

PARKLAND COLLEGE

ADMISSION FORM for INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

ALL APPLICANTS

International students currently outside the U.S., visa-holders, and pending permanent residents should complete this International Student Admission Form and return it to International Student Services in room A184. Please refer to deadlines at the top of page 3 of the admissions form.

Note: A \$40 non-refundable fee is required for F-1 applicants.

Permanent residents and citizens should complete a Parkland College Admission Form and return it to the Admissions Office in room A184.

Note for University of Illinois concurrent enrollment students: In addition to Parkland admission materials, UIUC concurrent enrollment students must have a Concurrent Enrollment Form (signed by the appropriate UIUC faculty/staff member) and a copy of their UIUC transcript.

Degree-seeking students must submit a copy of all official secondary school completion certificates and /or transcript and any post-secondary transcripts. Records not issued in English must be accompanied by an English translation that is certified by an appropriate school official, official translator, or U.S. embassy or consulate official. The transcript must indicate that the applicant has completed the equivalent of U.S. secondary education (minimum 12 years of education).

Nondegree-seeking students who hold other visa designations like F-2, H, J, L, E, or R need only to complete this form and present a current passport, visa, I-94, and related immigration documents to be admitted to Parkland College.

For both degree- and nondegree-seeking students, English language proficiency must be demonstrated by one of the following:

1. TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) score; minimum scores for academic course work are 61 iBT/500 pBT
2. Parkland's assessment test (testing after arrival)
3. Bachelor's degree in a country where English is the official language and medium of instruction

Applicants who need additional language training will attend pre-college ESL (English as a Second Language) classes.

Complete, sign, and return this form and supporting documents to the following address:

Parkland College
International Student Services, Room A184
2400 West Bradley Avenue
Champaign, IL 61821-1899

All students with disabilities may request support services to assist in their academic endeavors. Please notify International Student Services if you require support services so that advance arrangements can be made.

Health Careers

Health career programs at Parkland College are selective. Students must be admitted to the college prior to admission to the health career program. For more information concerning

the requirements and deadlines, call the Health Professions department at 217/351-2224.

All health career applicants are required to submit a non-refundable \$20 application fee before the application will be processed. This fee is required only once in a five-year period.

If you are having someone else pick up your admission documents, please send us an original signed letter giving your permission (form attached).

F-1 APPLICANTS

F-1 applicants need to submit a \$40 (forty U.S. dollars) non-refundable admission fee. If you bank outside the U.S., payment should be in the form of a cashier's check or money order (**not** a personal check) in U.S. dollars, made out to Parkland College. Students who have bank accounts in the U.S. may provide a personal check.

If you need an F-1 student visa to enter the U.S., financial certification is required. U.S. immigration regulations require the original signature of your sponsor, either on a letter of sponsorship, or on the form provided. Neither photocopies nor facsimile copies of the letter are acceptable; an official bank statement or letter showing sufficient funds for at least one year of study. Photocopies of this statement are not acceptable. The account holder name on the bank statement must match the name of your sponsor as listed on the admission form or sponsor letter. The statement must also be written in English or accompanied by a certified English translation.

If you have F-1 immigration status and are transferring from another school in the U.S., request that your international student advisor at your current school release your I-20 in the SEVIS system to Parkland College so that Parkland can issue you an I-20 for attendance at Parkland. Your current school may require a copy of your admission letter to Parkland.

A special message about deadlines for F-1 students applying outside the U.S.

It is very important that you allow enough time to acquire the F-1 visa at a U.S. consulate or embassy office. Although you may meet our deadline for admission, it is possible that this will not allow enough time to apply and interview for the visa. Plan ahead! Complete admission files require one to two weeks of processing time. If we send you the admission materials — including I-20 — by regular mail, it may take as long as two weeks to reach you. Then you must pay the SEVIS I-901 fee three days before the visa interview. It is strongly recommended that you check the website of the closest U.S. embassy or consulate office to find out current expected visa wait times. Do not wait until the last minute!

