure and Controlled Substance ID & Investigation	3 + 3
LE 212	Victims & Victims Rights and see LE 211 Community Policing	3
technical college credits	law enforcement credits accepted in whole from LLTC	16
	total	60
Hibbing Community College	requirement completed outside of AAS	est. 3

* CJS 101 is a prerequisite for all CJS and LAWE courses.

**Beginning Fall 2007 CJS 200 is a prerequisite for all CJS and LAWE major courses.

+ Indicates additional prerequisites--follow up with advising