



MURRAY STATE
UNIVERSITY

Hutson School of Agriculture

**Agricultural Articulation
Agreement**

Lake Land College

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MURRAY STATE UNIVERSITY

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MSU Agriculture – Where we know how to grow things...like enrollment!

On behalf of our faculty and staff, I would like to express our appreciation to the area community college faculty for working with us to develop articulation agreements to our academic degree options. At the same time, we would like to invite all the community college students to “come join us” as you continue your educational pursuits.

By definition, articulation is the “process by which one institution matches its courses or requirements to course work completed at another institution”. Students may use this course articulation to assure that the courses they complete at the community college will not have to be repeated at Murray State. Additionally, the articulation agreements that have been developed contain a degree plan that includes the courses taken at the community college and the additional MSU classes and requirements that will have to be taken to complete a Bachelor of Science in Agriculture. It is our hope that these agreements will assist students in determining what courses will be required for graduation.

Hutson School of Agriculture at MSU recognizes the importance and the quality of the programs at the regional community and technical colleges. Many of our best students in the past years have come to us through transfer programs. It is our desire to create a seamless and “transfer friendly” agreement that will encourage students to continue their educational pursuits at our university and to become engaged in the respective agricultural career of their choice.

Please let us know if we can assist you in any way. You can contact the Hutson School of Agriculture at (270) 809-3328 or at msu.ag@murraystate.edu.

Come Join Us,

Dr. Tony Brannon, Dean
MSU Hutson School of Agriculture

Murray State University Contact List

For assistance with the transfer process including admissions, housing, paying for college, etc., please contact the Murray State University Transfer Center at

Murray State University

Transfer Center

Toll-free: 1-855-668-8886

Phone: 270-809-3350

Fax: (270) 809-3411

Email: msu.transfercenter@murraystate.edu

Website: <http://www.murraystate.edu/admissions/transfer/index.aspx>

For assistance with this articulation agreement or if you have specific questions about agriculture, please feel free to contact Murray State University Hutson School of Agriculture at

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AGRICULTURAL ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

**MURRAY STATE UNIVERSITY
AND
LAKE LAND COLLEGE**

Whereas, Murray State University and the Hutson School of Agriculture wish to cooperate fully with Lake Land College, and

Whereas, the Lake Land College John Deere Tech program provides quality higher education training to a growing number of agricultural students, and

Whereas, John Deere Tech students enrolled at Lake Land College may wish to pursue a Bachelor of Science degree after completion of the program at Lake Land College, and

Whereas, Murray State University and the agriculture program are regionally and nationally recognized and can provide an excellent opportunity for students to obtain an economical, yet quality degree in agriculture, and

Whereas, Murray State University provides a personal, hands-on quality education and has as its motto "large enough to serve you, small enough to know you", and

Whereas Murray State University agrees to adjust the requirement that "42 hours of upper-level courses must be taken at MSU" down to "at least 31 hours of upper-level courses must be taken at MSU" as per the agreement;

Be it therefore resolved that Murray State University and Lake Land College hereby enter into an agricultural articulation agreement as described in the attached curriculum agreements.

This agreement will serve as the official transfer agreement and will be accepted as written. Individual exceptions to this agreement will be accepted with the approval of both parties.

Murray State University



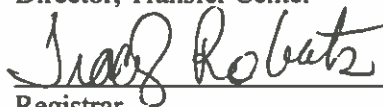
President



Provost/Vice President



Director, Transfer Center



Registrar



Dean, Hutson School of Agriculture

Lake Land College



Vice President for Academic Services



Chair of Counseling



Division Chair for Agriculture

**MURRAY STATE UNIVERSITY HUTSON SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE/
LAKE LAND COLLEGE
JOHN DEERE TECH AAS TO AGRICULTURAL SYSTEMS TECHNOLOGY CURRICULUM**

