PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
AND
PRINCE GEORGE'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE

High School Program: **COMPUTER NETWORKING**

Community College Program: **INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY/CYBERSECURITY/**
COMPUTER ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

This articulation agreement has been developed to advance the opportunities of students in the Prince George's County Public School System who plan to continue their education at Prince George's Community College. The agreement describes articulated programs that build on approved learning experiences and eliminates duplication of instruction.

Eligible College Courses for Articulated Credit:

- INT 1450 CCNA 1 - Introduction to Cisco Networking (4 credits)

- INT 2450 CCNA 2 - Switching, Routing and Wireless Essentials (3 credits)

Requirements:

General Conditions:

- Prince George's Community College will grant College credit for one or more of the courses listed above to eligible students when they present appropriate credentials to the registration office and enroll in the Technology Engineering and Construction department at the College.

- The student must complete an application for admission to be accepted to the College to receive credit. There will be no charge by the College to those students who receive credit for the eligible College course(s). However, the student is responsible for the application fee.

- No grade will be issued for the college credits granted through the advanced placement procedures, only course credits will appear on the College transcript.

- The student will have the option to reject competency certification and instead, enroll in any of the Prince George's Community College courses identified.

- Students with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher are exempt from most placement testing. Students with a GPA lower than 3.0 are required to take the College's placement test (Accuplacer, and if applicable, the Michigan Test for ESL Placement. In some cases, appropriate SAT or ACT scores may be used.

- The student must participate in the New Student Orientation.

Specific Conditions:

The student will be granted credits for the community college courses listed above, provided the following conditions are met:

- The student must enroll and register at Prince George's Community College in the program covered by this agreement and apply for articulated credit within two years of their high school graduation.

- The student meets the course prerequisites as specified in the PGCC catalog at the time of enrollment.

- The student has submitted a completed Request for Evaluation of Transfer Credits form.

- The student provides a documented proof of completion of the appropriate networking academy course. This can be documented by providing a copy of the course completion certificate from Cisco Networking Academy and the grade record for the appropriate PGCPS course as listed below on his official PGCPS transcript.

Course Requirements:

_____

PGCPS Course(s)	PGCC Course(s)
886603 CCNA 1: Intro to Cisco Networking (Grade 11) (1 credit)	**INT 1450 CCNA 1: Introduction to Networking (4 credits)**
886613 CCNA 2: Routing and Switching Essentials (Grade 11) (1 Credit)	**INT 2450 CCNA 2: Switching, Routing and Wireless Essentials (3 credits)**

_____

A student completing the high school course(s) stated above must have a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.5, as well as, a grade of "C" or better in the articulated course(s).

Articulation is possible when the PGCPS and PGCC programs teach the same version of the CCNA courses within the Cisco Networking Academy program, and the students successfully complete these Cisco Networking Academy courses. Therefore, to obtain articulation, students must demonstrate successful completion of their Cisco Networking Academy courses. This can be documented by providing a copy of the course completion certificate from Cisco Networking Academy and the grade record on his PGCPS transcript.

Implementation:

Implementation by the College will include:

- Establishing procedure for student advising, program placement, and registration

- Scheduling an orientation day to interview, advise, test and pre-register students

- Maintaining records of credits awarded under terms of this agreement

- Establishing procedures for monitoring progress and evaluating the effectiveness of this articulated program

Implementation by Prince George's County Public Schools will include:

- Disseminating information about this agreement to students and school personnel

- Documenting on the student's transcript the courses completed and grades received for courses pertaining to this program

- Submitting a list of recently graduated students enrolled in Career and Technical Education programs covered under this articulation agreement who are eligible to receive articulated credit at Prince George's Community College. This list will be submitted by October of each year to the College.

Maintenance of Agreement:

The agreement is effective upon signature of both parties. It will remain in effect until written notification of termination by either party. If the agreement is terminated, students currently participating will be entitled to continue until completion of their program. While in effect, this agreement will be kept current through an annual review. This agreement does not constitute a binding agreement between Prince George's County Public Schools and Prince George's Community College as to any matter not specifically set forth in this agreement. Should any further Agreement be reached between the parties, the terms and conditions will be set forth in a Memorandum of Understanding.

Signature: _____

Date: _____6/7/2021_____

Monica Goldson, Ed.D.
Chief Executive Officer
Prince George's County Public Schools
14201 School Lane
Upper Marlboro, MD 20772

Signature: _____

Date: _____8/5/2020_____

Clayton A. Railey, III, Ph.D.
Executive Vice President and Provost
Prince George's Community College
301 Largo Road
Largo, MD 20774

Revised 2/18/2020