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# **ACADEMIC CALENDAR 1997-98**

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Classes Begin	June 8 June 9 June 7 June 12 June 19 July 3 July 17 July 30

# FIRST TERM

Classes Begin Monday	June 8
Last Day to Add Classes or Register Late Tuesday	June 9
Last Day for 100% Refund Sunday	June 7
Last Day for 75% Refund Wednesday	June 10
Last Day for 25% Refund Friday	June 12
Last Day to Withdraw from Classes Friday	June 19
Last Day of Classes Thursday	July 2

# SECOND TERM

Classes Begin Monday	July 6
Last Day to Add Classes or Register Late Tuesday	July 7
Last Day for 100% Refund Sunday	July 5
Last Day for 75% Refund Wednesday	July 8
Last Day for 25% Refund Friday	July 10
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Admission Requirements — Center for New Student

Admission Office

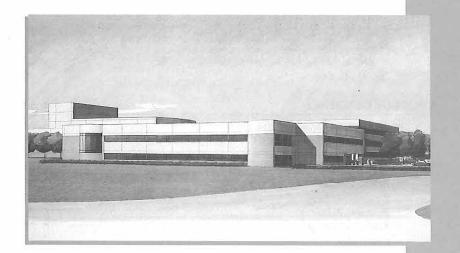
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Fees and Tuition — Business Office

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#### CAMPUS OFFICE DIRECTORY

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Academic Standing, Probation, Suspension, and Reinstatement Academic Advising & Retention Adding/Dropping Classes Admission to the College Advanced Placement Advisor Assignments Appeal of Parking and Traffic Tickets

Auditing Courses Books and Supplies Bulletin Board Information Approval Career Planning

Class Attendance
College at Home Courses
College Publications
Credit by Examination
Course Overload Approval
Disciplinary Action
Evening Courses
Grades and Grading
Graduation
Identification Cards

Insurance
Intramurals
Library Services
Loans, Scholarships, Work-Study
Lost and Found
Motor Vehicle Registration

Non-Credit Courses Off-Campus Credit Classes Payment of College Obligations Payment of Parking and Traffic Tickets Personal Counseling Personal Injury, Illness, Health Problems Placement in Jobs

Placement of College Event on Calendar Public Relations Registration Student Organizations and Activities Testing (ACT, AAPP, GED)

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#### **OFFICE**

Records & Registration

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Public Information

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# **CAMPUS TELEPHONE DIRECTORY**

	ROANE COUNTY	OAK RIDGE
Academic Advisement Center	882-4528	
Academic Development	882-4675	481-2011
Academic Development Counseling	882-4546	481-2009
Academic/Student Affairs, Vice President	882-4513	
Admissions Counseling	882-4628	481-2002
Athletics	882-4581	
Biology	882-4533	
Bookstore	882-4671	481-2006
Business Office	882-4515	481-2014
Business and Environmental Technologies	882-4600	
Center for New Student Admission	882-4523	481-2002
Centers for Training and Org. Excellence	882-4612	
Community Service	882-4509	
Computer Science	882-4600	
Computer Training Center		483-8453/2750
Continuing Education, Non-credit	882-4509	
Counseling & Career Resource Center	882-4546	481-2003
Dean of Student Services	882-4550	
Dental Clinic		482-3326
Distance Learning	882-4602	
Financial Aid Office	882-4545	481-2036
General Information	1-800-343-9104	481-2000
	354-3000	483-0816
Geographic Information Technology	882-4600	
Geology	882-4533	
Graduation Analyst	882-4528	
Health and Disability Services	882-4570	481-2015
Health Sciences	882-4594	481-3496
Humanities	882-4567	
Institute for Environmental Health & Safety		481-3493
Institutional Reporting	882-4503	
Instructional Technology Center	882-4556	
IRIS Telephone Registration	882-4680	1-800-834-RSCC
Library	882-4553	
Lost & Found	354-3000	481-2000
Marketing	882-4644	
Math/Science	882-4533/4591	481-2022
Nursing	882-4605	481-3496
Oak Ridge Administrative Office		481-2001
Placement Office	882-4695	483-0816
President	882-4501	
Printing and Graphics	882-4569	
Public Information	882-4505	
Records and Registration	882-4526	481-2002
Resource Development	882-4503	
Roane State Foundation	882-4507	481-2027
Scholarships/Financial Aid/Veterans Affairs	882-4545	481-2036
Security & Maintenance	882-4565	481-2000
Emergency After Hours	882-4500	
Single Parent/Displaced Homemaker		
Program		481-2021
Social Sciences/Education/P.E.	882-4582	
Student Activities	882-4638	481-2024

Student Government Association	882-4620	481-2024
Student Newspaper	882-4621	
Theatre (Drama)		481-2025
Writing Center	882-4677	481-2026
Workforce Preparedness Program	882-4600	

OTHER LOCATIONS	
Campbell County	1-423-562-7021
Cumberland County	1-615-456-9880
Loudon County (Lenoir City)	1-423-986-1525
Scott County	1-423-663-3878
Knox County (Energy Education)	531-8051
Knox County (Health Sciences)	539-6904
Knox County (Emergency Medical	
Services)	539-6905
Knox County (Medical Laboratory	
Technology)	539-6906
Knox County (Nursing)	539-1134

#### **COLLEGE HISTORY**

Roane State Community College serves an eight-county area in East Tennessee including Roane, Anderson, Cumberland, Scott, Loudon, Campbell, Fentress, and Morgan counties. In addition to these counties, Roane State's Health Sciences service area also includes Knox and Blount Counties.

Roane State provides opportunities for transfer education, career education, continuing education, and developmental education. Designed for students who plan to transfer to senior institutions, the Roane State academic transfer curricula include two years of instruction in the humanities, mathematics, natural sciences, and social sciences to build a strong liberal arts background during the freshman and sophomore years. Roane State graduates transfer to senior institutions in-state such as the University of Tennessee, Tennessee Technological University, Middle Tennessee State University, East Tennessee State University, and many out-of-state universities and professional schools.

Roane State's career preparation programs train students in business management, health sciences, office administration, police science, and other fields for students desiring associate degrees or certificates. The ever increasing demand for people to work under the supervision of the scientist, the engineer, the physician, and the business professional has led to the development of a wide range of career education options.

Continuing education opportunities are provided through a variety of non-credit courses that do not require admission to the college. These courses are offered for personal enrichment, for compliance with business and industrial requirements, for specific technological information and for general cultural benefits.

Roane State continues to respond to state and federal mandates to promote "Excellence in Education." Programs are continually evaluated by students, faculty, and alumni to ensure successful transfer or career placement upon graduation. The college seeks to serve those students who are serious about the challenge of education for a more productive life. An Honors Program for gifted students was implemented in the fall of 1985.

A general education core curriculum including the humanities, arts, math, and sciences is required of all degree program graduates. Roane State has also implemented the state educational initiative to require all graduates to be computer literate. New career programs introduced in 1989 to meet employment demands now and in the future included Environmental Health Technology, Opticianry, and Emergency Medical Technician/Paramedic. A Waste Management Training Center was established to facilitate training of persons to meet the demand of environmental health needs of area industries. In 1990 the Center qualified for a training grant from the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences and met the NIEHS standards for admission to the Midwest Consortium for Hazardous Waste Worker Training. A new Occupational Therapy Assistance program was added to the curriculum in 1992.

Beginning with the Pierce-Albright Report in 1957, which resulted in a \$200,000 appropriation by the Tennessee General Assembly in 1963 to initiate the community college system, the philosophy of community colleges in Tennessee has been to provide higher education for all Tennessee residents. The first three community colleges were established in 1965, with one in each of Tennessee's three grand divisions—Cleveland State in East Tennessee, Columbia State in Middle Tennessee, and Jackson State in West Tennessee. Additional community colleges opened in Dyersburg and Tullahoma in 1969. The sixth community college opened in Morristown in 1970.

In 1969, the General Assembly, upon the recommendation of Governor Buford Ellington and the State Department of Education, authorized three additional

community colleges to be built in Sumner, Roane, and Shelby counties. After visits by Commissioner J. Howard Warf and other officials from the State Department of Education in 1969, a site on Patton Lane was chosen as the permanent location of Roane State Community College. In May of 1970, Dr. Cuyler A. Dunbar was selected as the first president of the college. After beginning classes in the fall of 1971 at a temporary location, RSCC occupied the first permanent building on Patton Lane in August 1973.

With 18 years of service to the college, President Dunbar resigned from Roane State in 1988 to assume the presidency of Catawba Valley Community College in Hickory, North Carolina. Dr. Sherry L. Hoppe was appointed on an interim basis and later named as Roane State's second president in spring 1989.

Groundbreaking for the second building on the Roane State campus was held in January 1977. This three-story Technology Building, which houses the expanding career education programs, was occupied in December 1978.

Construction on Campus Expansion Phase II began in June 1978. The Maintenance Building was completed in June 1979, and the Library/Learning Resource Center in September 1980. In addition to reference and audio-visual services, the center houses Instructional Technology, Distance Learning, and the Writing Center. A branch campus at Hardin Valley Road and Pellissippi Parkway was occupied in the Fall of 1986. This campus was shared with a sister institution in Knox County.

With the establishment of Pellissippi State Technical Community College in the fall of 1988, Roane State moved its Oak Ridge campus to new sites in Oak Ridge. The new facility has received tremendous support from the community and continues to grow as services are expanded. Phase I of the East Tennessee Agricultural Exhibition Center was completed in 1988 at the Roane County campus. The facility has hosted a variety of agricultural, civic and community events.

In June of 1994, Roane State held a dedication ceremony for its first permanent Higher Education Center at the new facility in Huntsville. The Scott County Center was named after Earl McDonald, former Scott Countian who now resides in Fayette, Alabama. McDonald generously provided a \$1 million gift to help build the new Roane State facility. The center's library was named after Scott County native Howard H. Baker, Jr., former senator and Reagan White House chief-of-staff. Baker's memorabilia and world-renowned photographs are displayed in the new library. The 15,000 square foot center is situated on 37 wooded acres provided by W.H. Swain.

In August of 1994, the college held its long-awaited groundbreaking for the new \$6.3 million Humanities Building. Final approval of funding for the building came in April after 13 years of support by community and political leaders. The Humanities Building was opened for classes in the spring of 1997. Another muchanticipated groundbreaking was celebrated June 24, 1996 at the site of the new Oak Ridge Branch Campus. Completion is scheduled for fall 1998.

Roane State now serves more than 5,500 students who are enrolled for credit. More than 5,000 students are served yearly through non-credit courses, programs, and workshops.

#### Locations

The Roane County campus of Roane State Community College consists of 138 acres located near the cities of Harriman, Kingston, and Rockwood in Roane County, Tennessee. The site is near the intersection of Patton Lane and U.S. Highway 70 and is easily accessible from Interstate 40, U.S. 27, and U.S. 70. The Oak Ridge Branch campus is located at 545 Oak Ridge Turnpike and 728 Emory Valley Road.

To more effectively serve the higher education needs in Roane State's service delivery area, RSCC and Tennessee Technological University developed three

centers of higher education. Roane State provides general education for students wishing to transfer to four-year colleges or universities, technical and career education programs, and developmental education for students lacking an adequate academic background. TTU provides undergraduate junior and senior level courses as well as graduate courses.

The following centers are now in full operation:

RSCC/TTU Scott County Higher Education Center, Huntsville, Tennessee RSCC/TTU Cumberland County Higher Education Center, Crossville, Tennessee Campbell County Higher Education Center, LaFollette, Tennessee Knox County Health Sciences Center, Knoxville, Tennessee

Loudon County Career Center, Lenoir City, Tennessee

In addition to the main campus in Roane County, the branch campus in Oak Ridge and the higher education centers, the college also offers classes in Fentress County.

#### **ACCREDITATION**

Roane State Community College is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of The Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097: Telephone number 404-679-4501) to award the associate degree. The college's career preparation programs are accredited as follows:

Dental Hygiene	Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association
EMT-Paramedic	AMA Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP)
Medical Laboratory Technology	National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS)
Medical Record Technology	AMA Committee on Allied Health Education and Accreditation in collaboration with the American Health Information Management Association
Nursing	National League of Nursing
Occupational Therapy Assistant	Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy
Opticianry	Commission on Opticianry Accreditation
Physical Therapist Assistant	APTA Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education

Radiologic Technology Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology

Respiratory Therapy Technology

Joint Review Committee for Respiratory
Therapy Education and Commission on
Accreditation of Allied Health Education
Programs.

#### STATEMENT OF MISSION

Roane State's vision is to enhance individual lives and regional economic development by serving as a model in the state for innovative and responsive delivery systems that take education to students wherever they live and work.

Roane State Community College is a comprehensive, public, two-year post-secondary institution and a member of the State University and Community College of Tennessee and is governed by the Tennessee Board of Regents. Roane State serves the higher education needs of an eight-county service area which includes Roane, Anderson, Loudon, Campbell, Scott, Cumberland, Morgan and Fentress counties and expands to include Knox and Blount counties for the delivery of health technologies. This area spans communities which differ significantly in geography, lifestyle, and economic and technological development. Through a firm commitment to access and to affirmative action for all protected groups, the college's goal is to alleviate barriers and bring educational opportunities to the widely diverse students who live in these different communities. At seven staffed centers, numerous teaching sites and with a wide range of distance learning offerings, the college is a leader in responding to student needs.

The college is committed to the success of its students and creates a learning environment which will help them achieve their immediate educational and career goals and prepare them for their futures with a firm foundation of knowledge, skills, and values. The college offers programs for the gifted as well as an exemplary program of remedial and developmental studies for those underpre-

pared for postsecondary courses.

For students intending to transfer to a four-year institution, RSCC awards associate of arts and associate of science degrees, with courses designed to facilitate student transfer. For those students seeking immediate career opportunities or licensure, Roane State awards the associate of applied science degree as well as technical and academic certificates of credit. The college is distinctive regionally and nationally for the diversity and quality of its programs in the fields of health and the environment and also offers career programs in business-related fields.

Through the various divisions which support its continuing education and community service mission, Roane State offers a wide array of specialized courses, programs, and services. These range from rigorous customized training for business and industry to offerings for cultural, aesthetic, and recreational awareness and enjoyment. The development of educational partnerships with business/industry, the community, K-12, and other higher education institutions has positioned Roane State to become a leader in the economic and educational development of the area by providing a trained workforce equipped with the knowledge and skills critical for responding and adapting to a rapidly changing workplace.

Through its commitment to technology advancement, Roane State prepares its students for the rapidly evolving Information Age. In the Center for Instructional Technology, faculty receive training and assistance in the latest classroom teaching innovations to enhance student learning. Through technological advances in administrative and support services, students receive the benefit of the most convenient and effective methods to meet their needs, from registration to

advisement to career planning.

Through its Quest for Quality initiative, Roane State has committed itself to the highest standards of instruction and service and to the change and evolution necessary to ensure continuous improvement. The ongoing assessment of educational outcomes and administrative objectives will enable the college to focus on its mission to enrich the lives of those who come to Roane State for learning and for service.

### STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

Roane State Community College exists to provide a high-quality learning environment in which to meet the diverse educational, cultural, and economic development needs of the communities it serves. The college is committed to the fulfillment of this purpose through the realization of the following institutional priorities.

#### MISSION PRIORITIES

#### TEACHING AND LEARNING

providing a nurturing environment where students receive the individual attention they need to achieve their highest potential, where students are exposed to a variety of learning experiences as well as challenges and opportunities beyond the ordinary, and where students are encouraged and inspired to meet the high expectations and standards needed for responsible citizenship in the 21st century.

#### **INNOVATION**

increasing access and opportunity through expanded and innovative programs and services at convenient times and in convenient locations and using the latest in technological advances to teach and to serve.

#### **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

meeting workforce training needs proactively by providing flexible and responsive programming to serve the evolving economic development of the area.

#### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

strengthening relationships with the community by providing a variety of educational, cultural, and recreational opportunities for people of all ages.

#### RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

increasing awareness within our communities of the services and opportunities that we offer and continuing to build a strong base of support through friends and benefactors as well as federal and state sources of funding.

#### **SOUND MANAGEMENT**

ensuring fiscal and administrative support systems that enable the college to make responsible and forward thinking decisions for the benefit of the constituents it serves.

#### **FACILITIES DEVELOPMENT**

providing a safe and comfortable environment for students and employees with physical spaces adequate and appropriate for the latest learning and economic development activities.

#### STUDENT SUCCESS

guiding students toward the accomplishment of their academic and personal goals by providing programs and services designed to help them maximize the collegiate experience and help them make informed and responsible choices for their futures.

#### **MODELING VALUES**

providing, through our policies and actions, a model of institutional excellence for our students in which an appreciation of fairness and cultural diversity, information-sharing and working with others to solve problems, and the continual growth and professional development of all employees are measures of institutional success.

#### **CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT**

striving for quality at all levels and in every endeavor by using the results of evaluation and assessment to continually improve instruction and service and, thus, ensure our effectiveness as an institution.

#### ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Roane State offers many challenging and rewarding degree programs. Detailed information about each program can be found beginning on page 61.

#### COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAMS

(423) 882-4509

In addition to credit courses, special non-credit courses reflecting community interest may be organized at the request of a sufficient number of interested persons. Individuals may pursue these special offerings for personal enrichment, for compliance with business or industrial opportunities and/or requirements, for specific technological information, and for general cultural benefits. Students taking non-credit courses are not required to follow the same admissions procedures as those students in degree courses.

The Community Service Program of the college includes a variety of activities which are offered in cooperation with community groups and agencies. The program offerings are in accord with the public's needs and interests and include lectures, clinics, short courses, conferences, forums, concerts, fine arts festivals, workshops, institutes, self-development functions, and community development functions. The college welcomes the opportunity to meet with representatives in our community (e.g. educational, governmental, industrial, and business organizations) to plan special types of training or activities that might be beneficial to an organization or our community.

## COMPUTER TRAINING CENTER

(423) 483-8453

The Computer Training Center is a division of Community Services and offers short-term, non-credit classes in the latest computer applications and technologies. Customized training is also available to business and industry. No special registration requirements are required for enrollment. The CTC is located on the outer perimeter of the Oak Ridge Mall.

#### **DISTANCE LEARNING**

(423) 882-4602

Roane State's Distance Learning program provides educational opportunities for students through College at Home video/audio/telecourse and on-line courses and IDEA (Interactive Distance Education Access) live interactive courses. The Distance Learning Office is located on the second floor of the Roane County Library.

The College at Home program allows students to take courses with a multimedia approach of textbooks, study guides, audio/videotapes, broadcast television/local cablevision, or through the World Wide Web. The College at Home Testing Centers, located at the Roane County Campus Library and the Oak Ridge Emory Valley site, provide flexible hours day, evening and Saturdays to allow distance learners to test at their convenience.

IDEA students are linked to the instructor and class through two-way audio and two-way video transmission. There are IDEA classrooms at the Roane County, Oak Ridge, Campbell County, Cumberland County, Loudon County, and Scott County sites which allow students to attend classes at the site closest to their home or work.

Roane State has joined with three community colleges in East Tennessee (Chattanooga State, Cleveland State and Pellissippi State) to form the Tennessee On-Line Community College Consortium (TOCCC). TOCCC is designed to offer classes through the World Wide Web that will progress toward an associate's degree.

# CENTERS FOR TRAINING AND ORGANIZATIONAL EXCELLENCE

(423) 882-4612

The Center is a division of Roane State's Office of Continuing Education and Distance Learning. The center provides training programs and services for business and industry in Roane State's eight county service area. Emphasis is placed upon employee development as a means to develop skills required for today's technological workplace. Customized training, assessment services, consulting and technical services are available through the center. Seminars, workshops and short courses can be offered on campus, in the plant or at a community site. The Center delivers both credit and non-credit programming.

# EAST TENNESSEE AGRICULTURAL EXPOSITION CENTER

The Exposition Center is a multi-use facility designed primarily for use by the livestock industry. The center hosts many local and national livestock events which include various horse shows, rodeos, team ropings, cuttings, sales and clinics. Due to its unique design, the center is also able to host many other community events which include boat and marine shows, paintball and archery tournaments, hunting and fishing expositions as well as various other contests and seminars. Because of the community service commitment of the college, the Exposition Center also hosts several events each year for various non-profit community organizations for which there is no charge.

## INSTITUTE FOR ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

(423) 481-3493

In response to the needs of industry and various agencies of the government, Roane State Community College established the Waste Management Training Center in 1988. The responsibility of this center was to provide training programs for occupational health, hazardous materials management, asbestos management and related areas of health and safety. As the center grew in its course offerings, it was decided to change its name in 1994 to the Institute for Environmental Health and Safety to better identify with its areas of expertise.

The institute provides training to help in meeting health and safety needs in the environmental field, and courses are tailored to meet the demands of the market and to aid organizations to insure their compliance with all applicable regulations.

The institute is a leader in providing courses which are required to meet the 29CFR 1910.120 standard of OSHA and EPA's AHERA and ASHARA Model Accreditation Program. We provide qualified instructors, excellent facilities and equipment for use in all courses.

The institute is located at 728 Emory Valley Road in Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

#### WRITING CENTER

(423) 882-4641 (Roane County) (423) 481-2026 (Oak Ridge)

The Writing Center, provides free writing assistance to Roane State Community College students, faculty and staff, and to the community. The purpose of

the Writing Center is to promote excellence in writing. The center seeks to develop approaches that put writing at the center of the academic and professional enterprise and to foster the perception of writing as a vital means of communication, as an art form, and as a powerful mode of learning for all subjects.

# **RSCC/LEAD INSTITUTION**

RSCC, designated a Lead Institution by the Tennessee Board of Regents, is charged with the responsibility of overseeing the development of a cohesive plan for the delivery of postsecondary vocational, technical, and career programs and with support services for technology centers in an eight-county area including Anderson, Campbell, Cumberland, Fentress, Loudon, Morgan, Roane, and Scott counties.

Roane State is responsible for providing support for the delivery of the following services: occupational and academic diagnostic services, developmental education (basic skills), job/vocational education and occupational training, special business and industry training, sub-baccalaureate or non-collegiate technical education, job placement and counseling, transfer for community college, and continuing education and community service.

As Lead Institution, RSCC also provides administrative support services for accounting and budgeting, purchasing, personnel, student records, financial aid, institutional research, and public relations for postsecondary technology centers.

# **JOB TRAINING PARTNERSHIP ACT**

(423) 376-3799

Roane State Community College is the fiscal agent for the area Private Industry Council, which is a cooperative employee/employer training and assistance program of the Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA). JTPA is a federally mandated, cooperative effort on the part of business and industry, education, labor, and government operated statewide by the Tennessee Department of Labor. RSCC, Tennessee Technology Centers and technical institutes in the eight-county area are involved through the Tennessee Board of Regents to serve as partners by providing training facilities as they are needed.

#### **ROANE STATE FOUNDATION**

(423) 882-4507

The Roane State Foundation was founded in 1979 as a separate non-profit entity with the purpose of providing financial support for the students and programs of Roane State Community College. It seeks to enhance community awareness of the college, to secure private contributions and bequests, and to manage monies or properties given to the Foundation. Governed by a volunteer board of directors, the Foundation provides financial support for college activities. The executive director of the Foundation works with members of the college's Development Council and serves as the liaison between the board of directors and the college community.

The Roane State Foundation's current priorities include:

- Strengthening scholarship endowments
- Providing support services to students
- Acknowledging outstanding faculty and staff for service and leadership
- Encouraging adult learners
- Fostering participation in cultural and community activities
- · Developing facilities and special capital projects

Providing perpetual trusteeship of capital funds donated to the college

Supporting special projects which cannot be funded by public funds.

There are many ways to participate in Roane State Community College's giving program through the Foundation. Gifts of cash provide immediately accessible capital for the college. Contributors of appreciated assets such as securities, life insurance, real estate or personal property are excellent vehicles for making a charitable gift, and may also offer significant tax benefits to the donor. Such contributions may be made outright or through deferred gifts or bequests. Donors are encouraged to consult with their financial advisors for the method or combination of methods best suited to their own situations.

# Just down the road



t the Oak Ridge

Branch Campus, build

a schedule to meet your

Weekend College,

individual needs...

traditional classes,

College at Home.

#### ADMISSION TO THE COLLEGE

RSCC can aid in the intellectual development of anyone who wants to take advantage of a high-quality, low-cost, state-supported educational experience. The following pages describe in detail the costs and procedures for admission to Roane State Community College.

STEP 1 — Apply for admission

STEP 2 — Be accepted into one of the general student classifications

STEP 3 — Enroll - Register for classes

The information included in this section of the catalog is provided to guide you through these steps. If you have questions which are not explained, please contact the Center for New Student Admission at (423) 882-4523 or 1-800-343-9104.

College tours may be scheduled at the Center for New Student Admission or at any off campus location.

#### **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

All applicants who graduated from a regionally accredited high school in or subsequent to 1989 must meet the following requirements in addition to those listed in the student's selected program of study. All requirements must be met prior to being awarded the associate degree in a university parallel program. Applicants who received a GED certificate in 1989 and thereafter are considered to have met all high school unit requirements except those in foreign language and visual or performing arts.

	Units
English	4
Algebra I and II	2
Geometry or other Advanced Math course with Geometry	1
component	
Natural/Physical Sciences*	2
Social Studies	1
United States History	1
Foreign Language	2
Visual/Performing Arts	1

Applicants who are found to be **deficient** in any of the above areas may be admitted on a provisional basis and will be required to remove any deficiencies prior to being granted an associate of arts <u>or</u> associate of science degree. Questions regarding this policy should be forwarded to the Coordinator of Admissions.

\*1 course must be Biology I or II,

Chemistry I or II, or Physics

#### **SELECTIVE SERVICE REQUIREMENTS**

- (1) Pursuant to federal law, every male who is between the ages of eighteen (18) and twenty-six (26), and is a citizen of the United States or a resident of the United States must register with the Selective Service.
- (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (1), the requirement to register shall not apply to any alien lawfully admitted to the United States as a nonimmigrant under Section 101(a)(15) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, as amended, for so long as he continues to maintain a lawful nonimmigrant status in the United States.

#### **COLLEGE ADMISSION PROCEDURES**

Roane State Community College subscribes to the "open door" policy for admissions; however, admission may be granted on a "controlled" basis if ACT or SAT scores and/or placement assessment results indicate any academic deficiencies. Regular admission is granted to those students whose ACT or SAT scores and/or placement results indicate there are no academic deficiencies.

The following general requirements apply, and more specific requirements are found under "General Student Classifications."

- Graduate from a state approved high school or receive a GED high school equivalency diploma and file with the Records and Registration Office an official high school transcript or an official copy of GED scores.
- 2. File an application for admission and submit a non-refundable application fee of \$5 which must accompany the application form. The application form must have all appropriate spaces completed. Failure to complete all appropriate spaces accurately may result in expulsion from the college.
- 3. The Health Information Section is optional but students are encouraged to complete the form to assist Health Services in case of an emergency. Contact the nurse to obtain exemption instruction if you have a health problem that may exempt you from physical education.
- 4. All freshman applicants under 21 years of age must submit ACT or SAT scores. Information on the ACT may be obtained from the high school counselor, the Counseling Office at RSCC, or by writing to American College Testing, Inc., P.O. Box 168, Iowa City, Iowa 52242. Roane State Community College's ACT Code Number is 3985. This number should be used to request that scores be sent to RSCC.
- 5. Students who have graduated from a Tennessee high school and who have not earned one credit in American history while in the high school program are required to complete 6 semester hours of American history during their first 30 hours of regular enrollment at Roane State. This requirement does not affect the student who enters the college with a GED certificate.
- 6. Applicants seeking degree or academic certificate status who graduated from a high school which has not been approved by the State of Tennessee or accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools must validate their eligibility for admission by achieving a composite score of 19 or above on the Enhanced ACT or the equivalent SAT score. Applicants who fail to achieve this score must successfully complete the GED Test (Score 45 with no sub-score below 35).
- 7. Transcripts for graduates from Tennessee public high schools must provide evidence that the student passed the required proficiency test battery. Persons who wish to submit the GED score necessary for the equivalency high school diploma in lieu of a high school diploma for college admission may do so.