GENERAL EDUCATION/UNIVERSITY STUDIES COURSES

Dept.	No.	Description	Hrs.	Gr.
ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATION			7 HRS	
ENG	105	Critical Reading, Writing & Inquiry*	4	
COM	161	LLC – SPE 111	3	
SCI. INQUIRY, METHODS, QUANT. SKILLS			12/13 HRS	
MAT	130	Technical Math I	5	OR
MAT	140	College Algebra	4	
CHE	105	Intro. to Chemistry I	4	
BIO	101	Biological Concepts	4	
WORLD HISTORICAL LIT. AND PHILOSOPHY			6 HRS	
CIV	201	World Civilizations I	3	
HUM	211	Western Humanities Tradition	3	
GLOBAL AWARENESS AND CULT. DIVERSITY			3 HRS	
Select One of the Following Courses				
AGR	353	World, Food & Ag	3	
SOCIAL AND SELF AWARENESS			6 HRS	
AGR	199	Contemporary Issues in Ag ¹	3	
POL	140	LLC – POS 160	3	
UNIVERSITY STUDIES ELECTIVES			6 HRS	
ENG	101	LLC – ENG 120*	3	
		LLC – ECO 130	3	
40-41 HOURS OF UNIVERSITY STUDIES**				

AGRICULTURE CURRICULUM COURSES

Dept.	No.	Description	Hrs.	Gr.
AGRICULTURE CORE COURSES			26 25 HRS	
AGR	100T	Waived Per Agreement	0	
AGR	100	Animal Science	3	
AGR	130	Intro. to Agribusiness	3	
AGR	133	LLC – TEC 048	3	
AGR	240	LLC – AGR 052	3	
AGR	170	LLC – JDA 073	3	
AGR	199	Contemporary Issues in Ag ¹	3	
AGR	339	LLC – JDA 111	3	
AGR	345	Soil Science	3	
AGR	399	Prof Dev Seminar	1	
AGR	599	Ag Senior Capstone	1	
AG SYSTEMS TECH. OPTION COURSES			24 23.5 HRS	
AGR	371	Ag Bldg & Construction	3	
AGR	372	LLC – WEL 057	2.5	
AGR	377	LLC – HED 178	2	
AGR	477	LLC – JDA 050	3	
AGR	577	LLC JDA 071	3	
Approved Ag Systems Tech. Electives*			10	
MSU AGR 551 (3) = LLC JDA 043 (4)				
MSU AGR 575 (3) = LLC JDA 086 (2.5)				
MSU AGR 576 (3) = LLC JDA 080 (3.5)				
Additional Upper-Level (300 or above) Hours to Meet Minimum Per Agreement (Must be approved by MSU Ag Systems Technology Advisor)			17 HRS	
REQUIRED SUPPORT COURSES			6 11 HRS	
AGR	471	LLC – JDA 113	2	
AGR	488	LLC – JDA 041	2	
AGR	571	Adv. Precision Ag	3	
AGR	489	LLC – JDA 042	4	
UNRESTRICTED ELECTIVES			23-24 HRS	
LLC Courses Used As MSU Electives = 18 Hours				
JDA 082 (3.5)				
JDA 087 (3)				
JDA 091 (3)				
JDA 092 (3)				
JDA 094 (2.5)				
JDA 095 (3)				

¹AGR 199 will fulfill both the agriculture core & university studies

*The combination of ENG 120 and ENG 121 at LCC will count in place of ENG 105.

**LLC students may complete equivalent required university studies courses at LLC to complete MSU university studies requirements.

Murray State University Articulation Agreement Provisions

1. Murray State University and Lake Land College agree to renegotiate this Agreement as may be deemed necessary to accommodate changes in program requirements, course content, employment trends, accreditation guidelines, institutional/graduation requirements, and/or other relevant factors.
2. Murray State University and Lake Land College each agree that it will observe all applicable regional accreditation standards, rules and guidelines. Each will advise the other as to any change in its accreditation status within twenty (20) days of receiving notice of such loss or change in accreditation.
3. Murray State University and Lake Land College agree to monitor and support the revisions of this Agreement to ensure consistency, program quality and transferability for the mutual benefit of all involved parties at both institutions. This Agreement will be reviewed by both institutions annually.
4. This Agreement will be considered in effect when signed by both parties. The Agreement is effective (subject to termination as set forth herein), unless review by Murray State University or Lake Land College determines curriculum revisions necessitate a new Agreement be created.
5. In the event that one of the parties declares a financial exigency and determines to close its program, written notice of same and termination of this Agreement shall be given to the other party as soon as practical. Otherwise, the Agreement may be terminated at any time without cause by either party upon written notice to the other party at least one year prior to the termination date. In any event, provisions will be made by Murray State University to allow students who have already enrolled at Murray State University to complete the program in a timely manner and/or in accordance with its teach-out plan.
6. Students of Lake Land College will be required to meet all admission standards of Murray State University.