

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

between

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK
COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND TECHNOLOGY AT COBLESKILL

and

CENTER FOR DAIRY EXCELLENCE FOUNDATION

JANUARY 2025 – JANUARY 2030

The State University of New York College of Agriculture and Technology at Cobleskill and Center for Dairy Excellence Foundation jointly endorse this articulation agreement impacting graduates successfully completing the Dairy Leaders of Tomorrow program at the Center for Dairy Excellence Foundation. It is the intent of this agreement to recognize the breadth and depth of this program as a foundation for students who matriculate to SUNY Cobleskill. A candidate¹ from the Center for Dairy Excellence Foundation who:

1. Receives a high school diploma.
2. Follows the Dairy Leaders of Tomorrow curriculum, successfully completing four dairy courses titled, "Introduction to Dairy", "Introduction to Dairy Herd Management", "Introduction to Dairy Business Management", and "Introduction to Dairy Technologies" and meets all other SUNY Cobleskill admission requirements for their major.
3. Receives a written recommendation from the Center for Dairy Excellence Foundation Dairy Leaders of Tomorrow instructor or representative.

will be offered by SUNY College of Agriculture and Technology at Cobleskill:

1. Guaranteed admission into SUNY Cobleskill, provided that the student meets admission requirements for the program and that there is availability within the program.
2. Will receive advanced standing credit for SUNY Cobleskill's course ANSC 150 Dairy Cattle Management (3 credits) provided that the course is deemed degree applicable within the student's declared academic program.

The student must complete and file a SUNY Cobleskill Admissions Application according to instructions. The letter of recommendation from the Dairy Leaders of Tomorrow instructor or the Center for Dairy Excellence Foundation representative must accompany the application stating the student attends this institution, which has an articulation agreement with SUNY Cobleskill.

In accordance with the provisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act ("FERPA"), in order for SUNY Cobleskill to share information about the student from the student's educational records, the Center for Dairy Excellence Foundation must agree not to disclose the information to a third party without the student's consent, and to use the information only for the purposes for which it was disclosed. The laws of the State of New York shall govern this agreement without regard to conflict of law provisions. Any dispute arising under this Agreement shall be resolved in a court of competent jurisdiction in the State of New York. This Agreement contains the entire understanding of the parties with respect to the matters contained herein.

SUNY Cobleskill and the Center for Dairy Excellence Foundation agree to communicate any curriculum changes or policies, which affect the agreed-upon relationship, as soon as it is reasonably possible. Both parties reserve the right to amend or revise this agreement. These changes must be submitted in writing and signed by both parties.

The effective date of this agreement is January 1, 2025, and will be reviewed for renewal, five years after signing, by the participating parties.

1 Persons not meeting these criteria have the option of applying to SUNY Cobleskill under regular admission procedure.

Date January 2, 2025

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