All correspondence concerning your admission file should be addressed to:

Director of Records and Registration

276 Patton Lane

Roane State Community College

Harriman, Tennessee 37748

A candidate for admission should request application forms early enough to allow ample time for required materials to be forwarded to the Director of Records and Registration.

When all admissions papers have been received in the Records and Registration Office, the applicant will be sent a letter indicating that he/she has been accepted for admission or he/she will be advised by letter that further action is necessary in order to establish eligibility for admission. Applicants will be advised when to appear for testing, counseling, and registration.

ADDITIONAL ADMISSION AND RETENTION REQUIREMENTS ARE IN EFFECT FOR HEALTH SCIENCE PROGRAMS. PREFERENCE FOR ADMISSION WILL BE GIVEN TO RESIDENTS OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE. SEE PAGE 93 FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

#### GENERAL STUDENT CLASSIFICATIONS

- Degree or Academic Certificate Student: Applicants who will take courses for credit which will apply toward a degree or certificate.
  - A. First-time college student (new, beginning freshmen)
    - All applicants must submit official high school transcripts or official copy of GED scores. A certified copy must be mailed directly to the Records and Registration Office, Roane State Community College.
    - All applicants under 21 years of age must submit ACT or SAT scores.
       Roane State prefers the ACT but will accept the SAT. These scores will be used to determine the areas in which the student will be required to undergo placement assessment.
      - a) Students whose composite score is less than 19 on the Enhanced ACT or less than 720 total score on the SAT will be assessed in the area of reading.
      - b) Students whose English sub-test score is less than 19 on the Enhanced ACT or less than 360 verbal score on the SAT will be required to take the writing sample portion of the placement assessment.
      - c) If the student's mathematics sub-test score is less than 19 on the Enhanced ACT or less than 380 math score on the SAT, or if a student in a transfer program does not have two years of high school algebra, the math portion of the placement assessment will be required.
    - 3. All applicants 21 years of age and older must undergo placement assessment. Students 21 years of age and older may choose to take the ACT and be assessed according to the above-mentioned guidelines. The ACT or SAT must have been completed within the last three years.
    - 4. All students enrolled in Composition I will be evaluated during the first week of classes. Students showing deficiencies will be referred to testing for possible placement in appropriate remedial or developmental courses.
    - 5. Placement in DSS 089 College Success Strategies is required for either (1) students who are placed in at least two subject areas at the remedial level or (2) students who are placed in three subject areas including remedial or developmental levels. Beyond this mandatory placement, students with two deficiencies either both developmental or one developmental and the other remedial have the option to elect placement in College Success Strategies. Course enrollment is limited to students in these categories.
    - 6. Enrollment in the courses indicated by results of the assessment is mandatory.
  - B. Transfer Student: A degree-seeking applicant who has attended another college or university will be considered a transfer student. An

evaluation of college credit for transfer will be completed. Transfer students **may** be exempt from EDU 100, Orientation to College.

1. If less than 60 semester hours have been accumulated, an official high school transcript or GED scores must be submitted.

Official transcripts from each college previously attended must be submitted. Transcripts are not accepted from students. A certified copy must be mailed directly to the Records and Registration Office, Roane State Community College.

3. Transfer students under the age of 21 must submit ACT or SAT scores. If fewer than 60 semester hours have been attempted, ACT or SAT scores will be used to determine the areas in which the student will be required to undergo placement assessment. Grades in courses completed will also be taken into consideration for proper placement assessment determination. Enrollment in courses indicated by results of the assessment is mandatory.

4. Transfer students age 21 and older, who have less than 60 semester hours of credit, will have their course records evaluated for proof of competency in the areas of reading, writing, and mathematics. Students lacking college course work in these areas will be required to undergo placement assessment. Enrollment in courses indicated by results of the assessment is mandatory.

5. Transfer applicants who do not meet the Roane State retention standards or whose last term of enrollment results in academic probation will be admitted on academic probation and may be required to undergo placement assessment. Enrollment in the courses indicated by results of the assessment is mandatory.

6. Transfer applicants whose last term of attendance resulted in academic suspension within the past calendar year must meet with the Admission and Retention Committee to request admission. If admission is recommended by the committee, the applicant may be required to undergo placement assessment. Enrollment in the courses indicated by results of the assessment is mandatory.

7. Credits for courses not corresponding with the curriculum at Roane State may be entered on the transcript as elective credit.

C. Readmitted Student: An applicant for readmission is one who has previously applied for classes at Roane State Community College, but who has not been enrolled for at least one semester prior to the semester of requested readmission.

1. An application for readmission must be filed with the Records and Registration Office.

Degree or academic certificate seeking students must submit official transcripts from all colleges or universities attended since their enrollment at Roane State.

3. All applicants whose last semester of attendance resulted in academic suspension and who are seeking readmission within one calendar year of that suspension must meet with the Admission and Retention Committee to appeal the suspension prior to readmission. If reinstated, these students may be required to undergo placement assessment. Enrollment in the courses indicated by results of the assessment is mandatory.

 Effective spring 1992, readmit students who took courses at RSCC prior to fall 1985 are no longer exempt from fulfilling Academic Development requirements in AAPP placement testing and course completion.

- D. International Student: An applicant who is a citizen or a permanent resident of a country other than the United States is classified as an international student.
  - International students under 21 years of age must submit ACT or SAT scores.
  - Placement assessment may be required dependent upon age, admissions category (new or transfer), and ACT/SAT scores. The above-stated policies for first-time college students and transfer students will be adhered to. Enrollment in courses indicated by results of the assessment is mandatory.
  - 3. All applicants whose native language is not English are required to furnish test results of the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL). A minimum score of 500 on this test is required.
  - 4. All transcripts, test scores, and other credentials must be accompanied by an official English translation of these documents and must be on file in the Records and Registration Office at least 60 days prior to the beginning of the term in which the applicant wishes to enroll.
  - 5. Evidence of financial resources adequate for all expenses for at least one year of enrollment is required. (A statement verifying these resources from a bank in the United States will fill this requirement.)
  - The international student must be familiar with the regulations of the Immigration and Naturalization Service and assume responsibility for complying with these regulations.
  - 7. All international students are required to have health and accidental insurance from an RSCC approved U.S. company. Applications are available from Records and Registration Office.

All international students applying for admission pursuant to a student visa shall submit a certificate from a licensed physician or other qualified medical authority verifying freedom from tuberculosis within thirty (30) days from the first day of classes. Failure to submit such certification shall result in denial of further enrollment or admission. In the event that a student either has tuberculosis or has potential tuberculosis requiring medical treatment, continued enrollment will be conditioned upon the determination by a licensed physician that further enrollment does not present a risk to others and upon the student's compliance with any prescribed medical treatment program.

Applicants in categories A, B, C, and D whose enrollment in Remedial Studies (RS) or Developmental Studies (DS) courses is mandated by placement assessment are admitted on a "controlled admission" basis.

#### Variances in State Policies and Procedures

- Students whose assessment results require enrollment in Remedial Studies courses may not enroll in regular college-level courses until they have satisfactorily met the exit criteria for their remedial courses, unless the Associate Dean of Academic Development agrees that the deficiency will not handicap the student's likelihood of success in the particular regular course.
- SAT scores may be submitted in lieu of ACT scores. Verbal and Math sub-scores will be used to determine the areas of required placement assessment.
- II. Non-Degree Student: Applicants who do not wish to work toward a degree or academic certificate may be admitted as Non-Degree Students.

This category includes:

- A. Those students who meet the minimum requirements for admission (high school graduation or GED) but who do not wish to work toward an associate degree.
  - 1. An application for admissions along with a non-refundable \$5 application fee must be submitted.
  - A transient student must provide a signed statement from his/her native institution verifying enrollment in a degree program at that institution rather than submit a transcript.

3. No assessment is required

- (a) unless the student wishes to enroll in a college-level math or English class or one that has college level math or English prerequisites OR
- (b) if the student is enrolled in a technical certificate of credit program. Technical Certificates of Credit are available in the following areas:

Air Quality Control

Computer Art & Design

Emergency Medical Technology/Paramedic

Health Physics

Industrial Hygiene

Medical Transcriptionist

Office Information Technology

Police Management

Security Management

Waste Management

- B. Those students who do not meet the requirements for admission as a regular student and who wish to audit course work at Roane State Community College. These may include disabled or elderly students who qualify for a special fee rate.
  - 1. Transcripts of previous school work are not required.
  - Students in this category who wish to be reclassified must submit appropriate transcripts and undergo placement assessment. A change of status form must be completed in the Academic Advisement Center. Reclassification will not occur until all requirements of the desired admissions category are met.
  - 3. A student may not change status during the first term of enroll-
- C. Students who have passed their twenty-first birthday and who do not have a regular high school diploma or GED.
  - Students must undergo placement assessment and take the prescribed remedial and developmental courses.
  - Students may change to degree-seeking status by successfully completing the GED and requesting a change of status in the Academic Advisement Center.
- D. Students who have passed their eighteenth birthday, who are not currently enrolled in high school, and who wish to pursue the GED through academic development instruction.
- E. Advanced Studies Students: Upon completion of the sophomore year in high school, a student may be admitted as an Advanced Studies student when the criteria below are met:
  - Submit an Advanced Studies application <u>AND</u> an application for admission to the Center for New Student Admission.

- 2. The high school principal and/or counselor initiates the request for admission to the program for potential students.
- 3. Students nominated for this program should have a 3.2 GPA or better on a 4.0 scale or 2.75 on a 5.0 scale.
- 4. The students nominated must submit ACT scores. The ACT composite must not fall below 20 and subscores in English and mathematics must be 19 or higher.
- 5. The course load may not exceed 6 semester hours, except in cases where a sequence may be 8 semester hours.
- 6. Courses satisfactorily completed will count as credit for those who submit a high school transcript showing evidence of high school graduation. Advanced Studies students must submit a high school transcript verifying high school graduation prior to enrolling as degree students.
- F. Academically Gifted Students: To qualify as an applicant for this admissions category, students in grades 9, 10, 11, or 12 must be classified as "academically gifted" by evaluation through the multi-disciplinary team process. Admission will be contingent upon the following criteria:
  - 1. A grade point average of 3.2 or better on a 4.0 scale.
  - 2. Approval of the high school principal and the Director of Records and Registration.
  - Enrollment only in those courses designated in the student's Individual Education Program (IEP) developed by the multi-disciplinary team.

#### **ACADEMIC FRESH START**

#### Purpose

The Academic Fresh Start program is designed to assist those students who have had a minimum 4-year separation from college and who demonstrate a greater level of academic maturity as a result of that separation. Students who did not realize their full academic potential during their first attempt at the college experience are being given a second chance to meet their educational goals without penalty. Through the Academic Fresh Start program, students are given a second chance to begin their academic careers by removing all previously taken courses from the current academic statistics. Although the courses will not be physically removed from the student's academic record, they will no longer be calculated in the quality point average computation and will no longer apply toward the fulfillment of any college requirement.

#### Guidelines

- A student must not have been enrolled at a college or university for a minimum of 4 calendar years.
- The student must accumulate 18 semester hours with a minimum GPA of 2.5.
- Academic Fresh Start applies to all RSCC courses taken prior to the 4-year separation. All work attempted before the date of separation will be removed from consideration toward fulfillment of degree requirements. Previously satisfied Academic Assessment and Placement Program (AAPP) requirements will not be forfeited.

- 4. All grades/courses preceding the re-enrollment period will be given inactive status and will remain listed on the transcript but will not be calculated in current academic statistics (earned hours, attempted hours, cumulative grade point average).
- 5. The student must apply for Academic Fresh Start at the time of admissions/ readmission and must be pursuing a degree program. Only those students pursuing an associate degree are eligible for Academic Fresh Start.
- Academic Fresh Start may be granted only once, and when granted, is irrevocable.

#### **Procedure**

- 1. A student who is eligible for Academic Fresh Start must make that request in writing to the Records and Registration Office.
- 2. A student must apply for Academic Fresh Start at the time he/she applies for admission/readmission to Roane State.
- 3. The Director of Records and Registration will review the student's transcript at the time the student accumulates the required number of hours to verify that the student has met policy guidelines.
- 4. The student will be notified of the results of his/her application for Academic Fresh Start. Notification will be made in writing from the Records and Registration Office. All written documents will be placed in the student's file.
- 5. Upon approval by the Director of Records and Registration, the transcript will be updated to reflect "ACADEMIC FRESH START" with the effective date.

# **ACQUIRING CREDIT**

The following explains ways enrolled students may receive credit other than taking the specific classes at RSCC.

#### **COURSE EXEMPTION**

Students with an ACT sub-score of 27 or better in English may enroll for both English 101 and 102, attend English 102, and receive six semester hours credit with the grade earned in English 102.

#### PHYSICAL EDUCATION EXEMPTION

Physical education exemptions may be granted to students who are medically disabled. Such students must substitute another course for the exempted activity classes. To apply for this exemption/substitution:

- Requests for this exemption/substitution must be made in writing to the Director of Health and Disability Services.
- 2. Physician's documentation must be submitted to Health and Disability Services to identify and verify this need.
- 3. Consult with an advisor about substituting a two hour health/physical education course to meet the degree requirement. Substitution choices include HEA 221 and 242, PED 175, and HEC 131.
- 4. A course that is not already required in the degree plan must be selected. It is advisable to consult with the advisor early in the scheduling process to coordinate the substituted classes into the student's schedule.

#### ADVANCED PLACEMENT

Roane State offers course credit for successful completion of Advanced Placement examinations administered by the College Entrance Examination Board to high school students. Course credit will be granted to students presenting Advanced Placement examination grades of three or higher. Inquiries concerning Advanced Placement should be forwarded to the Records and Registration Office. A letter grade of "P" (Pass) will be assigned for credit granted.

#### **CHALLENGE EXAMINATIONS**

- Currently enrolled students desiring to obtain credit by successfully completing challenge examinations must apply to the appropriate division and arrange to take the examination. A Credit-By-Proficiency form will be used.
- The student must take the form to the Business Office and pay the appropriate fee prior to taking the test. Students will be required to pay a fee equal to \$20 per hour times the number of credit hours. This fee is in addition to maintenance fees paid for courses in which the student is actually registered.
- 3. After fees are paid the student will take the form to the appropriate department for completing the test. When the test is complete, the grades assigned, and the appropriate signatures in place, the form will be sent to the Records and Registration Office for recording of credit. A letter grade of "P" (Pass) will be assigned for credits earned.
- Fees are waived if the student desires to validate credit by examination for earned hours from an unaccredited institution or vocational school.

Students must verify by official transcript that the credits have been earned previously when arranging to take the examination.

#### **CLEP GENERAL AND CLEP SUBJECT AREA EXAMINATIONS**

Have official scores sent from CEEB to the Records and Registration Office. An evaluation for possible credit will be made, and a copy of this evaluation will be mailed to the student. For information about taking CLEP examinations, contact the University of Tennessee Counseling Center. A letter grade of "P" (Pass) will be assigned for credit granted.

# ACCEPTABLE SCALED SCORES ON CLEP TESTS AND NUMBER OF RSCC CREDIT HOURS AWARDED

NOMBER OF ROCC CREDIT FIGURES AN	WINDED	NUMBER
		OF
	MINIMUM	CREDIT
	ACCEPTABLE	HOURS
	SCORE	AWARDED
CLEP GENERAL EXAMINATIONS:		
English Composition (1986 Scale)	421	6
English Composition (1980 Scale)		6
Humanities		6
Mathematics		6
Natural Science		6
Social Science - History		6
CLEP SUBJECT EXAMINATIONS:		
American Education, History of	46	3
American Government	47	3
American History	46	6
American Literature	46	6
Biology, General		8
Business Law, Introductory		3
Calculus with Elementary Functions		6
Chemistry, General	47	8
College Algebra	45	3
College Algebra-Trigonometry		3
College Composition	47	6
Second Semester	41	6
Fourth Semester		6
College German (Levels 1 and 2)	33	Ü
Second Semester	40	6
Fourth Semester		6
College Spanish (Levels 1 and 2)		
Second Semester	41	6
Fourth Semester	50	6
Computers and Data Processing	47	3
Computer Programming, Elementary -		
FORTRAN IV		
Educational Psychology		3
English Literature		6
Freshman English		6
Human Growth and Development		3 6
Literature, Analysis and Interpretation of		3
Management, Introduction to		3
Marketing, Introductory		3
Medical Technology	40	3
Clinical Chemistry	47	
Hematology.		
Immunohematology	47	*
Microbiology	48	3
Microeconomics, Introductory	47	3
Micro- and Macroeconomics, Introductory		3
Money and Banking		3
Psychology, General		3
Sociology, Introductory		3
Statistics		3
Tests and Measurements		3
Trigonometry		6
**Cacin Civilization	50	Ü

<sup>\*</sup>These examinations are based on subject matter covered during the clinical year of training of medical technology students.

<sup>\*</sup>These examinations are based on subject matter covered during the first year of a two-year Associate of Applied Science Degree in the Nursing Program.

#### COURSE CREDITS FOR PASSING THE CPS EXAMINATION

Persons passing the Certified Professional Secretary examination will be granted 18 hours of credit at Roane State for the following courses which will apply to a degree in Business Management Technology or Office Administration:

OAD 105	Business Communications I
BUS 221	Principles of Accounting 1
BUS 251	Legal Environment for Business
BUS 261	Psychological Aspects of Management
ECO 201	Principles of Economics I
OAD 201	Administrative Office Management3
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Credits awarded are subject to change when the actual content of the CPS examination no longer corresponds to course content or when courses at RSCC are revised substantially.

In order to receive credit for these courses, the CPS applicant must follow the procedures listed below:

- 1. The CPS holder will apply to the Records and Registration Office and pay the application fee required, and enroll for classes.
- The CPS holder will present his/her test scores to the Records and Registration Office upon application as sufficient proof of his/her CPS status. A letter grade of "P" (Pass) will be assigned for credit granted.

#### TRANSFER OF CREDIT

Roane State Community College will accept credits transferred from regionally accredited colleges and universities. Certified transcripts of all previous records must be sent to the College at the time of application. Credits for courses not corresponding with the curriculum at Roane State Community College may be entered on the transcript as elective credits. Credit from an institution of higher education that is not fully accredited may be accepted provisionally if the institution is in the process of attaining accreditation.

Generally, no academic credit may be transferred to Roane State Community College from a non-accredited institution (an acceptable accrediting agency for an institution would be a regional accrediting agency such as the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools).

Transfer grades have no bearing on the required average for graduation or graduate honors. A minimum of 24 of the final 36 semester hours of course work must be completed in residence at Roane State.

Veteran students who have more than one year of honorable military service may be awarded up to four hours of physical education activity credit and up to six hours of Military Science credit. Other students who have completed basic military training of at least 8 weeks may be awarded up to two hours of physical education activity credit. In either case, the student must submit a copy of the DD 214 to the Records and Registration Office and file a petition for this credit.

Advisement and information regarding inter-institutional articulation are available in the Academic Advisement Center.

#### CORRESPONDENCE AND EXTENSION CREDIT

A student may not be enrolled at another college for correspondence or extension work while enrolled at Roane State unless special permission has been granted. All extension or correspondence work in progress upon admission must be reported to the Records and Registration Office at the time of the student's first registration.

A maximum of 30 semester hours credit for correspondence or extension courses, credit for Advanced Placement, CLEP, or CPS tests, and/or credit resulting from military service may be counted toward a degree. All correspondence or extension work must have the written, documented approval of the Director of Records and Registration.

#### **EXPERIENTIAL CREDIT**

A currently enrolled student at Roane State Community College may petition the granting of credit for work experiences in the field in which a degree is being pursued. This credit is not to exceed 18 hours.

The student is responsible for assembling and presenting the portfolio of materials to support the request. The portfolio must include but is not limited to:\*

- 1. Specific course numbers and course names for credit requested
- 2. Copy of the job description under which work was performed
- 3. Complete description of the work performed
- 4. Number of clock hours over which the work experience extended
- 5. Copy of instrument used or method employed to verify competencies
- Signature of company official indicating the accuracy of the submitted documents.

When the portfolio is complete and prior to submitting, the student must apply to the appropriate division and receive a Credit-By-Proficiency form.

The student will take the portfolio to the appropriate Associate Dean. The Associate Dean may enlist the assistance of any faculty member(s) in the evaluation process. When the evaluation is complete, grades assigned, and the appropriate signatures in place, the form will be sent to the Records and Registration Office for the recording of credit. A letter grade of "P" (Pass) will be assigned for credits earned.

A special fee for experiential credit is assessed.

\*See a full-time faculty advisor (in the department from which credit is requested) for specific departmental requirements for the portfolio.

#### **COOPERATIVE EDUCATION**

(423) 882-4695

The Cooperative Education program provides students with meaningful work experience related to their major field of study. The Placement Office at Roane State works with area employers to develop cooperative education experiences for Roane State students. These experiences allow the student to get practical on-the-job training prior to entering the work force. Cooperative Education work assignments may be on a consecutive or alternate basis. Most cooperative education work assignments at Roane State are consecutive, meaning that the student is pursuing an associate degree while working.

Students must be in good academic standing and have completed 12 semester hours of coursework in their major. A student may earn a maximum of 12 semester hours of co-op credit which may then be used toward elective credit in the program of study. Students interested in receiving co-operative education credit must be registered with the Placement Office, however registration does not guarantee a successful co-op placement.

Co-op students must work a minimum of 10 hours per week over a 15-week period to receive co-op credit. While most co-op experiences are paid positions, some grant academic credit only.

All participants will be evaluated by the employing supervisor and will receive a letter grade at the conclusion of the semester. Students are also asked

to evaluate the employer and write a summary of the co-op experience. For more information, contact the Placement coordinator at 882-4695 or 483-0816.

#### **TECH PREP**

(423) 882-4528

Tech Prep (Technology Preparation) is a sequence of study beginning in the ninth grade of high school and continuing through at least two years of postsecondary study. The program parallels the college prep program and presents an alternative to the four-year college degree. It prepares students for high-skill technical occupations for the future, such as Business Management, Health Science, Environmental Science and Engineering Technologies.

The Tech Prep program integrates academic and occupational subjects, placing major emphasis on articulation from secondary to postsecondary education. Articulation between Roane State, State Area Vo-Tech schools and high schools encompasses a competency-based curriculum which teaches essential skills without duplication or repetition. The advanced skills required for completion of an associate degree at the postsecondary level build on the strong academic and technical foundation at the secondary level. The curricula currently being developed for Tech Prep/Associate Degree programs will prepare students to be better educated thus allowing for greater opportunities for future employment.

#### ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

## **High Schools/Technology Centers**

Roane State has articulation agreements with many area high schools and technology centers. Contact your Academic Advisor for more information.

## **Colleges and Universities**

Roane State has entered into articulation agreements with Tennessee Technological University and the University of Tennessee, Knoxville. Students interested in transferring to either of these institutions should follow the curriculum specified in the articulation agreement. Please see your academic advisor for more information. Programs included in the articulation agreements are listed on pages 63 and 64.

#### STUDENT RECORDS

Records of each student's grades are kept on permanent file in the Records and Registration Office. Since these records are permanent and are frequently referenced for the purpose of supplying information to legitimate sources, all students should be acutely conscious that they are building their future and that their good attitude and diligent study will become a part of their resume for future education and work opportunities. No changes may be made to a student's academic record after one year.

Requests for non-credit transcripts need to be made in writing to the Office of Continuing Education. In all cases, obligations to the college must be fulfilled before a transcript will be issued.

#### FAMILY EDUCATIONAL RIGHTS AND PRIVACY ACT

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 is a Federal Law which provides that the educational institution will maintain the confidentiality of the student education record. No one outside the institution shall have access to nor will the institution disclose any information from student's educational records without written consent of students except to personnel within the institution who have legitimate educational interest, to officials of other institutions to which students seek to transfer, to persons or agencies providing students financial aid, to accrediting agencies executing the duties of their assignment, to persons in compliance with a court order, or during an emergency, to persons in order to protect the health or safety of students or other persons. The Act provides for those exceptions.

Responsibility for maintaining the confidentiality of student educational records resides with the Director of Records and Registration. At its discretion the institution may provide Directory Information in accordance with the provisions of the Act to include: student names, address, telephone number, date and place of birth, major field of study, dates of attendance, degrees and awards received, the most recent previous educational agency or institution attended by the student, participation in officially recognized activities and sports, and weight and height of members of athletic teams. Students may withhold Directory Information by notifying the Director of Records and Registration in writing. Requests for non-disclosure will be honored by the institution for one academic year; therefore, requests to withhold Directory Information must be submitted each Fall semester.

The Act provides students the right to inspect and review information contained in their education records, to challenge the content of their education records, to have a hearing if the outcome of the challenge is unsatisfactory, and to submit explanatory statements for inclusion in their files if they feel the decision reached in the hearings are unacceptable. The Director of Records and Registration has been designated by the institution to coordinate the inspection and/or review procedures for student education records, which include admissions, personal, academic and financial files.

#### **ENROLLMENT VERIFICATIONS**

The Records and Registration Office cooperates with various lending agencies by certifying that their student clients are enrolled at Roane State Community College.

# Just down the road



Even veteran officers find there's still plenty to learn in police science, one of the many career opportunities at the Campbell County

Higher Education Center.

#### PLANNING AN EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

The responsibility for selecting an educational program rests with each student. The faculty and counselors take pride in assisting students in program planning and course selection. Students who are planning to transfer from Roane State to a senior institution at the conclusion of two years' work should secure a copy of that institution's catalog to use in planning their transfer program. Final responsibility for direct planning of courses and every preparation necessary to graduate from RSCC or to transfer to other colleges and universities rests with the student.

#### ACADEMIC ADVISEMENT

(423) 882-4528

The faculty at Roane State Community College are committed to providing the best possible academic advisement; however, the ultimate responsibility for enrolling in appropriate courses lies with the student.

First-time students who apply to Roane State will be invited to attend an Orientation Program. These students will have the opportunity to take the ACT Test or AAPP test and will meet with an academic advisor prior to registering for classes.

All degree-seeking students, including those who have transferred from other institutions, are assigned an academic advisor based upon the student's educational goals. Non-degree students may be assigned an advisor on request.

All freshmen are encouraged to meet with an academic advisor prior to registering for classes. Although sophomores (those who have accumulated more than 26 hours) are not required to meet with an advisor, it is strongly recommended that lines of communication remain open with faculty in the student's chosen field of study.

#### **HONORS PROGRAM**

(423) 481-2000, ext. 216

The Honors Program provides opportunities for enriched and indepth study for those who desire an academic challenge and qualify with a 3.5 GPA. Courses are offered in humanities, language and literature, social science, environmental science, and math/science.

Honors students enjoy benefits such as field trips, social gatherings, cultural events, special programs and presentations. Eligible members of the program receive scholarships and discount rates for the annual European Studies trip and the Southwestern field trip. Members of the Honors Program are invited to join Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society, which provides many transfer scholarships to four-year institutions.

Those who earn twelve hours of Honors credit and maintain at least a 3.3 GPA graduate as an Honors Associate and receive a certificate. Those who earn eighteen hours and maintain a 3.3 GPA graduate from the Honors Program and receive an Honors diploma. All Honors graduates and Phi Theta Kappa members receive special recognition at graduation.

