

**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT GUIDE**

St. Clair County Community College – **AAS in Criminal Justice Generalist**  
 Eastern Michigan University – **BS in Public Safety Administration**

**St. Clair Community College Courses:****Eastern Michigan University Courses:****Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) Requirements (30 credits)**

Students with the MTA endorsement on their community college transcript have satisfied EMU's General Education Core Requirements and will be required to complete only the General Education Application Requirements of one Perspectives on a Diverse World course, one Learning beyond the Classroom experience, and a writing intensive course in the major. Courses listed below for the MTA also satisfy program requirements at EMU and/or SC4. For SC4 approved MTA courses go to the community college's website. Students without an MTA or MACRAO endorsement must complete EMU's general education program.

**1. A course in English Composition**

ENG 101 English Composition I..... 3      WRTG 120 Composition I..... 3

**2. A course in English Composition or Communication**

\* SPC 101 Speech Communications..... 3      COMM 124 Found of Speech Comm (Prereq COMM 352, 354 )..... 3

**3. A course in Mathematics**

\* MTH 104 Foundations of Math..... 4      MATH 110 Mathematical Reasoning (GEQR) (3)+1 ..... 4

**4. Two courses in Natural Sciences from different disciplines (one lab required)**

GEO 101 Earth Science ..... 4      ESSC 108/109 (GEKN)..... 4  
 Select one from the approved MTA list ..... 3-4      General Transfer Credit ..... 3-4

**5. Two courses in Humanities and Fine Arts from different disciplines**

Choose two from the approved MTA list ..... 6      General Transfer Credit ..... 6

**6. Two courses in Social Sciences from different disciplines**

PSY 180 Introduction to Psychology ..... 4      PSY 101 General Psychology (3)+1 ..... 4  
 SOC 101 Principles of Sociology ..... 3      SOCL 105 Introductory Sociology ..... 3

**If needed, complete additional credits in any of the above categories to meet the 30 credit minimum for the MTA.**

**SC4 Program Requirements (34 credits)**

* CJ 101 Introduction to Criminal Justice..... 3	CRM 300 Criminal Justice (Restricted Elective)..... 3
* CJ 104 Delinquency Prevention and Control ..... 3	CRM 354 Juvenile Delinquency (Restricted Elective) ..... 3
* CJ 121 Introduction to Corrections..... 3	CRM 331 Introduction to Corrections (Restricted Elective)..... 3
CJ 278 Field Observations ..... 1	AACR GEN General Credit ..... 1
* CJ 280 Contemporary Criminal Justice Organizations..... 3	CRM 431 Policing in Society ..... 3
* ENG 102 English Composition II ..... 3	WRTG 121 Composition II (GEEC) (Required or MTA)..... 3
* SOC 201 Minority Relations ..... 3	SOCL 214 U.S. Racial & Cultural Minorities (GEUS) ..... 3
* PS 101 Introduction to Political Science ..... 3	PLSC 112 American Government (Restricted Elective) ..... 3
CIS 115 Microcomputer Applications..... 3	IS 215 Information Systems for Business ..... 3

**Approved Criminal Justice Electives**

* SOC 211 Criminology ..... 3	CRM 301 Criminology ..... 3
* CJ 215 Basic Criminal Investigation..... 3	CRM 320 Criminal Investigation ..... 3
Choose one additional course..... 3	General Transfer Credit ..... 3

**EMU Requirements and Electives that may be Taken at SC4 or EMU (26 credits)**

* PS 220 State and Local Government ..... 3	PLSC 202 State and Local Government (GEKS)..... 3
General Transfer Credit..... 23	General Transfer Credit ..... 23

**To complete a minimum of 30 credits, students may opt to take some of these courses at EMU**

**Credits at SC4: .....90      Credits that transfer to EMU..... 90**

\*Required for EMU's BS in Public Safety Administration program. If not transferred, must be completed at EMU.

**Sign up with us:** If you let us know you are using this articulation agreement we can stay in touch with you and provide information and advising to you while you are still at your community college.

