

POLICY: 6Hx28:4-06

Responsible Executive: College
Provost & Vice President, Academic
Affairs Vice President, Academic
Affairs, Institutional Effectiveness, &
Planning

Policy Contacts: Provost, General Education; Provost, Workforce Education

Specific Authority: 1001.64, F.S. **Law Implemented: 1**001.64, F.S.

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Award of Credit

Policy Statement:

- I. The District Board of Trustees and the Valencia College ("College") President have determined that the award of college credit (from regionally accredited institutions) shall be based on the standards of good practice in higher education. in accordance with the Commission on Colleges, the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, the American Council on Education, the American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, and the National Association of Foreign Student Administrators.
- II. The College will award transfer credit for undergraduate coursework completed at a college or university accredited by an agency recognized by the United States

 Department of Education in accordance with applicable laws, state regulations, the State Common Course Numbering System (SCNS), and institutional transfer credit evaluation procedures.
- III. Coursework taken on a non-credit basis will be awarded when there is documentation that the noncredit coursework is equivalent to a designated credit experience.
- IV. The College President or designee may establish procedures to implement this policy.

Policy History:

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Related Documents/Policies:

College Catalog

Procedures:

I. A student may request an award of College credit for undergraduate coursework taken from a college or university accredited by an agency recognized by the United States Department of Education, for foreign coursework evaluated by an approved credential evaluation agency as identified by the Florida Department of Education, and/or for experiential learning. For more information, see the College Catalog on the following topics:

A. "Transfer Credits"; and/or

B. "Experiential Learning", as appropriate.

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