Regulation for Granting an Associate Degree When the Student has an Earned Bachelor's Degree or Higher Degree

A student who has earned a bachelor’s degree (or higher) from an accredited college or university may be awarded an associate degree at Lansing Community College subject to the following requirements:

1. For each associate degree, a minimum of 10 semester credit hours must be completed at Lansing Community College in the division in which the associate degree is sought, or on the curricular guide. The Lansing Community College cumulative grade point average must be a 2.0 or above.
2. All requirements for an associate degree in arts, applied arts, science, applied science, business, fine arts or general must be met.
3. The College’s General Education requirements are satisfied by virtue of the student earning the bachelor’s degree.
4. For 2016 curricula onward, the following CANNOT be used for degree requirements:
   a) Courses in Mathematics or Statistics that are not listed on the LCC General Education Core Requirements webpage or the Michigan Transfer Agreement webpage.
   b) Courses whose prerequisites do not include college-level reading (Reading Level 5), except Physical Fitness activity courses, career or technical courses, and courses in business, arts, music, and theater.
5. Exceptions to the above should be appealed to the Academic Affairs Office.

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