F-1 students should plan to arrive in Champaign/Urbana at least one week before the beginning of the semester. When you arrive at Parkland College, you will attend an orientation session, check in to International Student Services, and take placement tests in Parkland's Assessment Center. Once you have received your assessment results, an advisor will help you choose classes and register.



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PROGRAMS OF STUDY CODE LIST

TRANSFER PROGRAMS

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS — A.A.

FMCT	AA	Communication
SCJE	AA	Criminal Justice Education
SECE	AA	Early Childhood Education
SEED	AA	Elementary Education
HENG	AA	English (Literature)
FGDN	AA	Graphic Design
SHIS	AA	History
HLAS	AA	Liberal Arts and Sciences
SPOS	AA	Political Science
SPSY	AA	Psychology
SSED	AA	Secondary Education
SSOW	AA	Social Work
SSOC	AA	Sociology
SSPD	AA	Special Education
FTHE	AA	Theatre Arts
HGAA	AA	Undecided Transfer

ASSOCIATE IN FINE ARTS — A.F.A.

FAAD	AFA	Art and Design
FAAE	AFA	Art Education
FMSE	AFA	Music Education
FMSP	AFA	Music Performance

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE — A.S.

BAGR	AS	Agriculture
NLSC	AS	Biological Sciences
NNSC	AS	BSN Nursing
BBUS	AS	Business Administration
TCSC	AS	Computer Science/Computer Information Systems
SECE	AS	Early Childhood Education
SEED	AS	Elementary Education
EMAN	AS	Industrial Technology
NPED	AS	Kinesiology
MMAT	AS	Mathematics
NPSC	AS	Physical Science
SSED	AS	Secondary Education
SSPD	AS	Special Education
NASG	AS	Undecided Transfer

ASSOCIATE IN ENGINEERING SCIENCE — A.E.S.

EENS	AES	Engineering Science
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CAREER/TECHNICAL PROGRAMS

ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE — A.A.S.

Two-year Programs

BACC	AAS	Accounting
BABR	AAS	Ag Business: Applied Agronomy
BEQM	AAS	Ag Business: Equine Management
BABG	AAS	Ag Business: Grain Merchandising and Management
BABM	AAS	Ag Business: Management
BABT	AAS	Ag Business: Precision Ag Technology
EACR	AAS	Auto Collision Repair Technician
EAFI	AAS	Automotive Ford ASSET Program
EAUT	AAS	Automotive Technology
BMGT	AAS	Business: Management
BMKT	AAS	Business: Marketing
SCHD	AAS	Child Development
FMCC	AAS	Communication: Broadcast Technology
FMCB	AAS	Communication: Media Arts and Production
FMPH	AAS	Communication: Photography
ECDM	AAS	Construction Design/Management
ECDB	AAS	Construction Design and Management: Contracting
ESST	AAS	Construction Design and Management: Sprinkler System Technology
ECDS	AAS	Construction Design and Management: Surveying Technology
ECTT	AAS	Construction Trade Technology
SCJS	AAS	Criminal Justice
BCCP	AAS	Customized Career Preparation
GDHG	AAS	Dental Hygiene*

ECNH	AAS	Diesel Power: CNH Service Technician
EPET	AAS	Diesel Power Equipment Technology
TDGM	AAS	Digital Media
EECS	AAS	Electronic Control Systems Technology
GEMT	AAS	Emergency Medical Services: Paramedic*
SFST	AAS	Fire Service Technology
FGDS	AAS	Graphic Design
EHAC	AAS	Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning
BABL	AAS	Horticulture: Landscape Design, Construction, and Management
BHCM	AAS	Hospitality Industry: Culinary Arts Management‡
BHIH	AAS	Hospitality Industry: Hotel/Motel Management
BHIR	AAS	Hospitality Industry: Restaurant Management
EMFG	AAS	Industrial Technology
TCMS	AAS	Microcomputer Support Specialist
TCNA	AAS	Network System Administrator
GNUR	AAS	Nursing*
GOTA	AAS	Occupational Therapy Assistant*
TOCA	AAS	Office Professional
TCPL	AAS	Programming — Database Management
GXRA	AAS	Radiologic Technology*
GRTT	AAS	Respiratory Care*
GSUR	AAS	Surgical Technology*
FENT	AAS	Theatre Arts: Entertainment Technology
GVTT	AAS	Veterinary Technology*

