

A Joint Admissions Agreement Between
Suffolk County Community College and
Stony Brook University

Purpose of This Agreement

The purpose of this agreement is to outline the procedure for a Joint Admissions Program between Suffolk County Community College (hereinafter identified as Suffolk) and Stony Brook University (hereinafter identified as Stony Brook).

The Joint Admissions Program stipulates that upon admission to Suffolk in the programs listed in Appendix A, students are guaranteed admission into the College of Arts and Sciences at Stony Brook, provided they have completed their Associate in Arts or Associate in Science degree at Suffolk with a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.8.

Students are also assured that upon completion of an Associate in Science degree in Engineering Science by June 1 with a cumulative grade point average of 3.20 or higher and who earn grades of B or higher in major courses including calculus and physics will be guaranteed admission to the major in Mechanical Engineering, Engineering Science, Electrical Engineering, or Computer Engineering in the College of Engineering and Applied Sciences at Stony Brook. Additionally, courses used for the major may not be repeated. **Students must declare and be accepted directly into the Engineering Science major as first time matriculated freshmen at Suffolk. Please note students may only matriculate in an Engineering Degree at Stony Brook University through the Joint Admissions program for the FALL term.**

Suffolk students who complete an Associate in Science degree in Computer Science by June 1 with a cumulative grade point average of 3.20 or higher and earn grades of B or higher in courses evaluated as equivalent to each MAT 131, 132, CSE 114, 214, and *215 at Stony Brook with an average of 3.2 or higher in the CSE 114, 214 and 215 equivalents will be guaranteed admission to Stony Brook's Computer Science major. **Additionally, courses used for the major may not be repeated. Students must declare and be accepted directly into the Computer Science major as first time matriculated freshmen at Suffolk. Please note students may only matriculate into the Computer Science major at Stony Brook University through the Joint Admissions program for the FALL term.**

*Note: effective for the Fall 2025 term, CSE 215 will be replaced with CSE 113 as a requirement for the Bachelor's degree at Stony Brook.

Suffolk students who complete an Associate in Arts degree in Mathematics with a cumulative GPA of 2.8 or higher, grades of B- or better in linear algebra and multivariable calculus, in all attempts, will be guaranteed admission to Stony Brook's **Applied Math and Statistics major**. At most one of the courses in calculus and linear algebra may be repeated.

Suffolk students who complete an Associate in Arts degree in Liberal Arts (general studies emphasis), an Associate in Science degree in Business Administration, or an Associate in Science degree in Accounting with a cumulative grade point average of 3.2, will be guaranteed admission to Stony Brook's **Business Management major**.

Suffolk students who complete an Associate in Arts or Associate in Science degree with a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.8 and earn grades of C or higher in Anatomy & Physiology I and II, equivalent to HAN 200 and HAN 202 at Stony Brook, will be guaranteed admission to the major in **Health Science**. Upon matriculation, students must complete the Health Science major declaration workshop/survey, within their first semester at Stony Brook University.

Students who complete relevant general education requirements and the lower division courses required by their major department prior to transferring to Stony Brook, as outlined in the Stony Brook Undergraduate Bulletin, should plan to complete their degree for one of the programs in Appendix B in the time it takes to complete the minimum credit and coursework requirements to reach a minimum of 120 credits, the typical bachelor's degree at Stony Brook. Note that some degrees require additional credits. Completion of degree requirements is dependent upon fall semester matriculation at Stony Brook and the student's program of study and progress in completing the requirements of the major.

To be eligible for the Joint Admissions Program, students should select Joint Admissions on their initial college application or contact the Admissions Office at their home campus at Suffolk prior to the completion of 24 credits.

The Joint Admissions Program is open to:

1. Applicants to Suffolk who will be first-time, matriculated freshmen;* or
2. Transfer applicants to Suffolk who will enter with fewer than 24 credits of completed college work, except students who were previously matriculated at Stony Brook or otherwise noted;** or
3. Any current matriculated Suffolk student who applies to the Joint Admissions Program prior to the completion of 24 credits of college work, except where otherwise noted**.

**** Engineering and Computer Science Majors - must declare and be accepted directly into the major as first time matriculated freshmen at Suffolk.**

Stony Brook and Suffolk agree jointly to provide the following:

1. Each institution will designate a coordinator and an academic advisor for the Joint Admissions Program.
2. Suffolk and Stony Brook agree to publicize the agreement on respective websites and mention it in publications. Transfer advisors at both Suffolk and Stony Brook will be made aware of this agreement and will have available all necessary information to share with the students with whom they work.

Stony Brook agrees to provide the following for associate's degree candidates at Suffolk who apply for Joint Admissions:

1. Academic Advising sessions will take place with Stony Brook representatives who will meet at Suffolk with students in the Joint Admissions Program. The purpose of these meetings will be to provide academic advice about Stony Brook's curriculum and general information about Stony Brook.
2. Information sessions, as needed, with faculty and staff of Suffolk who will be involved in consulting and advising students enrolled in the Joint Admissions Program.
3. A viewable chart on Stony Brook's website with course equivalencies for students to plan out their course of study. The viewable chart is updated as new courses present themselves in the curriculum or as syllabi change.
4. Early registration dates for a student's first term at Stony Brook, provided they have completed all necessary checklist items to enroll. While it is typical that new students register after continuing students, dates will be set aside for students who are admitted through the Joint Admissions program to be one of the first new student groups to register.

