

A.S. DEGREE CAREER PATHWAYS

Articulation is the process by which Florida schools and colleges coordinate to ensure students can transfer smoothly and keep the credits they've earned. These agreements between Valencia College and specific programs at various universities provide students with opportunities to continue their educational goals and transfer credits from their A.S. degree toward a bachelor's degree.

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Statewide Career Pathways Articulation Agreements

Certain A.S. degrees transition to bachelor's degree programs in Florida's public university system. These degrees, called Articulated A.S. to B.A./B.S. Career Path degrees, are designed for students who seek immediate employment in the specified field and who decide to continue to a Florida public university as a junior to complete a bachelor's degree in the specified field.

Section 1007.23, Florida Statutes (http://www.leg.state.fl.us/Statutes/?App_mode=Display_Statute&Search_String=&URL=1000-1099/1007/Sections/1007.23.html), establishes statewide articulation agreements and facilitates the seamless transition of students among Florida's colleges and universities. These agreements are intended to serve as a minimum guarantee of articulated credit and do not preclude institutions from granting additional credit under local agreements. Below is a list of the various statewide career pathways articulation agreements (<https://www.fldoe.org/academics/career-adult-edu/career-technical-edu-agreements/>) currently available to students.

- Statewide Career Pathways Agreement to AS/AAS Degree (<https://www.fldoe.org/academics/career-adult-edu/career-technical-edu-agreements/psav-to-aas-as-degree.shtml>)
- Gold Standard Career Pathways Articulation Agreements of Industry Certification to AS/AAS Degree (<https://www.fldoe.org/academics/career-adult-edu/career-technical-edu-agreements/industry-certification.shtml>)
- ATD to AS/AAS Statewide Articulation Agreements (<https://www.fldoe.org/academics/career-adult-edu/career-tech-edu/atd-as.shtml>)
- Early Childhood Education Articulation (<https://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/7525/urlt/EarlyChildhoodArticulation.pdf>) (PDF)

2 + 2 Bachelor's Degrees at Florida State Colleges

Some A.S. Degrees will also transfer into specific 2+2 bachelor's degree programs that are offered at Florida State Colleges. Valencia College offers the following 2 + 2 Bachelor's Degrees:

- Bachelor of Applied Science in Business and Organizational Leadership (<https://catalog.valenciacollege.edu/degrees/bachelorofscience/bas/>)*

- Bachelor of Science Degree in Cardiopulmonary Sciences (<https://catalog.valenciacollege.edu/degrees/bachelorofscience/astobs cardiopulmonarysciences/>)
- Bachelor of Applied Science in Computing Technology and Software Development (<https://catalog.valenciacollege.edu/degrees/bachelorofscience/computingtechnologyandsoftwaredesign/>)
- Bachelor of Science Degree in Electrical and Computer Engineering Technology (<https://catalog.valenciacollege.edu/degrees/bachelorofscience/electricalcomputerengineeringtechnology/>)
- Bachelor of Science Degree in Elementary Education (<https://catalog.valenciacollege.edu/degrees/bachelorofscience/elementaryeducation/>)
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing (<https://catalog.valenciacollege.edu/degrees/bachelorofscience/bsn/>)
- Bachelor of Science Degree in Radiologic and Imaging Sciences (<https://catalog.valenciacollege.edu/degrees/bachelorofscience/astobsradiologicimagingciences/>)

Review the full list of approved bachelor's degree programs (<https://www.fldoe.org/file/20858/FCSAppBaccProgramsCCTCMIS.xlsx>) in the Florida College System for additional opportunities.

*All of Valencia's A.A./A.S. Degrees will transfer into Valencia's B.A.S. (Bachelor of Applied Science) degree in Business and Organizational Leadership. The B.A.S. degree prepares students for supervisory and management roles in their respective fields. This degree will provide you with the essential skills to develop an effective business plan and hands-on experience with the latest industry best practices.