

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

Between

Southern Regional Technical College (SRTC)
Associate of Applied Science in Crime Scene Investigation

AND

Thomas University (TU)
Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice

August 2026

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Article I

Agreement on Principle

Thomas University (TU) and Southern Regional Technical College (SRTC) enter into this articulation agreement to provide students with a seamless transition from an associate to a bachelor's degree. This agreement ensures that students who complete the Associate of Applied Science in Crime Scene Investigation Technology at SRTC can transfer to TU's Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice while maximizing transferable credits. Both institutions enter into this agreement as equal partners, maintaining the integrity of their respective programs.

Article II

Agreement on Program Specifics

Under this agreement, SRTC students who complete the required courses listed in the attached articulation guide may transfer those credits toward a TU Bachelor of Science degree. Applicants must meet standard TU admission requirements and will receive equal consideration for both admission and financial aid. Degree graduation requirements are outlined in the official Thomas University Catalog.

Agreement Requirements

Degree Completion & Advising: Students must complete the specified Associate degree at SRTC and the corresponding Bachelor of Science program at TU, as outlined in the articulation guide. Any course substitutions should be made with guidance by an academic advisor or counselor to ensure all graduation requirements are met.

General Education Core: Transfer students must complete all Thomas University general education (core) requirements that have not been satisfied through this articulation agreement.

Minimum Grade Requirements: Only courses with a grade of "C" or better will transfer to TU. Any course completed with a lower grade will not receive transfer credit; if that course is required for the TU Bachelor of Science program, it must be repeated.

Course Transferability: All courses listed in Table I: Core Curriculum Requirements are guaranteed to transfer. Additional courses not listed will be evaluated for transfer credit on a case-by-case basis based on degree applicability.

Residency Requirements: To earn a Thomas University bachelor's degree, students must complete at least 30 hours of upper-division major coursework at TU, including 24 of their final 30 credit hours.

Transcript Submission & Evaluation: Students must submit official transcripts from all previously attended institutions to the TU Registrar. Transfer credit from accredited institutions will be granted for courses matching TU's curriculum; non-equivalent courses are subject to approval by the Academic Dean, Department Chair, and Registrar.

Article III
Agreement on Communication

Thomas University and SRTC agree to collaborate on common and respective public communications regarding this institutional partnership. Joint efforts may include developing promotional and informational materials for prospective students. Faculty and staff at both institutions will actively share agreement details with interested and qualified students and provide ongoing academic counseling and advisement.

Article IV
Maintenance and Review Procedures

Each institution will appoint at least one administrator or faculty member to oversee the implementation of this agreement, manage internal communications, and notify relevant staff of any updates. Primary oversight rests with the Registrars at both SRTC and Thomas University.

Both parties agree to communicate program changes, in respect to this articulation agreement, annually. During the third year, both institutions will review the agreement for potential revision and renewal. If the agreement is not renewed by the end of the effective period, students currently enrolled at TU under this pathway will be granted three (3) additional years to complete their degree under the original terms.

Effective Period of Agreement: August 1, 2026 through July 31, 2029

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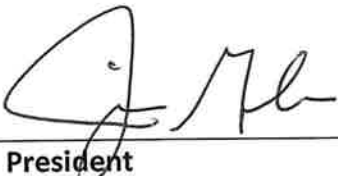
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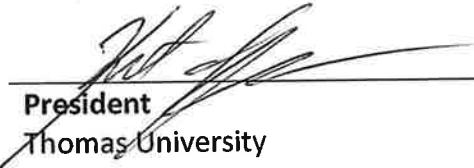
We, the representatives of SRTC and Thomas University, agree to the terms of this agreement, which will be for a continuing period of three (3) years.

Signed:



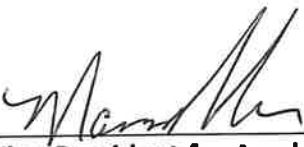
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Date



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8-5-2026
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ARTICULATION GUIDE

Southern Regional Technical College

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Table I. Curriculum Transfer Course Equivalents

Thomas University Courses		Sem. Hrs.	Southern Regional Technical College Courses		Sem. Hrs.
General Education		39			15
	Mathematics	3		Mathematics	3
MTH 12+	Any MTH courses at/above 120 level	3		Any Area III MATH (1111 or higher)	3
	English Composition	9		English Composition	3
ENG 101	Composition I	3	ENGL 1101	Composition and Rhetoric	3
	Choose One of the Following;				
ENG 102	Composition II	3	ENGL 1102	Literature and Composition (3)*	
SPE105	Oral Communication for Professionals	3	SPCH1101	Public Speaking (3)*	
	Creativity/Cultural Foundations	12		Humanities	3
	Creative Comprehension Courses	6		Humanities Option (Area IV) (ARTS 1101, MUSC 1101, HUMN 1101, ENGL 2111, ENGL 2130)	3
	Cultural Foundations	6			
	Inquiry – Social, Behavioral, and Philosophical Inquiry	12		Social Science	3
	Social Science	3		Any Area II Course	3
	University Studies	3		Institutional Requirements	6
	Thomas University Student Success	3		Student Success (3)	
			COMP 1000	Intro to Computers (3)	
				General Education Core Elective	3
			*ENGL2130, ENGL2110, SPCH1101, ECON1101, ECON2105, ECON2106, HIST1111, HIST2111, POLS1101, SOCI1101, BIOL1111, BIOL1112, CHEM1211, CHEM1212, CHEM1151, CHEM1152, PHYS1110, PHYS1111, PHYS1112, PHYS1113, PHYS1127, PHYS1131, SPAN1101, SPAN1102, ARTS1101, HUMN1101, MUSC1101		
			Additional Core Needed		24

*SRTC offers students options in the stated areas. Student selections may allow for additional equivalencies.

Thomas University Courses		Sem Hrs.		Southern Regional Technical College Courses	Sem. Hrs.
Program Courses for B.S. Criminal Justice		48			24
CRJ 105	Intro to Criminal Justice	3	CRJU 1101	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 150	Criminology	3	CRJU 2060	Criminology	3
CRJ 210	Policing in America	3	CRJU 1140	Principles of Law Enforcement	3
CRJ 230	Corrections in America	3	CRJU 1130	Corrections	3
CRJ 250	Juvenile Justice	3	CRJU 2070	Juvenile Justice	3
CRJ 255	Criminal Procedure	3	CRJU 2050	Criminal Procedure	3
CRJ 300	Research Methods	3			
CRJ 330	Deviance, Crime, and Criminal Justice	3			
CRJ 340	Standards and Practices	3	CRJU 1400	Ethics/Cultural Perspectives for Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 370	Constitutional Law	3	CRJU 2020	Constitutional Law for Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 410	Community Policing	3			
CRJ 420	Evidence	3			
CRJ 460	Criminal Investigation	3			
CRJ 465	Crime Prevention	3			
CRJ 470	Criminal Law	3			
CRJ 480	Comparative Criminal Justice Systems	3			
				Additional Courses Needed	24
General Electives		33			

Core Curriculum Credit Transferred/Articulated

*Core Curriculum/Elective Courses Still Needed for TU

General Electives

CRJU Articulation Credit for Associate Level Coursework

*CRJU Courses Taken at TU

15 Semester Credits

24 Semester Credits

33 Semester Credits

24 Semester Credits

24 Semester Credits

TOTAL for Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice

120 Semester Credits