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LEGEND FOR STUDENT TRANSCRIPT

LETTER GRADE	DEFINITION	HONOR POINTS
A	Excellent	4.00
B	Good	3.00
C	Average	2.00
D	Poor	1.00
F	Failure	0.00
AU	Audit	0.00
S	Satisfactory	0.00
U	Unsatisfactory	0.00
I	Incomplete	0.00
W	Withdrew	0.00

REPEATED COURSES

Prior to Fall 2004	
R	Repeated Course - Indicates a course was repeated; grades and credits not calculated in the cumulative GPA
#	Indicates second enrollment in a repeated course; grades and credits are calculated in the cumulative GPA
Fall 2004 – Present	
Repeated: Repeat Excluded	This notation will print below the course; grades and credits not calculated in the cumulative GPA.
Repeated: Repeat Included	This notation will print below the course; grades and credits are calculated in the cumulative GPA.

ACCREDITATION

The college is accredited by North Central Association of Colleges and Schools (NCA-HLC). 1966 - Present

HISTORICAL INSTITUTIONAL NAMES

Bismarck Junior College Fall 1939 – October 1986
 Bismarck State Community College..... November 1986 – April 1987
 Bismarck State College..... May 1987 - present

DEGREES AWARDED

Bachelor of Applied Science • Associate in Arts • Associate in Science
 •Associate in Applied Science •Diploma • Certificate • Certificate of Completion

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

All course credits are based on semester hours. The college offers fall and spring semesters, averaging 16 weeks, along with a summer session.

BSC CONVERSION

Courses taken by students from Fall 2002 have been converted from a legacy system.

ACADEMIC FORGIVENESS

Academic forgiveness, also known as grade forgiveness, will be notated as such on a transcript. Courses coded with either academic or grade forgiveness will be excluded from GPA calculations and to satisfy any academic requirements.

LAB SCIENCE CREDIT

Prior to Fall semester 1986-87, no separate record of science labs were indicated on student transcripts. Course listings included credit and grade for both lecture and lab. Beginning Fall semester 1986-87, labs with associated grades are listed on the transcript. Course numbers followed by an "L" designate lab sections.

TRANSCRIPT VALIDATION

An official transcript generated by the Academic Records Office is printed on secure paper and does not require a raised seal.
 Further authentication may be obtained by calling the Academic Records Office.

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