The College is authorized to provide academic programming pursuant to the North Carolina State Board of Community Colleges Code.

The Board of Trustees, in consultation with the President's Council, oversees the establishment of programs of instruction. Using data and recommendations from the President's Council, the Board evaluates these programs to ensure they align with industry standards, address community needs, and incorporate student-centered design.

Faculty are solely responsible for developing the curriculum, which is submitted to the President's Council for review. Once endorsed, the President's Council forwards its recommendation to the Board of Trustees for final approval.

All programs offered by the College must comply with the appropriate accreditation body criteria and be approved by the Board of Trustees, the North Carolina Community College System Office, and the State Board of Community Colleges. The College must include the North Carolina Community College System Office's required components in the development of a curriculum program of study consistent with the provisions of the State Board Code.

All College-approved programs and courses should be contained in the College's Catalog.

The continued operation of any curriculum program is dependent upon adequate state funds and sufficient enrollment in the program.

REFERENCES

Statutory References	None
Regulatory References	1D SBCCC 200.3; 1D SBCCC 400.10
Relevant Guidance	None
Policy Manual Cross-References	None

POLICY HISTORY

September 24, 2025	Adopted.