

## 6.24 Continuing Education Unit (CEU)

**Last Revised:** July 2023

**Policy:** Piedmont Community College (PCC) awards Continuing Education Units (CEU) which allow students to attain or maintain required skills to succeed in the workforce.

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### **Purpose/Definitions:**

#### **Purpose**

The purpose of this policy is to provide programs and courses for those who desire professional, business, and workforce training that can result in the awarding of certificates of completion and/or CEUs.

#### **Definition**

**Continuing Education Unit (CEU)**—a unit of measure denoting ten contact hours of participation in class.

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**Approval Authority/Monitoring Authority:** Piedmont Community College’s Board of Trustees has approval authority for this policy. The Vice President, Instruction has monitoring authority for this policy.

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### **Procedure:**

Section 1: Awarding of CEUs

- 1.1. For continuing education programs, the College awards CEUs in accordance with the CEU definition and to meet local and regional workforce demands.
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**Legal Citation:** [N.C.G.S. 115D-1](#); [N.C.G.S. 115D-5](#); [1D SBCCC 300.5](#)

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**History:** Effective April 10, 1975; Revised March 1, 1977, June 19, 1981, October 12, 1988, October 2001, May 2021, July 2023