



Institutional Agreement Between Doane University and Metropolitan Community College

Doane University, hereafter referred to as **Doane**, an institution of higher learning accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, and the **Metropolitan Community College Area**, a body corporate and political subdivision of the State of Nebraska, hereafter referred to as **MCC**, an institution of higher learning accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, enter into this Agreement.

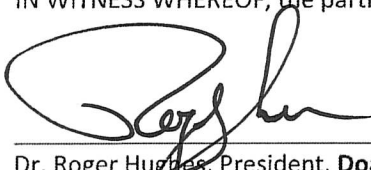
The Agreement ensures a reasonable opportunity for a **MCC** student to complete a bachelor's degree at **Doane** effective as of the date of the agreement signing. Specifically, **Doane** and **MCC** agree to the following:

1. The Agreement applies only to a new student to **Doane** who has completed an associate-level degree from **MCC** after the signing date of the agreement or within five years prior to the signing date. This agreement only applies to a student who have never taken a course from **Doane**.
2. For a **MCC** student who transitions to an undergraduate program taught on **Doane's** Lincoln campus or online, **Doane**:
 - a) will provide early advising and orientation programs exclusively for transfer students, and
 - b) will reduce tuition 15% for a MCC student on a per-credit hour basis for two and a half years (2 ½) for a student who remains continuously enrolled while pursuing an undergraduate degree from Doane.
3. For a **MCC** student who transitions to a bachelor's degree program on **Doane's** Crete (residential) campus, **Doane**:
 - a) will provide early advising and orientation programs exclusively for transfer students,
 - b) will provide an annual \$20,000 exclusive MCC partnership grant (replaces any eligible Doane academic scholarship) to a MCC student for four (4) semesters assuming consecutive and continued enrollment toward an undergraduate degree from Doane. MCC students may be eligible for other financial support based on FAFSA information.
4. **Doane** will accept college-level academic credits for a MCC student in good academic standing for articulated programs of study, subject to:
 - a) Students will receive academic credit for transferable college level courses without regard to instructional modality including online courses and programs, Dual Enrollment credits, and Early College High School credits. Equivalent courses need to be completed with a grade of "C" or better.
 - b) Remedial/developmental coursework will not be included for transfer.
5. A **MCC** student enrolling at **Doane** under this agreement will be required to meet all program of

study and academic standing requirements as specified by Doane.


6. MCC will help facilitate opportunities for Doane personnel to participate in MCC sponsored events (e.g., transfer fairs) and be able to guest speak in MCC program classes by invitation of MCC faculty.
7. Doane will annually provide information on the academic progress of **MCC** students enrolled as a result of this agreement.
8. The partner institutions agree to communicate program changes in a timely manner to avoid disruption to student progress toward degree completion.
9. The Agreement may be terminated by either party after 90-day notice to the other party. Termination would impact any new students who transition from MCC to Doane. Termination shall be without prejudice to the terms for former MCC students currently registered at Doane at the date of termination.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement on the date shown below:



Dr. Roger Hughes, President, **Doane University**

7/20/23
Date



Tom McDonnell, Vice President of Academic Affairs,
Metropolitan Community College

