

**Southwestern College
and
Seward County Community College**

Introduction

This agreement formally recognizes that Southwestern College and Seward County Community College are active partners in providing educational opportunities. Southwestern College and Seward County Community College share a commitment to developing good will and academic cooperation. Agreement to this partnership permits both institutions to facilitate programming related to student transfer without jeopardizing the mission and stated goals of either institution.

Purpose

This agreement is designed to facilitate student transfer of credit between institutions. Seward County Community College and Southwestern College agree to develop mutually agreeable plans that may include:

1. Creation and implementation of promotional materials for specific programming;
2. faculty interchange;
3. distribution of information on the internet, including the ability to electronically link both institutions through their websites;
4. possible development of program-specific articulation agreements.

Waiver of General Education Requirements in Residential Campus Programs

1. For all students holding either an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science Degree from Seward County Community College, Southwestern College waives all general education requirements, with the exception of one senior level career preparation class.

No financial implications concerning the transfer or exchange of cash, equipment, or real estate is intended or implied by this agreement. Southwestern College and Seward County Community College are separate and independent institutions of higher education and intend to remain so. The administrators of Southwestern College and Seward County Community College are authorized to prepare and implement plans of action and procedures necessary to effect this agreement.

Longevity of Agreement

This agreement will be in effect for three years from the date of the administrative endorsement, below. Renewal of agreement with appropriate content changes will be discussed at the end of this time period. Renewal of this agreement requires the written consent of both Southwestern College and Seward County Community College.

Southwestern College

James A. Sleggs
Signed

Academic Vice President
Title

1/4/12
Date

Seward County Community College

Deanna M. Jones
Signed

President
Title

1/13/2012
Date