

APPLE VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

CERTIFICATION OF MINUTES

The Governing Board of the Apple Valley Unified School District of San Bernardino County met in Regular Session on the 7th day of May 2026, at the Apple Valley Unified School District Educational Support Center.

MEMBERS PRESENT WERE: Amanda Buchanan
 Maria Okpara
 Anita Tucker
 Rick Roelle
 Renee Longshore


MEMBERS ABSENT WERE: None

MOTION NO. J.16.

Approved the memorandum of understanding with Victor Valley College for Career Technical Education (CTE) Articulated Course Credit for 2026-2027.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS VOTING AYE: 5
NUMBER OF MEMBERS VOTING NO: 0
NUMBER OF MEMBERS ABSENT: 0
NUMBER OF MEMBERS ABSTAINING: 0

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of Motion No.J.16. by the Governing Board of the Apple Valley Unified School District at a Regular Meeting of the Board held at Apple Valley Unified School District Educational Support Center on May 7, 2026.



Trenae Nelson
Superintendent



J. 16. Approve the Memorandum of Understanding with Victor Valley College for Career Technical Education (CTE) Articulated Course Credit for 2026-2027

Recommendation

The Superintendent recommends the Board of Trustees approve the memorandum of understanding with Victor Valley College for Career Technical Education (CTE) Articulated Course Credit for 2026-2027.

Fiscal Implications

There is no cost to extend the articulation agreements.

Goals

Strategic Goal II - District Goal #2 Student Achievement: Aligned to the Cradle to Career Roadmap

Supporting Documents

 [VVC 2026-27 Articualtion Course Credit MOU](#)

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Background

Victor Valley College and Apple Valley Unified School District have worked within respective Career and Technical Education program divisions to secure numerous articulation agreements. These agreements allow AVUSD students to earn Victor Valley College credits for successful completion of the course content of each course on this list. This work is a partnership between AVUSD career and technical education teachers and the instructors and department deans at Victor Valley College to align curriculum and student outcomes. This is a net benefit to our instructors and industry partners and preserves valuable time for work toward student outcomes for students who matriculate to VVC. This entire effort is now regionally coordinated by the Mountain Desert Careers Pathways JPA so that similar courses across the region all earn the same articulation credit. The attached list reflects the most current list of agreements for articulated credit.

**Apple Valley Unified School District to
Victor Valley Community College District
CTE Articulated Course Credit
for 2026/27 Academic Year
Memorandum of Understanding**

The list of courses contained within Appendix A of this agreement represents the mutually agreed upon comprehensive course list between Victor Valley Community College District, hereinafter referred to as Victor Valley College or VVC, and the Apple Valley Unified School District for the 2026/27 academic year. Articulation agreements are conducted on a district-to-district basis and include the list below.

Apple Valley Unified School District agrees to and will:

1. Ensure that each course named in the memorandum of understanding will meet the academic rigor of a college level course taught at Victor Valley College.
2. Ensure that each course meets with students at least the minimum hours for each specific class listed in the MOU as determined by Victor Valley College approved curriculum.
3. Ensure that each articulated course covers the content agreed upon as reflected within the approved course outline and final exam.
4. Ensure that only appropriately qualified instructors instruct articulated courses at the secondary school site if they are to be articulated with Victor Valley College.
5. Ensure the integrity of data being submitted to Victor Valley College. Data integrity shall be certified by the school site or district registrar.
6. Ensure that students submitting for articulation credit are informed that courses articulated with VVC may or may not be awarded credit at California State University, University of California or other institutions to which a student may transfer.
7. Ensure that all students that are to receive articulated course credit have successfully completed the VVC application process.
8. Ensure that articulation grades are submitted only for students who have both earned an A or B in the articulated course and an "A" or "B" on the VVC-approved final exam.
9. Submit the "A" or "B" earned grade on the VVC-approved final exam for the credit award.
10. All final grades must be submitted to VVC no later than the 3rd Friday in June (2026/27 Academic Year - June 18, 2027).

Victor Valley Community College agrees to and will:

1. Award college credit to high school and adult education students for all final exam grades as described above.
2. All grades submitted via the appropriate grade submission protocol shall be awarded and transcribed credit to the Victor Valley College transcript no later than the 3rd Friday in July (2026/27 Academic Year - July 16, 2027).
3. Victor Valley College transcripts will identify high school articulated CTE courses as "Credit by Exam," as required by California Code of Regulations Title 5. High school courses articulated with VVC may or may not be awarded credit at California State University, University of California or other institutions to which a student may transfer.

Executed by:


Superintendent, Apple Valley Unified School District

5/7/2024
Date


Superintendent/President, Victor Valley College

4/9/26
Date

 McKenzie Tarango
 Eric Friedman

Appendix A - List of Courses

Apple Valley Unified School District
Articulation Agreements for 2026-27

HS Course Title	VVC Course ID	VVC Course Title	Status
Veterinary Science	AGNR 106	Veterinary Terminology and Technology	Renewal
MAHST IV / Medical Assistant	ALDH 82	Medical Office Procedures	Renewal
Medical Assistant	ALDH 82	Medical Office Procedures	Renewal
EKG	ALDH 83	Basic Arrhythmia	Renewal
Medical Core II	ALDH 83	Basic Arrhythmia	Renewal
MAHST I	ALDH 125	Medical Aspects of Drugs & Alcohol	Renewal
Phlebotomy	ALDH 125	Medical Aspects of Drugs & Alcohol	New
Medical Core I	ALDH 139	Medical Terminology	Renewal
MAHST III: Medical Terminology	ALDH 139	Medical Terminology	Renewal
Sports Therapy I	ALDH 139	Medical Terminology	Renewal
Multimedia II	ANIM 74	Digital Video Production	Renewal
Video Production 1	ANIM 74	Digital Video Production	New
Auto I	AUTO 50	Introduction to Automotive Technology	Renewal
Multimedia I	CART 133	Digital Imaging	Renewal
Graphic Communications II	CART 133	Digital Imaging	Renewal
Video Production 2	CART 133	Digital Imaging	New
Graphic Communications	CART 160	Survey of Visual Communication Technologies	Renewal
AP Computer Science Principles	CIS 101	Computer Literacy	Renewal
Web Page Design	CIS 137	Introduction to Html	Renewal
Web Page Design Advanced	CIS 205	Javascript	Renewal
AP Computer Science A	CIS 206	Programming Java	Renewal
Construction Technology II	CT 130	Residential Remodeling	Renewal
Construction Technology I	CTMF 121A	Woodworking Tools & Equipment	Renewal
Computer Science Concepts/Robotic Engineering	ELCT 110	Electronics and Computer Technology Fundamentals	Renewal
Flexible Manufacturing Systems	ELCT 110	Electronics and Computer Technology Fundamentals	Renewal
Mechatronics - AutomatedPressContrl	ELCT 110	Electronics and Computer Technology Fundamentals	Renewal
EMR (Emergency Medical Respnder)	EMS 50	Emergency Medical Responder	Renewal
Engineering Design	ENGD 130	Introduction to Inventor	Renewal
Restaurant Management Culinary I	RMGT81	Prep/Line Cook	Renewal
Restaurant Management Culinary II	RMGT87	Professional Cooking	Renewal
Intermediate Agricultural / Industrial Engineering	WELD52	Shielded Metal Arc Welding - Basic	Renewal
Advanced Agricultural / Industrial Engineering	WELD58A	Gas Metal Arc Welding Basic	Renewal