

Articulation Agreement
Between
Purdue University, West Lafayette
And
Ivy Tech Community College

INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this Articulation Agreement (this “Agreement”) is to provide a framework for the effective transfer of Ivy Tech Community College (“Ivy Tech”) students in select programs to continue their education at Purdue University West Lafayette (“PWL”). To ensure the smooth transition to the College of Agriculture at PWL, the faculty members of both institutions have developed these articulation pathways and course applications with eight-semester plans of study, in the attached appendix, for students beginning Fall 2024.

This Agreement, including any modifications, should be reviewed by Ivy Tech and PWL (each a “Party” and collectively the “Parties”) every five years. Further, it is expected that each Party will apprise the other of any applicable curriculum changes as they occur. While both Parties to this Agreement understand that its purpose is to maximize the opportunities for students to transfer to PWL, they also recognize that limits may be placed on courses accepted for articulation under the provisions of this Agreement in the event that a student subsequently decides to change to a program not covered by this Agreement. Students who transfer to PWL on the basis of this Agreement may be monitored to observe their progress and performance for the purpose of modifying and improving the educational opportunities of future students. This Agreement is for Ivy Tech Associate of Science (“AS”) graduates in select programs only (in the attached appendices).

Typically, a student who transfers to PWL from another institution of higher education through an approved articulation agreement may enter PWL with the same catalog term that was in effect when the student first enrolled at the institution from which the student transferred. Under this Agreement, for the original catalog term of enrollment at Ivy Tech to apply, students must transfer to PWL within four years (eight semesters) of initial enrollment at Ivy Tech and complete all coursework at Ivy Tech as described in this Agreement, including its appendix. Additionally, for the original catalog term to apply,

a student must not have a break of more than two consecutive semesters between transferring to PWL from Ivy Tech. For more information, see the PWL catalog at: <https://catalog.purdue.edu/>

This Agreement is limited to select programs in the College of Agriculture at PWL (as listed in the appendices). Any other combination of programs requires an amendment or a separate articulation agreement.

AGREEMENT PROVISIONS

1. Admission to PWL; Articulation of Credit

The following requirements apply:

- a. Complete an Associate of Science (A.S.) from Ivy Tech, including the required courses listed in the Guidelines Per Major (Appendix A) and a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.50.
- b. Only courses in which a student has earned a “C-” or higher will transfer to PWL.
- c. Fulfill the admissions requirements of PWL.
- d. Admission is not guaranteed.
- e. Transfer students can be admitted in any term.
- f. Once admitted to PWL, students are subject to all PWL academic policies.

2. Third Party Courses

- a. Courses that are included in the Indiana Core Transfer Library will transfer as equivalent PWL courses.
- b. The attached eight-semester Plans of Study (Appendix B) list Ivy Tech courses that should be completed in the first two years of study and reflect their application at PWL.
- c. When courses are completed at a third-party institution, the third-party institution’s equivalencies with PWL are used.
- d. Transfer courses do not count in a student’s PWL grade point average.

3. Ivy Tech Obligations:

- a. Include information about this Agreement in the catalog.
- b. Provide a counselor/advisor for students in the Ivy Tech programs.
- c. Maintain a liaison with the designated PWL representative.

4. PWL Obligations:

- a. Make reference to the availability of this Agreement in the PWL electronic catalog.
- b. Provide counselors/advisors for the PWL programs.
- c. Maintain a liaison with Ivy Tech.

5. Modification

- a. Modifications to this Agreement may be made by written amendment following consultation between authorized representatives of the Parties.
- b. PWL degree requirements are subject to change. Students and their respective advisors should consult directly with appropriate PWL representatives from the program to which they will apply for current curricular requirements.
- c. Any changes to PWL degree requirements will be communicated to Ivy Tech and shall require an amendment to this Agreement, which, when executed, shall be submitted to the PWL Office of the Provost and the Transfer Admissions Office.

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