

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Between

Baker University - Baldwin City and Johnson County Community College

The purpose of this Articulation Agreement is to establish collaboration between Baker University-Baldwin City and Johnson County Community College (JCCC). This Agreement provides a systematic plan enabling students to transfer their JCCC credit hours to Baker University-Baldwin City. While Baker welcomes applications for admission from any student, this agreement pertains to students who earn an Associate of/in Arts (A.A.) or Associate of/in Science (A.S.) degree with a cumulative grade point average of 2.60 or higher on a 4.00 scale. Students whose cumulative transfer GPA is 2.59 or below will also benefit from the terms of this Agreement if the relevant Baker faculty committee grants admission.

The following points detail distinctions of this Agreement:

- Guaranteed admission to Baker University-Baldwin City.
- Community college coursework completes all Baker Quest (general education) requirements except for SN 231 Transfer Salon II (3 credits), QS311 Global Culture and Community (3 credits), a chosen course linked to QS311 (3credits), QS411 Global Citizenship (3 credits), and SN401 Summit Salon (1 credit).
- Students who have not completed a minimum of six credit hours of natural science and/or physical science will enroll in Baker's QS211 (3 credits) Scientific Inquiry course. Students who have completed a minimum of six hours of natural and /or physical science will have satisfied both the QS211 and linked course requirement.
- Students who have not completed a minimum of six credit hours within the following disciplines (Art, Literature, Music, Theatre,) will enroll in Baker's QS 212 Ideas and Expression (3 credits) course. Students who have completed a minimum of six hours of art, literature, music, or theatre will have satisfied both the QS212 and linked course requirement.
- Transfer students whose cumulative GPA is greater than 2.60 will automatically qualify for an academic scholarship. The dollar amount of the renewable scholarship is determined based on the cumulative GPA. All students admitted via this articulation agreement are also entitled to consideration for additional sources of financial aid based on extracurricular involvement and financial need.
- Students admitted via this agreement will have full access to all Baker University support services including admission and financial aid representatives, academic advising, the Student Academic Success Center, Student Affairs staff, etc.
- Those students who transfer to Baker under the terms of this agreement will benefit from all privileges assigned to other students, including class-standing priority in residence hall selection, access to competitive programs, course registration, and beyond.
- Baker guarantees the acceptance of all A.A. or A.S. degree program credits, as long as the courses are considered to be at the college level and grades are C or higher. This acceptance does include courses counted toward the A.A. or A.S. degree originally taken through high school dual enrollment arrangements.
- Baker University does grant credit for work completed through the College-Level Examination Program (CLEP), Advanced Placement Tests (AP), and International Baccalaureate Program (IB). Details regarding score requirements and fees appear in the Baker University Academic Catalog.

Students interested in transferring to Baker University should take the following steps:

- Complete a Baker University application for admission as found at www.bakeru.edu/apply. There is no application for admission fee.
- Submit an official copy of either the final high school transcript or GED scores.
- Submit official copies of academic transcripts from all colleges attended. When available, the final Johnson County Community College transcript showing completion of the A.A. or A.S. degree must also be submitted.
- When selecting Johnson County Community College courses plan to include at least six credit hours of natural/physical science and at least six hours within the disciplines of art, literature, music and theatre in the overall curriculum. This sequence best prepares the student for Baker University-Baldwin City academic success.
- Submit appropriate credentials from any CLEP, AP, or IB experiences.
- Consult with the Office of Financial Aid regarding Baker University scholarship options and recommended completion of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as found at www.fafsa.gov.
- After receiving an offer of admission and assuring family comfort with financing details, Baker University representatives will provide assistance with all subsequent enrollment steps including housing, board plan selection, course registration, health services details, orientation, etc.

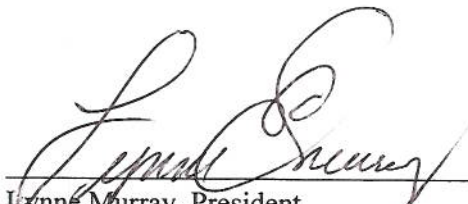
Baker University shall not use the name, trade name, trademark or any other designation of JCCC, or any contraction, abbreviation, adaptation or simulation of any of the foregoing, in any advertisement or for any commercial or promotional purpose (other than in performing under this Agreement) without JCCC's prior written consent in each case.

To the extent permitted by law, each party shall indemnify and hold the other party (and its employees, directors, trustees and agents) harmless for any action or omissions on the part of its employees, directors, trustees or agents.

This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Kansas.

Revision or Cancellation of this Agreement


This articulation agreement is subject to revision or cancellation when deemed appropriate by either Baker University or Johnson County Community College, but otherwise shall stand as presented. Students who enter Baker University-Baldwin City under the auspices of this agreement will see no adverse affects from any subsequent changes.



Lynne Murray, President
Baker University

6/1/15

Date



Brian Posler, Provost
Baker University

6/1/15

Date

Andy Anderson

Andy Anderson, V.P. Academic Affairs/CAO
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