

CCV CREDENTIALS

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OF VERMONT

APPRENTICESHIP

Registered apprenticeships are a combination of credit-bearing college classes and on-the-job training, meaning that students can continue to work and earn money at the same time that they gain college credits and valuable workplace skills.

CERTIFICATE

A certificate is a group of related courses designed to provide entry-level workplace skills in a particular field. Certificates are often recognized by employers as a demonstration of job-readiness, self-organization, and a commitment to lifelong learning. Credits earned in a certificate program can be applied to an associate degree. Certificate programs typically include 24-30 credits.

DEGREE

An associate of arts or associate of science degree includes at least 60 credits in a chosen field of study, and provides the knowledge students need for employment or further study at the bachelor's degree level.

DIGITAL CREDENTIAL

Digital credentials acknowledge skills, competencies, accomplishments, and the mastery of knowledge. Digital credentials provide important information to employers and demonstrate highly valued competencies. Digital credentials are encoded with "metadata" that showcase a student's skills.

INDUSTRY-RECOGNIZED CREDENTIALS

Industry-recognized credentials demonstrate mastery of skills in a chosen field or sector, and are verified by a nationally recognized organization. Industry-recognized credentials are widely accepted by employers in a given sector as a preferred credential for recruiting, hiring, or retaining employees.



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