



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
TRANSFER ARTICULATION**

**ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE
AND
ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-JONESBORO**

**Associate of Science in Criminology
and
Bachelor of Arts in Sociology**

This Memorandum of Understanding ("Agreement"), entered into on ___ of October, 2017, ("Effective Date") by and between Arkansas State University-Jonesboro (hereinafter, "ASUJ"), located at 2105 Aggie Road, Jonesboro, Arkansas 72401, and Arkansas Northeastern College (hereinafter "ANC"), located at 2501 South Division Street, Blytheville, Arkansas 72315.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this Agreement is to facilitate the transfer and degree completion of students earning the Associate of Science in Criminology at ANC to the Bachelor of Arts in Sociology. Through collaborative efforts, ASUJ and ANC will provide clarity regarding the degree requirements herein, and afford students the opportunity to earn a high-quality degree from both institutions in the most efficient manner possible.

AGREEMENT

It is agreed that any student who has earned the Associate of Science in Criminology at ANC will be admitted to the Bachelor of Arts in Sociology at ASUJ in either the on-campus or A-State Online program with full junior classification, subject to the provisions listed below.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- A. The student must complete the requirements necessary for general admission to ASUJ as well as specific admission to the ASUJ Bachelor of Arts in Sociology program.
- B. The student will have earned the Associate of Science in Criminology at ANC.
- C. Degree program admission requirements for students who transfer pursuant to this Agreement will be determined in the same manner as if their initial enrollment had been at ASUJ.

TRANSFER OF CREDITS

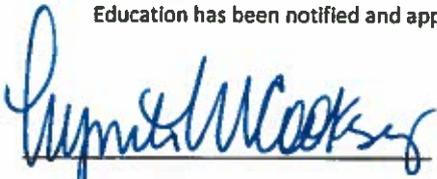
- A. Course requirements for this Agreement are displayed on the following attachments (see Appendix A).
- B. A transfer student who has not completed all of the courses specified within the Associate of Science in Criminology degree plan at ANC, before entering ASUJ, must work with an academic advisor to ensure timely completion of degree program requirements.
- C. Current and updated copies of catalogs/curricular requirements for the ASUJ Bachelor of Arts in Sociology program will be available to ANC online. Catalogs/Curricular requirements are available for both the on-campus and A-State Online programs.
- D. Remedial course grades will not be computed in the cumulative GPA for purposes of admission to ASUJ.
- E. Calculation of overall GPA for purposes of graduation and awarding of honors is left to the discretion of ASUJ.

IMPLEMENTATION AND REVIEW

- A. The Chief Academic Officers at each institution will implement the terms of this Agreement, including incorporation of any mutually agreed upon changes into subsequent revisions of this Agreement, assuring compliance with system policy, procedure and guidelines.
- B. This Agreement will be reviewed on an annual basis. Both ASUJ and ANC agree to notify one another in a timely manner of any curriculum changes that would significantly impact the nature of this Agreement.
- C. ASUJ and ANC will work together cooperatively, in the best interest of affected students, to resolve any issues related to the transfer of courses should changes to either degree program occur while the Agreement is in effect.
- D. Students will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement in accordance with their academic year of entry at ANC. A student may opt for a subsequent revision of this Agreement, but must meet all of the requirements specified therein.
- E. ASUJ and ANC will make every effort to inform students of this Agreement. This may include, but is not limited to, inclusion within each institution's website, published catalog, recruitment publications, media announcements, social media engagement, and in-person information sessions.

MISCELLANEOUS

- A. This Agreement is effective upon execution and shall remain in effect even if persons, positions, and/or titles change.
- B. This Agreement may be terminated by either party with at least 90 calendar days written notice.
- C. In the event that the Agreement is terminated, no new students will be admitted to the program; however, all students who have already been admitted to ASUJ, in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, will be allowed to complete their approved course of study under the terms contained therein.
- D. This agreement shall become effective at the time that the Arkansas Department of Higher Education has been notified and approval has been granted.



Lynita M. Cooksey, Ph.D.
Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic
Affairs and Research
Arkansas State University-Jonesboro

10/23/17
Date



June Walters, Ed.S.
Executive Vice President/Chief Academic
Officer
Arkansas Northeastern College

10-20-17
Date

Appendix A:

Course equivalencies between Arkansas Northeastern College and Arkansas State University – Jonesboro

ANC Courses

English Composition

EN 12003 English Composition I
EN 12013 English Composition II
SP 12103 Introduction to Communication

Mathematics

MA 14043 College Algebra OR
MA 14123 Quantitative Reasoning

Life Science

BI 14033/14041 General Biology/Lab

Physical Sciences

PS 14003/14011 Physical Science/Lab

US History/Government

PO 23003 American National Government
HI 23003 US History to 1876 OR
HI 23013 US History Since 1876