CERTIFICATE — CER

One-year Programs, 30 or more hours

BACC	CER	Accounting
BEQM	CER	Ag Business: Equine Management
BAGB	CER	Agri-Business
EACR	CER	Auto Collision Repair Technician
EAMT	CER	Automotive Technician
EBCR	CER	Building Construction and Repair
BIND	CER	Business: Entrepreneurship
BINT	CER	Business: International Business Management
SCDE	CER	Child Development
ECMD	CER	Computer-Aided Drafting (CAD): Mechanical Design
ECIV	CER	Computer-Aided Drafting (CAD): Structural and Civil
EBLA	CER	Construction: Bricklayer
ECCA	CER	Construction: Carpentry
EEIW	CER	Construction: Electrical Inside Wireman
EERW	CER	Construction: Electrical Residential Wiring Technician
EEIT	CER	Construction: Electrical Telecommunications Installer/Technician
EFLR	CER	Construction: Floor Coverer
EIRW	CER	Construction: Ironworker
ELBR	CER	Construction: Laborer
EMLL	CER	Construction: Millwright
EPDA	CER	Construction: Painting/Decorating
EPFT	CER	Construction: Plumbing/Pipefitting
ESMA	CER	Construction: Sheet Metal
ECDG	CER	Construction Design and Management: Mapping Technician‡
GDTP	CER	Dietary Manager
SFRT	CER	Fire Service Technical Rescue‡
SFST	CER	Fire Service Technology
YGEN	CER	General Education‡
EHVC	CER	HVAC Installation Technician
EHAC	CER	HVAC Service Technician I
BABL	CER	Horticulture: Landscape Design, Construction, and Management
BHIF	CER	Hospitality Industry: Foodservice
BHIM	CER	Hospitality Industry: Hotel/Motel Management

EIMT	CER	Industrial Maintenance Technology
EMFT	CER	Industrial Operations
TOCP	CER	Information Processing
GMSG	CER	Massage Therapy*
TCSM	CER	Microcomputer
TNET	CER	Network Administration
GNUR	CER	Practical Nursing*
GSUR	CER	Surgical Technology*

CERTIFICATE — CER

Fewer than 30 credit hours. Limited financial aid.

TVGW	CER	3D Computer Animation Software
TCGR	CER	3D Software Development
NFXT	CER	Accelerated Personal Fitness Training‡
EACE	CER	Auto Collision Repair: Estimating
ECRR	CER	Auto Collision Repair: Refinishing
ECCD	CER	Auto Collision Repair: Custom Design
ECWC	CER	Auto Collision Repair: Automotive Welding
EAUS	CER	Automotive Service
EBRL	CER	Automotive: Brakes/Alignment
ETAC	CER	Automotive: Electricity/Electronics
EENO	CER	Automotive: Engine Overhaul
EPWT	CER	Automotive: Power Trains
AFCL	CER	Aviation: Commercial Flight‡
AACF	CER	Aviation: Advanced Commercial Flight‡
TWSM	CER	Basic Website Design/Management
TBKP	CER	Bookkeeping Office Assistant‡
BETR	CER	Business: Entrepreneur Basics
SCDA	CER	Child Development: CDA Prep
TCIS	CER	Cisco Networking
FMPR	CER	Communication: Media Production
ELBC	CER	Construction: Concrete Specialist
EGLZ	CER	Construction: Glazier
ECDS	CER	Construction Design and Management: Surveying Instrument Operator‡
GDCM	CER	Dietary Manager: Career Advancement
EELP	CER	Electrical Power
GEMT	CER	EMS: Paramedic
BGIS	CER	Geographic Information Systems
FGDI	CER	Graphic Design: Digital Illustration
FGPP	CER	Graphic Design: Print Production
BFLD	CER	Horticulture: Floral Design
BFSA	CER	Hospitality Industry: Foodservice Assistant
TLIN	CER	Linux System Administration
GMAS	CER	Medical Assisting
TOCT	CER	Medical Transcriptionist
TMSA	CER	Microsoft Certified System Server Administrator
TMSN	CER	Microsoft Certified Enterprise Administrator
TMSO	CER	Microsoft Certified Applications Specialist
TNSS	CER	Network Security Specialist
TOOS	CER	Object-Oriented Programming
TIPR	CER	Office Assistant
NFTR	CER	Personal Fitness Training
GXCT	CER	Radiologic Technology: Computed Tomography
GXMR	CER	Radiologic Technology: Magnetic Resonance Imaging
FENT	CER	Theatre Arts: Entertainment Technology
XCDL	CER	Tractor Trailer Driver Training
TASP	CER	Web Programmer

