

2025-2027 Home Education Dual Enrollment Articulation Agreement

The Home Education Articulation Agreement, pursuant to section (s.) 1007.271(13)(b), Florida Statutes ((F.S.),
requires each postsecondary institution to enter into an agreement with each home education student see	eking
enrollment in a dual enrollment course and the student's parent(s) and/or guardian(s). This agreeme	ent is
entered into by and between Wilton Simpson Technical College, and	

Student Name College ID Number

Dual Enrollment Courses

Only career preparatory courses contained within the state course numbering system, and are part of a sequence of courses in a program offered through Wilton Simpson Technical College which lead to an industry certification, are part of this agreement. New programs/courses meeting this specification can be added to the agreement at any time by agreement of the chief administrative officers of each party. The courses currently available for the 2025-2027 school year are:

Program	Program Number	Course Name	Course Code	Clock Hours	Credit Hours
Cybersecurity Applied	Y100300	Cybersecurity Associate	CTS0018	600	1.5
		Information Security Manager	CTS0019	150	1.5
		Data Security Specialist		150	1.5
				750	4.5
	T400700	Automobile Services Assistor	AER0014	300	2
Master Automotive		Automotive Brake System Technician	AER0418	150	2
Service Technology		Automobile Suspension & Steering Technician	AER0453	150	2
1		Automotive Electrical/Electronic System Tech	AER0360	300	1
		Engine Repair Technician	AER0110	150	1
				1050	7
Heating, Ventilation,	C400410	Introduction to HVAC/R	ACR0000	250	1.5
Air Conditioning/		HVAC/R Fundamentals	ACR0001	250	1.5
Refrigeration 1		HVAC/R Service Practices	ACR0012	250	1.5

				750	4.5
	J400400	Welder Assistant 1	PMT0070	150	2
Welding Technology		Welder Assistant 2	PMT0071	150	2
		Welder, SMAW 1	PMT0072	150	2
		Welder, SMAW 2	PMT0073	150	1
		Welder	PMT0074	450	3
				1050	7
	T650100	Diesel Engine Mechanic/Tech Helper	DIM0101	150	2
Diesel Systems		Diesel Electrical and Electronics Technician	DIM0102	300	2
Technician 1		Diesel Engine Technician	DIM0104	300	2
		Diesel Brakes Technician	DIM0105	300	1
				1050	7
CNC Production	J200300	CNC Production Technician I	PMT0026	300	2
Specialist		CNC Production Technician II	PMT0027	300	2
				600	4

Eligibility Requirements

To participate in the home education career dual enrollment program, home education students and their parent(s)/guardian(s) shall meet the following criteria:

- 1. Students must be enrolled in a home education program, pursuant to Section 1002.41, F.S., as may be amended.
- 2. In collaboration with The School Choice Office, Wilton Simpson Technical College will ensure proof and proper documentation of enrollment in a home education program.
- 3. Students must have this Home Education Career Dual Enrollment Articulation Agreement signed and on file with the College to be eligible to participate in dual enrollment at Wilton Simpson Technical College.
- 4. Students must be a minimum of 16 years of age and have achieved a minimum status, as verified by the parent(s)/guardian(s).
- 5. The student must possess and maintain a minimum 2.0 unweighted grade point average (GPA) for enrollment. Students must demonstrate preparedness for postsecondary education by completing an entry level basic skills examination prior to entering the program and meeting the Basic Skills Requirements as specified in 6A-10.040, F.A.C. The acceptable exam for this requirement is the Test of Adult Basic Education. A student may be exempt from entrance testing requirements by submitting documentation of any of the following:
 - a. Minimum SAT Scores: 24 Reading, 25 Writing & Language, 24 Math
 - b. Minimum ACT Scores: 19 Reading, 17 English, 19 Math
 - c. Possession of a state, national, or industry certification or licensure examination identified in the State Board of Education rules and aligned to the career education program in which the student is enrolled.
- 6. To maintain eligibility in the Dual Enrollment program, students must maintain a minimum 2.0 GPA for courses taken at the Colleges. Health programs may require a higher GPA as published in the Wilton Simpson Technical College Student Handbooks.
- 7. Applications for career dual enrollment will be accepted by the Wilton Simpson Technical College in Spring and Fall for the beginning of the following semester.
- 8. Rule 6A-10.040 and Section 1004.91(2) F.S., Basic Skills Requirements for Postsecondary Career and Technical Certificate Education require that students shall complete an entry level basic skills

- examination within the first six weeks of admission into the program. Additionally, continued eligibility for career dual enrollment requires successful completion of each course within the career certificate, prior to graduation of the career certificate program.
- 9. Students must enroll at a time whereby they can successfully complete the career certificate course prior to graduation from high school. Students may lose the opportunity to participate in the dual enrollment program if they are disruptive to the learning process.
- 10. Home education students participating in career dual enrollment will be responsible to meet the college rules for registration, attendance, and behavior as specified in the Wilton Simpson Technical College's student handbook. 1007.271. F.S.
- 11. Per section 1007.271, F.S., HCSD and Wilton Simpson Technical College will not deny dual enrollment participation to students who meet both the statutory requirements and any additional eligibility requirements established in the Dual Enrollment Articulation Agreement, provided that Dual Enrollment budget and available seating exist.
- 12. The student's responsibilities for providing his or her own transportation. HB 7055 that passed during the 2018 Legislative session removed the requirement that home school students provide their own instructional materials. However, transportation is still the responsibility of the individual student. A copy of the statement on transfer guarantees developed by the Department of Education. The *Dual Enrollment Transfer Guarantees* document is available on the website at http://www.fldoe.org/policy/articulation.

Due to space constrictions within the programs, placement will be allocated to dual enrollment students based on budget and available seats. There will be a waitlist. Students will be allocated a place based on the following criteria:

- 1. They still meet the eligibility requirements.
- 2. If enrolled, they would be able to complete the dual enrollment course prior to graduating high school.
- 3. Allocation for placement will be given on a first come first served basis.

Exceptions may be made based on seat availability and/or Dual Enrollment budget constraints.

Students with Disabilities

Wilton Simpson Technical College assures students with disabilities equal access as described in Section 504 and 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act of 2008 (ADAAA). Disclosure of a disability is voluntary.

A student must satisfy the definition of a disability as established by the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. Section 504 defines a disability as a condition which substantially limits one or more major life activities such as learning, walking, seeing, hearing, breathing, caring for oneself, and working. To be eligible for accommodations, a student must provide appropriate documentation of each disability that demonstrates an accompanying substantial limitation to one or more major life activities. To obtain services and accommodations, current documentation is required (within 5 years) and must be presented to Student Services.

Signatures:

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School Board Chairman, Hernando County S	Schools	
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Dr, Radiah Dent,		
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