



# Santa Fe College Rules Manual

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**Title: Eligibility for Admission**

**Rule 7.1**

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Purpose: To state the eligibility requirements for admission to the College.

The following persons are eligible for admission to the programs of Santa Fe College:

### Academic Credit Programs

High school graduates from an accredited secondary school; students who have earned a state-issued General Education Diploma (GED); students who have passed the High School Equivalency Test (HiSET); transfer students from regionally accredited colleges, universities, and other postsecondary institutions; home-schooled students with valid Home School Affidavit and documentation showing compliance with state/county guidelines for home-schooling; international students with education equivalent to U.S. secondary school education and meeting language standards established through College policy.

A limited number of programs have supplementary admission requirements which are available at the various programs' offices.

Non-degree academic credit programs may be established by the President, who is authorized to determine eligibility requirements for each program.

### Occupational Credit Programs

Persons eligible for academic credit programs, persons holding certificates of completion from Florida high schools, and non-high school graduates 18 years of age or older.

A limited number of programs have supplementary admission requirements which are available at the various programs' offices.

### Non-Credit Programs

Admission to non-credit programs may be granted to any person 16 years of age or older.

### Disciplinary Admissions

Students are responsible for disclosing on their applications for admission or readmission all requested criminal and disciplinary history. Santa Fe College may consider the past actions of any person applying for admission or enrollment and may deny admission or enrollment to an applicant because of misconduct if it is determined to be in the best interest of the College. In addition, current students have a continuing responsibility to disclose to the Office of the Registrar any criminal charges or disciplinary issues that occur after their initial admission to the College.

The President is authorized to establish procedures related to these disclosures and review thereof.

### Rule History

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