Students who have a 3.0 GPA may take one course for Honors credit per semester on a provisional basis with special permission from the director of the Honors Program and the instructor of the course. Provisional Honors students may participate in Honors activities but are not eligible for scholarships.

#### **ON-COURSE**

Students wanting to know the courses they need to complete a particular degree program or how their courses meet the requirements of another degree program should take advantage of ON-COURSE, Roane State's advisement assistant. This computer program merges a student's academic record with the degree requirements for a particular major. Information included on the printout includes: academic requirements remaining, requirements completed or in progress, and work that is not applicable to a particular major. Students can obtain an ON-COURSE printout from their academic advisor, the Counseling and Career Resource Center, Records and Registration, Academic Advisement Center, or any off-campus location.

#### ATTENDANCE REGULATIONS

- 1. Attendance of classes and other official appointments is expected.
- 2. An explanation of absences should be given to instructors. This information should be presented in advance if possible.
- 3. Absences are counted from the first scheduled meeting of the class.
  - **IMPORTANT:** Non-attendance does not constitute a withdrawal from classes or from the college. Procedures to formally drop a course or to withdraw from the college must be followed. FOLLOWING THESE PROCEDURES MAY PREVENT AN UNDESIRED "F" ON A STUDENT'S TRANSCRIPT.
- 4. Some Health Science programs may have attendance requirements. Contact the program director with any questions.

#### REGISTRATION FOR COURSES

The printed schedule of courses also contains registration information. Roane State Community College provides early registration via telephone - Instant Registration Information Service (IRIS) - each semester for the currently enrolled and readmitted students. New students register after current and returning students. Procedures specified at the time must be followed during all registration. No student is officially enrolled until he/she has completed all requirements of enrollment including the payment of fees. Registration after the regular catalog published date may be permitted for one calendar week following this date. Only by exception as may be granted for good cause by the Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs may students be allowed to enroll in or add a class after this time. Late registration requires payment of the late fee. No student shall receive credit for a course for which he/she is not properly registered. A STUDENT MAY NOT BE ALLOWED TO REGISTER UNTIL ALL REQUIRED DATA HAVE BEEN RECEIVED BY THE OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS AND RECORDS.

#### CHANGE OF REGISTRATION/DROP-ADD

A student is allowed to change registration during the "Drop-Add" period at the beginning of each semester. The following procedures are to be followed in adding or dropping courses:

- Prepare a schedule adjustment form from the Office of Records and Registration.
- 2. Secure approval from an Academic Development counselor, if the student has not completed all required academic development courses.
- Present the completed form to the Business Office and pay appropriate fees.

 Return two copies of form to the Office of Records and Registration and receive one copy which must be shown to the instructor whose course is being added.

Failure to follow these procedures will result in an "F" in a course the student did not attend or in the student taking a course without receiving credit.

NOTE: Students enrolled in Remedial/Developmental courses will not be permitted to drop these courses unless extenuating circumstances exist. Approval must be granted by the Associate Dean of Academic Development or a designee.

#### **PROGRESSION STANDARDS**

The Tennessee Board of Regents' Committee on the Improvement of Student Writing made many recommendations that were implemented during the 1985-86 academic year. Of direct importance to incoming freshmen are the progression standards for English composition courses. The recommendation is as follows:

"Any full-time degree-seeking student at any TBR institution must be enrolled in a core (or developmental) English course each term until that student completes core writing requirements. Any part-time degree-seeking student at any TBR institution must be enrolled in a core (or remedial or developmental) English course for each 12 hours taken. Students may not withdraw from a core or a remedial or developmental English course unless they withdraw from school."

Full-time students required to take EDU 100 - Orientation to College, must take the course during the first semester of attendance at the college. Part-time students are required to take the course within the first year of attendance at the college.

Students transferring to Roane State who have completed 12 hours at another college or university are exempted from EDU 100-Orientation to College. However, the student must still meet the credit hour requirement for the degree.

#### **COURSE LOAD**

The average semester hour load for a student should be 16 hours of credit. Individual programs may require more or less than 16 hours per semester for degree completion. A full-time student is one who is carrying 12 or more semester hours of credit. The following criteria apply to semesters by course loads:

- 1. Students may register for 20 hours of credit upon verification of a 2.5 cumulative grade point average by the Office of Records and Registration.
- 2. Students may register for 21 hours of credit subject to verification of a 3.0 cumulative grade point average by the Office of Records and Registration.
- Students wishing to enroll for 22 hours or more must have the approval of the Dean of Student Services.
- 4. Any exceptions to the above guidelines must have the approval of the Vice President for Academic and Student Services.

#### **REPEATED COURSES**

A student may repeat a course with the intent of improving the grade previously earned. In computing the quality point average of a student who has repeated one or more courses, **only the last grade received in the repeated course or courses will be used.** The hours attempted will be counted only once, provided that the number of repeats in any single course does not exceed two (three attempts). In the event that a student attempts a course more than three times, the third and subsequent grades shall be used in determining quality point average.

In order that grade point averages may be adjusted appropriately, the student repeating a course may file a course repeat form with the Office of Admissions and Records.

Veterans or other eligible persons repeating courses for which they have a passing grade ("D" or higher) and for which they have been paid are cautioned not to claim this course for pay the second time.

Students may be permitted to repeat a course in which a grade of "B" or higher was earned only with the approval of the Dean of the College.

#### **COURSE ELECTIVES**

The following subject areas should be used in selecting elective courses:

Humanities	Social Science
Art	Economics*
Foreign Languages	Geography
Humanities Seminar	History
Journalism	Political Science
Music	Psychology
Philosophy	Police Science (Career Ed)
Theatre	Social Science Seminars
Literature	Sociology
Physical Science	Natural Science
Chemistry	Biology
Physics-Calculus Based	Chemistry
Astronomy	Geology
	Physics

\*Business program majors must select a Social Science elective other than economics.

#### **General Electives**

Electives which are not specified in the course of study may be selected from any college level course numbered 100 or above.

#### **COURSE SUBSTITUTIONS**

Course substitutions require the approval of the student's advisor, the appropriate associate dean, and the Vice-President for Academic and Student Affairs. A form for this approval is available from the Academic Advisement Center and should be processed prior to registering for the course in question.

Students in a transfer program should consult with their senior institution prior to submitting a substitution. Senior institutions may or may not honor substitutions.

# PHYSICAL EDUCATION ACTIVITY COURSE EXEMPTION AND SUBSTITUTIONS

Physical education exemptions may be granted to students who are medically disabled. Such students must substitute another course for the exempted activity classes. To apply for this exemption/substitution:

- Requests for this exemption/substitution must be made in writing to the director of Health and Disability Service.
- 2. Physician's documentation must be submitted to Health and Disability Service to identify and verify this need.

- 3. Consult with an advisor about substituting a two-hour Health/P.E. course to meet the degree requirement. Substitution choices include HEA 221, HEA 242, PED 175, and HEC 131.
- 4. A course that is not already required in the degree plan must be selected. It is advisable to consult with the advisor early in the scheduling process to coordinate the substituted classes into the student's schedule.

#### CANCELLATION OF SCHEDULED CLASSES

Any scheduled class may be discontinued by the college. The right is reserved to cancel when the number enrolled is deemed insufficient. For further information, contact the Office of Records and Registration.

#### **GRADING SYSTEM**

Quality Points Awarded
Per Semester Hour
4
3
2
v average 1
0
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The scholastic standing of a student is expressed in terms of quality point ratio. A quality point ratio is the total number of quality points divided by the total number of semester hours attempted, less the number of hours repeated. To meet degree requirements a student must maintain an overall quality point average of 2.00.

Generally, letter grades are awarded according to the following scale:

Α	90 - 100	D	60 - 69
В	80 - 89	F	0 - 59
C	70 - 79		

Some specific exceptions to the above scale do apply and the college reserves the right to adjust it accordingly. Students enrolled in Health Sciences programs may not follow the scale as outlined above.

Other markings which may appear on the grade report and/or transcript are as follows:

1	Incomplete	R	Repeated
ΑU	Audit, no grade or credit	Χ	No grade reported
Р	Pacc		

The grade "X" indicates that the student has enrolled but never attended class. The "X" carries no quality points and is not included in computing the grade point average. A student who stops attending classes and fails to follow the proper withdrawal procedure does not receive a grade of "X". Rather, the student will be carried on the roll until the end of the semester and a grade of "F" will be recorded.

The grade "I" indicates that the student was passing at the end of the semester but has not completed the work of the course as required by the instructor. The student is thus on notice that he/she should contact the instructor immediately in an effort to complete course requirements. An "Incomplete" must be removed during the succeeding semester, with the exception of Summer Semester. Courses attempted which are incomplete are reflected on the academic record as hours attempted for which there is no credit established. This in turn affects the quality point average in the same manner as a failing grade. Should the

"Incomplete" not be removed, the quality point average will continue to reflect the "I" as an "F" grade and will be interpreted as such.

At the discretion of the Vice President for Academic/Student Services, selected courses may be offered using a pass-fail grading system. A "P" indicates a passing grade in such cases. Credit resulting from military service or from tests such as Advanced Placement, the College Level Entrance Examination Program, the Certified Professional Secretary, or other proficiencies will not be assigned quality points for computing the grade point average, and a letter grade of "P" (Pass) will be assigned for this credit.

If a student wishes to appeal a final grade in a course, he or she should discuss the matter first with the instructor of the course. If the issue cannot be resolved at that level, the student may take the problem to the appropriate associate dean and finally to the Vice President for Academic/Student Services.

#### **DEAN'S LIST**

The Dean's List is the official medium for the institution to recognize outstanding academic achievement by students. Full-time students (those completing 12 or more semester hours of college-level courses) with a quality point average of 3.5-4.00 are identified each semester on the Dean's List.

#### WITHDRAWALS AND HONORABLE DISMISSALS

Students finding it necessary to withdraw from the college must do so officially to maintain good standing and to assure honorable dismissal and/or readmission. Withdrawal procedures are as follows:

- Obtain withdrawal form from the Office of Records and Registration to initiate withdrawal procedure.
- Secure clearance from all college departments specified by the Office of Records and Registration.
- 3. Take withdrawal form to the Business Office for clearance.
- 4. Return white copy to Office of Records and Registration for final with-drawal clearance.

After the drop deadline date, no student will be permitted to withdraw from the college or drop classes and receive the designation of "Dropped" without providing documented proof of one of the following conditions and verification that the mitigating circumstances developed after the drop deadline:

- 1. Illness or injury of the student or serious personal problems as verified by the RSCC Student Health Service, the attending physician, or a psychologist.
- Necessary change in work schedule verified in writing by the student's employer.
- 3. New employment as verified in writing by the employer.

Students may apply for withdrawal from a completed semester by supplying the same information as above. If granted by a committee of the Dean of Instruction, Dean of Students, and Director of Records and Registration, all grades for the semester will be recorded as "W."

NOTE: Students enrolled in Remedial/Developmental courses are not allowed to withdraw from these courses unless extenuating circumstances exist. Approval must be granted by the Associate Dean of Academic Development or a designee.

All equipment belonging to the college must be accounted for or paid for and all financial obligations met. If it is impossible for the student to take these steps in person, they should be completed by a person acting as an agent for the

student. The student may withdraw from the college with the designation of "Dropped" through the dates specified on the calendar. Withdrawal from or dropping of courses after this date must be approved by the Director of Records and Registration. The request for a late drop or withdrawal MUST be made on or before the last day of classes. Requests made after the semester has ended will not be approved. A student who stops attending classes and fails to follow the proper withdrawal procedure will be carried on the roll until the end of the semester and a grade of "F" will be recorded.

#### ACADEMIC PROBATION AND RETENTION STANDARDS

A student who fails during any term to attain a cumulative quality point average at or above the level indicated below for the hours attempted (inclusive of any remedial or developmental courses) will be placed on academic probation for the following term.

Semester Hours Attempted	Minimum Cumulative GPA
0 - 14	No minimum
15 - 26	1.0
27 - 40	1.4
41 - 48	1.7
49 - 56	1.9
57 - and above	2.0

#### **ACADEMIC SUSPENSION**

At the end of the following term of enrollment, a student on academic probation who has failed to attain: 1) the above cumulative standard OR 2) a 2.0 grade point average for the current term will be suspended. Students who have satisfied the 2.0 GPA but have not yet achieved the standards as listed above will remain on academic probation for subsequent terms until the standards have been achieved. Students on probation or suspension who fail to attain the cumulative standard and the 2.0 GPA for the subsequent term will be placed on suspension.

Suspension terms are as follows:

First time suspension One term (semester)
Second suspension Two terms
Third suspension Dismissal

In all instances, the summer term does not apply as a term served for suspension. For the student who is suspended at the end of the spring semester, the following fall semester is considered to be the term of suspension.

A third suspension of "Dismissal" may be appealed to the vice-president of Academic and Student Affairs after a period of two years absence from enrollment at the college.

#### **APPEALS**

A student who has been suspended either from RSCC or is currently suspended from another college or university may request an appeal through the Admissions and Retention Committee. If the student feels that there were extenuating circumstances (e.g. errors in their transcript, documentable medical or psychological problems, court or military duty, etc.) that caused the academic problems, they may appeal to the committee for reinstatement.

To request an appeal the student must contact the Records & Registration Office for an appointment with the committee. If the Admissions and Retention committee grants the reinstatement, the conditions imposed by the committee will be clearly stated. These may include a reduced course load, regular meetings with an advisor or counselor, and course suggestions.

Students who voluntarily serve the time imposed by their suspension will be reinstated automatically and do not need to meet with the Admissions and Retention Committee.

#### TRANSFER STUDENTS

Students on academic suspension from another college or university must clearly designate this information on their application to Roane State. Falsifying this information may lead to dismissal. Students who are transferring to RSCC are subject to the same standards for appeal as RSCC students.

While individual courses may transfer to RSCC and can count towards fulfilling degree requirements, the number of credit hours and quality points do not count towards calculating the GPA for academic probation and suspension.

#### ACADEMIC DEVELOPMENT PROBATION/SUSPENSION

Students who have been suspended from RSCC or any other TBR college or university as a result of remedial or developmental courses should consult page 50 of this catalog.

#### **GROUNDS FOR DISMISSAL**

A student may be dismissed from the college for any one or more of the following reasons:

- 1. Failure to meet minimum academic standards as stated in the above section.
- Conduct of an unacceptable nature (Refer to Student Services section of this catalog).
- 3. Failure to meet Academic Development requirements for satisfactory progress through course requirements.

#### **DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

Roane State awards the following degrees:

Associate of Arts (AA) Associate of Science (AS) Associate of Applied Science (AAS)

A Technical Certificate of Credit may be awarded to a student who completes an approved program of study in which the prescribed program requires less than is necessary for completion of an Associate Degree. Generally, technical certificate programs require fewer than 32 credit hours or no more than one year of study.

The general requirements for any Associate Degree at Roane State are as follows:

- 1. Not less than 64 semester hours of credit.
- 2. A minimum of 24 of the final 36 semester hours of course work completed in residence at Roane State.
- 3. A minimum overall quality point average of 2.00 on all college level work attempted at Roane State. This also applies to students pursuing any

- Technical Certificate of Credit. Only Roane State course credit is computed into the graduation grade point average.
- Completion of specific course requirements as given in outlined Programs of Study. (Substitutions in programs must be approved by the Vice-President for Academic & Student Affairs.)
- A student is permitted to graduate using the catalog in effect when he/she was admitted to the degree program or applied for readmission to the college. A graduating student may decide to follow the current college catalog.

Students will be required to take competency tests designed to measure general education achievement and/or achievement in selected major areas as a prerequisite to graduation for the purpose of evaluation of academic programs. Unless otherwise required for an individual program, no minimum score or level of achievement is required for graduation. Participation in testing will be required for all degree-seeking students. Certificate students are exempt from testing.

#### STUDENT TESTING

A student may, as a prerequisite for graduation, be required to take one or more tests designed to measure achievement in general education and in the major for the purpose of evaluating the effectiveness of the institution or the program as required by public policy. Participation in testing may be required of all students, of students in selected programs, and of students selected on a sample basis. In order to comply fully with this provision, the student must authorize the release of his or her scores to the institution. Unless otherwise provided for in an individual major, however, no minimum score or level of achievement is required for graduation and individual student scores will be treated as confidential.

#### **GRADUATION**

All students must complete the general requirements as prescribed by the college and specific requirements set forth for the associate degree or certificate sought. Refer to the Degree Requirements section of this catalog and also appropriate program requirements for graduation. Each student must file an Intent to Graduate Form in the Academic Advisement Center a semester prior to the semester in which the student expects to graduate. Each student must complete 24 of the final 36 hours at Roane State to receive a degree from Roane State.

Graduation exercises are held at the end of the Spring Semester only. Students who anticipate completing their work during the following summer are eligible to participate in graduation exercises if a grade point average is sufficient for graduation and an Intent to Graduate Form has been officially processed. Fall graduates will be invited to attend the following spring exercises.

A student may complete requirements for more than one option within a degree program by successfully completing all course requirements. Only one diploma will be requisitioned for each degree.

Requirements for more than one degree may be met. A minimum of 16 semester hours beyond requirements for the first degree must be completed as well as all course requirements for the additional degree. The \$25 graduation fee must be paid for each separate degree and a diploma may be requisitioned for each degree.

#### Graduation with Distinction

Degree seeking students who have fulfilled all graduation requirements are eligible for designation as honor graduates. Those who have a quality point average of 3.5 but less than or equal to 3.69 will be graduated **cum laude**; those who have

a quality point average of 3.70 but less than or equal to 3.89 will be graduated **magna cum laude**; those who have a quality point average of 3.90 or above will be graduated **summa cum laude**. A transfer student, in order to be eligible, must have made the required average on all work taken at Roane State Community College. Certificate students are exempt from receiving academic honors.

#### **ACADEMIC DEVELOPMENT POLICIES AND GUIDELINES**

#### BASIC SKILLS ASSESSMENT

In an effort to provide more effective educational services for students, the College participates in the Board of Regents' Academic Assessment Placement Program (AAPP) to assess basic skills. Through this assessment, Roane State can identify the students' academic strengths and weaknesses in reading, writing, and mathematics skills. This information is used along with the student's past educational history to provide advisement and placement in courses that best help the individual student to improve skills in these areas, as well as study skills.

All Tennessee State Board of Regents colleges and universities require that all first time degree-seeking students undergo assessment. Transfer students who have not successfully completed college-level reading, writing, and mathematics courses must also undergo assessment. Further information regarding basic skills assessment can be obtained by contacting the Counseling and Career Resource Center on the Roane County or Oak Ridge campuses.

#### ACADEMIC DEVELOPMENT LABORATORIES

Academic Development (AD) laboratories are available to provide an opportunity for students to improve their skills in mathematics, English, reading, and study skills so that they may succeed in college-level courses. Classes are taught each semester and students may work in the labs individually on specified problems. These laboratories offer personalized instruction on the latest audiovisual equipment including computers, and video and cassette recorders. The labs are open every day and some evenings each semester.

#### **Limited Enrollment**

Students whose assessment results require enrollment in Remedial Studies courses may not enroll in regular college-level courses until they have satisfactorily met the exit criteria of all of the components of the Remedial Studies program. All students assessed must enroll in the remedial/developmental (R/D) classes indicated by the results of the AAPP. Students may not delay AD classes in order to enroll in college-level classes. The Academic Development Appeals Committee will advise the Academic Development program director relative to the disposition of requests for exceptions to this rule.

Students whose assessment results require enrollment in Academic Development (AD) courses may not enroll in a regular college level course which requires that competency as a pre-requisite until they have satisfactorily met the exit criteria of the appropriate AD courses. The Academic Development Appeals Committee will hear any requests for deviation from this policy, and the committee will make recommendations to the Academic Development program director for a resolution of the appeal.

#### **Two-Attempt Rule**

Students who have twice previously attempted a remedial or developmental studies course and failed to meet the minimum standards for progression will not be allowed to re-enroll in college for one academic semester (summer semester cannot count as the suspension). Students who have had three unsuccessful attempts in a remedial or developmental studies course and failed to meet the minimum standards for progression will not be allowed to re-enroll in college for one academic year. Such students will not be permitted to return to Roane State Community College or to transfer to another Tennessee Board of Regents school until the terms of the suspension have been satisfied.

Any student who is suspended from the program has the right to appeal to the Academic Development Appeals Committee for reinstatement. The conditions of the reinstatement imposed by the committee must be followed. These may include reduced courseload, tutoring and regularly scheduled academic counseling sessions.

## **AD Appeals Committee**

The Academic Development Appeals Committee shall be composed of an AD counselor, two Academic Development faculty members, and if necessary, a representative of the Records and Registration Office.

#### **College Success Strategies**

Placement in College Success Strategies is required for either (1) students who are placed in at least two subject areas at the remedial level or (2) students who are placed in three subject areas including remedial or developmental levels. Beyond this mandatory placement, students with two deficiencies - either both developmental or one developmental and the other remedial - have the option to elect placement in College Success Strategies. Course enrollment is limited to students in these categories.

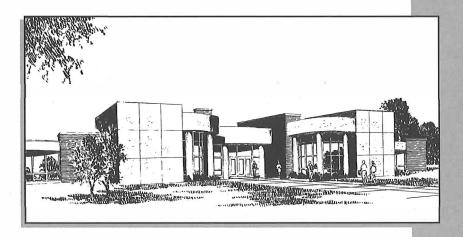
#### Classroom Assessment

All students enrolled in introductory college level courses will be evaluated during the first week of classes. Students showing deficiencies will be referred to testing for possible placement in appropriate remedial or developmental courses. Enrollment in the courses indicated by results of the assessment is mandatory.

#### Attendance

The Academic Development Program is required by the Tennessee Board of Regents to have a mandatory attendance policy. The Academic Development Program recognizes that some legitimate absences may occur during the semester. Students who must miss a class should meet with the instructor prior to the absence if possible and arrange for early completion of assignments. Completion of assignments must be accomplished within one week of the absence. Students who miss more than ten percent of their academic development class sessions may be required to undergo course reassessment. If the assessment shows units of deficiency, these units will be repeated before the student advances in the course objectives.

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#### **BUSINESS OFFICE REGULATIONS**

(423) 882-4515

Tuition and fees are assessed and payable at registration each semester. Registration is not considered to have been completed until all assessed tuition and fees have been paid. Tuition and fees paid by check are not considered to have been paid until the check has cleared the bank. Students who have not met all financial obligations to the College will not be permitted to attend classes. No student will be permitted to re-enroll, graduate, or receive a transcript until all financial obligations to the college have been satisfied. **All tuition and fees are subject to change by direction of the Tennessee Board of Regents.** The current semester class schedule should be consulted for current tuition and fee rates. Any student who has a question or problem concerning tuition, fees, or other monetary transactions pertaining to the College should contact the Business Office.

#### MAINTENANCE FEE — REFUNDABLE

All students, both resident and non-resident, will be assessed a maintenance fee. The maintenance fee rate for the 1997-98 academic year is \$45 per semester hour, not to exceed \$512 per semester.

In-State	1	Credit Hour	\$ 45
	2	Credit Hours	\$ 90
	3	Credit Hours	\$135
	4	Credit Hours	\$180
	5	Credit Hours	\$225
	6	Credit Hours	\$270
	7	Credit Hours	\$315
	8	Credit Hours	\$360
	9	Credit Hours	\$405
	10	Credit Hours	\$450
	11	Credit Hours	\$495
	12	Credit Hours	\$512

#### **TUITION — REFUNDABLE**

Tuition is free to all residents of the State of Tennessee. Students classified as non-residents will be assessed tuition. The semester tuition rate for the 1997-98 academic year is \$134 per semester hour, not to exceed \$1,536 per semester. The definition of residency as determined by the Tennessee Board of Regents will apply. Information concerning residence classifications may be obtained from the Director of Records and Registration. Non-resident students will be accepted if space permits.

#### **SUMMER TERM FEES**

The Summer Term consists of a full-semester term and two separate terms of approximately four weeks each.

Students may register for the entire semester or for the two separate terms or any combination thereof. Tuition and fees for the entire Summer Semester are the same as for other semesters. For any student registering for any course(s) or adding any course(s) during the Summer Semester, the assessment of course fees, late fees, and schedule change fees is determined by courses (if any) for which the student registered on or before the published registration date. The key to this determination is whether the student is registering for courses or adding courses. For this purpose the following definitions shall be used:

**Registering for courses** — A student registers for a course or courses only if he/she is not already enrolled in a course or courses meeting the same term or some concurrent term as the course(s) for which he/she is registering.

**Adding courses** — A student adds courses when he/she is already enrolled in a course or courses meeting in a term in which all or part of the term runs concurrently with the term in which the added course or courses meet.

#### **AUDIT FEE**

Fees for courses being audited are the same as those taken for credit. Auditors are not required to take examinations and receive no credit.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS FEES**

**Application Fee (Non-Refundable).** Each student applying for admission to the College for the first time will be assessed a \$5 application fee. This fee is a one-time only fee and must accompany the application for admission.

**Campus Access Fee (Non-Refundable).** This fee will be assessed in addition to the Student Activity Fee.

- 1. Each student who registers for classes at any college campus or center will be assessed a \$4 campus access fee each semester. This will include students registering for credit classes as well as Community Service-Continuing Education classes. Students registering for non-credit programs that meet fewer than twelve weeks, or fewer than twelve clock hours, or for which fees are not charged will be issued a temporary parking permit but not assessed an access fee.
- 2. Faculty and staff will be assessed an annual campus access fee of \$10. Persons who are employed Spring Semester or after will be assessed a campus access fee of \$5.
- 3. All faculty, staff, and students who pay the campus access fee will be given a parking decal. Additional decals will be available at a cost of \$1.
- 4. All vehicles parked or operated by any person in connection with their employment or attending classes of the college must be registered with the Office of the Associate Dean of Student Services. All other persons on campus who are not short-term visitors must have a temporary parking permit.

Change of Schedule (Drop/Add) Fee (Non-Refundable). Students changing schedules will be assessed a fee of \$5 per form. No charge is made if the change is initiated by the College or by the student through the Instant Registration Information Service (IRIS). Students withdrawing from school entirely are not required to pay the fee.

**Graduation Fee.** Graduating students are assessed a fee of \$25 to cover the cost of a diploma and other related costs. This fee must be paid at the time the Intent to Graduate is submitted and is refundable only if the student does not graduate and no costs are incurred by the College. No graduation fees will be refunded if requested after one calendar year. There is no additional fee for completion of more than one option within a degree program and no additional diploma will be ordered. An additional \$25 fee will be required for each degree if the student plans to receive an additional diploma. The fee for a replacement diploma is \$10.

**I.D. Card (Non-Refundable).** There is no charge for the original I.D. card issued a student. A charge of \$1 will be made for replacement.

**Individual Instruction in Music (Refundable).** Semester fees for individual instruction in music are assessed as follows:

1 lesson per week \$55

2 lessons per week \$100

These fees are refundable on the same basis as maintenance fees.

**Late Registration Fee (Non-Refundable).** Students failing to complete the registration requirements prior to the late registration period will be assessed a late registration fee of \$10.

**Liability Insurance Fee (Non-Refundable).** A liability insurance fee will be required for students in the health occupation programs. The liability insurance will be purchased at a reduced group rate.

Lock or Key Replacement Fee (Non-Refundable). \$3

**Locker Deposit (Refundable).** A \$5 deposit is required for locker rentals. Deposit is refundable upon return of the lock to the Business Office.

