

VETERINARY TECHNOLOGY

JAMESTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEGE AND ALFRED STATE COLLEGE

Purpose of this Agreement

This document establishes an articulation agreement between Jamestown Community College (JCC) and Alfred State College (ASC). Its purpose is to afford students the opportunity to earn the Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.) degree in Veterinary Technology from ASC by taking up to 31 credits at JCC and completing degree requirements at ASC.

Required Coursework

Appendix A lists JCC courses that may be taken to satisfy requirements of the Veterinary Technology A.A.S. degree program at ASC, and remaining coursework to be taken at ASC. Graduation requires a minimum of three of the ten SUNY General Education knowledge areas. Students can take any combination of ASC courses and JCC equivalent courses from Appendix A to meet their degree requirements.

Other Graduation Information

A minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 for all courses taken through ASC is required to graduate from the A.A.S. in the Veterinary Technology program. Grades of “C” or better in corresponding individual courses at JCC are transferable to ASC and count toward graduation requirements. The cumulative GPA of all courses transferred from JCC must be at least 3.0. At least thirty hours of academic credit must be completed through ASC. Alfred State College academic regulations can be found at www.alfredstate.edu.

A list of specific graduation requirements and additional information are provided below:

1. An ASC overall cumulative index of at least 2.0 is required in order to graduate.
2. The cumulative GPA of all courses transferred from JCC must be at least 3.0.
3. JCC students who complete all courses designated as “first year courses” in Appendix A, and who earn a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 for first-year courses taken at JCC, are guaranteed acceptance into the Veterinary Technology program at ASC and also guaranteed the opportunity to complete the A.A.S. Veterinary Technology degree in one year at ASC.
4. A maximum of twelve (12) credit hours may be transferred back within a 7-year period after leaving ASC to complete graduation requirements.
5. At least thirty credit hours of coursework for this degree must be taken through ASC.
6. Students transferring from JCC may only enter ASC’s Veterinary Technology program in the fall semester.

7. A 240-hour preceptorship work experience is required after fall semester courses are completed at ASC. This requirement can be fulfilled through employment during winter and/or spring break at an appropriate facility.
8. Under this agreement a maximum of five (5) JCC students selected by JCC will be accepted in to the Veterinary Technology Program each year. Interested students should consult a JCC advisor regarding the selection process.
9. Upon matriculation to Alfred State the student must send a letter directly to Dr. Philip Schroeder, Chair Agriculture and Veterinary Technology Department requesting to be confirmed for the articulation.
10. All VETS courses taken at ASC require a minimum C grade to continue in the program.

Appendix A

ALFRED STATE COLLEGE / JAMESTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEGE
CURRICULUM 118 - VETERINARY TECHNOLOGY

ASC Requirement		First-Year Courses	JCC Course Equivalent (credits)	
COMP	1503	Freshman Composition	ENG 1510	English Composition I (3)
CHEM	1114	General Chemistry I	CHE 1550	College Chemistry I (4)
VETS	1214	Anatomy and Physiology of Animals I	BIO 2510	Anatomy & Physiology I (4)
			MAT xxxx	Math Elective* (3)
			(course cannot also be used to fulfill the Technical Elective requirement below)	
MATH	xxx3	Math Elective*	BIO 2520	Anatomy & Physiology II (4)
VETS	2014	Anatomy & Physiology of Animals II	BUS 2570	Principles of Management (3)
BUAD	3153	Fundamentals of Management	BIO 2531	Microbiology (3) & BIO 2532 Microbiology Lab (1)
BIOL	5254	Principles of Microbiology	SUNY	General Education Elective (3)**
		General Education**	Technical Elective	(2-3)***
		Technical Elective		

JCC 30-31 credits

*Students planning to transfer to a four year program must take MATH 1033 College Algebra (JCC equivalent is MAT 1590 College Algebra and Trigonometry).

**Select from Social Science, American History, Western Civilization, Other World Civilizations, Humanities, Arts, or Foreign Language.

***JCC select from BIO 1570 Principles of Biology I, BIO 1580 Principles of Biology II, BIO 2560 Genetics, CHE 1560 College Chemistry II, MAT 1540 Elementary Statistics, MAT 1600 Precalculus, MAT 1710 Calculus & Analytic Geometry I, or a higher numbered MAT course.

ASC Fall Courses (17 credits)

- ANSC 1204 Introduction to Animal Science (4)
- VETS 1203 Introduction to Veterinary Technology (3)
- VETS 2104 Pathophysiology of Animal Disease (4)
- VETS 3023 Radiography (3)
- VETS 4103 Laboratory and Animal Exotics (3)

ASC Spring Courses (16 credits)

- VETS 3003 Animal Health Care (3)
- VETS 3004 Anesthesia & Surgical Nursing (4)
- VETS 3013 Animal Parasitology (3)
- VETS 3024 Clinical Laboratory Techniques (4)
- VETS 4302 Pharmacology for the Veterinary Technician (2)

ASC 33 credits

TOTAL CREDITS 63-64