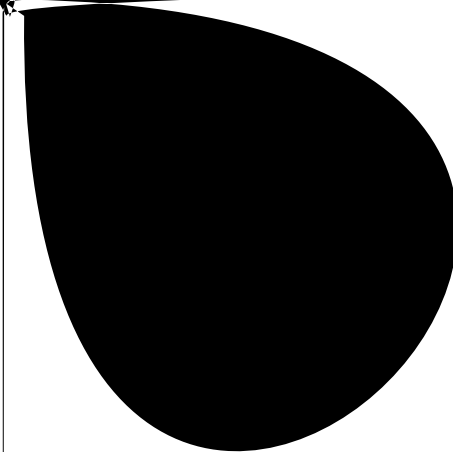


- 1 Application Fee** Alvernia will waive the application fee for students who apply at Alvernia pursuant to this Agreement.
- 2 Academic Scholarships** Alvernia will award academic scholarships annually to all DCCC graduates admitted to Alvernia pursuant to this Agreement. All scholarships may be renewed each year contingent upon the students submitting their FAFSA and remaining in good academic standing at Alvernia.

Traditional/Residential Programs (in Reading PA): The following scholarships are given to qualified full-time undergraduate day-time students transferring from DCCC for work toward their first bachelor's degree. Cumulative GPA includes DCCC 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.
- **Bernadine 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

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- **Financial Aid will be awarded to transfer students on the same basis as all Alvernia students. They will have equal access to all state and federal financial aid programs.**
- **Students are strongly encouraged to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) before May 1st each year to determine if they are eligible for state grant.**

Programs of Study:

Traditional/Residential Programs
Addictions and Mental Health Treatment
Athletic Training (5 year)

The Agreement

To facilitate the transfer of DCCC graduates to Alvernia in accordance with the foregoing guarantee, the parties agree to the following

Obligations of Alvernia University:

- 1 Participate in student outreach (eg: transfer fairs, DCCC campus visits, virtual open houses, etc.) at least twice each fall and spring semester;**
- 2 Invite DCCC students to an informational meeting with Alvernia faculty and staff on a regular basis at both DCCC and Alvernia in order to facilitate smooth curricular and co-curricular integration into Alvernia**
- 3 Send an Alvernia University Letter of Acceptance to all DCCC students who complete an application and who meet the conditions set forth in this Agreement. DCCC students who complete the Alvernia University Application will be required to follow and satisfy all Alvernia**

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Revision, Renewal and Termination of this Agreement

The Provost at Alvernia University and the Vice President of Academic Affairs at Delaware County Community College or their designees, are responsible for identifying and communicating to each other, changes in the policies or requirements of their respective institutions that affect this Agreement.

Modifications to the terms and conditions of this Agreement may only be made by written agreement of the parties. Until such modification by mutual written agreement, the then current terms of the Agreement shall remain in effect.

This Agreement will be in effect as of the date of its signing for students entering Alvernia on or after Spring 2024, and will continue in effect for five (5) years unless otherwise modified or terminated in accordance with this Agreement. Either institution may terminate this Agreement at any time by written notice at least one year in advance of the effective date of termination. Should this Agreement be terminated, it is understood that students already accepted to Alvernia through the effective date of termination will continue to receive the benefits articulated in this Agreement.

Provided that all parties execute a copy of this Agreement, this Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all of which together shall constitute one and the same document. This Agreement may be executed by the parties and transmitted by facsimile or electronic transmission, and if so executed and transmitted, shall be effective as if the parties had delivered and executed original of this Agreement.

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

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

FOR Delaware County Community College:

Appendix A

Academic Admissions Requirements for Specific Majors

Prelicensure BSN Guidelines

Students wishing to transfer to Alvernia University from another institution of higher education must meet the general admission requirements of Alvernia and have an interim cumulative GPA of 3.0. A grade of C+ or higher is expected for transfer science courses. Students may not have repeated any required science course more than one time for a passing grade and may repeat no more than three total required science courses at any/all institutions they have attended, including Alvernia.

Transfer students who have completed at least 30 credits of college level work, including the prescribed science courses for the first year, may be eligible to transfer at the sophomore level. To be eligible for admission to a placement in the nursing program at the sophomore level, applicants must complete all general admission requirements, and

- Must have a GPA of at least a 3.0 with considerations given to individual courses. Science course grades of C+ or higher are ordinarily required for admission. Grades and credits from developmental courses are not considered.**
- Not have repeated any required science course more than one time for a passing grade and may have repeated no more than three total required science courses at any/all previous institutions they have attended.**
- Demonstrate successful completion of three of four of the required sciences (Anatomy and Physiology 1, Anatomy and Physiology 2, Microbiology, Chemistry, each including a lab), two of which must be Anatomy and Physiology 1 & 2.**

RN to BSN Guidelines

Students must submit a photocopy of a current Pennsylvania Registered Nurse License. Students may be admitted to the RN to BSN Completion program prior to passing the NCLEX; however, RN-BSN students are not permitted to progress and register for the two clinical courses (NUR 403 & NUR 405) without a current and valid RN license.

Occupational Therapy Guidelines

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