**Locker Rental (Non-Refundable).** \$1 per semester, small locker \$1.50 per semester, large locker

Miscellaneous Fees (Refundable). A fee for certain courses which are conducted in facilities not owned by the College will be assessed at a rate based on the amount charged by the owner of the facility. This fee is refundable on the same basis as maintenance fees.

Motor Vehicle Registration. All staff and students are required to properly register all vehicle(s) driven on campus and properly display parking decal(s) issued at that time. (See Traffic Regulations)

**Returned Check Fine (Non-Refundable).** A fine of \$20 is assessed for each check returned to the College by the bank. A student may contest this fee successfully by presenting a letter from the bank in which it is clearly indicated that the check was returned through error by the bank. The College reserves the right to refuse to accept a check from any person.

**Student Activity Fee (Refundable).** A student activity fee of \$5 per semester will be assessed for each credit student enrolled in classes at any college campus or center. This fee was adopted by the Student Government Association to provide funds for a variety of student activities. This fee is refundable on the same basis as maintenance fees.

**Technology Fee (Refundable).** A fee of \$1 per credit hour not to exceed \$12 per semester is assessed all students to provide and maintain computer labs and other advanced technology instructional equipment. This fee is refundable on the same basis as maintenance fees.

**Telecourse/Audio Course Fee (Refundable).** A fee of \$20 per course is assessed for each audio/video tape checkout and cable television telecourse or audio course. Proceeds from this fee are used to pay the licensure/royalty fees related to each course. This fee is refundable on the same basis as maintenance fees.

**Transcript Fee.** A reasonable number of transcripts are provided by the College at no charge to the student. However, a charge of \$2.00 each will be assessed for requests totaling more than ten (10) in any term.

#### **REFUNDS**

**Regular Sessions** — Students withdrawing from school entirely or dropping one or more classes may be entitled to a refund as follows:

75% of eligible fees will be refunded for drops or withdrawals for a period of 14 calendar days beginning with and inclusive of the first official day of classes or within an equivalent period for a short term course.

25% of eligible fees will be refunded following expiration of the 75% refund period, for a period of time extending 25% of the time period covered by the term. No refunds will be made beyond the 25% refund period.

100% of eligible fees will be refunded for classes canceled by the institution. 100% of eligible fees will be refunded for drops or withdrawals prior to the first official day of class as published in the academic calendar.

100% of eligible fees will be refunded in case of death of the registered student. **Summer Sessions** — Summer session refunds will be based on the above with short terms being prorated as a percentage of a regular term.

**General Refund Policy** — No refund is due on courses which are dropped unless the sum of the remaining hours calculated at the hourly rate is less than the total amount paid for tuition and/or maintenance fees.

Refund calculations are based on the computer processed date for courses dropped via the Instant Registration Information Service (IRIS) or the processed date that appears on the official change of schedule form. Failure to follow proper procedures for dropping courses may result in forfeiting all rights to a refund.

Refunds can be expected approximately four weeks after the date the course is dropped.

**Financial Aid Refunds** — Refunds for students who receive assistance from Title IV financial aid programs are refunded to each grant and/or loan account in accordance with applicable federal regulations. Special refund policies may apply to first-time students who receive assistance under Title IV financial aid programs. For additional information, contact the Business Office.

**Refund Appeals Process** — Students may appeal a refund by submitting a written request outlining the basis for the appeal to the Business Office. Refund appeal requests will be decided by the Director of Fiscal and Auxiliary Services. The student will be notified in writing of the decision within ten (10) working days of receipt of the written appeal request. Students may appeal the decision of the Director of Fiscal and Auxiliary Services to the President by submitting a written request for a refund appeal review to the Vice President for Financial Services. The student will be notified in writing of the President's decision within ten (10) working days of receipt of the request for refund appeal review.

## **Community Services Activities: Withdrawals and Refunds**

**Withdrawal Policy** — Registrants must notify the appropriate Continuing Education Unit, either by phone or in writing, of the intent to withdraw from a non-credit program. Failure to attend does not constitute withdrawal.

**Refund Policy (Non-credit Courses)** — For courses that meet on a weekly basis, registration may be canceled without penalty prior to the first class meeting. After the first class and prior to the second class, an 80% refund will be given. No refund will be made after the second class meeting.

For one and two day courses, withdrawals received prior to the first class meeting will be refunded in full. No refunds will be given after the course begins.

Courses canceled by Roane State Community College will be refunded in full or the registrant may elect to transfer into another general interest course.

**Refund Policy (Non-credit Conferences, Workshops or Seminars)** — Registrants in conferences, workshops or seminars should make withdrawals no later than five

working days prior to the activity start date in order to receive a complete refund. If a notification of less than five working days is given, a refund, less 10% of the registration fee, will be returned to the registrant. No refunds will be made after the activity begins. Substitutions can be made without prior notification. Registrants should check all literature on the activity for any special exceptions.

**Special Exceptions** — Some non-credit courses, conferences, workshops or seminars may have special deadlines and/or requirements established for registration or refunds. Registrants should check all literature received on the activity for exceptions to the general policies.

#### **BOOKS AND SUPPLIES**

The cost of books and supplies will vary from one program to another. The Bookstore sells both new and used books. Students are encouraged to take advantage of savings which result when purchasing used books. The estimated cost of books and supplies is \$125-\$300 per semester. The College Bookstore will buy back used books in good usable condition in quantities limited to the anticipated needs for ensuing semesters. Book buy back periods are announced at the end of each semester. Students selling books back to the bookstore will be required to furnish a Roane State Community College ID card.

#### CHECK CASHING/ACCEPTANCE POLICY

Both the Bookstore and the Business Office provide a free check cashing service. Personal checks may be cashed for any amount up to \$10 for students and up to \$20 for faculty/staff. However, 1) only one personal check per day may be cashed, 2) two party checks will not be accepted, 3) student checks will not be cashed by either the Business Office or the Bookstore anytime during the final two weeks of the semester, and 4) a validated ID card is required.

A \$20 fine will be levied on all "returned checks." The return of a third check will result in the person's name being placed on the "no check list" and in the forfeiture of check cashing privileges.

If a check written for payment of a student's maintenance fee is returned, the student has ten (10) days in which to make restitution to the College via payment by cash, certified check, cashier's check, or postal money order. Failure to make such restitution will result in immediate disenrollment. Suspension from classes could also result from checks returned on the purchase of books or payment of other fees.

Until all financial obligations are satisfied, the student becomes ineligible for all benefits and services provided by the College such as receiving grades, receiving or sending transcripts, registering, and graduating.

The College reserves the right to refuse to cash any check. Appeals concerning the cashing of checks may be made to the Vice President for Financial Services.

#### STUDENT FINANCIAL SERVICES

(423) 882-4545

The Student Financial Services Program at Roane State Community College is designed to aid students who would find it difficult or impossible to attend college without financial assistance. Roane State offers a comprehensive program of financial aid in the form of scholarships, part-time employment, grants and loans. Major emphasis is placed upon financial need, academic achievement, character, and promise of future success.

When determining financial aid, the evaluating committee will consider the financial resources of the family as well as any unusual financial problems. The college will assist all qualified students as resources permit on a first-come, first-served basis. Therefore, it is important for students to apply for financial aid as early as possible after January of each year.

#### HOW TO APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID

All federal financial aid programs require the assessment of financial need, which is based on the ability of the parents and/or the student to contribute toward educational expenses. Students should complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid. This form is available through the Student Financial Services Office at the college and through guidance offices at area high schools.

A student must be fully admitted to college before any awards will be made. Renewal of aid is not automatic. Each student must reapply each year.

#### **SOURCES OF FINANCIAL AID**

#### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

The Scholarship for Academic Service is authorized by Roane State Community College. These scholarships, in the amount of maintenance fees for the academic year plus \$150 per semester for books, are awarded on the basis of academic achievement. Students ranking in the upper 10% of their high school graduating class will receive priority in the awarding of these scholarships. Recipients must maintain a grade point average of 2.5 to remain eligible for renewal.

The Scholarship for Academic Service recipients are required to work approximately 150 hours per academic year. An effort is made to give recipients work assignments related to their academic interests. Residents of the State of Tennessee who believe they are qualified should submit the application for scholarship after the first semester of their senior year in high school and before the following May 1.

#### **PRIVATE SCHOLARSHIPS**

Roane State has a limited number of private scholarships. In selecting recipients for these scholarships, emphasis is placed upon scholastic achievement, character, future promise, and financial need. Additional scholarships will be established as interested groups and individuals desire. Those wishing to establish a scholarship fund are urged to contact the Director of Student Financial Services at the college, or the Executive Director of the Roane State Foundation.

#### MINORITY STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

Black students who are residents of Tennessee and are enrolled as full-time students may apply for the Minority Student Scholarship. The scholarship will provide money to pay maintenance fees and provide money to help pay for text-books. Applicants must have a 2.0 Grade Point Average.

#### ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIPS

The college annually awards a number of athletic scholarships. For detailed information contact the Director of Athletics, (423) 882-4581.

#### SENIOR CITIZENS AND DISABLED PERSONS

Disabled persons and persons 60 years of age or older, who are domiciled in Tennessee, are eligible to enroll in courses for AUDIT without payment of tuition, maintenance, technology or student activity fees. All special course fees will be assessed at the normal rate.

Disabled persons and persons sixty-five years of age or older, who are domiciled in Tennessee, are eligible to enroll in courses for CREDIT at the rate of one-half the credit hour fee per semester hour, up to a maximum of \$45. This rate applies to maintenance fees and technology fees. Special fees (such as graduation fees, student activity fees, campus access fees, telecourse/audio course fees, etc.) will be assessed at the regular rate. Arrangements should be made well in advance of registration day to provide documented evidence of disability or age. Students registering using these classifications must register within the late registration period.

Fees for all Community Service courses must be paid at the regular rate.

#### VIETNAM CONFLICT VETERANS DEPENDENTS

All tuition, maintenance, activity, and other fees are waived for the children of Vietnam conflict veterans if the conflict veteran died while serving in Vietnam or as a result of injury sustained while serving in Vietnam, or was officially declared missing in action or declared a prisoner of war in Vietnam. Special age and residency requirements must be met. Documented evidence will be required.

#### HIGHER EDUCATION EMPLOYEES — PUBLIC CHAPTER 191

Full-time employees of the Tennessee Board of Regents and the University of Tennessee are eligible to enroll, on a space available basis, in one credit class per term without payment of tuition, maintenance, technology, student activity, or access fees. Information on this program is available from the Personnel Office. An application for Waiver of Fees — Public Chapter 191 (fully executed by the employing institution) must be presented at the time of registration.

#### STATE EMPLOYEE FEE WAIVER PROGRAM

Full-time employees of the State of Tennessee are eligible to enroll, on a space available basis, in one credit course per term without paying tuition charges, maintenance fees, technology fees, debt service fees, student activity fees, or registration fees. At the time of enrollment, the state employee must present a completed "Public Higher Education Fee Waiver for Employees of the State of Tennessee" form certifying that the applicant is a full-time employee with at least six months continuous service. Registration for a course in this program is allowed only during the late registration period. Information on this program and related eligibility requirements is available from the Business Office.

# FEE DISCOUNT PROGRAM FOR SPOUSES AND DEPENDENT CHILDREN OF TBR EMPLOYEES

Spouses and dependent children of certain retired employees and regular employees of Tennessee Board of Regents institutions who have been employed for at least one continuous year and work at least one-half time are eligible for up to a 50% discount on maintenance and technology fees. The amount of the maintenance fee discount is 50% for full-time employees. Spouses and dependent children of part-time employees will receive a pro-rata portion of the 50% discount

based on the employee's percentage of work effort. This program is applicable only to undergraduate credit courses. Certain special conditions must be met to qualify for this program. Information on the program is available from the Personnel Office. A Request for Fee Discount for Spouse and/or Dependent form (fully executed by the employing institution) must be presented at the time of registration.

# FEE DISCOUNT PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AND FOR CHILDREN OF STATE EMPLOYEES

Children under the age of twenty-four (24) whose parent is employed as a full-time licensed teacher in any public school in Tennessee or as a full-time employee of the state of Tennessee are eligible for a twenty-five percent (25%) discount on maintenance and technology fees. At the time of enrollment, the student must present a completed "Public Higher Education Fee Discount for Children of Certified Public School Teachers and Children of State Employees" form certifying eligibility for the program. Fee discounts will not be retroactive; eligibility for the fee discount is available only by application and approval prior to the beginning of the term for which assistance is being sought. Information on this program and related eligibility requirements is available from the College Business Office.

#### **FEDERAL PELL GRANTS**

This is an entitlement program made available by the federal government through the Title IV Student Financial Aid Programs. Eligibility for the Federal Pell Grant is based upon the financial situation of the student and the student's family. Students should apply for the Federal Pell Grant as the primary source of financial aid since all other sources of assistance are based upon eligibility for the Federal Pell Grant.

# FEDERAL SUPPLEMENTAL EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY GRANTS FEDERAL WORK-STUDY PROGRAM

These grant programs are part of the Campus-based Programs of the Title IV Programs. Students may be considered for inclusion in these programs after eligibility for the Federal Pell Grant has been determined. These programs have limited funding and application must be made by the specified priority date of May 1. Awards from these programs are made in the fall semester of each year.

#### TENNESSEE STUDENT ASSISTANCE AWARD

The Tennessee Student Assistance Award is a grant made available to Tennessee residents attending college in the State of Tennessee. This program is administered by the Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation. An application deadline is assigned by the corporation each year. The Student Financial Services Office will be aware of the deadline date early in the application period.

#### STUDENT LOANS

If students are interested in applying for the student loan programs, they should initiate the process by completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid. Specific information from this need analysis must be on hand before eligibility for the student loan can be determined.

The Federal Stafford Loan Program is available to students who have been determined eligible through the above-mentioned need analysis system. This is a variable interest loan for the first-time borrowers. Repayment of the loan does not

begin until six months after the cessation of college attendance. The limits of the loan are a minimum of \$500 and a maximum of \$2,625 for freshmen and \$3,500 for sophomores. The amount of eligibility is determined by the Student Financial Services Office.

Special arrangements through Tennessee state designated lenders have been made for loan applicants who are unable to obtain loans from local lenders. This information is available in the Student Financial Services Office.

#### **VETERANS BENEFITS**

Roane State Community College cooperates with the Veterans Administration in providing educational opportunities for veterans. The Director of Veterans Affairs at Roane State is available for help to determine eligibility, in the selection of a major, and to prepare the required forms for VA benefits and any other matters pertaining to college attendance under the "G.I. Bill." Veterans who have not completed high school or who do not have a high school equivalency diploma should contact the Director of Veterans Affairs for help in planning a program of study and admission to Roane State.

Veterans desiring to attend Roane State under any of the educational assistance laws administered by the Veterans Administration should contact:

Director of Veterans Affairs Roane State Community College 276 Patton Lane Harriman, TN 37748 Veterans Administration Regional Office 110 Ninth Avenue South Nashville. TN 37203

Once enrolled, veterans and other eligible persons should maintain close contact with the Office of Veterans Affairs. Veterans and other eligible persons may receive educational benefits under Title 38, U.S.C. (the "G.I. Bill") only when classified as a regular degree student. Other classifications, i.e., special student-credit and student non-credit do not qualify.

Current Veterans Administration regulations require that veterans classified as regular degree students maintain the prescribed cumulative GPA listed under Probation and Retention Standards in this catalog.

Courses for which the veteran and other eligible persons have received a passing grade, either at Roane State or a transfer institution, may not be claimed for pay the second time. Courses in which the veteran and other eligible persons receive a grade of "F" may be repeated and claimed for pay. Elective hours beyond those allowed by the curriculum of the declared major or courses taken for audit may not be claimed for pay. Only those courses which count toward the veteran's declared major may be claimed for pay. Course substitution forms must be processed and approved as described in this catalog before the substituted course is claimed for payment.

Veterans and other eligible persons can receive pay for deficiency classes when a need can be shown. The pay received is taken from the total entitlement.

Veterans and other eligible persons desiring educational benefits under the "G.I. Bill" must file a claim form with the Veterans Affairs Office at the time of preregistration each semester. The claim form must be adjusted to reflect any changes in the class schedule.

Further information is available at the Veterans Affairs Office.



Staff members help
students explore transfer
and career options at the
Loudon County Career
Center. At Roane State, you
get a quality education at
a reasonable cost.

### TRANSFER PROGRAMS

(423) 882-4528

#### ASSOCIATE OF ARTS/ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE PROGRAMS

Students who desire to earn a Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree at a four-year college or university may complete the first two years of study at Roane State by enrolling in an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree program. The advantages of taking the first two years at Roane State include:

- Roane State's maintenance fees are among the lowest of any fees charged by Tennessee's colleges and universities.
- Roane State's class enrollments are generally smaller which lends itself to more individualized instruction.
- Obtaining an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree allows a student to have credentials for employment while completing his/her baccalaureate degree.

Roane State has developed cooperative relationships with other four-year institutions to assist students in transferring courses. Course-by-course transfer equivalency tables exist for the following schools:

Austin Peay State University
Carson-Newman College
Cumberland College (KY)
East Tennessee State University
Lincoln Memorial University
Maryville College
Middle Tennessee State University
Tennessee Technological University
Tennessee Wesleyan College
Tusculum College
University of Tennessee - Chattanooga
University of Tennessee - Martin

### **ARTICULATION**

Articulation programs, also called 2+2 programs, exist between Roane State and the University of Tennessee-Knoxville and Tennessee Technological University. Roane State students can follow an articulation program, obtain an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree and be guaranteed admission into a specific program at the university, provided all GPA and entrance requirements are achieved. All articulation programs fulfill Roane State's requirements for either an associate of arts or associate of science degree. Roane State Associate of Arts and Associate of Science degrees do not constitute an articulation program.

Students can obtain a copy of the specific articulation program from:

Academic Advisement Center
Off-campus Locations
Counseling and Career Resource Center
Academic Departments

#### UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE - KNOXVILLE ARTICULATION PROGRAMS 1997-98

Students planning to pursue any of the following majors at UTK can follow the articulation program sheet and obtain the first two years of general education requirements at Roane State.

Students who have attempted more than 12 college-level semester hours at any college or university other than Roane State or UTK are not eligible to participate in the UTK articulation agreement. However, the articulation sheets are still a good checklist of transferable courses for UTK and the specific major.

Accounting
Advertising
African & African-American Studies
Anthropology
Art (History)
Art (Studio)
Asian Studies
Audiology
Biochemistry
Biology
Botany

Botany
Broadcasting
Chemistry
Comparative Literature
Economics (Business Administration)

Economics (Liberal Arts)
Education
Engineering
Aerospace
Chemical
Civil
Electrical

Electrical
Enginéering Physics
Engineering Science
Engineering Science: Biomedical

Industrial Engineering
Material Science & Engineering

Mechanical Engineering Nuclear Engineering English

French General Business Geography Geology

Finance

German
German (Language & World

Business) Greek (Classics) History Italian

Journalism Latin (Classics) Latin American Studies

Linguistics

Linguistics
Logistics and Transportation

Management Marketing Mathematics Medieval Studies Microbiology Music (BA)

Nursing Philosophy Political Science Psychology

Public Administration Religious Studies

Russian

Russian & East European Studies

Secondary Education

Social Work Sociology Spanish

Speech Communication Speech Pathology Statistics (Liberal Arts)

Theatre Urban Studies Zoology

# TENNESSEE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY ARTICULATION PROGRAMS 1997-98

Students planning to pursue any of the following majors at TTU can follow the articulation program sheet and obtain the first two years of general education requirements at Roane State. Upon the completion of the first two years, students will have earned an associate degree from Roane State. Specialty courses for each major are completed at TTU.

A.A.S. Nursing Accounting

Agribusiness Management Agricultural Education

Agronomy and Soils Animal Science Art Education (K-12)

Biochemistry: Biology Option Biochemistry: Chemistry Option

Biology

Chemical Engineering

Chemistry

Child and Family Science

Civil Engineering Criminal Justice

Early Childhood Education (K-3)

**Economics** 

Electrical Engineering Elementary Education (K-8)

Elementary Education (1-8)

English

English-Journalism Environmental Design Fashion Merchandising

Finance

Food, Nutrition, Dietetics

French

General Management

Geology German

Health and Physical Science

History (BA)

History (BS)
Horticulture

Industrial Engineering

Industrial Technology Information Systems

Management Information Systems

Marketing Mathematics

Mechanical Engineering Medical Technology

Music Education: Instrumental
Music Education: Vocal/General

Music Education: Performance and Pedagogy

Music Therapy

Nursery and Landscape Management

Nursing

Personnel and Labor Relations

Physics

Political Science Pre-Cytotechnology Pre-Dental Hygiene Pre-Dentistry

Pre-Medical Technology

Pre-Medicine Pre-Nursing Pre-Optometry Pre-Pharmacy

Production/Operations Management

Psychology

Secondary Education 7-12

Social Work Sociology

Software and Scientific Application

Spanish

Special Education

Technical Communication
Wildlife and Fisheries Science

# MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS ASSOCIATE OF ARTS OR ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE

Course/Area		Semester Hours
<b>English Composition</b>		6
Humanities* (include	es 3 hours of Literature)	9
History Sequence*		6
Natural/Physical Scie	ence Sequence*	8
Mathematics Course	*	3
Physical Education A	ctivities	2
Orientation to College	ge	1
Speech		3
Computer Instruction	)*	3
Social Science Electiv	ve*	3
	Total Core	44
	Major Courses and Elect	ives 21
	Total Required Hours	65 (Minimum)

\*Check with your senior institution or articulation program for the appropriate course selection.

#### NOTES:

- (1) Fifteen hours of electives should be taken at the 200 level.
- (2) Six hours of Social Science elective hours are recommended.
- (3) Check with senior institution for courses that will transfer.
- (4) Students following articulation programs should follow the prescribed program for their major. Classes listed in an articulation program will fulfill the degree requirements for the AA/AS degree.
- (5) Students obtaining the Associate of Arts degree must take 6 hours of foreign language as part of their elective hours.
- (6) Credit hours earned in remedial or developmental courses or courses used to fulfill high school deficiencies are institutional credit; they are not applicable to credit hours required for an associate or baccalaureate degree.
- (7) Completion of the second year of foreign language is highly recommended for students seeking the Associate of Arts degree, and for students transferring to UT-Knoxville in the College of Business or College of Arts and Sciences.

If no program articulation agreement is available for a particular school or major, students may follow one of the Curriculum Guides found on the following pages. The Curriculum Guides are suggested courses of study that include general education courses and a foundation of courses designed for particular majors.

Curriculum Guides are not intended to represent a particular major at any particular college or university. Students should obtain a copy of the catalog for the senior institution they plan to attend and use it during advisement sessions to assist with the selection of courses that meet requirements for selected majors at senior institutions.

Curriculum Guides are suggested courses of study which may include more or less than the RSCC degree requirements. They are not intended to represent requirements for any particular college or university. Students should consult articulation agreements, the catalog of the school to which they intend to transfer, and their advisor for specific degree requirements. Actual RSCC degree requirements appear on page 65.

The agriculture curriculum is designed for the student planning to complete a baccalaureate degree at a four-year college or university. The plan of study allows only for the general education requirements of the four-year institution. More specific courses within the major will be offered at the senior institution during the junior and senior years.

Agriculture			Degree: Associate of Sc	ience		
FIRST YEAR			SECOND YEAR			
Fall Semester		Fall Semester				
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	CST	Computer Science Elective <sup>1</sup>	3		
ENG 101 Composition I	3	ENG	Sophomore Literature <sup>1</sup>	3		
PED Physical Education Elective	1	HIS	History Elective	3		
SPE Speech	3	MAT	Mathematic Elective <sup>1</sup>	3		
Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4		Electives	6		
Humanities Elective	3					
	15			18		
Spring Semester		Spring Semester				
ENG 102 Composition II	3	ENG	Sophomore Literature	3		
MAT Mathematics Elective	3	HIS	History Elective <sup>1</sup>	3		
Electives <sup>1</sup>	6	PED	Physical Education	1		
Physical/Natural Science	4		Electives'	6		
•			Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup>	3		
	<u> </u>			-		
	16			16		
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	31	SE	COND YEAR TOTAL	34		
		TO	OTAL SEMESTER HOURS	65		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Students should consult curriculum requirements of the senior institution for appropriate course selection.

Students pursuing this area of study will be advised by the Math/Sciences Department.

Curriculum Guides are suggested courses of study which may include more or less than the RSCC degree requirements. They are not intended to represent requirements for any particular college or university. Students should consult articulation agreements, the catalog of the school to which they intend to transfer, and their advisor for specific degree requirements. Actual RSCC degree requirements appear on page 65.

#### Art

Degree: Associate of Arts Or Associate of Science

The art curriculum is designed primarily for the general enrichment of the student as well as providing professional art and liberal arts course work for transfer to a four-year institution. This program is designed to develop fundamental skills in technique and creative expression. An art major planning to transfer to a senior institution should plan a program to meet specific requirements for the lower division at that institution. The art department reserves the right to retain student work for exhibition.

FIRST YEAR			SECOND YEAR	
Fall Semester		Fall Se	emester	
ART 101 Studio Fund: Drawing	2	ART	103 Studio Fund: Three	
ART 142 Computer Art	3		Dimensional Design	2
ART 201 Art History I	3	ART	Art Elective <sup>2</sup>	3
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	ENG	Sophomore Literature	3
ENG 101 Composition I	3	HIS	History Sequence I <sup>2</sup>	3
MAT Mathematics	3	PED	Physical Education	1
Foreign Language <sup>1</sup>	3		Physical/Natural Science <sup>2</sup>	4
	18			16
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Spring Semester			Semester	_
ART 102 Studio Fund: Two		ART	181 Visions Seminar	2
Dimensional Design	2	ART	Art Elective	3
ART 202 Art History II	3	HIS	History Sequence II <sup>2</sup>	3
ART Art Elective	3	PED	Physical Education	1
ENG 102 Composition II	3		Physical/Natural Science <sup>2</sup>	4
SPE 201 Basic Speech	3		Elective <sup>2</sup>	3
Foreign Language <sup>1</sup>	3			
				16
	17			16
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	35		SECOND YEAR TOTAL TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	32 67

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Required for Associate of Arts (AA) degree. Students seeking an Associate of Science (AS) degree should select a general elective appropriate for a senior institution.

Students pursuing this area of study will be advised by the Humanities Department.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Students should consult curriculum requirements of the senior institution for appropriate course selection.

Curriculum Guides are suggested courses of study which may include more or less than the RSCC degree requirements. They are not intended to represent requirements for any particular college or university. Students should consult articulation agreements, the catalog of the school to which they intend to transfer, and their advisor for specific degree requirements. Actual RSCC degree requirements appear on page 65.

## **Art Education**

Degree: Associate of Science

The art education curriculum is designed for a student who wishes to complete the first two years of a program toward teacher certification. This curriculum will meet the lower division requirements for transfer to a senior institution granting the bachelor's degree in art education.

FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR	
Fall Semester		Fall Semester	
ART 101 Studio Fund: Drawing	2	ART 113 Painting I	3
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	ART 201 Survey of Art History I	3
EDU 210 Human Development	3	ENG Sophomore Literature	3
ENG 101 Composition I	3	HIS History Sequence I'	3
PED Physical Education	1	MAT Mathematics <sup>1</sup>	3
Physical /Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4	SPE 201 Basic Speech	3
Elective	3	1	
	17		18
Spring Semester	17	Spring Semester	10
ART 102 Studio Fund: Two		Spring Semester ART 103 Studio Fund: Three	
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Dimensional Design	2	Dimensional Design	2
ART 142 Computer Art OR	2	ART 114 Painting II	
CST Computer Science	3	ART 202 Survey of Art History II	3
EDU 211 Educational Psychology	3	ENG Sophomore Literature	3
ENG 102 Composition II	3	HIS History Sequence II'	3
PED Physical Education	1	MAT Mathematics <sup>1</sup>	3
Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4		-
	16		17
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	33	SECOND YEAR TOTAL	35
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	68

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Students should consult curriculum requirements of the senior institution for appropriate course selection.