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**Completion of BS in Public Safety Administration****Major Requirements (30 credits)****Foundation and Administration Group (18 credits)**

Choose one from .....	3
COMM 352 Communication in Negotiation	
COMM 354 Organizational Communication	
PLSC 270 Public Administration.....	3
PLSC 334 Public & Nonprofit Personnel Administration ....	3
PLSC 352 Politics of Public and Nonprofit Budgeting .....	3
PLSC 431W Theories of Public and Nonprofit Organization	3
PLSC 450 Managing Public Safety Agencies.....	3

**Academy or Internship / Co-op Experience (3-6 credits)**

*Pre-service students must complete an internship or cooperative education placement or an accredited academy program; in-service students may substitute credits from an accredited academy program, or upon submission of an academy certificate may take three credits of related electives with advisor approval.*

PLSC 480L4 Field Seminar in Poli Sci/Public Admin .....	3
PLSC 486L4 Topics in Public Administration .....	3
PLSC 488L4 Internship in Political Science/Public Admin ....	6

**Restricted Electives (3 credits)**

21 credits from the approved catalog list are required for the program. If courses on the agreement identified to fulfill restricted electives, students must complete the courses at EMU and work with their faculty advisor to determine how students can complete their restricted electives. A minimum of 3 credits must be taken at EMU, or must be substituted by a faculty advisor. [See the catalog for course options that fulfill this requirement.](#)

**LBC Requirement**

Students must complete one Learning Beyond the Classroom course or noncredit experience offered by EMU. Consult your advisor for options.

**General Transfer Credit (3-6 credits)**

Students must complete a minimum of 30 credits at EMU. Students must complete coursework required for the degree at EMU rather than transfer it in, or may take credit that will apply toward the 30 credit minimum requirement. See an advisor for assistance on choosing courses.

<b>Minimum Credits at EMU.....</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>Maximum Transfer Credits:.....</b>	<b>90</b>
<b>Minimum Credits to Graduate:.....</b>	<b>120</b>

**Sample Sequence for completing the program:**

*Courses are not offered every semester; consult the program advisor to develop a program of study.*

*The following prerequisite courses must be transferred or completed at EMU before beginning the sequence:*

*COMM 124 (SPC 101 at SC4) is prerequisite to COMM 352 & 354)*

*6 credits of PLSC courses below 300 level is a prerequisite for the administrative group courses (satisfied by SC4 PS 101 and 220).*

**First Semester (12 credits)**

COMM 352 or 354 F,W, pre-req: COMM 124 .....	3
PLSC 270 F,W.....	3
Restricted Elective .....	3
General Elective or Program Requirement .....	3

**Second Semester (9-12 credits)**

PLSC 334 W, pre-req: 6 cr in PLSC below 300 level .....	3
PLSC 352 F, W, pre-req: 6 cr in PLSC below 300 .....	3
PLSC 431W F, W .....	3
General Elective or Program Requirement .....	0-3

**Third Semester (6-9 credits)**

PLSC 450 W, pre-req: PLSC 431W.....	3
Academy/Internship/Co-op Experience .....	3-6

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### Additional Information:

1. Each institution will determine the satisfaction of their individual program and degree requirements. Both institutions agree to accept transferable courses from each other and from other regionally accredited institutions. SC4 courses indicated with an \* are required for EMU's BS in Public Safety Administration. Substitutions for these courses must be approved by the EMU program coordinator.
2. Students with the MTA endorsement on their community college transcript have satisfied EMU's General Education Core Requirements and will be required to complete only the General Education Application Requirements of one "Perspectives on a Diverse World" course, one "Learning Beyond the Classroom" experience, and a "Writing Intensive" course in the major. The Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement may be transferred to EMU.  
*To use the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA), students must have an official community college transcript, with the "MTA Satisfied" endorsement sent to EMU's Admissions Office. Students who do not have "MTA Satisfied" on their community college transcript, will be required to satisfy EMU's general education requirements as applied to transfer students. The MTA may be completed after admission to EMU, however, students should inform their advisors or they may be advised to complete additional courses for the general education program. If already on the transcript, the MACRAO designation will be accepted at EMU after August 2019.*
3. Only courses with a grade of "C" or better (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) will be accepted for transfer to either institution.
4. Under this agreement, EMU will waive the 60-hour rule and require that a minimum of 30 credit hours must be completed in EMU courses, with at least 15 hours in the program at the 300-level or above. Of the last 30 hours completed before graduating, a minimum of 10 credit hours must be in courses offered by EMU. A minimum of 120 credit hours, completed in-residence or accepted in transfer, is required for graduation.
5. Students must satisfy all admission requirements at the time of application for admission to EMU, including submitting transcripts from all previously attended colleges. SC4 students will receive equal consideration with other students for course registration and financial aid.
6. Students are encouraged to contact the Francine Parker Advising Center before applying to EMU. To facilitate advising and the evaluation of transcripts, [sign up for this articulation agreement](#) and bring a copy of this articulation guide to all advising sessions.

### Effective Date: September 1, 2022 until August 31, 2025.

This is a renewal of an agreement made in September 2012 and renewed in September 2016. This agreement is consistent with the 2022-2023 catalog. Students have until summer 2030 to graduate from Eastern Michigan University following this agreement. In the event that a student does not complete the program within seven years, they may be required to have their credits reevaluated using the requirements of the current articulation guide.

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