

**CLOVER PARK TECHNICAL COLLEGE  
POLICY**

<u>CHAPTER</u>	<u>SECTION</u>	<u>TITLE</u>	<u>HISTORY</u>		
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**POLICY**

Clover Park Technical College offers six types of completion credentials.

**The Bachelor of Applied Science Degree (BAS)** degree is awarded for completion of at least 90 quarter credits of appropriate 300 and 400 level coursework. An applied associate degree (AAS or equivalent) with the required distribution of academic core coursework in written communication, quantitative reasoning, social science, and humanities are the prerequisites for program admission.

**The Associate of Applied Technology (AAT)** is awarded to students who satisfactorily complete programs that are 90 credits or more in length and include a core of 15 college-level academic credits. The majority of the credits are in the specific career/technical fields. The required general education courses in communication, quantitative reasoning, and social sciences are designed to prepare students for work.

**The Associate in Applied Science – T (AAS-T)** degree is awarded to students who satisfactorily complete programs that are 90 credits or more in length and include a core of 20 credits of general education courses commonly accepted in transfer. These 20 credits include a minimum of five credits in each of the following: English Composition (ENGL& 101), quantitative reasoning, social science, and five additional credits in social science or humanities or natural science.

**The Direct Transfer/Major Related Program Associates Degree (AAS DTA/MRP)** degree is awarded to students who have earned a cumulative grade point average of a 2.0, as calculated by the degree awarding institution and is based on 90 quarter credits of transferable credits, including 60 credits of which must be general education courses distributed as follows: communication skills 10 credits; quantitative/symbolic reasoning 5 credits; humanities 15-20 credits; social sciences 15-20 credits; natural sciences 15-20 credits; electives which are other college-level courses of which a maximum of 15 credits may be college-level courses determined by CPTC and the remainder shall be fully transferable as defined by the receiving institution.

**CERTIFICATES**

Certificates are awarded to students who satisfactorily complete the competencies and requirements for programs that are not defined as degree programs. Core academics are required in certificate programs of one academic year or more or a minimum of 45 credits.

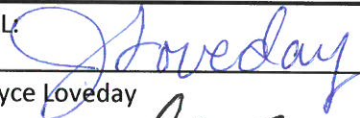

**HIGH SCHOOL CREDENTIALS AWARDED**

If a student is 16 years or older and completes an associate degree at CPTC and does not have a high school credential, the student may also apply for high school diploma at the same time he/she applies for the associate degree credential. Running Start students who complete an associate degree may apply for the high school diploma at age 16.

**CPTC Residency and Grade Point Average Requirements**

To graduate from CPTC, a student must take 25% of the required coursework at the college.

To be eligible for graduation, a student must have a cumulative college-level grade point average of no less than a 2.0.

APPROVAL:		
By: _____		Date: <u>8-31-20</u>
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