



## Associate to Bachelors (A2B) Articulation Agreement

An engineering, science and technology university

## Prescribed Curriculum: Casper College

### Associate of Science – Engineering (Civil)

General Education Courses				27 CREDIT HOURS
	Credit Hours	Community College Course No.	Course Title or Category	
Reasoning & Inquiry	4	CHEM 1020	General Chemistry I	
Math Computation	4	MATH 2200	Calculus I	
Written Comm	3	ENGL 1010	English Composition I	
Oral Communication	3	COMM 2010	Public Speaking	
Humanities	3	Select 1 course from	Humanities General Educatior	n (HU 0000) List
Social Science	3	Select 1 course from	Social Science General Educat	ion (SSC 0000) List
Fine Arts	3	Select 1 course from	Fine Arts General Education (F	A 0000) List
US-WY Constitution	3	Select 1 course from	US and Wyoming Constitution	s (CNST 0000) List
Health Wellness	1	Select 1 course from*	Health and Wellness General	Education (HW 0000) List

Required Courses			17 credit hours
	Credit Hours	Course No.	Course Title
Mathematics &	4	MATH 2205	Calculus II
Science	4	PHYS 1310*	College Physics I
	3	ES 1101	Introduction to Engineering Study
Engineering	3	ES 1060	Introduction to Engineering Problem Solving
	3	ES 2110	Statics

Program Elective Courses			23 credit hours
	Credit Hours	Course No.	Course Title
4		ENTK 1500	Engineering Graphics
	3	MATH 2310	Applied Differential Equations
	3	ES 2330	Fluid Dynamics
Program Elective	4	MATH 2210	Calculus III
	3	ES 2410	Mechanics of Materials
	3	ES 2120	Dynamics
	3	ES 2310	Thermodynamics

Associate of Science – Engineering (Civil) Total:

67 CREDIT HOURS \*(65 Credits Apply)

## Post-Associate Degree Prescribed Curriculum: South Dakota Mines

## **Bachelor of Science – Civil Engineering**

General Education Courses				<b>3</b> CREDIT HOURS
	Credit Community College Hours Course No. Course Title or		itle or Category	
Written Communication	3	ENGL 289	Explorations in STEM Commu	nications

Major Required Courses			42 CREDIT HOURS
	Credit Hours	Course No.	Course Title
	3	CEE 274	Construction Engineering and Management
3		CEE 326	Environmental Engineering and Science I
	3	CEE 284	Applied Numerical Methods
	3	CEE 316/316L	Engineering and Construction Materials w/Lab
	3	CEE 336/336L	Hydraulic Systems Design w/Lab
Civil Engineering	3	CEE 346/346L	Geotechnical Engineering w/Lab
Civil Engineering	3	CEE 353	Structural Theory
	3	CEE 325	Introduction to Sustainable Design
	9	Select 3 courses from	CEE 327/327L, CEE 337, CEE 347/347L, or CEE 456
	3	CEE 468	Highway Engineering
	3	CEE 463	Concepts of Professional Practice
3		CEE 489	Capstone Design Project

Other Required Courses			<b>11</b> Credit Hours
	Credit Hours	Course No.	Course Title
3		CHEM 114	General Chemistry II
Mathematics and Science	Mathematics and 3		CSC 170/170L, MATH 443, GEOE 221/221L
3		MATH 381	Introduction to Probability and Statistics
Economics	2	IENG 301	Basic Engineering Economics

Elective Courses			9 credit hours
	Credit Hours	Course No.	Course Title
Dept Approved	9	Select from list	Department Approved Electives

Post-Associate Degree Total:	65 CREDIT HOURS

Bachelor of Science – Civil Engineering Total: 130 CREDIT HOURS

## **A2B Articulation Agreement Guarantees & Limitations**

#### **GUARANTEES**

Students who:

- 1. complete the Associate of Science Engineering degree prescribed curriculum at Casper College exactly as it is identified in this articulation agreement, **and**
- 2. have the degree conferred on their education record at Casper College (post high school graduation), and
- 3. earn a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.75 at the Casper College, and
- 4. pass all 67 credits for the associate degree, earning a grade C- or higher in each course

are guaranteed the following at the South Dakota School of Mines and Technology (South Dakota Mines):

- 1. junior standing at South Dakota Mines with no more than 65 remaining credits to meet the graduation requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering.
- 2. admission to South Dakota Mines
- 3. admission to the Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering.

#### LIMITATIONS

- 1. This agreement is between the Associate of Science Engineering degree at Casper College and the Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering at South Dakota Mines only.
- 2. Students must meet all admission and application requirements at South Dakota Mines, including the submission of all required documentation by stated deadlines. Students are advised to contact the Office of Admissions at the South Dakota Mines early in their transfer planning.
- 3. Student must have a cumulative grade point average (GPA) at the Casper College of 2.75 or higher **and** only courses with grades of C- or higher are guaranteed to be accepted in transfer by South Dakota Mines.
- 4. The credit and course transfer guarantees described in this agreement apply to the Associate of Science degree at Casper College and the Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering at South Dakota Mines. If the student changes majors at Casper College or at South Dakota Mines, the student is no longer covered by this Articulation Agreement and none of the Guarantees of the Agreement apply.
- 5. Students utilizing any form of transfer credit, including but not limited to credit awarded from other higher education institutions, standardized exam (CLEP, AP, DSST, etc.), prior learning assessment (military, certifications, ACE recommended credit, portfolio, challenge exam, work experience equivalent credit, etc.) to satisfy any Associate degree requirements will have those credits evaluated by South Dakota Mines. Should South Dakota Mines not accept the transfer credits accepted by Casper College, the student will be required to make up the credit deficiency at South Dakota Mines.
- 6. No course substitutions are allowed for the courses listed in the Prescribed Curriculum for the associate degree at Casper College.