Students pursuing this area of study will be advised by the Humanities Department.

Curriculum Guides are suggested courses of study which may include more or less than the RSCC degree requirements. They are not intended to represent requirements for any particular college or university. Students should consult articulation agreements, the catalog of the school to which they intend to transfer, and their advisor for specific degree requirements. Actual RSCC degree requirements appear on page 65.

# **Biology**

Degree: Associate of Science

The biology curriculum is designed for the student planning to complete the bachelor's degree at a four-year institution. This program generally meets the transfer requirements for students entering any one of the state's major universities. Before entering this plan of study, each student should become acquainted with any pre-transfer requirements the receiving institution may stipulate. The current job market gives highest priority to the graduate degree in biology.

FIRST YEAR			SECOND YEAR				
Fall S	emest	er		Fall S	emes	ter	
BIO	111	Biology I	4	BIO	253	Ecology	4
CHE	121	General Chemistry I	4	ENG		Sophomore Literature <sup>3</sup>	3
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1≒	HIS		History Sequence 13	3
ENG	101	Composition	3	PHY	201	General Physics I*	4
MAT	110	College Algebra <sup>1</sup>	3			Humanities Elective⁴	3
PED		Physical Education	1				
			16				17
Spring	g Sem	ester		Spring	g Sem	ester	
BIO	112	Biology II	4	BIO	222	Microbiology	3
CHE	122	General Chemistry II	4	HIS		History Sequence II <sup>3</sup>	3
CST	102	Computer Concepts & Appl <sup>2</sup>	3	PHY	202	General Physics II <sup>4</sup>	4
ENG	102	Composition II	3	SPE	201	Basic Speech	3
MAT	115	Statistical Reasoning	3			Humanities Elective <sup>3</sup>	3
PED		Physical Education	1			Social Science Elective <sup>3</sup>	3
			18				19
	FIRS	T YEAR TOTAL	34		SECO	OND YEAR TOTAL	36
						AL SEMESTER HOURS	70

<sup>&#</sup>x27;MAT 141, 142 should be substituted for MAT 110, 115 if possible.

Students pursuing this area of study will be advised by the Math/Sciences Department.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Students may substitute other computer related courses with the approval of their academic advisor.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Students must check with transfer institution for appropriate course selection.

<sup>\*</sup>Depending on your transfer program, Organic Chemistry (CHE 221, 222) may need to be substituted for General Physics (PHY 201, 202).

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#### **Business Administration**

Degree: Associate of Science

The business administration program includes professional studies and courses in the liberal arts. Upon completion of this two-year program, a student may transfer to a senior institution to complete the requirements for the bachelor's in accounting, business management, or related fields.

		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR		
Fall S	emes	<u>ter</u>		Fall S	Fall Semester			
BUS	101	Intro to Business	3	BUS	221	Principles of Accounting I	3	
CST	102	Computer Concepts & Appl	3	ECO	201	Economics I	3	
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	ENG		Sophomore Literature <sup>2</sup>	3	
ENG	101	Composition I	3	HIS		History Sequence I <sup>2</sup>	3	
MAT	121	Calc for Bus and		SPE	201	Basic Speech	3	
		Life Sciences I <sup>1</sup>	3			Humanities Elective <sup>3</sup>	3	
PED		Physical Education	1					
		Physical/Natural Science <sup>2</sup>	4					
			18				18	
Spring Semester		10	Spring Semester					
CST		Database Management	3	BUS		Principles of Accounting II	3	
ENG		Composition II	3	ECO		Economics II	3	
MAT		Calc for Bus and	_	ENG		Sophomore Literature <sup>2</sup>	3	
		Life Sciences II <sup>1</sup>	3	HIS		History Sequence II <sup>2</sup>	3	
PED		Physical Education	1	POL	101	US Govt & Politics	3	
		Humanities Elective <sup>2</sup>	3			Social Science Elective <sup>2</sup>	3	
		Physical/Natural Science <sup>2</sup>	4					
		,	17				18	
			17				10	
	FIRST	T YEAR TOTAL	35		SECC	OND YEAR TOTAL	36	
			_		TOT	AL SEMESTER HOURS	71	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A higher level math course may be substituted. Consult with an advisor.

Students pursuing this area of study will be advised by the Business and Environmental Technologies Department.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Students transferring to UTK should consider scheduling foreign language courses while attending Roane State.

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## **Business Education**

Degree: Associate of Science

The business education program includes professional studies and courses in liberal arts. Upon completion of this two-year program, a student may transfer to a senior institution to complete the requirements for the bachelor's degree in business education.

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FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR	
Fall Semester		Fall Semester	
CST 102 Computer Concepts & Ap	opl 3	BUS 221 Principles of Accounting I	3
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	ECO 201 Economics I	3
ENG 101 Composition I	3	ENG Sophomore Literature <sup>1</sup>	3
MAT 121 Calculus for Bus and		HIS History Sequence 11	3
Life Sciences	3	OAD 121 Word/Information Processing I	3
OAD 101 Keyboarding/Formatting	3		
PED Physical Education	1		
Physical/Natural Science	4		
	18		15
Spring Semester		Spring Semester	
EDU 211 Educational Psychology	3	BUS 222 Principles of Accounting II	3
ENG 102 Composition II	3	ECO 202 Economics II	3
PED Physical Education	1	EDU 210 Human Development	3
SPE 201 Basic Speech	3	ENG Sophomore Literature'	3
Humanities Elective	3	HIS History Sequence I <sup>1</sup>	3
Physical/Natural Science	4	Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
	17		18
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	35	SECOND YEAR TOTAL	33
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	68

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

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# Chemistry

Degree: Associate of Science

The chemistry curriculum is designed for students planning to complete the bachelor's degree at a four-year institution. This program generally meets the transfer requirements for students entering any one of the state's major universities. Before entering this plan of study, each student should become acquainted with any pre-transfer requirements the receiving institution may stipulate.

FIRST YEAR <sup>1</sup>		SECOND YEAR	
Fall Semester		Fall Semester	
BIO 111 General Biology I	4	CHE 221 Organic Chemistry I	4
CHE 121 General Chemistry I	4	HIS History Sequence 13	3
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	PHY 211 Physics I <sup>4</sup>	4
ENG 101 Composition	3	Humanities Electives <sup>3</sup>	6
MAT 141 Calculus I <sup>2</sup>	5	Social Science Elective <sup>3</sup>	3
PED Physical Education	1.		
	18		20
Spring Semester		Spring Semester	
BIO 112 General Biology II	4	CHE 202 Quantitative Analysis	5
CHE 122 General Chemistry II	4	CHE 222 Organic Chemistry II	4
CST 102 Computer Concepts & Appl	3	ENG Sophomore Literature <sup>3</sup>	3
ENG 102 Composition II	3	HIS History Sequence II <sup>3</sup>	3
SPE 201 Basic Speech	3	PHY 212 Physics II <sup>4</sup>	4
	17	PED Physical Education	1
			20
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	35		
		SECOND YEAR TOTAL	40
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	75

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Students planning to transfer to Tennessee Technological University or UTK should consult an advisor for the appropriate curriculum.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> If mathematics background or ACT math score is not adequate, consult an advisor about taking MAT 130 (Pre-Calculus)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Students must check with transfer institution for appropriate course selection.

<sup>\*</sup>Consult an advisor about substituting PHY 201, 202 for PHY 211, 212. Also, check with the senior institution about most recent requirements.

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# **Computer Art and Design**

Degree: Associate of Arts Or Associate of Science

The A.A. or A.S. degree with an emphasis in computer art and design is geared toward those students desiring to transfer to four-year institutions to pursue advanced degrees in graphic design, fine arts, or computer enhanced design. This program will also provide an excellent two-year degree base for those wishing to pursue further work in related fields such as interior design, communications, or television. To complete requirements for graduation from the A.A. or A.S. degree in Computer Art and Design, students must pass competency tests in six areas: basic computer skills; pagination; Raster Graphics; Vector Graphics; 2-D animation; and 3-D animation. In addition students must pass an advanced exam in one area of specialization. An internship is also required.

FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall Semester		Fall S	emes	ter	
ART 101 Studio Fund: Drawing	2	ART	103	Studio Fund: 3D Design	2
ART 142 Computer Art I	3	ART	144	Computer Art III	3
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	ART	182	Visions Seminar II	2
ENG 101 Composition I	3	ENG		Sophomore Literature <sup>1</sup>	3
MAT Mathematics	3	HIS		History Sequence I <sup>1</sup>	3
SPE 201 Basic Speech	3	PED		Physical Education	1
Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	3			Physical/Natural Science	4
	18				18
Spring Semester	10	Sprin	g Sen	nester	
ART 102 Studio Fund: Two Dimen Des	ign 2	ART		Computer Art IV	3
ART 141 Graphic Design	3	ART		Visions Seminar III	2
ART 143 Computer Art II	3	ART	191		3
ART 181 Visions Seminar I	2	HIS	171	History Sequence II'	3
ENG 102 Composition II	3	1113		Physical/Natural Science	4
PED Physical Education	1			Social Science Elective	3
•	1			Social Science Liective	3
Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	3				-
	17				18
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	35			OND YEAR TOTAL AL SEMESTER HOURS	36 71

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Students should consult curriculum requirements of a senior institution for appropriate course selection.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Required for A.A. degree. Students seeking an A.S. degree should select a general elective appropriate for a senior institution.

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# **Computer Science**

Degree: Associate of Science

The computer science option is designed for students who wish to complete the first two years of a program leading toward a bachelor's degree in computer science.

FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR
Fall Semester		Fall Semester
CST 113 Intro to Programming I <sup>1</sup>	4	CST 209 GUI Programming 3
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	ECO 201 Economics I 3
ENG 101 Composition I	3	ENG Sophomore Literature <sup>2</sup> 3
HIS History Sequence <sup>2</sup>	3	MAT 221 Discrete Math I 3
MAT 141 Calculus I	5	Physical/Natural Science I <sup>2</sup> 4
PED Physical Education	1	
,	17	16
Coring Competer	17	10
Spring Semester	2	C
CST 203 Principles of Programming II	3	Spring Semester
ENG 102 Composition II	3	ECO 202 Economics II 3
HIS History Sequence <sup>2</sup>	3	MAT 222 Discrete Math II 3
MAT 142 Calculus II	5	SPE 201 Basic Speech 3
PED Physical Education	1	Physical/Natural Science II <sup>2</sup> 4
Humanities Elective <sup>2</sup>	3	Humanities Elective <sup>2</sup> 3
	10	16
	18	16
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	35	SECOND YEAR TOTAL 32
	55	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS 67
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOORS 07

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Co-requisite for CST 113 is CST 102.

Students pursuing this area of study will be advised by the Business and Environmental Technologies Department.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

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# **Early Childhood Education**

Degree: Associate of Science

The early childhood education curriculum is designed for a student who wishes to complete the first two years of a program toward teacher certification. This curriculum will meet the lower division requirements for transfer to a senior institution granting the bachelor's degree in early childhood education. Due to varying requirements at four-year institutions, students are encouraged to select courses in consultation with an education advisor.

FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR	
Fall Semester		Fall Semester	
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	EDU 220 Creative Activities for	
EDU 101 Intro to Teaching Profession	2	Young Children	3
EDU 210 Human Development	3	ENG Sophomore Literature <sup>1</sup>	3
ENG 101 Composition I	3	HIS History Sequence I'	3
HEA 221 Safety and First Aid	3	MAT Mathematics'	3
PED Physical Education	1	MUS 130 Music Appreciation	3
Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4	SPE 201 Basic Speech	3
	17		18
Spring Semester		Spring Semester	
EDU 121 Intro to Early Childhood		ART 142 Computer Art OR	
Education	3	CST Computer Science <sup>1</sup>	3
EDU 211 Educational Psychology	3	ENG Sophomore Literature <sup>1</sup>	3
ENG 102 Composition II	3	HIS History Sequence II <sup>1</sup>	3
HEA 241 School Health	2	MAT Mathematics'	3
HEC 131 Elementary Nutrition	2	PED Physical Education	1
Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4	Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
	17		16
	• •		
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	34	SECOND YEAR TOTAL	34
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	68

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

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# **Elementary Education**

Degree: Associate of Science

The elementary education curriculum is designed for a student who wishes to complete the first two years of a program toward teacher certification. This curriculum generally meets the lower division requirements for transfer to a senior institution granting the bachelor's degree in elementary education.

FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR	
Fall Semester		Fall Semester	
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	ART 142 Computer Art OR	
EDU 101 Intro to Teaching Profession	2	CST 102 Computer Concepts & Appl	3
EDU 210 Human Development	3	ENG Sophomore Literature'	3
ENG 101 Composition I	3	HEA 221 Safety and First Aid	3
PED Physical Education	1	HIS History Sequence I'	3
Elective'	3	MAT Mathematics'	3
Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4	MUS 130 Music Appreciation	3
	17		18
Spring Semester		Spring Semester	
EDU 211 Educational Psychology	3	ART 121 Art Appreciation	3
ENG 102 Composition II	3	ENG Sophomore Literature'	3
HEC 131 Elementary Nutrition	2	HIS History Sequence II'	3
PED Physical Education	1	MAT Mathematics'	3
Elective'	3	SPE 201 Basic Speech	3
Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4		
	16		15
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	33	SECOND YEAR TOTAL TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	33 66

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

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# **English**

Degree: Associate of Arts Or Associate of Science

Students in the English curriculum will develop skills as critical thinkers and writers, using the broad foundation of the curriculum to focus on specialized writing situations. These skills will be further emphasized by the study of a wide range of literature and career-oriented writing.

		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall S	emest	er		Fall Se	emes	ter	
CST		Computer Science'	3	ENG	231	Technical Writing	3
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	ENG		Sophomore Literature	3
ENG	101	Composition I	3	HIS		History Sequence I'	3
MAT		Mathematics <sup>1</sup>	3	PED		Physical Education	1
		Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	3			Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	3
		Physical/Natural Science	4			Humanities Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
			17				16
Sprin	g Sem	ester		Spring	g Sem	ester	
ENG	102	Composition II	3	ENG	221	Creative Writing	3
JRN		Journalism Elective	3	<b>ENG</b>		Sophomore Literature <sup>1</sup>	3
PED		Physical Education	1	HIS		History Sequence II <sup>1</sup>	3
SPE	201	Basic Speech	3			Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	3
		Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	3			Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
		Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4				
			17				15
	FIRS	T YEAR TOTAL	34			OND YEAR TOTAL	31 65

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Required for Associate of Arts (AA) degree only. Students seeking an Associate of Science (AS) degree should select a general elective appropriate for the senior institution.

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# **Forestry**

Degree: Associate of Science

The forestry curriculum is designed for students planning to complete a bachelor's degree at a university after receiving an associate's degree from Roane State. This program will generally meet university transfer requirements. Because of varying requirements at universities, students should meet with an advisor to determine specific requirements of the transfer university before starting this program.

		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall S	emest	ter		Fall S	emes	ter	
BIO	111	General Biology I	4	CST	102	Computer Concepts & Appl	3
CHE	101	Intro to Chem Principles OR		ECO	201	Principles of Economics I	3
CHE	121	General Chemistry I	4	ENG	231	Technical Writing	3
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	HIS		History Sequence I <sup>1</sup>	3
ENG	101	Composition I	3	MAT	201	Probability & Statistics	3
MAT	130	Pre-Calculus	4			Humanities Elective'	3
PED		Physical Education	1				
			17				18
Spring	g Sem	ester		Sprin	g Sem	ester	
BIO	112	General Biology II	4	BIO	253	General Ecology	4
BIO	201	Environmental Science	3	ENG		Sophomore Literature <sup>1</sup>	3
ENG	102	Composition II	3	HIS		History Sequence II'	3
MAT	141	Calculus I	5	SPE	201	Basic Speech	3
PED		Physical Education	1			Humanities Elective <sup>2</sup>	3
			16				16
	FIRST	T YEAR TOTAL	33		SECC	OND YEAR TOTAL	34
					TOTA	AL SEMESTER HOURS	67

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Choose from PHL 101, 111 or 121.

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### General

Degree: Associate of Arts Or Associate of Science

With an appropriate choice of electives, a student can, by following this general program, earn an associate degree from RSCC and also complete the lower division requirements for a bachelor's degree at a four-year institution.

FIRST YEAR			SECOND YEAR	
Fall Semester		Fall Sem	ester	
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	PED	Physical Education	1
ENG 101 Composition I	3	SPE 20	01 Basic Speech	3
HIS History Sequence I <sup>1</sup>	3		Electives <sup>1,3</sup>	6
MAT Mathematics <sup>1</sup>	3		Humanities Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
PED Physical Education	1		Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4
Electives <sup>1,2</sup>	6			17
	17	Spring S	emester	
Spring Semester		CST	Computer Science <sup>1</sup>	3
ENG 102 Composition II	3	ENG	Sophomore Literature	3
HIS History Sequence II <sup>1</sup>	3		Elective <sup>3,3</sup>	3
Electives <sup>1,3</sup>	6		Humanities Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup>	3		Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4
	15			16
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	32	SE	COND YEAR TOTAL	33
		TC	TAL SEMESTER HOURS	65

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

Students pursuing this area of study will be advised by the Math/Sciences Department or the Humanities Department.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>An Associate of Arts (AA) degree requires 6 hours of the same foreign language.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>At least 15 hours of electives should be taken at the 200 level.

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## **Mass Communications**

Degree: Associate of Arts Or Associate of Science

Students in the mass communications curriculum will develop skills as critical writers and thinkers, using the broad foundation of the curriculum to focus on specialized writing situations within the journalistic media. These skills will be further emphasized by practical experience in the media.

		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall S	emes	ter		Fall S	emes	ter	
CST		Computer Science <sup>1</sup>	3	ENG		Sophomore Literature	3
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	HIS		History Sequence I <sup>1</sup>	3
ENG	101	Composition I	3	JRN	231	Writing for Mass Media	3
MAT		Mathematics'	3	JRN		Journalism Practicum	2
		Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	3	PED		Physical Education	1
		Physical/ Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4			Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	3
			17			0 0	15
Covin	a Com	actor	17	C = uim a	- C		13
Spring				Spring	g Sen		
ENG	102	Composition II	3	ENG		Sophomore Literature <sup>1</sup>	3
JRN	111	Intro to Mass Communications	3	HIS		History Sequence II <sup>1</sup>	3
JRN		Practicum	1	JRN		Journalism Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
PED		Physical Education	1			Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	3
SPE	201	Basic Speech	3			Social Science Elective	3
		Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	3				
		Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4				
			18				15
			10				15
	FIRS	T YEAR TOTAL	35		SECO	OND YEAR TOTAL	30
						AL SEMESTER HOURS	65

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Required for Associate of Arts (AA) degree only. Students seeking an Associate of Science (AS) degree should select a general elective appropriate for a senior institution.

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# Mathematics or Physical Science<sup>1</sup>

Degree: Associate of Science

The mathematics or physical science curriculum will allow students to transfer to four-year colleges or universities and work toward a bachelor's degree in mathematics, physics, or any area which has similar requirements for the first two years.

		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall S	emest	er		Fall S	emes	er	
CHE	121	General Chemistry I'	4	<b>ENG</b>		Sophomore Literature <sup>1</sup>	3
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	MAT	221	Discrete Mathematics <sup>5</sup>	3
<b>ENG</b>	101	Composition I	3	MAT	241	Calculus III	3
HIS		History Sequence I	3	MAT	251	Matrix Algebra	3
MAT	141	Calculus I	5	PHY	211	Physics I	4
PED		Physical Education	1	PED		Physical Education	1
						Humanities Elective'	3
			17				20
Spring	g Sem	ester		Sprin	g Sem	ester	
CHE	122	General Chemistry II <sup>2</sup>	4	MAT	232	Differential Equations	3
CST	102	Computer Concepts & Appl	3	PHY	212	Physics II	4
<b>ENG</b>	102	Composition II	3	SPE	201	Basic Speech	3
HIS		History Sequence II'	3			Humanities Electives'	6
MAT	142	Calculus II	5			Social Science Elective	3
			18				19
	FIRST	T YEAR TOTAL	35			OND YEAR TOTAL AL SEMESTER HOURS	39 74

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Follow the above curriculum for mathematics or physics emphasis.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Students majoring in mathematics may substitute two semesters of biology.

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Students must check with transfer institution for appropriate course selection.

<sup>\*</sup>Students may substitute other computer related courses with the approval of their academic advisor.

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Required for mathematics majors only.

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### Music<sup>1</sup>

Degree: Associate of Arts Or Associate of Science

A music major planning to transfer to a senior institution should become familiar with the specific lower division requirements at that institution. The curriculum in this degree is designed to give the performing music major a sound basis for continuing music study at a senior institution.

NOTE: All music majors must have a major applied area at the college; all music majors must pass a piano proficiency examination equivalent to two years of college piano; all music majors must attend all solo classes and other selected performances; all music majors must register for MUS 010 - Solo Class (for no credit) - every semester and MUS 020 - Recital (for no credit) - the last semester before graduation.

FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR
Fall Semester		Fall Semester
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	ENG Sophomore Literature <sup>3</sup> 3
ENG 101 Composition I	3	HIS History Sequence I <sup>3</sup> 3
MUS 010 Solo Class	0	MUS 010 Solo Class 0
MUS 110 Theory I	3	MUS 210 Theory III 3
MUS 111 Theory Practicum I	1	MUS 211 Theory Practicum III 1
MUS 230 Intro to Music Lit I <sup>2</sup>	3	MUS Individual Instruction in Major 2
MUS Individual Instruction in Major	2	MUS Ensemble 1
MUS Ensemble	1	Physical/Natural Science' 4
PED Physical Education	1	
Social Science Elective <sup>3</sup>	3	
	18	17
Spring Semester		Spring Semester
ENG 102 Composition II	3	CST Computer Science <sup>3</sup> 3
MAT Mathematics <sup>3</sup>	3	HIS History Sequence II <sup>3</sup> 3
MUS 010 Solo Class	0	MUS 010 Solo Class 0
MUS 120 Theory II	3	MUS 020 Recital 0
MUS 121 Theory Practicum II	1	MUS 220 Theory IV 3
MUS 240 Intro to Music Lit II <sup>2</sup>	3	MUS 221 Theory Practicum IV 1
MUS Individual Instruction in Major	2	MUS Individual Instruction in Major 2
MUS Ensemble	1	SPE 201 Basic Speech 3
PED Physical Education	1	Physical/Natural Science' 4
	17	
	.,	17
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	35	SECOND YEAR TOTAL 36
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS 71

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Associate of Arts degree can be obtained by including six additional hours of the same foreign language.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Offered every other year; student should be advised to take history the year Music Lit is not offered.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Consult curriculum requirements at senior institution for appropriate course selection.

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### **Music Education**

Degree: Associate of Science

The music education curriculum is designed for students who plan to complete a bachelor's degree in music and who desire to receive a certificate to teach music in elementary or secondary school.

NOTE: All music majors must have a major applied area at the college; all music majors must pass a piano proficiency examination equivalent to two years of college piano; all music majors must attend all solo classes and other selected performances; all music majors must register for MUS 010 - Solo Class (for no credit) - every semester and MUS 020 - Recital (for no credit) - the last semester before graduation.

FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR
Fall Semester		Fall Semester
EDU 100 Orientation to College <sup>1</sup>	1	ENG Sophomore Literature <sup>2</sup> 3
EDU 210 Human Development	3	HIS History Sequence I <sup>2</sup> 3
ENG 101 Composition I	3	MUS 010 Solo Class 0
MAT Mathematics <sup>2</sup>	3	MUS 210 Theory III 3
MUS 010 Solo Class	0	MUS 211 Theory Practicum III 1
MUS 110 Theory I	3	MUS Individual Instruction in Major 1
MUS 111 Theory Practicum I	- 1	MUS Ensemble 1
MUS Individual Instruction in Major	2	PED Physical Education 1
MUS Ensemble	1	Physical/Natural Science <sup>2</sup> 4
Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	
	20	17
Spring Semester		Spring Semester <sup>3</sup>
EDU 211 Educational Psychology	3	ART 142 Computer Art OR
ENG 102 Composition II	3	CST Computer Science 3
MUS 010 Solo Class	0	ENG Sophomore Literature <sup>2</sup> 3
MUS 120 Theory II	3	HIS History Sequence II <sup>2</sup> 3
MUS 121 Theory Practicum II	1	MUS 010 Solo Class 0
MUS Individual Instruction in Major	2	MUS 020 Recital 0
MUS Ensemble	1	MUS 220 Theory IV 3
PED Physical Education	1	MUS 221 Theory Practicum IV 1
SPE 201 Basic Speech	3	MUS Individual Instruction in Major 1
		Physical/Natural Science <sup>2</sup> 4
	17	18
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	37	SECOND YEAR TOTAL 35
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS 72

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Students transferring to Tennessee Technological University should take EDU 101.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Students are encouraged to take Music Ensemble as an added elective during their fourth semester.

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# **Pre-Engineering**

Degree: Associate of Science

The basic pre-engineering curriculum is designed for students who want to earn bachelor's degrees in any engineering field at a four-year institution. Upon the successful completion of the basic program, the student can transfer to any college with an engineering program. These programs include: aerospace, biomedical, chemical, civil, electrical, engineering mechanics, engineering physics, engineering science, fire protection, industrial, mechanical, nuclear, environmental.

	FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR			
Fall Semester		Fall Semester			
	CHE 121 General Chemistry I	4	ESC 211 Statics <sup>5</sup>	3	
	EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	HIS History Sequence II <sup>3</sup>	3	
	ENG 101 Composition I	3	MAT 241 Calculus III <sup>2</sup>	3	
	ERG 161 Engineering Graphics <sup>1,6</sup>	3	PHY 211 Physics I <sup>4</sup>	4	
	ESC 111 Survey of Engineering	1	PED Physical Education	1	
	MAT 141 Calculus I <sup>3</sup>	5	Humanities Elective <sup>3</sup>	3	
	PED Physical Education	1	Social Science Elective	3	
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		18	-	20	
	Spring Semester	10	Spring Semester	20	
	CHE 122 General Chemistry II	4	ENG Sophomore Literature	3	
	ENG 102 Composition II	3	ESC 112 Computer Aided Engineering	3	
	HIS History Sequence 13.6	3	ESC 212 Dynamics <sup>5</sup>	3	
	MAT 142 Calculus II <sup>2</sup>	5	MAT 232 Differential Equations	3	
	SPE 201 Basic Speech	3	PHY 212 Physics II <sup>4</sup>	4	
	SIL 201 basic speech	3	Humanities Elective	3	
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		18		19	
	FIRST YEAR TOTAL	36	SECOND YEAR TOTAL	39	
	FIRST TEAR TOTAL	36	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	75	
			TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	13	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The Fundamentals of Engineering Graphics course (ERG 161) includes application of computers for computer aided design and will satisfy the computer instruction requirements for this program.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Students are advised to also take MAT 251; check with your advisor.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

<sup>\*</sup>Students planning to transfer to UT Knoxville should take PHY 205 and PHY 207.

Students planning to transfer to UT Knoxville should take ESC 121 in fall semester of freshman year and ESC 131 in spring semester of freshman year instead of ESC 211 and 212.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Students planning to transfer to UT Knoxville should take these courses in their sophomore year instead of freshman year.

