Mercer County Community College and
La Salle University
Dual Admission Agreement

Mercer County Community College (MCCC) and La Salle University enter into this agreement in order to facilitate the transfer of students from Mercer County Community College to La Salle University for the purpose of entering a bachelor’s degree program.

Subject to the terms of this agreement, a student who completes one of the designated associate degree programs listed below at MCCC with the required grade point average, will be granted admission to La Salle University. These students may complete the requirements for the bachelor’s degree program within two years, although certain majors may require more than 20 courses.

The following associate degree programs at Mercer County Community College are designated as part of the Dual Admission Agreement:

- Business Administration
- Computer Science
- Criminal Justice
- Liberal Arts
- Biology

***Students must be enrolled in one of these programs to be eligible for this Agreement. Additional majors at MCCC have not yet been approved for the Dual Admission Agreement.

To be eligible to take advantage of this agreement, the following conditions must be met:

- Students must complete the dual admission application form at any time prior to earning 45 college level credits.
- Students must graduate from MCCC with a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.5.
- Students must achieve a 'C' in all courses transferred into the proposed major at La Salle. Passing grades lower that a 'C' in CORE courses, meaning courses outside of the major, will be transferable, providing that the student graduates with a 2.5 cumulative grade point average.
- All students are required to obtain their associate’s degree from MCCC to be eligible.
All Dual Admission forms must be sent with a copy of the student’s transcript for our review.

Students may transfer in as many as 70 credits to La Salle with the understanding that certain courses may be used as electives and will not be used as major courses.

Under this agreement, La Salle University’s CORE will essentially be fulfilled by the degree requirements at Mercer County Community College. However, students who graduate within the designated associate degree program may be required to complete additional CORE "qualifiers". For most programs, this requirement is (1) religion course and (1) philosophy course. These courses can be completed as part of the degree requirements at MCCC or must be taken at La Salle University.

Scholarship Information

A Founder’s Scholarship for students enrolling into full-time day programs offered at La Salle University’s Main Campus will be awarded to any student with a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 and above. The scholarship amounts will vary between $6,000 and $15,000 depending on the GPA earned. All scholarship awards are subject to the University’s discretion and may change.

- 2.5-2.74 = $6,000
- 2.75-3.19 = $8,000
- 3.2- 3.49 = $12,000
- 3.5-4.0 = $15,000

If any of the above terms are not met, the student will be taken out of the Dual Admission Agreement and La Salle University shall determine appropriate transfer of credit and admission on an individual course basis.

Mercer County Community College and La Salle University will assure that appropriate personnel in their respective colleges are aware of this Agreement and will support it.

This agreement will automatically renew unless personnel from Mercer County Community College and La Salle University determine that a meeting is necessary to review and/or amend this Agreement. Either institution may terminate this agreement at any time by written notice of at least one (1) year in advance of the effective date of termination.

La Salle University will provide opportunities for meetings with students on the Mercer County Community College campus to provide information and assistance in matriculating to La Salle University.

Faculty, staff, and administration of both colleges are encouraged to visit the campus of each institution. The Office of Admission will supply Mercer County Community College with promotional literature, which will be used to assist students.
Signatures

Mercer County Community College

Dr. Donald Generals, Vice President for Academic Affairs

Date

Dr. Patricia Donohue, President

Date

La Salle University

Dr. Richard A. Nigro, Provost

Date

John F. Dolan, Vice President of Enrollment Services

Date

Brother Michael McGinniss, F.S. C., President

Date
Entering students will have earned an Associates Degree from Mercer County Community College, a minimum 2.5 GPA and a minimum of 60 transferable credits that include the following courses/requirements:

LaSalle University
ENG 107
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Natural Science
Literature
Information Technology CSC 151
Macroeconomics ECN 150
Microeconomics ECN 201
Business Perspectives BUS 100
Financial Accounting BUS 101
History
Fine Arts or Foreign Language
Statistics BUS 202
Organizational Behavior BUS 203
Marketing BUS 204
Legal Environment BUS 303
Speech BUS 205 (2 credits)
Psychology or Sociology
Religion
PHL

Mercer County Community College
ENG 101
ENG 102
BIO 100, 113, 114, CHE 100
Eng 201 to 238 (any one course)
IST 101 (CIS 112 or 175 preferred)
ECO 111
ECO 112
BUS 101
ACC 111
HIS 101 or HIS 112
please see transfer counselor
BUS 205 and BUS 206
BUS 210
MKT 101
BUS 107
CMN 112
PSY 101, 204, 208, SOC 101,103,209
REL 101, 102, 211, 235
PHI 102, 113, 204, 205, 209, 220

The following requirements will be taken at LaSalle (their equivalents should not be taken at Mercer since they would not be accepted for transfer):

LaSalle University
Management Info Systems BUS 205
Financial Markets and Institutions BUS 206
Financial Management BUS 208 (2 credits)
Problem Solving & Decision Making BUS 304
International Business Course
Strategy BUS 400

4 MAJOR COURSES

Upper-level Major (Accounting, Finance, Management, Marketing, MIS) courses;
No more than two in any discipline

Electives (to add up to 120 credits)