CERTIFICATE — CER

Six or fewer credit hours. No financial aid.

GEMA	CER	EMS: Basic
GNAS	CER	Nurse Assistant

OTHER AREAS OF INTEREST

YGSU	AGS	Associate in General Studies
YJPI	CE	Non-Degree-Seeking
YNAP	CE	Noncredit/Workshop
GMLT	CE	Medical Laboratory Technology

*Selective admissions program

‡ Pending state approval

14. EDUCATION HISTORY

English translation of high school, college, and university transcripts, certified by school officials or the United States Consul, is required when the language is other than English.

LIST SCHOOLS ATTENDED

Separate official transcripts must be submitted from each college and university attended. (U.S. transcripts must be sent directly from issuing school). *List any additional schools on a separate sheet.*

HIGH SCHOOL			FROM	TO
			Month/Year	Month/Year
			Diploma	
City	State	Country	Received?	
COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY			FROM	TO
			Month/Year	Month/Year
			Credit Hours	
City	State	Country	Earned	
COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY			FROM	TO
			Month/Year	Month/Year
			Credit Hours	
City	State	Country	Earned	

- Previously applied to Parkland College.**
- I am currently enrolled as a full-time student at the University of Illinois-Urbana/Champaign. (Concurrent enrollment authorization required to receive waiver.)
- I was a student at the University of Illinois-Urbana/Champaign during the semester immediately preceding the semester for which I am applying to Parkland, but am no longer permitted to attend due to academic reasons. (Proof of academic status required.)

15. INFORMATION ABOUT ENGLISH PROFICIENCY

English language proficiency must be demonstrated by one of the following:

- TOEFL (Test Of English as a Foreign Language) score; minimum scores for academic course work are 61 ibT/500 pbT
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TOEFL SCORES (IBT): TOEFL SCORES (PBT):

R _____	R _____
L _____	L _____
S _____	S _____
W _____	W _____
Total _____	Total _____

16. EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

(person to notify in case of emergency)

In the U.S.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

TELEPHONE _____

In your home country:

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

COUNTRY _____

TELEPHONE _____

17. INFORMATION VERIFICATION

- I hereby confirm the accuracy and completeness of the information provided in this application, and I guarantee the payment of all financial obligations incurred by me. I further agree and authorize Parkland College to publish, for public relations purposes, my photograph or any photographs in which I appear. I also agree to support the administration in upholding college rules and regulations and in maintaining high standards in all phases of college life.
- I understand it is my responsibility to fulfill the terms of my immigration status, request necessary extensions of passport, visa, and related immigration documents, and to avoid activities that would violate immigration regulations.
- I accept full responsibility for making certain that my English language proficiency level is adequate for the courses I wish to take at Parkland College. I am aware that the English as a Second Language Assessment Test may be taken in room A210 to assist me in making this determination.

I understand that withholding information requested on this application or giving false information may make me ineligible for admission to the college or subject to dismissal.

I certify that the above statements are correct and complete.

I further understand that this application will be returned if I have not provided all information necessary to process the application.

Signature _____ Date _____

Information provided will be kept confidential in accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974. (Public Law 93-380)

SEND COMPLETED AND SIGNED APPLICATION TO:

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Champaign, Illinois 61821**