Suffolk agrees to provide the following for associate degree candidates at Suffolk who apply for Joint Admissions:

1. Suffolk will be responsible for selection of candidates to the Joint Admissions Program. Applications will be evaluated according to the basic criteria in effect for admission to Suffolk.
2. On October 1 and February 1 of each year, Suffolk will provide Stony Brook with a list of all students participating in the Joint Admissions Program. Also at this time, Suffolk will submit a list of the Joint Admissions students scheduled to graduate at the end of the semester who have indicated their intent to attend Stony Brook the following semester, along with copies of their transcripts.
3. By July 1 (for fall enrollees) and January 15 (for spring enrollees) Stony Brook will request official proof of receipt of associate's degree for Joint Admissions students and final transcripts.
4. Suffolk will assist in setting up advisement programs involving Stony Brook staff.

Articulation for Transfer Students Not Participating in Joint Admissions:

Procedures outlined herein relate specifically to students who simultaneously apply to Suffolk and Stony Brook. Some students who apply to Suffolk have not decided upon their ultimate educational objective or transfer destination. During the course of study at Suffolk, they may decide upon transferring to Stony Brook.

The two institutions agree to make every effort to facilitate transfer to Stony Brook of Suffolk graduates not covered by this agreement. It is understood, however, that students not covered by the Joint Admissions agreement must apply and meet the admission standards of Stony Brook University.

Terms of This Agreement

Suffolk and Stony Brook will jointly review this agreement every three years. However, this agreement will be in effect beginning in Fall 2024 and will automatically renew each year unless curricula has changed or other programs are added. If any changes need to be made either by Suffolk or Stony Brook, the respective institutions will notify the Joint Admissions Liaison(s) at their institution in writing **before** the process to make changes begins.

All students who apply for the Joint Admissions Program from Fall 2024 and later will be eligible for Joint Admissions.

APPENDIX A
The Joint Admissions Programs of Study at Suffolk County Community College

Accounting AS	3.2*
Adolescence Education Studies - Biology (7-12) AA	2.8
Adolescence Education Studies - English (7-12) AA	2.8
Adolescence Education Studies - History (7-12) AA	2.8
Adolescence Education Studies - Mathematics (7-12) AA	2.8
Business Administration AS	3.2*
Computer Science AS	3.2**
Communication Studies AA	2.8****
Engineering Science AS	3.2***
Exercise Science AS	2.8++
Healthcare Studies AS	2.8++
History AA	2.8
Human Services AS	2.8++
Journalism AA	2.8****
Liberal Arts and Sciences: General Studies AA	2.8
Liberal Arts and Sciences: Science - Biology AS	2.8++
Liberal Arts and Sciences: Science - Chemistry AS	2.8++
Liberal Arts and Sciences: Science - Earth and Space Science - Astronomy AS	2.8
Liberal Arts and Sciences: Science - Earth and Space Science - Geology AS	2.8
Liberal Arts and Sciences: Science - Earth and Space Science - Meteorology AS	2.8
Liberal Arts and Sciences: Science - Marine Biology AS	2.8
Liberal Arts and Sciences: Science - Physics AS	2.8++
Mathematics AA	2.8*****
Philosophy AA	2.8
Political Science AA	2.8
Psychology AA	2.8
Sociology AA	2.8
Visual Arts AS	2.8
Women's and Gender Studies AA	2.8

*Transfer to Business major

**Transfer to Computer Science major

***Transfer to Computer Engineering major, Electrical Engineering major,
Engineering Science major, or Mechanical Engineering major

**** Transfer to Journalism or Mass Communication major

*****Transfer to Applied Mathematics and Statistics or Math major

++ These programs align well with the BS in Health Science at Stony Brook. However, other programs may be chosen at Stony Brook if requirements are met as stated in this agreement

APPENDIX B
The Joint Admissions Programs of Study at Stony Brook University

Africana Studies BA
Anthropology BA
****Applied Mathematics and Statistics BS
Art History and Criticism BA
Art Studio BA
Asian and Asian American Studies BA
Astronomy/ Planetary Sciences BS
Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences BS
Biochemistry BS
Biology BA, BS
*Business Management BS
Chemistry BA, BS
***Computer Engineering BE
**Computer Science BS
Earth and Space Sciences BA
Economics BA
***Electrical Engineering BE
Engineering Chemistry BS
***Engineering Science BE
English BA
Environmental Studies BA
French Language and Literature BA
Geology BS
Health Science BS
History BA
Human Evolutionary Biology BS
Italian Studies BA
Journalism BA
Linguistics BA
Marine Sciences BS
Marine Vertebrate Biology BS
Mathematics BS
Mass Communication BA
***Mechanical Engineering BE
Multidisciplinary Studies BA
Philosophy BA
Physics BS
Political Science BA
Psychology BA, BS
Sociology BA
Spanish Language and Literature BA
Women's and Gender Studies BA

*Business Management: See agreement for details

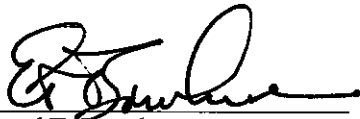
**Computer Science: See agreement for details

***Engineering Science: See agreement for details

****Applied Math and Statistics: See agreement for details. Requires a minimum of 2.8 GPA

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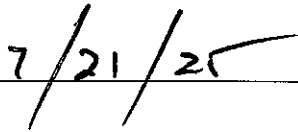
Those signed below agree with the Joint Admissions Agreement as stated above between Suffolk County Community College and Stony Brook University



Dr. Edward T. Bonahue
President
Suffolk County Community College - SUNY



William A. Wertheim, MD, MBA
Officer in Charge
Executive Vice President



Date

7/24/25

Date



Dr. Irene Rios
Vice President for Academic Affairs
Suffolk County Community College - SUNY



Dr. Carl Lejuez
Provost and Executive Vice President for
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Stony Brook University - SUNY

7/2/2025

Date

7/24/2025

Date