#### **A2B CONTACT INFORMATION**

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#### **RENEWAL, REVISION, and TERMINATION**

- This Associate to Bachelor Articulation Agreement (A2B) shall be in effect July 1 June 30 each year and will
  automatically renew annually unless action is taken by South Dakota Mines or Casper College to terminate or
  modify it.
- 2. The South Dakota Mines Office of the Provost and the Casper College Academic Affairs division will collaborate to coordinate a review the content of the associate and bachelor degrees on a three-year cycle to ensure this A2B is still appropriate.
- 3. South Dakota Mines and the Casper College each reserve the right to seek revision of this agreement at any time.
- 4. Revision of any content of the agreement (except Appendices content) will be approved by each institution and result in a new agreement being signed, with copies retained by each institution.
  - a. Revision to any Appendices will be communicated to each institution, but do not need to be approved by each institution and will not result in a new agreement being signed by each institution.
- 5. South Dakota Mines and the Casper College each reserve the right to seek termination of this agreement at any time.
- 6. Should the agreement be terminated, each institution agrees to collaborate and engage in appropriate plans to notify and work with impacted students, providing a minimum one-year advance notice of termination.

#### **APPROVALS**

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**Appendix A: Course Sequence** 

## Course Sequence: Casper College

# Engineering - Civil (A.S.)

Semester	Course No.	Course Title	Credit Hours	Completed
Freshman	CHEM 1020*	Chemistry I (Reasoning & Inquiry in Science Gen Ed)	4	
Year	ES 1060	Intro to Engineering Problem Solving	3	
First Semester	ES 1101	Introduction to Engineering Study	3	
	ENTK 1500	Engineering Graphics (PEL 0000)	4	
	MATH 2200*	Calculus I (Math Computation Gen Ed)	4	
		Total Credits	18	
Semester	Course No.	Course Title	Credit Hours	Completed
Freshman	CNST 0000*	Select 1 course from US/WY Constitution List (Gen Ed)	3	
Year	COMM 2010*	Public Speaking (Oral Comm Gen Ed)	3	
Second Semester	ES 2110	Statics	3	
Semester	ENGL 1010*	English Composition I (Written Communication Gen Ed)	3	
	MATH 2205	Calculus II	4	
		Total Credits	16	
Semester	Course No.	Course Title	Credit Hours	Completed
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Semester	Course No.		Creat Hours	completed
Sophomore	ES 2120	Dynamics (PEL 0000)	3	
Year First	FA 0000*	Select 1 course from FA List (Fine Arts Gen Ed)	3	
Semester	ES 2410	Mechanics of Materials (PEL 0000)	3	
	MATH 2210	Calculus III (PEL 0000)	4	
	PHYS 1310	College Physics I	4	
		Total Credits	17	

Semester	Course No.	Course Title	Credit Hours	Completed
Sophomore	HW 0000	Select 1 course from HW List (Health & Wellness Gen Ed)	1	
Year	SSC 0000*	Select 1 course from SSC List (Social Science Gen Ed)	3	
Second Semester	HU 0000*	Select 1 course from HU List (Humanities Gen Ed)	3	
Jemester	ES 2310	Thermodynamics (PEL 0000)	3	
	ES 2330	Fluid Dynamics (PEL 0000)	3	
	MATH 2310	Applied Differential Equations I (PEL 0000)	3	
		Total Credits	16	

*General Education Coursework Total:	30 credit hours
Major and Elective Coursework Total:	37 credit hours
Casper College Coursework Total:	67 CREDIT HOURS

## Course Sequence: South Dakota Mines – Fall Semester Start

# **Civil Engineering (B.S.)**

Semester	Course No.	Course Title	Credit Hours	Completed
Junior Year	CEE 284	Applied Numerical Methods	3	
First Semester	CHEM 114	General College Chemistry II	3	
- FALL	CEE 336/336L	Hydraulic Systems Design w/Lab	3	
	CEE 353	Structural Theory	3	
	CEE 346/346L	Geotechnical Engineering I	3	
	CEE 316/316L	Construction Materials	3	
		Total Credits	18	

Semester	Course No.	Course Title	Credit Hours	Completed
Junior Year	CEE 326	Environmental Engineering I	3	
Second	CEE 325	Introduction to Sustainable Design	3	
Semester - SPRING	CEE 274	Construction Engineering & Management	3	
	Select 3 from list	CEE 327/327L, CEE 337, CEE 456, CEE 347/347L	9	
		Total Credits	18	

Semester	Course No.	Course Title	Credit Hours	Complete
Senior Year	IENG 302	Engineering Economics	3	
First Semester	CEE 463	Concepts of Professional Practice	2	
	MATH 381	Introduction to Probability & Statistics	3	
	ENGL 289	Explorations in STEM Communication*	3	
		Department Approved Elective	3	
		Total	Credits 14	

Semester	Course No.	Course Title		Credit Hours	Completed
Senior Year Second Semester - SPRING	CEE 468	Highway Engineering		3	
	CEE 489	Capstone Design		3	
	Select 1 from list	CSC 170/170L, MATH 443, GEOE 221/221L		3	
		Department Approved Electives		6	
		:	Total Credits	15	
		*General Educat	tion Coursew	vork Total:	3 credit hours

*General Education Coursework Total:	3 credit hours
Major and Elective Coursework Total:	62 credit hours
South Dakota Mines Coursework Total:	65 CREDIT HOURS