

**Northern Essex Community College and Cambridge College
Articulation Agreement**

Associates Degree;
General Studies
To
Bachelor of Arts;
Multidisciplinary Studies

Northern Essex Community College and Cambridge College agree to the following terms for the transfer of students from Northern Essex Community College beginning with the academic year 2011-2012 and continuing until such time as this agreement is terminated by Cambridge College or by Northern Essex Community College..

- I. Cambridge College agrees that students who earn an Associate in Science degree from Northern Essex Community College under the terms and conditions of completion of the Associates in Arts core requirements and who meet Cambridge College's admission standards are eligible to apply and may expect the following if admitted:

1. The policy of Cambridge College is to assess new undergraduate students in writing and math. This assessment is completed using a writing sample for the writing assessment. Cambridge College recognizes Northern Essex sets similar standards for students, and it is our goal to work closely with Northern Essex Community College to provide smooth transitions from the Associate's to the Bachelor's degree. In order to facilitate student transitions, Cambridge College is committed to the following policy:

- a. **Writing**

For students who have completed ENG101 English Composition I and ENG 102 English Composition II: An Introduction to Literature with a B or better in the past 5 years, Cambridge College will accept these classes as a direct transfer meeting the graduation requirements for Cambridge College. If the grade was below a B or if the courses were taken over 5 years ago, the student will need to take Cambridge College's writing assessment to ascertain if additional coursework is needed.

In all cases, the prior credit awarded will be transferred even if the student is required to take a class to enhance their writing skills.

- b. **Math**

Cambridge College will accept equivalent level college mathematics courses at a grade of C (2.0) or better toward its College Math I and College Math II general education requirements, provided those courses cover the areas of standard college algebra I and II, geometry, graphing and functions.

2. A student who has successfully completed the associate in science degree may transfer all credits of their degree program to Cambridge College School of Undergraduate Studies, granting the student junior status upon admission to Cambridge College.
3. Credits earned through examination (AP, CLEP, DAN TES, and ACE) that were awarded credit at Northern Essex Community College will be treated on an equal basis as other credits earned at Cambridge College. Credits earned through Challenge Exams, Credit for Life Learning of

