



Item: AS: A-6

Tuesday, September 9, 2025

SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF NEW REGULATION 3.006, ARTICULATION

PROPOSED Board ACTION

Recommend approval of new Regulation 3.006, Articulation.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The University is seeking approval of new Regulation 3.006, Articulation. The proposed regulation is created to comply with Board of Governors' Regulation 8.007 and includes a process for the transfer of course credits from different institutions.

IMPLEMENTATION PLAN/DATE

The proposed new regulation will be implemented and effective upon adoption by the Board of Trustees.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no fiscal implications to this proposed board action.

Supporting Documentation: Proposed New Regulation 3.006, Articulation

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Florida Atlantic University

Regulation 3.006

Articulation

- (1) Purpose. This regulation is established to outline the process for articulation in alignment with Florida Board of Governors (BOG) Regulation 8.007.
- (2) Statewide Course Numbering System (SCNS). Courses in the SCNS transferred from another institution will satisfy the University's requirements on the same basis as credit awarded to native University students. Accepted transfer course credits will first be applied to general education requirements, then to other degree requirements, prioritizing those that will help the student satisfy the more required components of the program.
- (3) Common Prerequisites. The University shall accept all approved Articulation Coordinating Committee (ACC) common prerequisite courses, alternative courses or substitutions for progression into the upper division of the applicable baccalaureate program offered at the University. Only courses approved by the ACC as common prerequisites can be considered for admission to the upper division of the program. Completion of common prerequisites alone does not guarantee a student admission to a particular degree program.
- (4) Associate in Arts (AA) Degrees. Students may be awarded an AA degree from the University pursuant to Section 1007.25, F.S. and afforded the same articulation provisions as an AA degree awarded by a Florida College System (FCS) institution. Students with AA degrees from an FCS institution shall be granted admission to the upper division of the applicable University baccalaureate program, but preferred programs cannot be guaranteed and may have additional requirements for admission.
- (5) Specialized Associate in Arts Transfer (SAAT) Degrees. The University may enter into articulation agreements with FCS institutions to provide an articulation pathway for students enrolled in SAAT programs. The University shall notify the BOG Chancellor or designee of any such agreements, including any modifications or terminations, and shall provide the BOG with an annual report indicating the student enrollment and number of graduates from SAAT degree programs.
- (6) 2+2 Targeted Pathway Articulation Agreements. The University shall partner with at least one FCS institution to develop a 2 +2 targeted pathway agreement to provide admission for students into specific programs. The University shall notify the BOG Chancellor or designee of any such agreements, including any modifications or terminations, and shall provide the BOG with an annual report indicating the student enrollment and number of graduates from the 2+2 targeted pathway programs.
- (7) Associate in Science Degree (AS). The University may partner with FCS institutions to develop an AS to a baccalaureate degree articulation agreement. Any such agreements must be consistent with Florida Statutes and BOG regulations and approved by the ACC.

(8) College Credit for Law Enforcement Training and Experience. The University shall award credit for prior training and experience of law enforcement personnel pursuant to the Articulation Coordinating Committee Credit for Law Enforcement Training and Experience List adopted by the Board of Governors in effect at the time of a student's evaluation. General education and degree requirements will be prioritized during credit awarding before applying towards degree electives. The University shall accept transfer credits awarded by a Florida public postsecondary institution subject to its limitations on the amount and level of transfer credit per degree.

(9) Transcript Exchange. The University shall maintain an electronic exchange of student transcripts between other Florida postsecondary institutions and the Florida Department of Education using the Florida Automated System for Transferring Educational Records (FASTER) or another system that converts education records into a compatible format.

(10) Policies and Procedures. The President, the Provost and their respective designees are delegated authority to implement additional policies and procedures in furtherance of and consistent with the requirements set forth herein, BOG Regulation 8.007 and other applicable governing authorities.

Authority: Section 7 (d), Art. IX, Fla. Const., Section 1004.085, Fla. Stat., Fla. Bd. of Gov. Regulation 8.007. History—New 09-xx-2025