

Articulation Agreement between the Raritan Valley Community College and Norwich University College of Graduate and Continuing Studies

I. Subject Matter

This Articulation Agreement is by and between Norwich University College of Graduate and Continuing Studies (NUCGCS) and Raritan Valley Community College.

II. Purpose

The purpose of this agreement is to acknowledge that students from Raritan Valley Community College may transfer a minimum of “60” credits into Norwich University’s online degree completion Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice program.

III. Scope

1. To be eligible for application the student must submit proof of having been awarded an associate’s degree in Criminal Justice from Raritan Valley Community College in the form of an official transcript.
2. Students who complete a minimum of 60 semester credits, with a grade of “C” or better will be eligible to enter the Criminal Justice online baccalaureate program at Norwich University.
3. Credits earned in excess of 60 semester credits will be evaluated on an individual basis for a possible additional transfer credit up to a possible 84 credits into specific requirements of the online Criminal Justice degree completion baccalaureate program.

IV. Terms of the Agreement

Norwich University will:

1. Provide Raritan Valley Community College graduates with a waiver of the application fee and with a tuition scholarship of \$500.00 off the tuition to online degree programs offered by Norwich University at current tuition rates. Programs offered at military tuition assistance levels are not subject to this discount.
2. Students who have been accepted with a minimum of 60 credits will have 63 credits left to complete the online Bachelor degree completion program in Criminal Justice.

Raritan Valley Community College will:

1. Inform students of the \$500.00 tuition scholarship offered to associate degree graduates of the Criminal Justice program.
2. Inform students that Norwich University will automatically accept 60 credits earned with a “C” or better and students will only have to take a maximum of 63 credits towards their 123 credits to complete a bachelor’s degree in Criminal Justice from Norwich University.
3. Inform students that Norwich University will review all Raritan Valley Community College Criminal Justice graduates on an individual basis to determine if the student qualifies for additional credits up to 84 credits, which is the maximum number of credits Norwich may accept.

V. Addendum

The parties recognize this agreement shall include by reference any future addendum. Such addendum shall be a part of this agreement where the terms of the addendum are approved by both parties at such time.

VI. Period of Agreement

This agreement remains in effect until either party decides this agreement is null and void. The party wishing to dissolve this agreement must give the other party a *sixty-day* written notice of termination of agreement. This agreement must be signed and dated by agents for both parties. The *sixty-day* notice will be in effect upon receipt of the termination of agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Parties have caused this Agreement to be executed in duplicate.

NORWICH UNIVERSITY

RARITAN VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

By: _____

By: _____

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Date: _____

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