

Joint Admissions Agreement between Suffolk County Community College and SUNY Oneonta

I. Purpose:

This is a Joint Admissions (“Agreement”) between Suffolk County Community College (hereinafter “Suffolk”) located at 533 College Road, Selden, New York 11784 and SUNY Oneonta (hereinafter “Oneonta”) located at 108 Ravine Parkway, Oneonta, New York 13820. This Agreement establishes the terms and procedures for Suffolk students who would like to obtain the associated bachelor’s degree at Oneonta after graduating Suffolk. Furthermore, this Agreement embraces the principle that transfer students should not be required to repeat competencies already achieved. The purpose of this agreement is to guarantee admissions into specified programs as long as the stated criteria is met.

Under this Agreement, associate degree graduates admitted into Oneonta will have junior status enabling them to complete the requirements for a bachelor’s degree in four semesters of full-time attendance. Graduates will be awarded credits, subject to Oneonta’s specific program and/or institutional requirements. Graded courses completed with a grade of D- or higher will be accepted in transfer. A minimum of a cumulative 2.5 GPA from Suffolk County Community College is required for consideration of admission to Oneonta. Please see section III for the minimum cumulative GPA required to graduate at Oneonta following degree completion at Suffolk.

II. Eligibility

The joint admissions program is open to: *

- Applicants to Suffolk who will be first-time, matriculated freshman; or
- Transfer applicants to Suffolk who will enter with fewer than 24 credits of completed college work, except students who were previously matriculated at Oneonta; or
- Any current matriculated Suffolk student who applies to the Joint Admissions Program prior to the completion of 24 credits of college work

***Students on VISAS are not eligible.**

Articulation for Transfer Students Not Eligible for Joint Admissions

Suffolk students not covered by the joint admission Agreement are still eligible to seek admissions to Oneonta through the regular admissions process by applying and by meeting the admissions standards of Oneonta. Non-joint admission graduates will still be awarded credits subject to Oneonta specific program and/or institutional requirements. Only graded courses completed with a grade of D- or higher will be accepted in transfer

As part of this Joint Admission Agreement, students who have completed a Suffolk program listed in Section III with the specified minimum GPA and any additional admissions requirements, are guaranteed admission into the associated Oneonta program. These students are

provided junior status and the opportunity to complete the baccalaureate degree in two additional years of full-time study at Oneonta.

III. Program Table:

Suffolk County Community College Program	SUNY Oneonta Transfer Program	Minimum GPA	Additional Admissions Requirements
Accounting, A.S.	Business Administration, B.S. (as of fall 2022)	2.0 or better in major required courses	
History, A.A.	History, B.S.	2.0	
Sociology, A.A.	Sociology (General, Community & Envir, Criminology or Human Services track), B.A.	2.0	
Music, A.S.	Music, B.A.	2.0	Performance audition required
Mathematics, A.A.	Mathematics, B.S.	2.0	
Theatre Arts General - Technical Theatre, A.S.	Theatre, B.S.	2.0	
Theatre Arts - Acting A.S.	Theatre, B.S.	2.0	
Performing Arts, A.S.	Theatre, B.S.	2.0	
Business Administration, A.S.	Business Administration, B.S. (as of fall 2022)	2.0 C or better in major required courses	
Communication Studies, A.A.	Communication Studies, B.S.	2.0	
Political Science, A.A.	Political Science, B.S.	2.0	
Digital Art, A.S.	Digital & Studio Arts, B.S.	2.0	
Sport Management, A.S.	Sport Management, B.S.	2.0	
Criminal Justice, A.S.	Criminal Justice, B.S.	2.0	
Psychology, A.A.	Psychology, B.S.	2.0	
Visual Arts, A.S.	Digital & Studio Arts, B.S.	2.0	
Liberal Arts and Science: Humanities - Philosophy, A.A.	Philosophy (Applied or Liberal Arts track), B.A.	2.0	
Liberal Arts and Science: Science - Biology, A.S.	Biology, B.S.	2.0	
Liberal Arts and Science: Science - Chemistry	Chemistry, B.S.	2.0	
Liberal Arts and Science: Science - Earth Science, A.S.	Earth Science, B.S.	2.0	
Liberal Arts and Science: Science – Geology, A.S.	Geology, B.S.	2.0	
Liberal Arts and Sciences: Humanities - Creative Writing, A.A.	English, B.A.	2.0	

