

Aims Community College Policy
Academic Affairs
Credit Hour

Aims Community College is responsible for ensuring the assignment of course credit hour(s) by following the Federal Credit Hour definition:

A credit hour is an amount of work represented in intended learning outcomes and verified by evidence of student achievement that is an institutionally-established equivalency that reasonably approximates not less than:

(1) one hour of classroom or direct faculty instruction and a minimum of two hours of out-of-class student work each week for approximately fifteen weeks for one semester or trimester hour of credit, or ten to twelve weeks for one quarter hour of credit, or the equivalent amount of work over a different amount of time; or (2) at least an equivalent amount of work as required in paragraph (1) of this definition for other activities as established by an institution, including laboratory work, internships, practica, studio work, and other academic work leading toward to the award of credit hours.
34.CFR.600.2 (11/1/2010)

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Responsible Administrator: College CEO/President