

**DUAL ADMISSIONS TRANSFER AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
LEHIGH CARBON COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
AND  
ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY**

**Preface**

Lehigh Carbon Community College (LCCC) and Alvernia University (Alvernia) enter into this Dual Admissions Transfer Agreement (Agreement) to facilitate the transfer of LCCC students to Alvernia’s Baccalaureate Degree Programs. This Agreement applies to students who enter Alvernia as full-time or part-time undergraduate students.

**Dual Admissions**

Under this Dual Admissions Transfer Agreement, LCCC students will be guaranteed admission with third year (junior) status at Alvernia on the condition that they:

1. Earn a high school diploma or its equivalent prior to attending Alvernia;
2. Submit a Dual Admissions Intent Form before completion of no more than 45 college level credits from all colleges/universities attended;
3. Graduate from LCCC with an appropriate Associate in Arts (A.A.), Associate in Science (A.S.), or Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) Degree with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 for Accelerated Baccalaureate and Online Programs (through Adult Education Admissions) and 2.5 for Traditional/Residential Baccalaureate Programs. (Please see below and Appendix A for a list of approved programs of study included in this Agreement);
4. Complete Alvernia’s admissions application ideally prior to earning 45 credits at LCCC, or at least three months prior to the start of the semester in which they plan to begin their studies at Alvernia, and satisfy all other regular Alvernia admissions requirements;
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graduation.

Students who have previously matriculated to Alvernia are not eligible for Dual Admissions to Alvernia but are encouraged to apply as a transfer or re-entry student to Alvernia.

There is no obligation on the part of the Dual Admissions LCCC student if they decide not to transfer to Alvernia.

Once students submit their Du

LCCC graduates entering Alvernia under the terms of this Agreement go through the normal Alvernia transfer admissions process and therefore must meet all applicable Alvernia requirements and deadlines pertaining to application for admission, orientation, registration, and payment of tuition and fees. They will abide by the policies and procedures, and any revisions thereof that apply to all Alvernia students.

**Transfer and Academic Guidelines**

1. Transfer credit will be awarded for courses with a grade of “C” or above for any and all courses

***Traditional/Residential Programs (in Reading, PA):*** The following scholarships are given to qualified full-time undergraduate day-time students transferring from LCCC for work toward their first bachelor's degree. Cumulative GPA includes LCCC and any other colleges/universities attended:

- **Provost Scholarship:** \$21,000 scholarship = **member of Phi Theta Kappa** or non-PTK student with final cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher.
- **Bernardine Scholarship:** \$19,000 scholarship = final cumulative GPA between 3.25 and 3.49.
- **Dean Scholarship:** \$17,000 scholarship = final cumulative GPA between 3.0 and 3.24.
- **Transfer Scholarship:** \$15,000 scholarship = final cumulative GPA between 2.5 and 2.99.

In addition to the scholarships noted above, Alvernia's Traditional/Residential Programs also offers the following:

- **Alvernia Connects with Transfers** - \$1,000 scholarship for all transfer students who have filed the FAFSA (by date provided) and accepted admissions into Alvernia's Traditional/Residential Programs with at least a 3.0 final cumulative GPA

***Accelerated Baccalaureate Degree Programs (Main Campus in Reading or other On-site Regional Campus):*** All adult/non-traditional learners receive discounted tuition however qualified students will also receive the following:

- **Dual Admissions Scholarship:** \$1,000/year  
Awarded to dual admissions students who enroll at the Reading Main Campus or other On-site Regional Campus, at half-time or full-time enrollment, as a one-time award for their first year (or first two consecutive semesters).





#### 4. Invite enrolled

**Revision, Renewal and Termination of this Agreement**

The Senior Vice President and Provost at Alvernia University and the Vice President for Academic Services and Student Development

The willingness of both institutions to enter this Agreement in order to facilitate the transfer of students from LCCC into Alvernia, and to expand their opportunities for academic success there, is indicated by the following signatures.

The undersigned representatives of the parties, Lehigh Carbon Community College and Alvernia University, have executed this Agreement on the date indicated below:

**FOR LEHIGH CARBON COMMUNITY COLLEGE:**

  
Date: Dec 6, 2022

Ann D. Bieber, Ed.D.  
President

Larissa M. Verta  
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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Larissa Verta  
Vice President for Academic Services and Student Development

**FOR ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY:**

  
Date: Jan 4, 2023

John R. Loyack  
President

G. Fitzgerald  
G. Fitzgerald (Jan 5, 2023 14:52 EST)  
Date: Jan 5, 2023

Glynis Fitzgerald, Ph.D.  
Senior Vice President and Provost



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