



**CREATIVE ARTS**  
**Effective Date 1/1/12**

**Articulation Agreement Between**  
North Coast Tech Prep Partnership and Cuyahoga Community College  
**Student Form**

North Coast Tech Prep High Schools:  
*Akron- Garfield High School, Maplewood High School, & North High School*

**Leading to an Associate Degree at Cuyahoga Community College:**

For the purpose of this agreement, a Tech Prep student is defined as a student who is enrolled in and completed the prescribed program of study for grades 9-12. This program of study has been identified and approved by high school and college administrators and business and industry representatives as a curriculum that provides the students with the academic and technical competencies that have been developed through a Career Field Technical Content Standards Review Process or similar procedure. This process ensures a seamless learning progression of technical and academic skills from high school through college.

**TO RECEIVE CREDIT THE STUDENT MUST:**

1. Earn a 3.0 GPA in an approved high school Tech Prep Program.
2. Earn a high school cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher in grades 9 through 12.
3. Pass Algebra 2 (or equivalent) prior to graduation from high school.
4. Maintain 95% attendance in Tech Prep Program.
5. Submit a CCC application prior to graduation from high school.
6. Submit an Articulation Agreement, signed by the student and high school teacher, prior to graduation from high school.
7. Student must be admitted to the College as a degree-seeking student enrolled in the Associate of Applied Business Degree in Visual Communication & Design concentration in Interactive Media or Associate of Applied Business in Media Arts & Studies program within 12 months of high school graduation.
8. Students must complete at least 6 semester credit hours in one of the programs listed above at the College with a grade of "C" or better in each of the courses attempted before credit can be added to the student's transcript.
9. Student must be enrolled in and complete the term in which credit is awarded.

**ARTICULATED CREDIT**

Course(s) for which the student is eligible to receive credit:

<b>VC&amp;D XXXX</b>	<b>VC&amp;D Elective Course</b>	<b>1-3 Semester Credits</b>
<b>MARS XXXX</b>	<b>MARS Elective Course</b>	<b>1-3 Semester Credits</b>

**BRIDGE COURSE ARTICULATED CREDIT**

None

**CERTIFICATION/TEST/REVIEW ARTICULATED CREDIT**

None

***CREDIT WILL BE TRANSCRIPTED UPON COMPLETION OF THE ABOVE CONDITIONS.***

Students who successfully meet the requirements will receive the above credit to apply towards the Associate of Applied Business Degree in Visual Communication & Design concentration in Interactive Media, Associate of Applied Business in Media Arts & Studies or students may choose to earn any Associate Degree.

The maximum Comparable Credit a student can receive is 30 semester credits as stated in the Cuyahoga Community College Comparable Credit Policy. The student has 1 year from date of high school graduation to complete the agreement process.

**\*Agreements are open for review on a yearly basis as deemed necessary by the high school or college, and are effective for June 2012 graduates from the approved College Tech Prep Programs listed on page one of this agreement.**

I do hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge the information given on this articulation agreement is complete, and that any misrepresentation may be cause for denial of articulated credit. I authorize each high school I have attended to release academic information to Cuyahoga Community College.

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High School Tech Prep Program Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Name (Print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
High School

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature/date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City

\_\_\_\_\_  
State

\_\_\_\_\_  
Zip

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High School Tech Prep Teacher Signature/Date

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Student Social Security Number