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# Pre-Medicine Pre-Dentistry

Degree: Associate of Science

This unified basic curriculum in pre-medicine and pre-dentistry is designed to prepare students for schools of medicine and dentistry such as the University of Tennessee or a similar institution, where admission requirements are two years of college experience. Medical college usually requires three or four years of college experience. Roane State students should consult the catalog of the university or professional school of his/her choice and his/her advisor to determine specific requirements for admission.

FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR			
Fall Semester		Fall Semester			
BIO 111 General Biology I'	4	CHE 221 Organic Chemistry I	4		
CHE 121 General Chemistry I	4	HIS History Sequence I <sup>1</sup>	3		
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	PHY 211 Physics I <sup>1</sup>	4		
ENG 101 Composition I	3	Humanities Electives <sup>1</sup>	6		
MAT 141 Calculus I <sup>2</sup>	5	Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup>	3		
PED Physical Education	1				
	18		20		
Spring Semester		Spring Semester			
BIO 112 General Biology II'	4	CHE 222 Organic Chemistry II	4		
CHE 122 General Chemistry II	4	ENG Sophomore Literature'	3		
CST Computer Science <sup>1</sup>	3	HIS History Sequence II <sup>1</sup>	3		
ENG 102 Composition II	3	PHY 212 Physics II <sup>1</sup>	4		
MAT 142 Calculus II <sup>2</sup>	5	SPE 201 Basic Speech	3		
		PED Physical Education	1		
	19		18		
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	37	SECOND YEAR TOTAL	38		
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	75		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>If mathematics background or ACT math score is not adequate, consult an advisor about taking MAT 130 (Pre-Calculus).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Consult an advisor about substituting PHY 201, 202 for PHY 211, 212. Also check with the senior institution about most recent requirements.

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# **Pre-Nursing**

Degree: Associate of Science

The pre-nursing curriculum is designed for students planning to complete bachelor's degrees at four-year institutions. Before entering this plan of study, students should become knowledgeable of specific pre-transfer requirements of other transfer institutions. Since many programs accept a limited number of applicants early in the school year for the next year's class, application should be made at the end of the freshman year at Roane State.

FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR			
Fall Semester		Fall Semester		
CHE 101 Intro to Chemistry	4	BIO 231 Human Anatomy & Physiology I 4		
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	CST Computer Science <sup>3</sup> 3		
ENG 101 Composition I	3	ENG Sophomore Literature <sup>3</sup> 3		
MAT 110 College Algebra <sup>2,3</sup>	3	HIS History Sequence 1 <sup>3</sup> 3		
PSY 101 General Psychology	3	PED Physical Education 1		
SOC 201 Intro to Sociology	3	Humanities Elective <sup>3</sup> 3		
	17	17		
Spring Semester	17	Spring Semester		
CHE 102 Organic and Biochemistry	4	BIO 232 Human Anatomy &		
ENG 102 Composition II	3	Physiology II 4		
MAT 115 Statistical Reasoning <sup>2,3</sup>	3	BIO 222 Microbiology 3		
PSY 221 Developmental Psychology	3	HEC 121 Elementary Nutrition 2		
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SOC 211 Cultural Anthropology	3	HIS History Sequence II <sup>3</sup> 3 PED Physical Education 1		
		Humanities Elective <sup>3</sup> 3		
	16	19		
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	33	SECOND YEAR TOTAL 36		
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS 69		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Consult with an advisor for appropriate course selection. Some institutions require CHE 121 and 122.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Students may take a higher level math course.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Students planning to transfer to Tennessee Technological University must take Cell Biology (4 hours) and Pathophysiology (3 hours) instead of SOC 211.

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# **Pre-Pharmacy**

Degree: Associate of Science

This curriculum is designed for students who plan to apply for admission to pharmacy. Admission requirements to colleges of pharmacy vary somewhat from institution to institution. Students should consult with their advisors as well as the college or university.

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		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR		
Fall S	emest	er		Fall S	emest	er		
BIO	111	General Biology I	4	CHE	221	Organic Chemistry I	4	
CHE	121	General Chemistry I	4	ENG		Sophomore Literature	3	
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	HIS		History Sequence 14	3	
ENG	101		3	PHY	211	Physics I <sup>†</sup>	4	
MAT	141	Calculus I'	5			Social Science Elective <sup>6</sup>	3	
PED		Physical Education	1,			Humanities Elective <sup>4</sup>	3	
			18				20	
Sprin	g Sem	ester		Spring Semester				
BIO	112	General Biology II	4	CHE	222	Organic Chemistry II	4	
CHE	122	General Chemistry II	4	HIS		History Sequence II⁴	3	
CST	102	Computer Concepts & Appl <sup>2</sup>	3	PHY	212	Physics II <sup>5</sup>	4	
ENG	102	Composition II	3	SPE	201	Basic Speech	3	
MAT	115	Statistical Reasoning <sup>3</sup>	3			Humanities Elective⁴	3	
PED		Physical Education	1					
			18				17	
	FIRST	T YEAR TOTAL	36		SECC	OND YEAR TOTAL	37	
					TOTA	AL SEMESTER HOURS	73	

If mathematics background or ACT math score is not adequate, students must complete MAT 130 (Pre-Calculus) prior to enrolling in MAT 141.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Students may substitute other computer related courses with the approval of their academic advisor.

Check with advisor and transfer institutions; some colleges require accounting.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Students must check with transfer institution for appropriate course selection.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Consult an advisor about substituting PHY 201, 202 for PHY 211, 212. Also check with the senior institution about most recent requirements.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>Psychology, sociology, economics, anthropology and political science are usually acceptable choices. Check with your advisor.

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# **Pre-Veterinary**

Degree: Associate of Science

This course of study covers the first two years of the pre-professional work for students who plan to study veterinary medicine. At least one year of additional college level study will be required to meet the minimum requirements for admission to veterinary medicine. It is strongly advised that pre-veterinary students plan their courses so that as well as fulfilling the veterinary medicine prerequisites, they are simultaneously fulfilling the requirements for a bachelor's degree. Most veterinary medicine colleges require students make a satisfactory score on the Veterinary College Admission Test (VCAT). Please consult your advisor.\*

FIRST YEAR					SECOND YEAR			
Fall S	Fall Semester			Fall Semester				
BIO	111	General Biology I1	4	CHE	221	Organic Chemistry I	4	
CHE	121	General Chemistry I	4	HIS		History Sequence I	3	
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	PHY	211	Physics Is	4	
ENG	101	Composition I	3	PED		Physical Education	1	
MAT	141	Calculus l <sup>2</sup>	5			Humanities Elective	3	
PED		Physical Education	1			Social Science Elective	3	
			18				18	
Sprin	g Sem	<u>iester</u>		Spring Semester				
BIO	112	General Biology II <sup>1</sup>	4	CHE	222	Organic Chemistry II	4	
CHE	122	General Chemistry II	4	ENG		Sophomore Literature	3	
CST	102	Computer Concepts & Appl <sup>3</sup>	3	HIS		History Sequence II <sup>4</sup>	3	
ENG	102	Composition II	3	PHY	212	Physics 115	4	
MAT	142	Calculus II <sup>2</sup>	5	SPE	201	Basic Speech	3	
						Humanities Elective	3	
			19				20	
	FIRST	T YEAR TOTAL	37		SECC	OND YEAR TOTAL	38	
					TOT	AL SEMESTER HOURS	75	

<sup>\*</sup>Additional courses may be necessary to enter veterinary programs. Consult your RSCC advisor and senior institution.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Students with at least two years of high school biology or satisfactory ACT scores may, with permission from the Math/Science division, omit BIO 111, 112 and enter BIO 213.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> If mathematics background or ACT math score is not adequate, consult an advisor about taking MAT 130 (Pre-Calculus).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Students may substitute other computer related courses with the approval of their academic advisor.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Students must check with transfer institution for appropriate history sequence.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>Consult an advisor about substituting PHY 201, 202 for PHY 211, 212. Also check with the senior institution about most recent requirements.

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# **Secondary Education**

Degree: Associate of Science

The secondary education curriculum is designed for a student who wishes to complete the first two years of a program toward teacher certification. This curriculum will generally meet the lower division requirements for transfer to a senior institution granting the bachelor's degree in secondary education.

	FIRST YEAR			SECOND YEAR		
Fall Seme	ster					
ART 12	1 Art Appreciation	3	ENG	Sophomore Literature <sup>1</sup>	3	
EDU 10	Orientation to College	1	HIS	History Sequence I <sup>1</sup>	3	
EDU 10	1 Intro to Teaching Profession	2	MAT	Mathematics <sup>1</sup>	3	
EDU 21	0 Human Development	3	PED	Physical Education	1	
	1 Composition I	3	SPE 2	01 Basic Speech	3	
PED	Physical Education	1		Elective <sup>2</sup>	3	
	Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4				
		17			16	
Spring Se	mester		Spring Semester			
EDU 21	1 Educational Psychology	3	ART 1	42 Computer Art OR		
ENG 10	2 Composition II	3	CST	Computer Science <sup>1</sup>	3	
HEA 22	1 Safety, First Aid & CPR	3	ENG	Sophomore Literature'	3	
	Elective <sup>2</sup>	3	HIS	History Sequence II <sup>1</sup>	3	
	Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4		Electives <sup>2</sup>	6	
				Social Science Elective <sup>t</sup>	3	
		16			18	
FIR	ST YEAR TOTAL	33	SE	34		
			TO	67		

For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Electives should be taken in areas of certification.

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# **Social Science**

Degree: Associate of Arts Or Associate of Science

The social science curriculum is designed to assist students planning to complete the bachelor's degree at a four-year institution in any one of the following: geography, history, political science, psychology, and sociology. In order to meet lower division requirements for transfer to any one of the state's major universities, students should select social science courses from their choice of emphasis and related social science disciplines. Students should also follow the advice of their faculty advisor and become acquainted with any pre-transfer requirements the senior institution may require.

FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR			
Fall Semester		Fall Semester			
CST Computer Science <sup>4</sup>	3	ENG Sophomore Literature	3		
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	SPE 201 Basic Speech	3		
ENG 101 Composition I	3	Humanities Elective?	3		
HIS History Sequence I'	3	Physical/Natural Science <sup>4</sup>	4		
MAT 110 College Algebra	3	Social Science Electives	6		
PED Physical Education	1				
Social Science Elective	3				
	17		19		
Spring Semester		Spring Semester			
ENG 102 Composition II	3	ENG Sophomore Literature	3		
HIS History Sequence II <sup>1</sup>	3	Humanities Elective <sup>2</sup>	3		
MAT 115 Statistical Reasoning	3	Physical/Natural Science <sup>3</sup>	4		
PED Physical Education	1	Social Science Electives <sup>3</sup>	6		
Social Science Electives	6				
	16		16		
	16		10		
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	33	SECOND YEAR TOTAL	35		
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	68		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Students planning on entering UTK's College of Arts and Sciences, College of Communication, or College of Architecture should be aware that HIS 111 and 112 are required.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>An Associate of Arts (AA) degree requires 6 hours of the same foreign language. Students pursuing an Associate of Science (AS) degree should take humanities courses recommended by the senior institution.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> At least 12 hours of social science should be taken at the 200 level.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

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# **Special Education**

Degree: Associate of Science

The special education curriculum is designed for a student who wishes to complete the first two years of a program toward teacher certification. This curriculum will generally meet the lower division requirements for transfer to a senior institution granting the bachelor's degree in special education.

FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR				
Fall Se	emest	ter		Fall Semester				
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	EDU	232	Field Experiences II	2	
EDU	101	Intro to Teaching Profession	2	ENG		Sophomore Literature <sup>1</sup>	3	
EDU	210	Human Development	3	HIS		History Sequence I <sup>1</sup>	3	
ENG	101		3	MAT		Mathematics <sup>1</sup>	3	
PED		Physical Education	1	PSY	101	General Psychology	3	
		Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	SPE	201	Basic Speech	3	
		Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4					
			17				17	
Spring	Sem	iester		Spring	g Sen	iester		
EDU	111	Intro to Educating Except Child	2	ART	142	Computer Art OR		
EDU	211	Educational Psychology	3	CST		Computer Science <sup>1</sup>	3	
EDU	231	Field Experiences 1	2	ENG		Sophomore Literature <sup>1</sup>	3	
ENG	102	Composition II	3	HEA	221	Safety and First Aid	3	
MUS	130	Music Appreciation	3	HIS		History Sequence II <sup>1</sup>	3	
PED		Physical Education	1 2	MAT		Mathematics <sup>1</sup>	3	
		Physical/Natural Science <sup>1</sup>	4			Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	
			18				18	
FIRST YEAR TOTAL			35			OND YEAR TOTAL AL SEMESTER HOURS	35 70	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

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## Wildlife and Fisheries

Degree: Associate of Science

The wildlife and fisheries curriculum is designed for students planning to complete a bachelor's degree at a university after receiving an associate's degree from Roane State. This program will generally meet university transfer requirements. Because of varying requirements at universities, students should meet with an advisor to determine specific requirements of the transfer university before starting this program.

FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR				
Fall Semester		Fall Semester				
BIO 111 General Biology I	4	BIO 2	12 Cell Biology	4		
CHE 121 General Chemistry I	4	BIO 25	3 General Ecology	4		
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	ENG	Sophomore Literature <sup>2</sup>	3		
ENG 101 Composition I	3	HIS	History Sequence I <sup>2</sup>	3		
MAT 115 Statistical Reasoning	3	SPE 20	01 Basic Speech	3		
PED Physical Education	1					
	16			17		
Spring Semester		Spring Semester				
BIO 112 General Biology II	4	CST	Computer Science <sup>2</sup>	3		
CHE 122 General Chemistry II	4	ENG	Sophomore Literature <sup>2</sup>	3		
ENG 102 Composition II	3	HIS	History Sequence II <sup>2</sup>	3		
MAT 141 Calculus I'	5		Elective <sup>2</sup>	3		
PED Physical Education	1		Humanities Elective?	3		
			Social Science Elective <sup>2</sup>	3		
	17			18		
FIRST VEAR TOTAL	22	C.F.	COND VEAR TOTAL	25		
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	33		COND YEAR TOTAL OTAL SEMESTER HOURS	35 68		

<sup>&#</sup>x27;If mathematics background or ACT math score is not adequate, students must complete MAT 130 (Pre-Calculus) prior to enrolling in MAT 141.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For specific course recommendations, students should consult the catalog of the senior institution they plan to attend.

# **Removal of Entrance Deficiencies**

To enroll in a transfer program leading to an associate of arts or an associate of science degree, and eventually a bachelor's degree, the Tennessee State Board of Regents requires the completion of specific high school courses. Students with academic deficiencies will be notified by the Admissions/Records Office. Deficiencies must be removed prior to receiving an associate degree. Courses used to remove deficiencies cannot be used to fulfill program requirements.

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<u>Requirement</u> English	<u>Course Needed</u> *See note
Algebra I and II	*See note
Geometry	MAT 099
Natural/Physical Science I	BIO 111 BIO 231
Natural/Physical Science II	BIO 112, 232 CHE 100, 102, 122 GGY 102 GEO 162 PHY 122, 202
Social Studies	GGY 201 HIS 111 SS 100 PSY 101 SOC 201, 211
U.S. History	HIS 100, 211, 212
Foreign Language I	FRE 101 SPA 101 GRN 101
Foreign Language II	FRE 102 SPA 102 GRN 102
Visual/Performing Arts	SPE 201, 231, 232, 241, 242 ART 101, 102, 103, 111, 113, 114, 121, 131, 141, 142, 201, 202, 203, 211 MUS 130, 140
Any three of the following:	MUS 107, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 101, 102, 103, 104, Applied

NOTE: Entrance deficiencies in English, Algebra I and II will be handled through mandatory AAPP assessment, placement and removal of deficiency at the remedial or developmental level.

Music: Individual Instruction, Applied Music: Ensembles

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#### CAREER PREPARATION PROGRAMS

#### CORE CURRICULUM FOR CAREER PREPARATION PROGRAMS

**NOTE:** Most degree programs may require more than the minimum 64 hours. See the individual program descriptions.

1 0 1	
Areas	Courses
Oral Communications	1 course
Written Communications	1 course
Mathematics	1 course
Humanities/Fine Arts*	1 course
Social or Behavioral Science**	1 course
Natural Science (or additional Math)	1 course
Computer Instruction	1 course
Orientation to College***	1 course
Physical Education Activities***	2 courses
CC	RE TOTAL (varies)
TECHNICAL SPECIALTY	32 hours minimum

<sup>\*</sup>The following courses taught in the Humanities & Education Division will fulfill humanities elective requirements: art, music, journalism, literature, foreign language, philosophy, or theatre.

TOTAL DEGREE 64 hours minimum

# CAREER PREPARATION ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE

The Associate of Applied Science programs listed on the following pages are designed primarily for the student who wishes to seek employment after two years of college. Unless noted otherwise, these programs are not designed for transfer to a senior institution although many of the courses in these programs will transfer and all are college courses. Students planning to graduate with an Associate of Applied Science Degree are required to complete the general education courses of the core curriculum for career preparation programs listed at the beginning of this section.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Two courses are recommended

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Except for selected Health Science programs

#### A.A.S. BUSINESS MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY

The two-year programs in Business Management Technology are designed to prepare the interested student to become a specialist in many phases of the business field. Upon graduation, the student may seek employment in accounting; banking and savings associations; computer science; insurance; quality management; and general business fields. The program also facilitates the process for many students to move into management and supervisory positions. Business Management Technology programs are not designed for transfer to senior institutions.

# A.A.S. BUSINESS MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY ACCOUNTING OPTION'

FIRST YEAR					SECOND YEAR			
Fall S	emest	<u>ter</u>		Fall S	emes	ter		
BUS	101	Introduction to Business	3	BUS	225	Federal Income Tax - Personal	3	
BUS	221	Principles of Accounting I	3	BUS	273	Marketing	3	
BUS	111	Business Math	3	BUS	231	Intermediate Accounting I	3	
ENG	101	Composition I	3	BUS	227	Fund Accounting	3	
CST	102	Computer Concepts and		MAT	110	College Algebra	3	
		Applications	3			OR		
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	MAT	121	Calculus for Business		
PED		Physical Education Elective	1	ECO	201	Economics I	3	
PED		Physical Education Elective	1					
			18				18	
Spring Semester		10	Sprin	g Sen	nester	10		
BUS		Management and Supervision I	3			Federal Income Tax - Business	3	
			3					
SPE	201	Basic Speech	3	BUS		Cost Accounting	3	
CDE	221	OR .		BUS		Intermediate Accounting II	3	
SPE	221	Business and Professional		BUS		Legal Environment for Business		
CCT	125	Speaking		MAT	115	Statistical Reasoning	3	
CST		Introduction to Spreadsheets	3			OR		
BUS		Principles of Accounting II	3			Math/Natural Science Elective		
BUS	255	Microcomputing				Humanities Elective	3	
		Accounting Appl. I	3					
		Social Science Elective	3					
			18				18	
		FIRST YEAR TOTAL	36			SECOND YEAR TOTAL TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	36 72	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> BUS 256 Microcomputing Accounting Applications II, an elective in the accounting curriculum, may be substituted for another business, accounting, or computer science course in the accounting option. This substitution must be approved in advance by the student's accounting advisor.

# A.A.S. BUSINESS MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY BANKING OPTION

		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall S	emes	<u>ter</u>		Fall S	emes	<u>ter</u>	
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	BUS	210	Introduction to Quality	
BUS	101	Introduction to Business	3			Management	3
BUS	112	Personal Finance	3	BUS	221	Principles of Accounting I	3
BUS	273	Marketing	3	BUS	251	Legal Environment for Business	3
ENG	101	Composition I	3	BUS	281	Management & Supervision I	3
MAT	121	Calculus for Business and the	Life	ECO	201	Economics I	3
		Sciences I	3	BNK		Banking Elective	3
		OR				o .	
MAT	110	College Algebra					
PED		Physical Education Elective	1				
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Sprin				Spring			2
000	111	Business Math	3	BUS 2		Principles of Accounting II	3
SPE	221	Business and Prof. Speaking	3	ECO 2	202	Economics II	3
BUS	271	Sales	3			Humanities Elective	3
CST	102	Computer Concepts &	3	BNK		Banking Electives	3
		Appl				Natural Science/Math Elective	3
BNK		Banking Elective	3			Social Science Elective	3
PED		Physical Education Elective	1				
		,	16			-	10
			16				18
		FIRST YEAR TOTAL	33			SECOND YEAR TOTAL	36
						TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	69

# A.A.S. BUSINESS MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY COMPUTER SCIENCE OPTION

		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall S	emest	er		Fall S	emest	<u>ter</u>	
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	BUS	221	Principles of Accounting I	3
ENG	101	English Composition I	3	ECO	201	Economics I	3
BUS	101	Introduction to Business	3	CST	205	Data Communications	3
OAD	100	Keyboarding for the Computer	1	CST	207	Microcomputer Hardware	2
MAT	110	College Algebra	3	CST	209	GUI Programming I	3
CST	102	Computer Concepts &		BUS	281	Management and Supervision I	3
		Appl	3	PED		Physical Education	1
CST	113	Intro to Programming I	4			•	
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Spring			_	Sprin			
CST	103	Computer Presentations	3	CST	210	GUI Programming II and	
CST	105	Database Management	3			Appl. Design	4
MAT	115	Statistical Reasoning	3	CST	212	Advanced Microcomputer Appl.	3
CST	203	Principles of Programming II	3	CST	215	Operating Systems	3
SPE	201	Basic Speech Communication	3	CST	217	Data and File Management	2
HUM		Elective'	3			Social Science Elective	3
				PED		Physical Education	1
						-	16
			18				16
		FIRST YEAR TOTAL	36			SECOND YEAR TOTAL	34
					TOT	AL SEMESTER HOURS	70

<sup>&#</sup>x27; ART 142 is the recommended Humanities elective for Computer Science majors.

# A.A.S. BUSINESS MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY GENERAL BUSINESS OPTION

	FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall Semes	<u>ter</u>		Fall S	emest	<u>ter</u>	
EDU 100	Orientation to College	1	BUS	210	Introduction to Quality	
BUS 101	Introduction to Business	3			Management	3
BUS 112	Personal Finance	3	BUS	221	Principles of Accounting I	3
	Marketing	3	BUS	251	Legal Environment for Business	3
ENG 101	Composition I	3	BUS	272	Retailing	3
MAT 121	Calculus for Business and the	Life	BUS	281	Management and Supervision I	3
	Sciences I	3	ECO	201	Economics I	3
	OR					
MAT 110	College Algebra					
PED	Physical Education Elective	1				
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Spring Sen	actor	17	Spring	a Com	nostor	10
BUS 111	Business Math	3			Principles of Accounting II	3
SPE 221		3	BU3	222	Business OR CST Elective	3
		3	ECO	202	Economics II	3
BUS 261 BUS 271	,	3	ECO	202	Humanities Elective	
		3			Natural Science/Math Elective	3
CST 102	Computer Concepts &	2				3
DED	Appl	3			Social Science Elective	3
PED	Physical Education Elective					
		16				18
	FIRST YEAR TOTAL	33			SECOND YEAR TOTAL TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	36 69

# A.A.S. BUSINESS MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY INSURANCE OPTION

	FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall Sem	ester		Fall S	emes	<u>ter</u>	
EDU 10	OO Orientation to College	1	BUS	210	Introduction to Quality	
BUS 10	01 Introduction to Business	3			Management	3
BUS 11	12 Personal Finance	3	BUS	221	Principles of Accounting I	3
BUS 27	73 Marketing	3	BUS	251	Legal Environment for Business	3
ENG 10	01 Composition I	3	BUS	281	Management and Supervision I	3
MAT 12	21 Calculus for Business and the	Life	ECO	201	Economics I	3
	Sciences I	3	INS		Insurance Elective	3
	OR					
MAT 11	10 College Algebra					
PED	Physical Education Elective	1				
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BUS 11		3	BUS		Principles of Accounting II	3
	21 Business and Prof. Speaking	3	ECO	202	Economics II	3
	71 Sales	3			Humanities Elective	3
CST 10	O2 Computer Concepts &				Insurance Elective	3
	Appl	3			Natural Science/Math Elective	3
INS	Insurance Elective	3			Social Science Elective	3
PED	Physical Education Elective	1				
		16				18
		16				10
	FIRST YEAR TOTAL	33			SECOND YEAR TOTAL	36
		_			TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	69

# A.A.S. BUSINESS MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT AND SUPERVISION OPTION

		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall S	emes	<u>ter</u>		Fall S	emes	ter	
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	BUS	210	Introduction to Quality	
BUS	101	Introduction to Business	3			Management	3
BUS	112	Personal Finance	3	BUS	221	Principles of Accounting I	3
BUS	273	Marketing	3	BUS	251	Legal Environment for Business	3
ENG	101	Composition I	3	BUS		Management and Supervision I	3
MAT	121	Calculus for Business and the	Life	ECO	201	Economics I	3
		Sciences I	3			Humanities Elective	3
		OR					
MAT	110	College Algebra					
PED		Physical Education Elective	1				
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BUS	111	Business Math	3			Principles of Accounting II	3
SPE	221		3	BUS	282	Management and Supervision II	3
BUS	261	Psy. Aspects of Management	3	BUS	284	Management Seminar	3
BUS	271	Sales	3	ECO	202	Economics II	3
CST	102	Computer Concepts &				Natural Science/Math Elective	3
		Appl	3			Social Science Elective	3
PED		Physical Education Elective	1				
		· = = =	16			-	10
			16				18
		FIRST YEAR TOTAL	33			SECOND YEAR TOTAL	36
						TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	69

# A.A.S. BUSINESS MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY QUALITY MANAGEMENT OPTION

		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall S	emest	er		Fall S	emesi	ter	
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	CST	156	Beginning Internet	3
BUS	210	Intro to Quality	3	BUS	261	Psych Aspects of Mgmt.	3
BUS	111	Business Math	3	ECO	201	Economics I	3
<b>ENG</b>	101	Composition I	3	BUS	281	Management & Supervision I	3
MAT	110	College Algebra	3	BUS	214	Kaizen	3
PED		Physical Education Elective	1			Social Science Elective	3
			14				18
Sprin	g Sem	ester	17	Spring	o Sem	ester	10
		Attaining World Class	3	BUS		Quality Systems	3
BUS		Quality Seminar: Teaming	3	BUS	290		3
ENG		Composition II OR	3	BUS	282		3
ENG		Technical Writing	3	SPE	201	Basic Speech	3
MAT		Statistical Reasoning	3	0. 2		BUS, ECO, OR Coop Elective	3
CST		Computer Concepts &	_			Humanities Elective	3
		Appl	3			Training Elective	
PED		Physical Education Elective	- 1				
		•	16				
			16				18
		TOTAL FIRST YEAR	30			TOTAL SECOND YEAR	36
			50			TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	6

# A.A.S. BUSINESS MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY SAVINGS ASSOCIATION OPTION

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gement 3
iples of Accounting 1 3
Environment for Business 3
gement and Supervision I 3
omics I 3
gs Association Elective 3
18
iples of Accounting II 3
omics II 3
anities Elective 3
gs Association Elective 3
al Science/Math Elective 3
l Science Elective 3
10
18
ND YEAR TOTAL 36
L SEMESTER HOURS 69
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# A.A.S. BUSINESS MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY SMALL BUSINESS OPTION

		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall S	emes	<u>ter</u>		Fall S	emest	<u>ter</u>	
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	BUS	210	Introduction to Quality	
BUS	112	Personal Finance	3			Management	3
BUS	221	Principles of Accounting I	3	BUS	231	Intermediate Accounting I	3
BUS	278	Small Business Management	3	BUS	251	Legal Environment for Business	3
ENG	101	Composition I	3	BUS	272	Retailing	3
MAT	121	Calculus for Business and the	Life	BUS	281	Management and Supervision I	3
		Sciences I	3	ECO	201	Economics I	3
		OR					
MAT	110	College Algebra					
PED		Physical Education Elective	1				
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Sprin			-	Sprin			,
BUS	111	Business Math	3			Intermediate Accounting II	3
BUS		Principles of Accounting II	3	BUS		Marketing	3
SPE		Business and Prof. Speaking	3	ECO	202	Economics II	3
BUS	271	Sales	3			Humanities Elective	3
CST	102	Computer Concepts &				Natural Science/Math Elective	3
		Appl	3			Social Science Elective	3
PED		Physical Education Elective	1				
			16			27	10
			16				18
		FIRST YEAR TOTAL	33			SECOND YEAR TOTAL	36
						TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	69

### A.A.S. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH TECHNOLOGY

The Environmental Health Technology Program is designed to train students to perform as technicians who are employed to resolve environmental health and safety issues. Students who wish to enroll in the program may choose from among four options: Air Quality Control, Health Physics, Industrial Hygiene, and Waste Management. With the exception of AQC 101, HPT 111, IHT 101 and WMT 101, only students who have submitted an application and have been approved by the admissions committee may enroll in Environmental Health Technology classes.