7/20/23
Date

APPENDIX : Academic Programs

FOCUS AREA	METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROGRAM	MCC LOCATION	MCC DEGREE	DOANE UNIVERSITY PROGRAM	DOANE LOCATION	DOANE DEGREE
Business	Accounting	EV, FO, SC, SO, O	AAS	Accounting	C, L	BA
	Business Administration	EV, FO, SC, SO, O	AAS	Business Administration	C, L, O	BA
	Business Transfer	EV, FO, SO, O	AA			
	Culinary Arts and Management	FO	AAS			
Hospitality & Restaurant Leadership	FO	AAS				
Community and Human Services	Criminal Justice – Corrections or Law Enforcement	EV, SO, O	AAS	Sociology, Criminology emphasis	C	BA
	Early Childhood Educator	FO	AAS	Liberal Arts Studies	C, L, O	BA
				Business Administration	C, L, O	BA
	Fire Science Technology	ATC	AAS	Liberal Arts Studies	C, L, O	BA
	Human Services – Chemical Dependency Counseling	FO	AAS	Human Relations Psychology	L C	BA BA
	Human Services – General	FO	AAS			
	Human Services Transfer	FO	AA			
Legal Studies	SO	AAS	Liberal Arts Studies	C, L, O	BA	
Creative Arts & Design	Art	EV	AA	Art	C	BA
	Design, Interactivity, and Media Arts – 2-D Animation, 3-D Animation & Games, DIMA Entrepreneur, Media Generalist, Motion Graphics, Web Design	EV	AAS	Graphic Design	C	BA
				Liberal Arts Studies	C, L, O	BA
	Design, Interactivity, & Media – Graphic Design	EV, FO	AAS			
	Design, Interactivity, and Media - Illustration	FO	AAS			
	Fashion Design	EV	AAS	Liberal Arts Studies	C, L, O	BA
	Interior Design	EV	AAS	Liberal Arts Studies	C, L, O	BA
	Photography	EV	AAS	Liberal Arts Studies	C, L, O	BA
	Theatre	EV, FO, SO	AA	Theatre	C	BA
Technical Theatre	EV, FO, SO	AAS	Liberal Arts Studies	C, L, O	BA	
Video/Audio Communications Arts	EV	AAS	New Media	C	BA	
			Liberal Arts Studies	C, L, O	BA	
Health Professions	Professional Health Studies	FO, SO	AAS	Business Administration	C, L, O	BA/BS
	Medical Assisting – Professional Health Studies	SO	AAS	Liberal Arts Studies	C, L, O	BA/BS
	Paramedicine – Professional Health Studies	FR, SO	AAS			
	Health Information Management Systems – Medical Coding & Billing	EV, FO, SO	AAS			
	Health Information Management Systems – Medical Office Management	EV, FO, SC, O	AAS			
	Health Data and Information Management	O	AAS			
	Nursing	SO	ASN			
Respiratory Therapy	SO	AAS				
Information Technology	Information Technology	FO, SC, SO, O	AAS	Computing	C, L	BS
	Information Tech – Cybersecurity	FO, SO, O	AAS	Business Administration	C, L, O	BS/BA
	Computer Tech Transfer – Computer Science, Management Information Systems	FO, SC, SO, O	AS	Liberal Arts Studies	C, L, O	BS/BA
	Facilities Operations and Maintenance	SO	AAS			
Skilled Trades and Technical Sciences	Architectural Design Technician, Architectural Design Technology, Architectural Engineering Design Technician	FO	AAS	Business Administration	C, L, O	BA
	Auto Collision Technology	SO, AUT	AAS	Liberal Arts Studies	C, L, O	BA
	Automotive Technology	SO	AAS			
	Civil Engineering Technician, Civil Engineering Technology	FO	AAS			

	Construction and Building Science – Construction Management, Construction Technology	FO	AAS			
	Diesel Technology – Diesel Services, Heavy Equipment, Power Generation	ATC	AAS			
	Electrical Apprenticeship	FO	AAS			
	Electrical/Mechanical Maintenance Technology	SO	AAS			
	Electrical Technology	FO	AAS			
	Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration	FO	AAS			
	Horticulture – Floriculture, Grounds Management, Horticulture Management, Landscaping Design, Small Market Farming	FO	AAS			
	Manufacturing, Power, and Process Operations Technology – Bio-Processing, Manufacturing Process Operations, Nuclear Power Plant Non-Licensed Operator, Power Plant	SO	AAS			
	Mechanical Design Technology	FO	AAS			
	Plumbing Apprenticeship	FO	AAS			
	Precision Machine Technology – CNC and Tool & Die Technology, CNC Technology	SO	AAS			
	Prototype Design	FO	AAS			
	Toyota T-Ten	SO	AAS			
	Utility Line Technician	ATC	AAS			
	Welding Technology	SO	AAS			
Transfer Academic	Liberal Arts/Academic Transfer	EV, FO, SO	AA	Liberal Arts Studies <i>or one of Doane's 35 degree option based on students course selection including Elementary Education</i>	C, L, O	BA
	Liberal Arts/Academic Transfer	EV, FO, SO	AS			
	Liberal Arts/Academic Transfer – Creative Writing	EV, FO, FR, SC, SO, O	AA	English – Writing Emphasis Liberal Arts Studies	C C, L, O	BA BA

Location Codes:		Degree Codes:	
ATC – Applied Technology Center, MCC	L – Lincoln, Doane	AA – Associate of Arts	BA – Bachelor of Arts
AUT – Automotive Tech Center, MCC	O – Online, Doane, MCC	AAS – Associate of Applied Science	BS – Bachelor of Science
C – Crete, Doane	SC – Sarpy Center, MCC	AS – Associate of Science	
FO – Fort Omaha, MCC	SO- South Omaha, MCC	ASN- Associate of Science in Nursing	
FR - Fremont Center, MCC			

Doane University transfers in 60 hours for students with a completed associate's degree. Doane requires a 123 hours to graduate with a bachelor's degree. The majors listed show which Metro degree's transfer into similar disciplines at Doane University. All Metro associate's degrees can transfer into Doane's Liberal Arts major or other majors with a few additional courses.