Northern Michigan University

Postsecondary Credit Agreement

This Postsecondary Credit Agreement is made and entered into as of February 1, 2026, by the Michigan Department of Education (MDE) and Northern Michigan University. The agreement is for state-approved secondary Career Technical Education (CTE) programs.

Purpose of this Agreement:

1) Expand educational opportunities for high school students, allowing them to earn postsecondary credits.
2) Eliminate unnecessary duplication of course materials and instruction.
3) Maximize the use of resources for students to complete programs as efficiently as possible.
4) Support postsecondary enrollment, retention, and completion.

Aligned Postsecondary/Articulated Programs and Courses:

Category	Name/CIP Code
State Approved CTE Secondary Program Name	Machine Tool Technology/Machinist
State Approved CTE Secondary CIP Code Number	48.0501
Perkins Approved at Postsecondary Level (if applicable)	Yes: No: X
Postsecondary CIP Code Number (if applicable)	
Postsecondary CIP Code Name (if applicable)	
Web Link for Postsecondary Program of Study	https://nmu.edu/engineeringtechnology

General Conditions & Requirements:

1. Application for postsecondary credit must be received within two years of the student's high school graduation. Exceptions to this condition must be approved and requests can be submitted to Extended Learning and Community Engagement by email to cte@nmu.edu.
2. The postsecondary credit application will be completed and submitted by the secondary CTE program representative and student, as relevant. All supporting documentation will be submitted to Extended Learning and Community Engagement (ELCE). ELCE can be contacted by phone at 906-227-6766 or email to cte@nmu.edu.
3. The high school student must earn a B or higher in the applicable CTE program to be eligible for postsecondary/articulated credit.
4. No tuition will be charged for any courses for which the student receives postsecondary/articulated credit.

Aligned Postsecondary/Articulated Courses:

Credit for students is approved for the following course(s) based upon the passage of the relevant CTE course/program or corresponding credentialing exams. All conditions and requirements must be fulfilled.

High School Course or Industry Credential	Postsecondary Course Name	Postsecondary Course Number	Credits
Course: Machine Tool Technology/Machinist	Manufacturing Process	MF 134	4 Cr.

Participating Partners:

Northern Michigan University is pleased to be able to provide statewide postsecondary/articulated credit agreements to benefit Michigan high school students by partnering with the Michigan Department of Education, Office of Career and Technical Education, and state-approved secondary CTE programs.

Approval Signatures:

Michigan Department of Education
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Signature: Celena A Mills

Date: 5/29/26

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Signature:

Date: 2-12-26

Dr. Anne Dahlman
Provost and Vice President
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Implementation Date: February 1, 2026

Expiration Date: January 1, 2028

For questions regarding this agreement, please send an email to trnseval@nmu.edu