

CREDIT FOR PREVIOUSLY ACQUIRED KNOWLEDGE AND LEARNING EXPERIENCE

I. Purpose

To allow for the recognition by the College of a student's (1) previous academic experience gained from other institutions of higher education (2) acquired knowledge, and (3) credit by examination. The College also recognizes that students may have previous knowledge or experience from other institutions, businesses, or industries, resulting in competency for our LCC courses.

II. Scope

This policy applies to all students who have applied or are currently enrolled at the College.

III. General

The College reserves the right to evaluate and award credit value for courses from other accredited and non-accredited institutions of higher education. The College will accept as official transcripts only transcripts with appropriate signatures and/or official college seals from the issuing institution. Transcripts or copies of transcripts carried by individuals will NOT be accepted for transfer credit evaluation.

The College reserves the right to evaluate and award credit value gained through job-related activities and special training experiences that apply to an academic program at the College. Learning experiences must directly relate to a specific course or courses offered by the College.

IV. Responsibility

The responsibility for the interpretation and administration of this policy is delegated to the Registrar or designee.

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