I. Itasca Community College, Grand Rapids, Minnesota, is an independent campus in the Minnesota State Colleges & Universities (MNSCU). Itasca Community College is part of the Northeast Higher Education District. Its original accreditation as part of the Northeast Higher Education District was approved by the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. The University of Wisconsin System has granted permission for the University of Wisconsin-Superior to continue all aspects of the existing relationship. In the interest of fostering cooperation between our institutions, to better serve the transfer of students from Itasca Community College to the University of Wisconsin-Superior, Itasca Community College and the University of Wisconsin – Superior hereby enter into this articulation agreement.

II. The following articles delineate the understanding between Itasca Community College and the University of Wisconsin-Superior.

A. Students will be encouraged to complete the Associate of Arts or Science degree at Itasca Community College which will fulfill the UW-Superior lower division general education requirements as long as campus specific stipulations are met.

1. Completion of English 1101 and 1113 at Itasca Community College which is equivalent to UW-Superior’s English 101 and 102. (If the student will be seeking teacher certification, a grade of C or better is required).

2. Completion of Math 1111 or a higher level math course at Itasca Community College which is equivalent to UW-Superior’s Math requirement.
3. Completion of Speech 1105 at Itasca Community College which is equivalent to UW-Superior’s Communication Arts 110. (If the student will be seeking teacher certification, a grade of C or better is required.)

4. Completion of PE 1201 (Wellness) at Itasca Community College which is equivalent to UW-Superior’s HHP 102.

5. The general agreement refers to all Associate of Arts or Science degrees except non-college parallel technical programs.

B. Students who graduated from Itasca Community College in the spring term of 2008 or after are subject to the provisions of the articulation and joint admission agreement between Itasca Community College and the University of Wisconsin - Superior.

C. Transferring Itasca Community College students will be treated as though they had been at UW-Superior as freshman and will be given the same priorities and advantages as residential students providing they have met the Associate of Arts or Science degree at Itasca Community College excluding non-transferrable technical programs.

D. Representatives of Itasca Community College and the University of Wisconsin-Superior will explore the development of program to program articulation agreements including Associate of Science and Associate of Arts degrees.

E. Both institutions agree to monitor the progress of the agreement, evaluate its effectiveness, and make suggestions to modify this agreement.