

Program Admission Requirements

Effective: Fall 2023

Health Cluster

PROGRAM	ACT MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS	ACCUPLACER NEXT GENERATION MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS	Final ASC Course Completed for Program Admission	OTHER
Dental Assisting	This is a selective program. Please see the department webpage for admission requirements.			
Dental Hygiene	This is a selective program. Please see the department webpage for admission requirements.			
Emergency Medical Services (EMS)				Additional program requirements exist. See department webpages for details.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Emergency Medical Technician 	English Score – 12	Writing – 237	ASC 86^	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Paramedic Technology 	English Score – 16 Math Score - 21	Writing – 250 QAS – 255	ASC 87^ ASC 93**	
Health Information	English Score – 17	Writing – 250	ASC 87^	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health Information Technician Medical Coding 				
Nursing	These are selective programs. Please see the Practical Nursing webpage for more information. Please see the RN (ASN) and/or (AAS) Program webpage for admission requirements.			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practical Nursing (AAS-LPN) Registered Nursing (ASN-RN) Registered Nursing (AAS-RN) 				
Occupational Therapy Assistant	English Score - 16	Writing – 250	ASC 87^	Program admission requirements for 1 st semester. This is a selective program beginning 2 nd semester. See department webpage for details
Pharmacy Technician	English Score – 16 Math Score - 19	Writing – 250 QAS – 246	ASC 87^ ASC 92**	

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Transportation Department

PROGRAM	ACT MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS	ACCUPLACER NEXT GENERATION MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS	Final ASC Course Completed for Program Admission	OTHER
Auto Body Repair and Refinishing Technology	English Score - 15	Writing – 237	ASC 86^	
Caterpillar Dealer Service Technician	English Score - 15	Writing – 237	ASC 86^	
Diesel Technology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Case IH • Komatsu • Automotive and Diesel Master Technician (3rd year option) 	English Score - 15	Writing – 237	ASC 86^	
John Deere Tech	English Score – 15	Writing – 237	ASC 86^	
Powersports Technology	English Score - 15	Writing – 237	ASC 86^	

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Student placement is determined by ACT, SAT, ACCUPLACER or other nationally recognized examination scores:

^ASC Writing Sequence is as follows:

ASC 86 College Writing Prep I **followed by** ASC 87 College Writing Prep II **followed by** ASC 88 WITH ENGL 110.

**ASC Math Sequence is as follows:

- Liberal Arts/Transfer Math Sequence: ASC 91 Algebra Prep I **followed by** ASC 92 Algebra Prep II **followed by** ASC 93 Algebra Prep III

NOTES:

ACT Compass Sunset Date: November 30, 2016 –NDSCS will accept scores for 3 years (through test date November 30, 2019)

Move from ACCUPLACER Classic to ACCUPLACER Next Generation November 2018.

Questions?

- Applicants not meeting the above requirements are encouraged to schedule an appointment to visit with an Academic Counselor by calling **(701) 671.3000** to discuss strategies to meet the admission requirements.
- Students who have successfully completed a college-level developmental math and/or English sequence or who have successfully completed the equivalent of ENGL 110 (or higher) and/or ASC 093 (or higher) meet minimum program admission requirements (with the exception of Selective Admission programs).