Students pursuing any of the Environmental Health Technology options will be advised by the Business and Environmental Technologies Department.

# **Admission to the Program**

- The applicant must meet one of the following minimum academic requirements:
  - a. Students 21 years old or younger must attain a composite score of 20 or above on the Enhanced American College Testing Program (ACT);
  - b. Attain a GPA of 2.50 or better after completion of at least 8 semester hours of general education courses required in the program.
- The applicant must complete an Application for Environmental Health Technology and submit it to the Office of Admissions and Records by May 15 for next fall's enrollment. THIS IS A COMPETITIVE ADMISSION PROGRAM.
   MEETING MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS DOES NOT GUARANTEE ACCEPTANCE.
- Final selection of students will be made by the Environmental Health Admissions Committee.

# A.A.S. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH TECHNOLOGY AIR QUALITY CONTROL OPTION

The Air Quality Control program is designed to produce graduates knowledgeable in all areas of air quality management including clean air laws and regulations, performance based implementation, pollution prevention, and air emission inventory techniques.

FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR
Fall Semester		Fall Semester
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	PED Physical Education Elective 1
MAT 110 College Algebra	3	EHT 201 Environmental Laws and
CHE 121 General Chemistry I	4	Regulations 3
ENG 101 Composition I	3	PHY 201 General Physics I 4
CST 102 Computer Concepts &		BIO 111 General Biology I 4
Appl¹	3	SPE Speech Elective 3
AQC 101 Intro to Air Quality	3	AQC 111 Air Sampling/Instrumentation I 3
	17	18
Spring Semester		Spring Semester
MAT 119 Trigonometry	3	PHY 202 General Physics II 4
CHE 122 General Chemistry II	4	BIO 253 General Ecology 4
HUM Humanities Elective	3	EHT 211 Safety and Emergency Response 3
Social Science Elective	3	AQC 112 Air Sampling/Instrumentation II 3
AQC 201 Environmental Toxicology	3	MAT 115 Statistical Reasoning 3
PED Physical Education Elective	<u>- 1</u> v	
	17	17
TOTAL FIRST VEAR	2.4	TOTAL SECOND VEAR
TOTAL FIRST YEAR	34	TOTAL SECOND YEAR 35
		<u>Summer Semester</u> (at end of first or second year)
		AQC 242 Internship (optional)* 1-5

TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS 69-74

\*NOTE: Internships are optional and vary in credit hours. Approval of the instructor must be obtained before a student may enroll in any internship.

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Students may substitute other computer related courses with the approval of their academic advisor.

# A.A.S. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH TECHNOLOGY HEALTH PHYSICS OPTION

The Health Physics Technology Program is designed to prepare individuals with skills and knowledge in nuclear radiation protection necessary to assist a health physicist in supervising other individuals to work safely with radioactive materials and radiation-producing machines, and in minimizing radioactive contamination of the environment. The students are trained in the proper use of radiation instruments used in both field survey and laboratory analysis. The students learn techniques in both internal and external dosimetry as well as environmental monitoring.

		FIRSTYEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall S	emest	ter	100	Fall S	emes	ter	
CHE	121	General Chemistry I	4	BIO	111	General Biology I	4
CST	102	Computer Concepts &		HPT	221	Instrumentation and	
		Appl <sup>i</sup>	3			Measurement II	3
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	PHY	201	General Physics I	4
ENG	101	Composition I	3	PED		Physical Education	1
HPT	111	General Health Physics I	3			Social Science Elective	3
MAT	110	College Algebra	3	SPE		Speech Elective	3
			17				18
Spring	g Sem	iester		Sprin	g Sem	iester	
		General Chemistry II	4	BIO		Introduction to Radiation B	iology 3
		Humanities Elective	3	EHT	201	Environmental Laws and	0,
HPT	112	General Health Physics II	3			Regulations	3
HPT	121	Instrumentation and		PHY	202	General Physics II	4
		Measurement I	3	EHT	211	Safety and Emergency	
MAT	119	Trigonometry	3			Response	3
PED		Physical Education	1	MAT	115	Statistical Reasoning	3
			17				16
		TOTAL FIRST YEAR	34			TOTAL SECOND YEAR	34
					ner Se	emester (at end of first or se	cond
				year) HPT	242	Internship*	1-5

TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS 68-73

\*NOTE: Internships are optional and vary in credit hours. Approval of the instructor must be obtained before a student may enroll in any internship.

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Students may substitute other computer related courses with the approval of their academic advisor.

# A.A.S. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH TECHNOLOGY INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE OPTION

Students enrolled in the Industrial Hygiene Option become familiar with the techniques used to anticipate, recognize, evaluate and control those factors of environment which could pose a hazard to workers and the governmental regulations and agencies designed to promote worker health and safety.

FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall Semester		Fall So	emest	er	
MAT 110 College Algebra	3	PHY	201	General Physics I	4
CHE 121 General Chemistry I	4	BIO	111	General Biology I	4
ENG 101 Composition I	3	EHT	111	Environmental Instrumentation	n I 3
CST 102 Computer Concepts &		IHT	221	Occupational Safety and	
Appl <sup>i</sup>	3			Protection	3
IHT 101 Industrial Hygiene I	3	SPE		Speech Elective	3
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1,	PED		Physical Education Elective	1
	17				18
Spring Semester		Spring	g Sem	ester	
MAT 119 Trigonometry	3	PHY	202	General Physics II	4
CHE 122 General Chemistry II	4	BIO	112	General Biology II OR	4
HUM Humanities Elective	3	BIO	253	General Ecology	4
Social Science Elective	3	EHT	201	Environmental Laws and	
IHT 102 Industrial Hygiene II	3			Regulations	3
PED Physical Education Elective	1	EHT	211	Safety and Emergency	
				Response	3
		EHT	222	Environmental	
	-			Instrumentation II	3
	17				17
TOTAL FIRST YEAR	34			TOTAL SECOND YEAR	35
				mester (at end of first or	
		secon			1 -
				Internship*	1-5
		MAT	115	Statistical Reasoning	3
					4-8

#### TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS 72-77

\*NOTE: Internships are optional and vary in credit hours. Approval of the instructor must be obtained before a student may enroll in any internship.

Students may substitute other computer related courses with the approval of their academic advisor.

# A.A.S. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH TECHNOLOGY WASTE MANAGEMENT OPTION

Courses in the waste management option are designed to familiarize students in the methods used to manage wastes properly from the cradle to the grave. Descriptions of remedial actions used to address contaminated sites are also provided.

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	FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall Semo	ester		Fall So	emest	ter	
MAT 11	0 College Algebra	3	PHY	201	General Physics I	4
CHE 12	1 General Chemistry I	4	BIO	111	General Biology I'	4
ENG 10	1 Composition I	3	EHT	111	Environmental	
CST 10	2 Computer Concepts &				Instrumentation I	3
	Applications <sup>1</sup>	3	WMT	221	Waste Reduction	
WMT 10	1 Introduction to Waste				and Packaging	3
	Management	3	SPE		Speech Elective	3
EDU 10	0 Orientation to College	1_	PED		Physical Education	
		17				18
Spring Se	emester		Spring	g Sem	iester	
	9 Trigonometry	3			General Physics II	4
	2 General Chemistry II	4	BIO	112	General Biology II OR	4
HUM	Humanities Elective	3	BIO	253	General Ecology	4
	Social Science	3	EHT	201	Environmental Laws	
WMT 12	1 Environmental Sampling	3			and Regulations	3
PED	Physical Education	1	EHT	211	Safety and Emergency	
					Response	3
			EHT	222	Environmental	
		8			Instrumentation II	3
		17				17
	TOTAL FIRST YEAR	34			TOTAL SECOND YEAR	36
			Sumn	ner Se	emester (at end of first or s	second
			year)			
				242	Internship*	1-5
					Statistical Reasoning	3
						4-8

#### TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS 73-78

\*NOTE: Internships are optional and vary in credit hours. Approval of the instructor must be obtained before a student may enroll in any internship.

Students may substitute other computer related courses with the approval of their academic advisor.

#### A.A.S. GENERAL TECHNOLOGY

The AAS General Technology degree program is designed to assist business and industry in meeting their employment needs for highly-skilled technicians, as well as providing general education courses. The program provides a foundation for students who wish to pursue individual career goals and an alternative for currently employed adults who wish to continue their formal education. Students may submit a portfolio of employment experience or record of completion of employer-sponsored training programs for evaluation for up to 18 hours of experiential credit to be applied to technical elective credit. Technical elective credit may be granted for credit earned in RSCC Technical Certificate Programs. Students must seek advisement from faculty within their area of technical skill in order to choose appropriate technical electives.

Students who wish to pursue the Associate of Applied Science in General Technology with emphasis in Emergency Medical Technology should contact the Director of the Emergency Medical Care Services Program.

BUS 281 Management and Supervision	3
CST 102 Computer Concepts & Applications	3
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1
ENG 101 Composition I	3
ENG 231 Technical Writing	3
MAT 110 College Algebra	3
PED PE Electives	2
SPE Speech Elective	3
Humanities Elective	3
Social Science Elective	3
Natural Science Elective	4
Technical Electives <sup>2</sup>	34
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	65

Students may substitute other computer related courses with the approval of their academic advisor. 2Students should contact their academic advisors for appropriate electives.

#### **HEALTH SCIENCE A.A.S. PROGRAMS**

## Admission to the Programs

Due to limited enrollment, there are special admission policies for Health Science programs. The following policies are for: Dental Hygiene Technology, Medical Laboratory Technology, Medical Record Technology, Occupational Therapy Assistant, Opticianry, Physical Therapist Assistant, Radiologic Technology, and Respiratory Therapy Technology.

- 1. The applicant must meet one of the following minimum academic requirements:
  - a. Students under 21 years of age must attain a composite score of 20 or above on the ACT taken within the last 3 years; OR attain a GPA of 2.50 or better after completion of at least 8 semester hours of general education courses required in the program.
  - b. Students 21 years of age or older must attain a GPA of 2.50 or better after completion of at least 8 semester hours of general education courses required in the program.
- 2. The applicant must complete a Health Science application and submit it to the Center for New Student Admission.
- Final selection of students will be made by the Health Sciences Admissions Committee.
- 4. Some programs have work experience requirements, or give special consideration to applicants with work experience. Contact the program director for details.
- 5. Admission to the program is required prior to enrolling in most health science program courses.
- 6. All remedial and developmental courses <u>must</u> be completed prior to enrolling in specialty courses.

All students meeting minimum criteria will be considered competitively, based on ACT score or GPA in required general education courses completed in some Health Science programs. Completing math and science courses required in some Health Science programs with a grade of A or B, could enhance your chance of being accepted. It will be to your benefit to complete as many general education courses as possible by application deadline. MEETING MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS DOES NOT GUARANTEE ACCEPTANCE. Students that do not meet minimum requirements will only be considered under special circumstances and on a space available basis. Preference will be given to Tennessee residents.

Applications should be submitted by the third Friday in January for the applicant to have priority consideration for entrance into the Health Sciences Programs for the following Fall Semester. Incomplete applications will not be processed. Any applications received after the deadline will be considered by the Health Science Admissions Committee on a space available basis. All transcripts must be received in the Records Office by January 16, 1998. It is the student's responsibility to assure that all records and documentation are received by the deadline.

## Retention Policies

A student must maintain the following standards or he/she will be dismissed from his/her respective program:

- 1. A grade of "C" or better in each specialty course.
- Completion of specialty courses as specified by the degree checklist.A student must be able to complete courses with the class in which he/she was admitted. A student who cannot graduate with the class in

which he/she was admitted will be dropped from that class and must re-apply to a subsequent class.

- 3. Evidence of malpractice insurance and physical examination prior to clinical training.
- 4. Be physically and mentally capable of performing the essential functions of the program as defined in each Health Science program's Core Performance Standards.

#### **Readmission Procedures**

- 1. A student may be considered for readmission to a Health Science program if *all* of the following criteria are met:
  - A. The applicant must complete an application for Health Science programs and submit to the Center for New Student Admission.
  - B. Only one readmission to a Health Science program will be permitted.
  - C. The applicant must interview with the program director of the specific program before the date of the review by the Admissions Committee for consideration for readmission. An acceptable level of competency may need to be demonstrated prior to readmission. A student with previous unsatisfactory clinical performance must be recommended for readmission by consensus of the program faculty.
  - D. A student must repeat the specialty course or courses for which he/she was dismissed and attain a "C" or better. Students may repeat a course only once, and on a space available basis.
  - E. The student must attain a GPA of 2.50 or better in eight or more hours of general education course work required in the program.
  - F. Readmission to a Health Science Program is contingent upon the availability of space.
- 2. Final selection of students will be made by the Health Science Admissions Committee.

Successful admission and completion of any RSCC Health Science program does *not* guarantee state or national licensure or registration to practice as there may be additional state/national criteria to be met for attainment of various allied health licenses/registrations.

#### A.A.S. DENTAL HYGIENE TECHNOLOGY

The Dental Hygiene Program includes a background of general studies, dental science, and clinical skills with which the student becomes a proficient provider of oral health care while working under the supervision of a dentist.

In addition to the special admission policies for Health Sciences programs, the Dental Hygiene Program utilizes the following factors in ranking and acceptance of applicants:

- 1. The number of required science courses (BIO 222, 231, 232; CHE 101) completed.
- 2. The student's GPA for required science courses completed.
- 3. Work experience in the field of Dentistry. If work experience is to be considered, the applicant must bring to the interview a current resume with permission to contact employers. If the applicant is a Certified and/or Registered Dental Assistant, a copy of Certification and/or Registration must be brought to the interview. It is highly recommended that applicants without work experience in dentistry spend time observing a dental hygienist. During this observation, the applicant should gain a full understanding of the dental hygienist's duties and responsibilities, as well as an understanding of OSHA regulations on bloodborne pathogens. All observation time should be completed prior to the interview.

4. Results of a personal interview. Interviews will be granted only to applicants who have met the minimum requirements for admission to the Health Science programs. Interviews will be conducted during the latter part of the spring semester. After the applicant's files have been reviewed, the interviews are scheduled by telephone. It is the applicant's responsibility to make certain that we have work and/or home telephone numbers that will be current for this time period. If your telephone number or numbers have changed from those provided on your Health Science application, you must send the changes in a timely manner to the DHT program director at 728 Emory Valley Road, Oak Ridge, TN 37830.

All DHT courses must be taken in sequence. All required science courses (BIO 222, 231, 232; CHE 101) must be taken in the sequence listed in the curriculum if applicant is admitted to the program **OR** any of the courses may be completed prior to the beginning of the program in August. Admission to the DHT program is required prior to enrolling in any DHT courses. All DHT courses are taught on the Oak Ridge Campus.

There are additional expenses for the Dental Hygiene Program for instruments, uniforms, Student Association dues (membership is mandatory), radiation badges, recommended vaccinations and other program-related expenses.

Students are responsible for obtaining patients necessary to meet clinical requirements

The program in dental hygiene is accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association, a specialized accrediting body recognized by the Council on Postsecondary Accreditation and by the United States Department of Education.

FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall Semester		Fall S	emes	<u>ter</u>	
ENG 101 Composition I	3	BIO	222	Microbiology	3
BIO 231 Human Anatomy & Physiological	ogy I 4	PSY		Psychology Elective	3
CHE 101 Intro. to Chemical Principle	s 4	SPE	201	Basic Speech Communication	3
DHT 101 Preclinical Dental Hygiene	5	DHT	201	Pharmacology & Pain Control	3
DHT 111 Dental Science I	3	DHT	221	Clinical Dental Hygiene II	3
		DHT		Principles of Dental Hygiene II	1
		DHT	251	Periodontology	_1
	19				17
Spring Semester	.,	Spring	Sem	nester	.,
BIO 232 Human Anatomy & Physiological	ogvII 4			Computer Literacy OR	
DHT 112 Dental Science II	3	CST		Micro. Appl. in Business	3
DHT 121 Clinical Dental Hygiene I	2			Humanities Elective/Medical	
DHT 132 Dental Radiography	3			Ethics <sup>2</sup>	3
DHT 141 Principles of Dental Hygien		SOC		Sociology Elective	3
DHT 161 Biochemistry & Nutrition	3	DHT	211	Dental Hygiene Seminar	2
		DHT	212	Community Health	3
		DHT	222	Clinical Dental Health III	3
		DHT	242	Principles of Dental Hygiene III	1
	18				18
TOTAL FIRST YEAR	47			SECOND YEAR TOTAL	35
Summer Semester					
MAT 103 Mathematics for the Health					
Sciences'	3				
DHT 133 General & Oral Pathology	4				
DHT 171 Dental Materials	3				
	10			TOTAL CELESTER LIGHTS	
Title to the standard second second second	Secretary of			TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	82
'Higher level math course may be subst					
<sup>2</sup> PHL 231 Medical Ethics recommended	1.				

#### A.A.S. MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNOLOGY

The Medical Laboratory Technology Associate of Applied Science Degree program is designed to qualify students to work as medical laboratory technicians. The curriculum combines general education and science courses with clinical laboratory course and clinical laboratory experience. Students graduating from the program are eligible for national certification and State of Tennessee licensure. The program is accredited by the NAACLS (National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences). A passing score on a comprehensive examination will be required of all students graduating from this program. See admission requirements on page 109.

All MLT courses are taught on the Knoxville Campus.

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		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall S	emes	ter		Fall Semester			
BIO	231	Human Anatomy and		MLT	122	Microbiology and	
		Physiology I	4			Parasitology	5
CHE	121	General Chemistry I	4	MLT	213	Clinical Chemistry	5
ENG	101	Composition I	3	MLT	222	Immunology and	
MAT		College Algebra <sup>1</sup>	3			Immunohematology	5
CST		Computer Concepts & Applications OR		MLT	202	Hematology and Coagulation	5
CST	131	Micro. Appl. in Business	3				
			17				20
Couin	a Con	acetor.	17	Sprin	a Com	and an	20
BIO		nester		MI T			2
ыО	232	Human Anatomy and	4			Seminar I	3
DI O	222	Physiology II	4	MLT	253	Clinical Education I	7
BIO		Microbiology	3			Speech Elective	3
CHE		General Chem II	4	MLT	254	Clinical Educ. II	7
MLT	105	Introduction to the					
		Medical Laboratory	4				
			15				20
Sumn	ner S	emester		Sumn	ner Se	emester	
		Social Science Elec.	3	MLT	255	Clinical Education III	6
		Humanities Elec.	3	MLT		Seminar II	1
			6				7
		TOTAL FIRST YEAR	38			TOTAL SECOND YEAR TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	47 85

'Higher level math course may be substituted.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Speech elective may be chosen from the following: SPE 201, 211, or 221.

# MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNOLOGY (FOR MLT-C GRADUATES)

Graduates of a NAACLS accredited MLT-C program will be eligible for an Associate of Applied Science in Medical Laboratory Technology by completing the following requirements in the order as given:

- 1. Providing an official record of completion of an accredited MLT-C program.
- Providing a written notification of intent to pursue the MLT Associate of Applied Science Degree.
- 3. Complete all required general education coursework.
- Passing Part I of a comprehensive exam and thereby receiving transfer credit for 28 credit hours of medical laboratory technology course work (see MLT Credit by Transfer).
- 5. Passing Part II of a comprehensive examination and thereby receiving Credit by Proficiency for 20 credit hours of medical laboratory technology course work (see MLT Credit by Proficiency).

#### MLT Credit by Transfer

Eligible MLT students passing Part I of the comprehensive exam will receive transfer credit for the following courses:

MLT 105	Introduction to Medical Laboratory	4
MLT 253	Clinical Education I	7
MLT 254	Clinical Education II	7
MLT 255	Clinical Education III	6
MLT 263	Seminar I	1
MLT 264	Seminar II	3
		28

#### MLT Credit by Proficiency

Students passing Part II of the examination will register and receive credit for the following 16 hours, subject to Roane State fee policies.

MLT 122	Diagnostic Microbiology & Parasitology	5
MLT 202	Hematology and Coagulation	5
MLT 213	Clinical Chemistry	5
MLT 222	Immunology and Immunohematology	5
		20

NOTE: Students may not register for more than 22 total hours per semester. This includes courses in which the student is actually enrolled and course credit by proficiency.

The following courses are required:

CST 102	Computer Concepts & Applications	3
BIO 231, 232	Human Anatomy and Physiology I,II	8
BIO 222	Microbiology	3
CHE 121	General Chemistry I	4
CHE 122	General Chemistry II	4
ENG 101	Composition I	3
MAT 110	College Algebra	3
	Speech Elective	3
	Social Science Elective	3
	Humanities Elective	3
	Credit by Proficiency	20
	Credit by Transfer	28
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	85

# A.A.S. MEDICAL RECORD TECHNOLOGY (Health Information Technology)

The Medical Record Technology program emphasizes specialized skills in the management of health information. The medical record technician ensures completeness, accuracy and efficiency in the management of health information in all healthcare settings maintaining patient information. In smaller health facilities, the medical record technician may be in charge of the medical record/health information department. Application of the didactic instruction is provided through clinical experience in area health facilities. The program is accredited by the Committee on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP), in collaboration with the American Health Information Management Association's (AHIMA) Council on Accreditation.

Admission to the program is required prior to enrolling in any MRT course except MRT 105. MRT courses must be taken in sequence. MRT professional courses are primarily taught on the Roane County campus, however occasional MRT courses may be taught at other sites. Special admission requirements exist for this program. (See Health Science admission policies.)

		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall Se	mes	ter		Fall S	emest	ter	
BIO	231	Human Anatomy and		MRT	222	Pathology & Clinical	
		Physiology I	4			Interpretations	4
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	MRT	251	Coding for Reimbursement	4
ENG		Composition I	3	MRT	252	Quality Resource Management	2
MRT	105	Medical Terminology	4	MRT	130	CPT Coding	3
MRT	102	Introduction to Medical Reco	ords 3	MRT	231	Directed Practice 1	3
MRT	113	Legal Aspects of Medical		BUS	281	Management and Supervision	3
		Records	2				
CST		Computer Science Elective	3			-	
			20				19
Spring	Sem	ester		Spring	g Sem	ester	
BIO	232	Human Anatomy and		MRT	221	Advanced Medical Record	
		Physiology II	4			Procedures	3
MAT	103	Mathematics for the Health		MRT	232	Directed Practice II	4
		Sciences <sup>1</sup>	3	MRT	140	Medical Office Procedures	2
MRT	103	Coding & Classifications		MRT	241	Medical Record Computer	
		Systems	3			Applications	2
MRT	106	Health Data Systems	3	SPE	201	Basic Speech Communications	3
MRT		Practicum	1				
MRT	121	Medical Transcription <sup>2</sup>	2			8	_
			16				14
Summ	er Se	emester					
		Social Science Elective	3				
		Humanities Elective	3				
			6				
		TOTAL FIRST YEAR	42			TOTAL SECOND YEAR TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	33 75

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Higher level math course may be substituted.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Prerequisite: MRT 105, one year of high school typing or OAD 101.

#### A.A.S. OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ASSISTANT

The Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant (COTA) is a health professional who uses purposeful activity with individuals who are limited by physical injury or illness, psychosocial dysfunction, developmental or learning disabilities, poverty and cultural differences of the aging process. The COTA works under the supervision of a registered occupational therapist (OTR) and collaborates with others to maximize independence, prevent disability and maintain the health of individuals requiring services. Students are trained in the skills and techniques necessary to participate in the treatment and testing of patients. The educational program includes lecture and laboratory experiences as well as practice in clinical settings.

ADMISSION TO THE OTA PROGRAM IS REQUIRED PRIOR TO TAKING ANY OTA COURSES. Twenty-four (24) hours of volunteer or work experience with an occupational therapist or an occupational therapy assistant is required prior to admission to the program. A form evaluating and verifying 24 volunteer hours must be submitted to the OTA department BY THE SUPERVISOR prior to the application deadline. Admission to the program is competitive and meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee acceptance. The program is designed to be taken in sequence, individual circumstances may permit variations. All OTA courses are taught on the Oak Ridge Campus.

The Occupational Therapy Assistant Program is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE) of the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA), located at 4720 Montgomery Lane, P.O. Box 31220, Bethesda, MD 20824-1220. AOTA's phone number is (301) 652-AOTA. Graduates of the program will be able to sit for the national certification examination for the occupational therapy assistant administered by the American Occupational Therapy Certification Board (AOTCB). After successful completion of this exam, the individual will be a Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant (COTA). Most states require licensure in order to practice; however, state licenses are usually based on the results of the AOTCB Certification Examination.

NOTE: All OTA students must complete Level | Fieldwork within 18 months following completion of academic preparation.

## **OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ASSISTANT**

Summer Semester	Summer Semester
BIO 231 Human Anatomy & Physiology I 4	OTA 220 Psychological Fieldwork <sup>1</sup> 6
ENG 101 Composition I 3	
7	6
FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR
Fall Semester	Fall Semester
OTA 102 Intro. to Occupational	OTA 210 Theory & Treatment of Physical
Therapy 2 OTA 103 Therapeutic Activities 4	_ /
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BIO 232 Human Anatomy & Physiology II 4	OTA 217 Level I Physical Disability
PTA 121 Kinesiology 3	Fieldwork 2
PSY 221 Developmental Psychology 3	MAT 103 Mathematics for the Health
EDU 100 Orientation to College 1	Sciences <sup>2</sup> 3
OTA 104 Rehabilitation Communication 2	Humanities Elective 3
19	18
Spring Semester	Spring Semester
OTA 110 Theory & Treatment of	OTA 220 Psychological Fieldwork' 6
Psychosocial Dysfunction 5	OTA 225 Physical Disability Fieldwork 6
PSY 213 Abnormal Psychology 3	OTA 212 OTA Practice Management 2
OTA 115 Level I Psychosocial Fieldwork 2	
OTA 116 Neurological Theory & Treatment 3	
CST 102 Computer Concepts &	
Applications OR	
CST 131 Micro. Appl. in Business 3	
Speech Elective 3	
19	14
12	
TOTAL FIRST YEAR 45	TOTAL SECOND YEAR 32
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS 77

<sup>&#</sup>x27;May be taken in either the spring or summer semester.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Higher level math course may be substituted.

