

SOUTHWEST TENNESSEE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
"2+2" ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
October 2008

This agreement is made between and among the Criminal Justice degree areas at Southwest Tennessee Community College (Southwest) and Christian Brothers University (CBU). The aforementioned departments at Southwest Tennessee Community College (Southwest) and Christian Brothers University (CBU) agree to the following principles of articulation:

- 1) The purpose of this articulation agreement is to address the needs of students at Southwest Tennessee Community College (Southwest) who have completed undergraduate degree courses and choose to transfer into the Bachelor of Arts in Applied Psychology with Criminal Justice concentration at CBU. More specifically, this agreement addresses students who have completed the entire Associate of Applied Science Degree in Criminal Justice Studies with Police Concentration with a GPA of 2.5 or higher and desire to receive college credit at CBU. Each student must authorize Southwest to provide appropriate documentation in the form of an official transcript, verifying successful completion of the courses required for the AAS degree.
- 2) The competencies of the set of courses listed as required for the AAS degree have been examined by the faculty members at both Southwest and CBU. The competencies are comparable and the outcomes for all students successfully completing the courses are therefore equivalent. The competencies for the courses having been found comparable and the outcomes judged to be equivalent provide adequate assurance that students have acquired the specified skills needed for successful articulation of academic credit.
- 3) Students who have only partially completed the requirements for the AAS degree at Southwest and desire to transfer to CBU and receive college credit in individual courses must provide appropriate documentation in the form of an official Southwest transcript, verifying successful completion of the courses. Transfer credit will be determined based on the overall articulation agreement in affect with Southwest at the time the transcript is submitted for review. Individual course transfer credit is not guaranteed for each course required for the AAS. This articulation agreement specifically covers the set of Southwest courses taken as a whole, not individual course equivalencies.
- 4) As the needs of students and curricula of either or both institutions may change, it is reasonable to say that courses at both Southwest and CBU will be reevaluated for any change in course content and/or competencies at a date to be determined by both parties. It is recommended, however, that program reviews and recommendations be made by October 30 for implementation during the following academic year. Both Southwest and CBU have responsibility for informing their students of any changes in this articulation agreement.
- 5) Students wishing to articulate credit from Southwest should begin the process by enrolling at CBU and visiting with a Southwest advisor to obtain the appropriate documentation. The Chair of Social and Behavioral Sciences and Criminal Justice will review the Southwest documentation. The Office of Graduate and Professional Studies at CBU will also review and approve in writing the packet of documentation for CBU and then forward it to the Registrar so that the applicable credit may be recorded on the student's transcript.

**CBU Courses
2+2 Agreement with Southwest**

STCC Course	CBU Equivalent
ENGL 1010	ENG 111
ENGL 1020	ENG 112
Literature Elective	Literature Elective
MATH 1630	MATH 105
Natural Science w/ Lab (8 hours)	Natural Science w/ Lab (8 hours)
PSYC 1010	PSYC 105
SOCI 1010	SOC 101
Fine Arts Elective (6 hours)	Fine Arts Elective (6 hours)
History Elective (6 hours)	History Elective (6 hours)
CJST 1010	CJ 200
CJST 2000	CJ 205
CJST 2210	CJ 210
CJST 1050	CJ elective
SPCH 2010	SPCH 125

Electives: Choose 2 of the following:

CJST 1160	CJ 225
CJSC 1040	CJ 215
Literature Elective	Literature Elective
ETHC 2030	PHIL 220
Foreign Language Elective	Foreign Language Elective
POLI 2010	POLS 112
ANTH 2010	ANTH 160

Total Hours Transferred: 59
Total Hours Applied to CBU Degree: 50
Hours to be Completed at CBU: 63