

CULINARY ARTS AND MANAGEMENT

Award: Associate of Applied Science Degree
Major: Culinary Arts and Management
(Partnership Program awarded at Dabney S. Lancaster
Community College)

Possible occupations for graduates: pastry chef, broiler cook, restaurant owner, food service manager, caterer, and sous chef.

The Culinary Arts and Management Associate of Applied Science degree program is a partnership program with Dabney S. Lancaster Community College. Students complete 27 credits of general education courses at Blue Ridge Community College and subsequently complete the remaining program requirements at Dabney S. Lancaster Community College. Students will gain the skills needed to begin, or advance in, the specialty field of Culinary Arts and Management. In addition to food preparation principles and practice, students will also become knowledgeable about the management of food and beverage service operations.

For information about general education requirements at BRCC, go to <http://www.brcc.edu/catalog/curriculum/culinary> or contact Ms. Beth Styers in the Advising Center. For additional information about the Culinary Arts and Management program, contact Dr. Phil McManus at Dabney S. Lancaster Community College at 540-863-2931.

FUNERAL SERVICES

Award: Associate of Applied Science Degree
Major: Funeral Services
(Partnership Program awarded at John Tyler
Community College)

Possible occupations for graduates: fully licensed funeral director or embalmer.

The Funeral Services Associate of Applied Science degree program is a partnership program with John Tyler Community College. Students complete general education courses at Blue Ridge Community College and subsequently apply to John Tyler Community College to complete the remaining program requirements. Students will gain the necessary technical skills, academic background, hands-on experience, and professional attitudes to become a fully licensed funeral director and embalmer.

For information about general education requirements at BRCC, go to <http://community.brcc.edu/funeral> or contact Ms. Beth Styers in the Advising Center. For additional information about the Funeral Services program, contact Mr. Rick Sikon at John Tyler Community College at 804-706-5113.

RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY

(Partnership Program)

Possible occupations for graduates: radiologic technicians. With further training/education, graduates may specialize in CT imaging, sonography, nuclear medicine, angiography, mammography, radiation therapy, and MRI imaging.

Blue Ridge Community College offers an Associate in Arts and Sciences in College/University Transfer for graduates of the Rockingham Memorial Hospital Radiologic Training Program who have passed the American Registry of Radiologic Technologies (AART) licensing exam. The College/University Transfer—Radiologic Technology program is the result of an articulation agreement between Blue Ridge Community College and Rockingham Memorial Hospital. Four year colleges and universities may or may not accept in transfer the courses that are articulated through the agreement and students who complete the articulated degree are not eligible to participate in guaranteed admission agreements.

For information about general education requirements at BRCC, go to <http://community.brcc.edu/radtech> or contact Ms. Beth Styers in the Advising Center. For additional information about the Rockingham Memorial Hospital Radiologic Technology Program, contact Russell Crank at 540-433-4476.

RESPIRATORY THERAPY

Award: Associate of Applied Science Degree

Major: Respiratory Therapy

**(Partnership Program awarded at J. Sargeant Reynolds
Community College)**

Possible occupations for graduates: licensed respiratory therapist in hospitals, clinics, research facilities, home care agencies, and alternate care sites.

The Respiratory Therapy Associate of Applied Science degree program is a partnership program with J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College. Students complete general education courses at Blue Ridge Community College and subsequently apply to J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College to complete the remaining program requirements. Students will gain the necessary knowledge and skills to treat, manage, and care for patients with breathing abnormalities, under the supervision of a physician.

For information about general education requirements at BRCC, go to <http://www.brcc.edu/community.brcc.edu/resptherapy> or contact Ms. Beth Styers in the Advising Center. For additional information about the Respiratory Therapy program, contact Ms. Sherry Compton at J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College at 804-523-5013.