Social Sciences

SO 23013 Introduction to Sociology
PY 23003 General Psychology
HI 13003 World Civilization to 1600 OR
HI 13013 World Civilization Since 1600

Arts and Humanities

PH 22003 Introduction to Philosophy OR
EN 22003 World Literature I OR
EN 22013 World Literature II AND
TH 22013 Fine Arts Theater OR
MU 22003 Music Appreciation OR
AR 22003 Art Appreciation

Required Courses

CJ 15003 Introduction to Criminal Justice
CJ 25023 Criminal Evidence
CJ 25013 Criminal Investigation
SO 23043 Social Problems
SO 23103 Criminology

Additional Electives

PY 13002 Academic & Career Enrichment
PE 17112 Fitness for Life

ASUJ Courses

ENG 1003 Composition I
ENG 1013 Composition II
COMS 1203 Oral Communication

MATH 1023 College Algebra
MATH 1043 Quantitative Reasoning

BIOL 1003/1001 Biological Science/Lab

PHSC 1203/1201 Physical Science/Lab

POSC 2103 Introduction to US Government
HIST 2763 The US to 1876
HIST 2773 The US Since 1876

SOC 2213 Introduction to Sociology
PSY 2013 Introduction to Psychology
HIST 1013 World Civilization to 1660
HIST 1023 World Civilization Since 1660

PHIL 1103 Introduction to Philosophy
ENG 2003 World Literature to 1660
ENG 2013 World Literature since 1660
THEA 2503 Fine Arts Theatre
MUS 2503 Fine Arts Music
ART 2503 Fine Arts Visual

CRIM 1023 Introduction to Criminal Justice
CRIM 2263 Criminal Evidence and Procedure
CRIM 2253 Criminal Investigation
SOC 2223 Social Problems
CRIM 3263 Criminology

Transfer Credit Elective
PE 1002 Concepts of Fitness

ASU- JONESBORO COURSES

The following are courses that ANC students must take to complete ASUJ's Bachelor of Arts in Sociology

Major Requirements: (15 hours)

SOC 3273 Social Stratification
SOC 3383 Social Statistics
SOC 4243 Social Theory
SOC 4293 Methods of Social Research
SOC 4323 Applied Research

Foreign Language Requirement (12 hours)

SPAN 1013 Elementary Spanish I
SPAN 1023 Elementary Spanish II
SPAN 2013 Intermediate Spanish I
SPAN 2023 Intermediate Spanish II

Sociology Electives (Select 6 courses from the list below for a total of 18 hours)

ANTH 2233 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	SOC 4203 Social Deviance
CRIM 3263 Criminology	SOC 4213 Childhood and Adolescence
CRIM 3323 Juvenile Delinquency	SOC 4223 Urban Sociology
SOC 3003 Sociology of Gender	SOC 4233 Social Organization
SOC 3223 Sociology of Families	SOC 4253 Rural Sociology
SOC 3293 Self and Society	SOC 4263 Terrorism/Social Movement
SOC 3313 Sociology of Sexuality	SOC 4273 World Population & Society
SOC 3333 Sociology of Health & Illness	SOC 4283 Qualitative Data Analysis
SOC 3353 Minority Groups	SOC 4343 GIS for the Social Sciences
SOC 3363 Sociology of Religion	SOC 4353 Sociology of Aging
SOC 3463 Collective Behavior	SOC 4363 Environmental Sociology
SOC 4003 Perspectives on Death and Dying	SOC 4423 Sociology of Medicine
SOC 4063 Sociology of Disasters	SOC 460V Special Problems
SOC 4073 Sociology of Family Violence	SOC 4703 Internship

Additional Electives: (15 hours)*

*Must be Upper-Level hours

A-STATE ONLINE COURSES

The following are courses that ANC students must take to complete ASUJ's Bachelor of Arts in Sociology through A-State Online

Major Requirements: (15 hours)

SOC 3273 Social Stratification
SOC 3383 Social Statistics
SOC 4243 Social Theory
SOC 4293 Methods of Social Research
SOC 4323 Applied Research

Foreign Language Requirement: (12 hours)

SPAN 1013 Elementary Spanish I
SPAN 1023 Elementary Spanish II
SPAN 2013 Intermediate Spanish I
SPAN 2023 Intermediate Spanish II

Sociology Electives (Select 6 courses from the list below for a total of 18 hours)

CRIM 3263 Criminology	SOC 3353 Minority Groups
CRIM 3323 Juvenile Delinquency	SOC 3463 Collective Behavior
SOC 3003 Sociology of Gender	SOC 4063 Sociology of Disasters
SOC 3223 Sociology of Families	SOC 4353 Sociology of Aging
SOC 3313 Sociology of Sexuality	

Additional Electives: (15 hours)*

*Must be Upper-Level hours