Liberal Arts and Sciences: General Studies, A.A.	African & LatinX Studies, B.A. Anthropology (General track), B.A. Psychology, B.S. Human Development and Family Studies, B.S. English, B.A. Fashion & Textiles (Non-FIT), B.S. Geography (General, GIS or Urban & Regional Planning track), B.S. International Studies, B.A. Media Studies, B.S. Philosophy- (Applied or Liberal Arts track), B.A.	2.0	
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IV. Oneonta Responsibilities:

- a. Publicize this Agreement to students, faculty and professional staff in campus publications and on Oneonta's website.
- b. Designate a contact from the Office of Undergraduate Admission for Suffolk County Community College students transferring to Oneonta.
- c. Oneonta agrees to provide, as needed, information sessions with faculty and staff of Suffolk who will be involved in consulting and advising students enrolled in the Joint Admissions program.
- d. Provide information on degree changes as they become available if they impact a student's time for degree completion.
- e. Review all applications from Suffolk County Community College students to ensure that the requirements in section III have been met. Provided the student has graduated with the required grade point average and has met all admission criteria, admission shall be granted to the student. Suffolk County Community College students who are unable to satisfy an admission requirement may be considered by the Oneonta on a case by case basis.
- f. Oneonta will provide students admitted to the Joint Admissions Program with a(n):
 - a. Waived application fee
 - b. Waived essay and letters of recommendation
 - c. Welcome letter
 - d. Identification card enabling them to use the library, athletic facilities, and computer laboratories, and the opportunity to participate in or attend cultural or student activities.
 - e. Transfer of credit for their associate degree up to 75 credits excluding any developmental courses.
 - f. Deposits are due by May 1st but Oneonta will continue to accept them on a space available basis. The pre-registration survey is due by June 30th. The

Office of Academic Advisement will preset schedules and offer advising appointments in early July.

V. Suffolk Responsibilities

- a. Suffolk will list Oneonta on the Suffolk application as a joint admissions option.
- b. Publicize this Agreement to students, faculty and professional staff in campus publications.
- c. Have advisors and counselors inform interested students of this opportunity.
- d. Organize a Transfer Day for students to meet with advisors on Suffolk's campuses. This event shall include meetings with Oneonta advisors, on Suffolk's campuses, the Oneonta campus or virtually.
- e. Suffolk will be responsible for selection of candidates to the Joint Admissions Program. Applications will be evaluated according to the basic criteria in effect at Suffolk.
- f. On October 15th and February 15th of each year, Suffolk will provide Oneonta with a list of all students participating in the Joint Admissions Program including the following information: majors, total completed credits, address, phone numbers and Suffolk student email addresses (if available). Suffolk's Dean of Enrollment Management will serve as the contact point for any student data or information associated with this Agreement.

VI. Scholarship Opportunities

Transfer Success and Transfer Excellence scholarships ranging from \$1,500 to 2,000 per year will be offered to Suffolk transfer students who meet the criteria as outlined on our website and as funds are available. Additionally, three (3) foundation scholarships are awarded to students in the fall semester only.

VII. Terms of Agreement

The term of this Agreement commences on September 1, 2022, and terminates in seven (7) years, on August 31, 2029. Prior to termination, Suffolk County Community College and Oneonta will assess the Agreement to adjust as necessary with the intent of extending the agreement. This Agreement may be modified or terminated at any time by the mutual written consent of the parties. In the event it is decided at any time to modify or terminate this Agreement, commitments made to individual students already in the program will continue in effect for the terms applicable at the time the student enrolled in the program.

***Each institution will annually review for any curricular changes at the sending and/or receiving institutions and update as necessary, including expanding its scope to encompass other programs, as appropriate.

APPROVAL OF JOINT ADMISSIONS AGREEMENT

APPROVED FOR

Suffolk County Community College



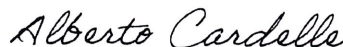
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Dr. Edward Bonahue
President

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SUNY Oneonta



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