Articulation Agreement Between The Children's Ministries Institute (CMI) and Crown College School of Online Studies

The Children's Ministries Institute, whose administrative address is PO Box 348 Warrenton, MO 63383-0348 ("CMI") and Crown College School of Online Studies, 8700 College View Drive, St. Bonifacius, MN 55375, are establishing the following articulation agreement.

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Intent: The purpose of this agreement is to provide a mechanism for students to transfer 18 credits to the Crown College School of Online Studies (see Articulation Chart below for exact lists of courses).

CMI Courses – Crown College <u>Undergraduate</u> Articulation Chart Based on the 2022-2023 Crown College Catalog)

Courses From Children's Ministries Institute			Crown College 2022-2023 Equivalent Course	
Course Code (prefix & Number)	Title	Credit Hours	Course Code	Title
CM 202	Teaching Children Effectively Level 1	3	CM	Elective
CM 203	Teaching Children Effectively Level 2	3	CM	Elective
CM 204	Understanding Today's Child	3	CM	Elective
CM 205	Progressive Methods of Child Evangelism	3	CM	Elective
CM 301	Ministry to Generation Z	3	CM	Elective
LD 403	Leadership Essentials	3	СМ	Elective
	Total	18		

Grade Requirements: A grade of at least 2.0 (C or higher) is required for the transfer of Children's Ministries Institute undergraduate courses.

Maximum Number of Credits. Up to a maximum of 15 undergraduate credits will be accepted by Crown for transfer credit into one of its accredited Associate degree programs in the Crown College School of Online Studies. A maximum of 18 credits will be accepted for transfer into an accredited Bachelor degree program in accordance with the degree program requirements of the Crown College Catalog in which the student begins enrollment at Crown College as stated in the Articulation Chart.

Residency Requirement (Courses taken at Crown): Undergraduate bachelor degree-seeking students must complete 30 of the last 60 credits through Crown including a minimum of 50% of the major or minor core. Associate degree-seeking students must complete a minimum of 15 credits at Crown.

Enrollment Process: Students must go through the Crown institutional application process for the degree program they select. Requirements include completing all forms and submitting all related evidentiary documentation including official transcripts from previously attended institutions. Students should indicate they have potential transfer credit from The Children's Ministry Institute.

Official Transcript: In order to receive transfer credit, students must request an official transcript to be sent to Crown College from Children's Ministries Institute. This transcript must list the courses taken and grades earned. If the student has taken post-secondary courses from other institutions, official transcripts from those institutions are also required. Students who earned credit from other sources such as CLEP, AP, IB, DSST, must request an official transcript from the source of the exam (e.g., College Board for CLEP).

Accreditation: Crown College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission and currently offers oncampus undergraduate degrees and online undergraduate and graduate degrees. Children's Ministries Institute holds no educational accreditation.

Length of Agreement: This agreement shall be effective from the date of signing through June 30, 2027. Prior to the expiration date, Crown College and Children's Ministries Institute will review the agreement to determine if renewal is desired. If renewal is desired, the curriculum should be reviewed to determine if any changes are needed (based on the most recent catalogs).

Changes to the Curriculum: Children's Ministries Institute will provide in writing information about any changes in its programs or course offerings (e.g. course name, course id, replacement of courses, etc.). Whenever possible, said written notification shall be given at least 30 days prior to such changes going into effect. Changes may result in the need for an updated agreement.

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT SIGNATURES:

For Children's Ministries Institute

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