

Florida Department of Education

Statewide Articulation Agreement Industry Certification to AAS/AS Degree Program

AAS/AS Degree Name:	Landscape and Horticulture Technology			
CIP Number(s):	AAS:	0101060500	AS:	1101060500
Industry Certification:	Certified Horticulture Professional		Code:	FNGLA001
College Credit:	The minimum award of course credits or a block of credit toward the above AAS/AS program is <u>6</u> hours of credit. This agreement does not preclude the awarding of additional credits by any college through local agreements.			

Admission Requirements

Students entering the above Associate in Applied Science and or the Associate in Science Program must have a standard high school diploma or its equivalent, or a CPT Eligible Certificate of Completion, and must meet the requirements of State Board Rule 6A-10.0315(3), FAC (College preparatory testing, placement, and instruction). Students earning scores less than those listed shall enroll in college preparatory communication and computation instruction.

Validation Mechanism:

To be eligible for articulation, the student must show evidence of their current **Certified Horticulture Professional** certification.

Rationale/Justification:

The **Certified Horticulture Professional** certification represents industry acknowledgement of technical skill attainment of competencies in the Landscape and Horticulture Technology program.

Applicability:

Community college administrators statewide were consulted and agreed the "**Certified Horticulture Professional**" certification from the Florida Nursery Growers and Landscape Association shall articulate **six (6)** college credit hours to the AAS/AS Degree in **Landscape and Horticulture Technology**.

Articulated credit awarded under this agreement may only be applied to the above AAS/AS Degree.

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