#### A.A.S. OPTICIANRY

The Opticianry program is a two-year associate of applied science degree career preparation program. Graduates of this program will be eligible to sit for the Tennessee State Board Examination in Ophthalmic Dispensing and the national board certification examinations. The total educational program will include general studies, technical, and field work components.

Opticians design and fit glasses, contact lenses and other specialized optical devices, based on the doctor's prescription and the patient's visual needs. Fashion is also a factor in designing eyewear.

The Opticianry program is nationally accredited by the Commission on Opticianry Accreditation.

Admission to the program is required prior to enrolling in any OPT course. Courses must be taken in sequence. All professional opticianry courses are taught at the main campus in Harriman.

		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall S	emest	er		Fall Se	emest	er	
OPT	101	Intro to Opticianry	5	OPT	210	Ophthalmic Dispensing II	5
OPT		Anatomy & Physiology		OPT	220	Ophthalmic Materials II	5
		of the Eye	5	OPT	230	Contact Lenses II	5
ENG	101	Composition I	3	BUS		Business Elective <sup>2</sup>	3
MAT	110	College Algebra <sup>1</sup>	3				
EDU	100	Orientation to College	1				
			17				18
Spring	g Sem	ester		Spring	Sem	ester	
		Ophthalmic Dispensing I	4	OPT		Ophthalmic Dispensing III	5
OPT		Ophthalmic Materials I	4	OPT		Ophthalmic Materials III	4
OPT	130	Contact Lenses I	4	OPT	280	Contact Lenses III	4
OPT	123	Geometric Optics for Opticians	3	CST		Computer Science Elective	3
		Humanities Elective	3				
			18				16
Sumn	ner Se	mester					
OPT		Practicum	3				
SPE		Speech Elective	3				
		Social Science Elective	3				
			9				
		TOTAL FIRST YEAR	44			TOTAL SECOND YEAR	34
						TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	78

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Higher level math course may be substituted.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Business elective may be chosen from the following: BUS 221, 278 or 281.

#### A.A.S. PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT

This program prepares students with the necessary knowledge and skills to assist in the treatment and testing of physical therapy patients under the supervision of a registered physical therapist. Training includes the use of exercise, therapeutic modalities and special treatment procedures in classroom, laboratory and clinical settings. This program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education.

The curriculum is designed in a new 1+1 format - first year for prerequisites and second year for physical therapy courses. All first-year prerequisites (PRE-PTA status) must be completed prior to being considered for admission into the second year. There is an open admissions policy for enrolling in the PRE-PTA classes. The second year (PTA STATUS) lasts one calendar year — August to August of the next year. Classes taken the second year must be taken in sequence and require a full course load.

Selection for the second year will be based on GPA in the prerequisites, anatomy and physiology grades, and documentation and rating on physical therapy observation experience (40 hours are required). An interview will be offered the top 40 applicants. Twenty-four students will be selected to enter the second year. Those not accepted can apply for the following year or seek advisement on other possible career options.

All admission materials except Spring grades (i.e. Spring 1999 for Fall 1999 acceptance) should be submitted by the third Friday of January for the following fall semester. Spring grades need to be received by May 30. Students that turn materials in after these deadlines cannot be considered for admission.

Here are some other things to keep in mind for the second year. Clinical courses during the second year might require travel to other cities for extended periods of time at the student's expense. Once accepted into the second year, it is the student's responsibility to maintain certification in both basic first aid and CPR. This can be done through the Red Cross and/or American Heart Association.

All PTA classes are taught at the Emory Valley site of the Oak Ridge Branch Campus.

NOTE: The academic year 1997-98 will be the transition year. Second-year students (under the old two-year integrated format) will graduate in May of 1998. The students accepted Spring 1997 (under the new 1+1 format) will complete all prerequisites during Fall 1997 and Spring 1998 semesters. The first 1+1 class will begin Fall 1998 and graduate in August 1999. This transition plan will allow graduation of one class per year.

## A.A.S. PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT 1 + 1 CURRICULUM

	PRÉ-PTA STATUS FIRST YEAR				PTA STATUS SECOND YEAR	
Fall Se	mester		Fall S	emest	ter	
BIO	231 Anatomy & Physiology I	4			Assessment Skills	1
CST	102 Computer Concepts &				(to be completed one week	
	Applications	3			prior to classes starting)	
ENG	101 Composition I	3	PTA	121	Kinesiology	3
	Social Science Elective	3	PTA	141	Patient Care Techniques	4
EDU	100 Orientation*	1	PTA		Therapeutic Modalities	5
PTA	102 Intro. to P.T.**	2	PTA	249	Clinical Education I	3
		14-16			*	16
Spring	Semester		Sprin	g Sem	iester	
	232 Anatomy & Physiology II	4	PTA	235	Advanced P.T. Procedures I	6
MAT	110 College Algebra or Math		PTA	236	Advanced P.T. Procedures II	6
	for Health Sciences	3	PTA	214	Treatment of Medical/	
	Speech Elective	3			Surgical Conditions	3
	Humanities Elective	3	PTA	237	Clinical Preparation	2
	Physical Educ. Elective	1				
OTA	104 Rehab. Communication	2				
PTA	102 Intro. to P.T.**	2				
		16-18				17
			Sumn	ner Se	emester	
			PTA		Clinical Education II	5
			PTA		Clinical Education III	5 5
			PTA		Seminar	1
						11
						- ''
	TOTAL FIRST YEAR	32			TOTAL SECOND YEAR	44
					TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	75-76

<sup>\*1</sup>st time student.

<sup>\*\*</sup>May be taken Fall or Spring semester.

#### A.A.S. RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY

The radiographer is a healthcare professional that performs radiographic procedures that provide information to assist in the diagnosis and treatment of the patient. The Radiologic Technology Program consists of six semesters of full-time study which includes supervised clinical course work in a radiology department. The clinical courses include assignments during the intersessions between semesters. The program is affiliated with seven area hospitals. Each student is assigned to one of the seven hospitals for their two years of clinical course work. Clinical assignments are based on proximity to the student's home.

Applicants for the program may begin working on the general education courses at any time. Official acceptance to the program is required prior to enrollment in the professional courses. The professional courses must be taken in sequence and are offered only at the Oak Ridge Branch Campus. Remedial and developmental courses need to be completed prior to entering the program.

Applicants are encouraged to spend a minimum of 4 hours of observation time in a radiology department. Students that provide a letter of documentation of the observation time to the program director will be given special consideration. Special consideration will also be given to those applicants that make an A or B in required science courses.

The program is accredited by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology. Graduates of the program are eligible to take the certification examination administered by the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists.

		FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR	
Fall S	emes			Fall S	emes		
BIO		Human Anatomy and		RDT		Clinical Education IV	8
DIO	231	Physiology I	4	RDT		Radiographic Procedures IV	3
FNG	101	Composition I	3	RDT		Radiation Physics	3
RDT		Introduction to Radiologic	3	RDT	230	•	1
NO I	. 02	Technology	4	SPE	201	Basic Speech Communication	
RDT	103	Image Analysis I	1	31 L	201	basic speceri Communication	3
RDT		Clinical Education I	6				
RDT	111		3				
		114410814611161116111611	21				18
Sprin	a Con	nester	21	Caula	- C		10
BIO		Human Anatomy and		Spring RDT		Radiation Protection	2
DIO	232	Physiology II	4	RDT		Radiologic Science I	4
MAT	103	Mathematics for the Health	4	RDT		Clinical Education V	9
141/11	103	Sciences <sup>1</sup>	3	KDT	233	Social Science Elective	3
RDT	109	Clinical Education II	6			Humanities Elective	3
RDT		Image Analysis II	1			i idilialilities Liective	J
RDT		Radiographic Procedures II	3				
RDT		Exposure Technique	4				
ND I	122	Exposure recrimque					21
C	C	emester	21	c	C .		21
RDT		Clinical Education III	3			emester	2
RDT			2	RDT RDT	22/	Radiologic Science II Clinical Education VI	2 4
RDT		Radiographic Processing	1	KUT	250	Clinical Education VI	4
RDT		Image Analysis III Radiographic Procedures III	2				
KD I	210		3				
		Computer Science Elective					
			11				6
		TOTAL FIRST YEAR	53			TOTAL SECOND YEAR	45
						TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	98

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Higher level math course may be substituted.

## ADVANCED STANDING A.A.S. RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY<sup>1</sup> (For Registered Technologists)

This program is designed for the technologist that is registered with the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists and is seeking to complete a degree in Radiologic Technology. Applicants must apply to the Health Science Admissions Committee for official acceptance to the program.

Applicants accepted to the program will be given course credit for the following Radiologic Technology courses after submitting a copy of the ARRT certificate to the program director and completion of the Credit by Proficiency form available in the Records Office:

The following courses will be assigned course equivalency:

RDT 102	Introduction to Radiologic Technology	4
RDT 102	Image Analysis I	1
RDT 103	Clinical Education I	6
		_
RDT 109	Clinical Education II	6
RDT 110	Image Analysis II	1
RDT 111	Radiographic Procedures I	3
RDT 112	Radiographic Procedures II	3
RDT 115	Clinical Education III	3
RDT 122	Exposure Technique	4
RDT 130	Radiographic Processing	2
RDT 203	Image Analysis III	1
RDT 205	Clinical Education IV	8
RDT 210	Radiographic Procedures III	2
RDT 212	Radiographic Procedures IV	3
RDT 222	Radiation Protection	2
RDT 225	Radiation Physics	3
RDT 226	Radiologic Science I	4
RDT 227	Radiologic Science II	2
RDT 230	Image Analysis IV	1
RDT 235	Clinical Education V	9
RDT 250	Clinical Education VI	4

The following	g courses are required:	
CST	Computer Science Elective	3
BUS 281	Management and Supervision 1	3
EDU 100	Orientation to College	1
ENG 101	Composition I	3
MAT 110	College Algebra	3
	Speech Elective	3
	Social Science Elective	3
	Humanities Elective	3
	Science Elective	4
	Elective	3
	Sub-Total	29
	ARRT Certification Credits	72
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	101

## A.A.S. RESPIRATORY THERAPY TECHNOLOGY RESPIRATORY CARE

The Respiratory Care program prepares an individual to perform the staff responsibilities of the respiratory care profession. General education courses and respiratory care courses which include supervised clinical experience in area hospitals make up the building blocks of this exciting curriculum. Graduates are eligible to take the credentialing examinations offered by the National Board of Respiratory Care. The AAS Respiratory Care Technology degree program is accredited by CAAHEP and JRCRTE, committees on Allied Health and Education.

Along with the general entrance requirements for the Health Science programs, the applicants for Respiratory Care must also complete ten (10) hours of observation in designated respiratory therapy departments. **Please contact the program director for more information.** The completed forms from the observation time must be sent back to the program director prior to the application deadline—the third Friday in January. The forms may be obtained from the Health Science Office or Respiratory Care faculty.

At the beginning of fall semester, students that have been admitted into the program must attend an orientation to the Respiratory Care program prior to the first day of class. Students must submit physical examination forms and proof of CPR certification at this time. Students who fail to attend orientation or submit physical examination forms and CPR verification will be dropped from the program. All RTT courses are taught at the Harriman campus.

All students must pass the mock written registry and clinical simulation examinations to graduate from RSCC.

The following courses will be required prior to taking RTT 114.

## **RESPIRATORY THERAPY TECHNOLOGY**

MRT	105	Medical Terminology	4				
ENG	101	Composition 1	3				
BIO	231	Human Anatomy & Physiolog	y 1 4				
MAT	110	College Algebra (or higher	•				
		level math course)	3				
		·	14				
		FIRST YEAR	17			SECOND YEAR	
Fall Se	mest			Fall S	emesi		
		Human Anatomy & Physiolog	v II 4	RTT		Respiratory Care IV	3
		General Chemistry I	4	RTT		Respiratory Clinics IV	5
		Respiratory Care I	3	RTT		Neonatal and Pediatric	
		Respiratory Clinics I	1			Respiratory Care I	2
		Pharmacology In Nursing I <sup>2</sup>	2	RTT	260	Hemodynamics and Rhythms	3
			_			Social Science Elective	3
			14				16
Spring	Sem	ester	14	Sprin	o Sem	nester	10
BIO		Microbiology	3	RTT		Respiratory Care V	3
RTT		Cardiopulmonary-Renal Anato	_	RTT		Respiratory Clinics V	7
		& Physiology	4	RTT		Respiratory Care Seminar	2
RTT	131	Pathology of Respiratory	7	RTT		Neonatal and Pediatric	-
		Diseases I	2			Respiratory Care II	2
RTT	116	Respiratory Care II	3	EMT	115	ACLS	1
RTT		Respiratory Clinics II	3	EMT	117	PALS	1
		Speech Elective	3				
NSG	117	Pharmacology in Nursing II <sup>2</sup>	1				
		0,	19				16
Summ	er Se	mester	1,7				10
RTT		Pathology of Respiratory					
		Diseases II	2				
RTT	214	Respiratory Care III	3				
RTT		Respiratory Clinics III	5				
RTT		Pulmonary Function					
		Methodology	3				
		Humanities Elective	3				
			16				
NSG	126	Pharmacology in Nursing <sup>2</sup>	3				
. 100	. 25		3				
		TOTAL FIRST YEAR	49			TOTAL SECOND YEAR TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	32 95

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Must be completed by the end of Fall semester first year.
'Students must complete Nursing 116 and 117 or 126.

# ADVANCED STANDING RESPIRATORY THERAPY TECHNOLOGY

For an individual to be classified for advanced standing in the Respiratory Therapy Program, he/she must be a graduate of an AMA accredited technician program. Applicants must complete the following requirements in order to be considered for advanced standing in this program:

1. All individuals applying for advanced standing in the Respiratory Therapy Program must have already completed the general education courses required in the first year of the curriculum:

BIO 231, 232-Human Anatomy and Physiology I and II

ENG 101-English Composition I

MAT 110-College Algebra

**BIO 222-Microbiology** 

CHE 121-General Chemistry I

MRT 105-Medical Terminology

NSG 116, 117-Pharmacology in Nursing I and II or

NSG 126-Pharmacology in Nursing

- 2. Complete the general application form for admission to Roane State.
- 3. Complete the application for Health Science Programs indicating Respiratory Therapy Advanced Standing as the program of choice.
- 4. Provide an official transcript from the accredited technician program from which they graduated.
- Provide verification from the National Board for Respiratory Care (NBRC) that he/she holds the Certified Respiratory Therapy Technician (CRTT) credential.
- 6. Have a personal interview with program key personnel.

All candidates fulfilling the above requirements will be considered for acceptance into the program by the Health Sciences Admissions committee. Acceptance is contingent upon the availability of space. Upon acceptance, the CRTT credential earned through the NBRC will be assigned course equivalency with the following courses in the curriculum of the Respiratory Therapy Program at Roane State:

RTT 114	Respiratory Care I	3
RTT 115	Respiratory Clinics I	1
RTT 116	Respiratory Care II	3
RTT 117	Respiratory Clinics II	3
RTT 121	Cardiopulmonary-Renal Anatomy &	
	Physiology	4
RTT 131	Pathology of Respiratory Diseases I	2
RTT 214	Respiratory Care III	3
RTT 215	Respiratory Clinics III	5
RTT 231	Pathology of Respiratory Diseases II	2
RTT 253	Pulmonary Function Methodology	3

The advanced standing student will follow the sequencing of coursework for the second year as listed in the degree checklist.

# ADMISSION POLICIES FOR ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE NURSING PROGRAM

The two-year Associate Degree Nursing Program qualifies students to take the State Board Examination to become Registered Nurses.

The RSCC Academic Council has established (for both beginning and transfer students) the following requirements in considering applicants for admission into the Associate of Science Degree Nursing Program:

- I. Applicants must:
  - A. Apply and be accepted to RSCC.
  - B. Submit high school transcripts or GED equivalent and transcripts of all previous college work to the Admissions Office.
  - C. Take the ACT exam (for student applicants under 21 years of age).
  - D. Complete Academic Development courses prior to application to the nursing program as determined by the requirements specified on page 22 of the RSCC catalog under "General Student Classifications."
  - E. Pass a pre-admission test.
- II. In addition to requirements above, applicants must meet requirement A or B or C below.
  - A. Complete at least 12 hours of work from the general education requirements in the Nursing curriculum with a minimum 2.75 GPA. These hours must be completed prior to the application deadline (third Friday in January.) A "C" or better must be attained in each required science course.
  - B. Students under 21 years of age must attain a composite score of 20 or above on the ACT battery.
  - C. Licensed Practical Nurses may be admitted by fulfilling the following:
    - 1. Meet requirements I. A, B, C, and D above.
    - 2. Complete twenty six (26) hours of general education courses from the nursing curriculum prior to registration for Nursing 221.
    - Graduate from state approved LPN program and have a current valid LPN license.
    - 4. Pass a Fundamentals of Nursing proficiency examination with a grade of at least seventy-five (75).
    - 5. Complete the course "Pharmacology in Nursing" with a grade of at least "C".
    - 6. Complete "Intermediate Nursing" with a grade of at least "C".
- III. Only nursing courses which were completed within three years prior to applying for admission or readmission will be accepted. Science courses more than ten years old will not be considered.
- IV. At the beginning of fall semester, a mandatory orientation to the nursing program will be scheduled prior to the first day of classes. At this orientation students must submit:
  - A. A completed physical examination and a pre-clinical drug screen providing evidence of physical status necessary for practice in all areas of nursing care.
  - B. Proof of current CPR certification that includes one-person, two-person and infant and child CPR. Students must submit a copy of certification.
  - C. Students who do not attend this orientation and submit physical examinations and proof of CPR certification will be dropped from the program.

#### V. Health:

A. Even though preliminary admission to the Nursing Program has been granted, a student will be required to undergo a physical exam/health verification before final admission to the program. Students will be required, during the course of the program to demonstrate their physical and/or emotional fitness to meet the essential requirements of the program. Such essential requirements include freedom from communicable diseases, the ability to perform certain tasks and suitable emotional fitness. Any appraisal measures used to determine such physical and/or emotional fitness will be in compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. Core performance standards for admission and progression which comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 are available from the office of the Nursing Program.

B. Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of the affiliating agencies. For example, health insurance may be required by some affiliating agencies. Not having health insurance could limit a student's educational experience. Students are responsible for costs incurred from

injury or illness while in the Nursing Program.

#### VI. Other

A. Individuals who are admitted to the program whose use of alcohol or consciousness-altering drugs interferes with their performance of nursing education activities will be referred for a drug screen and counseling. Please refer to the Nursing handbook for further information. Failure to correct the problem will result in termination from the Nursing Program.

B. Students will be required to provide nursing care under supervision, for patients with infectious diseases. Any student refusing assignment to an

infectious patient may be subject to dismissal from the program.

C. The applicant must report if any license in any health care field has been suspended, revoked or denied.

Additional testing and counseling may be recommended on an individual basis.

A Nursing Admissions Committee considers all eligible applicants and recommends applicants for acceptance into the Nursing Program.

Students who have not met minimum requirements will not be considered. All students meeting minimum criteria will be considered competitively, based on ACT score or GPA in required general education courses completed. It will be to your benefit to complete as many general education courses as possible by application deadline. The earlier application date will also be considered if other criteria are equal. MEETING MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS DOES NOT GUARANTEE ACCEPTANCE. Preference will be given to Tennessee residents.

RSCC General Student classification admission policies for transfer students apply to transferring nursing students. Transfer students must meet RSCC general admissions requirements in addition to those of the Nursing Program. A letter of recommendation including evidence of clinical and lab competency must be submitted from the director of the previous nursing program. Transfer students may seek placement in the nursing sequence by taking a proficiency examination subject to the approval of the nursing faculty. No nursing courses earned in a school of practical nursing may be credited by transfer, although academic courses, if earned through a college or university, will be evaluated for transfer. Nursing

courses from an NLN accredited or state approved School of Nursing will be evaluated for transfer on an individual basis.

Financial Aid may be available. Questions should be directed to the Financial Aid Office.

Uniforms are required. Information and forms are included in letters of acceptance into the Nursing Program. Fees for the nursing students are the same as for other students with an addition: an annual fee for professional liability insurance is required.

#### **Retention Policies**

- 1. The student must maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or better. A "C" must be achieved in each science course in order to progress to the second year of the nursing program.
- The student must attain a numerical grade of 75 or better in each nursing course. Failure of a clinical rotation will result in a "D" or "F" for the course.
- 3. A student must satisfactorily complete each clinical rotation each semester in order to continue in the program. A grade of "incomplete" must be removed prior to the first clinical day of the following semester in order to progress to the next nursing course.
- 4. The student must carry professional liability insurance while enrolled in nursing courses.
- The student must maintain CPR Certification while enrolled in the nursing program.

#### **Readmission Procedures**

- 1. Only one readmission to the nursing program is permitted. Readmission to the nursing program is also contingent upon the availability of space. Requirements for initial admission to the nursing program must be met in order for a student to be considered for readmission. Students with previous unsatisfactory clinical performance must be recommended for readmission by consensus of the nursing faculty. Students seeking readmission to the nursing program must state their intention in writing to the Associate Dean for Nursing at least 30 days prior to summer semester, or 90 days prior to Fall or Spring semester.
- If two "D" grades or below are received in nursing courses, the student will be dismissed from the program, and the person receiving such grades may not be eligible for admission into the nursing program of any other TBR institution.
- 3. Those students who fail to maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 may be considered for readmission to the nursing program only after removing all grades of less than "C" in required general education courses.
- Students repeating nursing courses must repeat both theoretical and clinical components of the course.

## **Legal Limitations for Licensure**

A graduate of an approved school of nursing who has been convicted of a violation of the law other than a minor traffic violation may be denied a permit and/or a nursing license. A graduate's eligibility for licensure is determined on an individual basis. Students are advised to consult with the licensing board regarding their licensure eligibility.

SOME EXAMPLES OF

#### **Academic Advisement**

ISSUE

Nursing faculty provide academic advisement for prospective nursing students as well as for those students admitted into the program. The faculty assist students with scheduling classes and dealing with academic concerns. Faculty members have office hours posted on their office doors. Students should contact a faculty member for advisement as needed. It has been recommended that students experiencing academic difficulties make an appointment and discuss this with a faculty member as soon as possible.

# ROANE STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DEPARTMENT OF NURSING CORE PERFORMANCE STANDARDS FOR ADMISSION AND PROGRESSION

The Roane State Community College Nursing Program has adopted the following core performance standards. Admission to and progression in the nursing program is not based on these standards, rather they will be used to assist each student in determining whether accommodations or modifications are necessary.

If a student believes that he or she cannot meet one or more of the standards without accommodations or modifications, the nursing program will determine, on an individual basis, whether or not the necessary accommodations or modifications can be made reasonably.

STANDARD

		NECESSARY ACTIVITIES (not all inclusive)
Critical Thinking	Critical thinking ability suffi- cient for clinical judgment.	Identify cause-effect relation- ships in clinical situations, develop nursing care plans.
Interpersonal	Interpersonal abilities suffi- cient to interact with individ- uals, families, and groups from a variety of social, emotional, cultural, and intellectual back- grounds.	Establish rapport with patients/ clients and colleagues.
Communication	Communication abilities suf- ficient for interaction with others in verbal and written form.	Explain treatment procedures, initiate health teaching, document and interpret nursing actions and patient/client responses.
Mobility	Physical abilities sufficient to move from room to room and maneuver in small spaces.	Moves around in patient's rooms, work spaces, and treatment areas, administer cardio-pulmonary procedures.
Motor Skills	Gross and fine motor abilities sufficient to provide safe and effective nursing care.	Calibrate and use equipment; position patients/clients.
Hearing	Auditory ability sufficient to monitor and assess health needs.	Hears monitor alarm, emergency signals, auscultatory sounds, cries for help.
Visual	Visual ability sufficient for observation and assessment necessary in nursing care.	Observes patient/client responses.
Tactile	Tactile ability sufficient for physical assessment.	Perform palpation, functions of physical examination and/ or those related to therapeutic intervention, e.g. insertions of a catheter.

#### A.A.S. NURSING

The two-year, Associate of Applied Science degree program in Nursing emphasizes patient-centered approaches to nursing care. The graduate nurse is able to provide highly skilled nursing care for patients and families in a variety of health care delivery settings. The program of learning includes the study of clinical application of nursing theory and principles. The graduate is eligible to take the State Board examination to become a registered nurse.

			SECOND YEAR			
Fall Semester		Fall Semester				
BIO 231 Anal	tomy & Physiology I	4	* BIO	222	Microbiology	3
NSG 111 Nurs	sing I	10	NSG	221	Nursing IV	10
ENG 101 Com	position I	3	PSY	222	Dev. Psy: Adult	3
NSG 116 Phar	m. In Nursing	2				
		19				16
Spring Semester		Spring Semester				
BIO 232 Anal	tomy & Physiology II	4			Humanities Elect.	3
NSG 112 Nurs		7	NSG	222	Nursing V	12
PSY 221 Dev.	. Psych: Child	3	BUS	281	Mgmt. & Super. I OR	
NSG 117 Phar	m. In NSG II	1	BUS	261	Psy. Aspects of Mgmt.	3
Com	nputer Science Elective	3				
		18				18
FIRS	T YEAR TOTAL	37			SECOND YEAR TOTAL	34**
				TOT	AL SEMESTER HOURS	71

<sup>\*</sup>May be offered summer semester.

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Nursing Department.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Additional helpful classes: MAT 103 or MAT 110.

#### LPN CAREER MOBILITY

This program is designed to facilitate the achievement of a registered nurse level education by LPNs who qualify for admission. LPNs who wish to qualify for this program are required to pass a proficiency examination. The examination will cover fundamentals of nursing and maternity nursing.

Examination scores are valid for three (3) years. Candidates who do not enter the program after three (3) years will be required to repeat the examination process.

Candidates are required to present an active Tennessee Practical Nurse license to be admitted to the examinations. Candidates should arrive 30 minutes before test-time. ID must be verified before admission to the examination is permitted.

Admission to the Career Mobility program is not automatic. Academic qualifications as well as test scores will be considered in the selection process. Admission is also contingent on available space in the program.

General Education	1	Credits					
BIO 222*	Microbiology	3					
BIO 231,232*	Anatomy and Physiology I,II	8					
BUS 261*	Psychological Aspects of Management, OR	3					
BUS 281*	Management and Supervision 1						
ENG 101*	Composition I	3					
PSY 221*	Developmental Psychology: Childhood Through Early Adolescence	3					
PSY 222*	Developmental Psychology: Mid-Adolescence Through Adulthood	3					
	Computer Science Elective	3					
	Humanities Elective	3					
		29					
Challenge by Profi	iciency Examination	14					
	,,						
	PRE-ENTRY SUMMER SEMESTER						
NSG 126	Pharmacology in Nursing	3					
NSG 231	Intermediate Nursing	3					
		6					
	SEMESTER I						
NSG 221	Nursing Process Through the Life Cycle III	10					
		10					
	SEMESTER II						
NSG 222	Nursing Process Through the Life Cycle IV	12					
		12					

**Academic Advisement** LPN Mobility students must have an academic advisement conference with the nursing program director prior to beginning NSG 221.

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Nursing Department.

<sup>\*</sup>Must be completed prior to entering Nursing III.

#### A.A.S. LEGAL ASSISTING

The two-year program in Legal Assisting is designed to prepare students to be proficient in paralegal duties and responsibilities. Students who complete the coursework will be able to apply basic law concepts and become familiar with Tennessee's basic court system. Objectives include skills in writing, research, problem solving, and social interaction. Students will participate in an externship for practical application experience. Admission to this program will require students to meet the minimum course standards for other two-year technical degree programs.

FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR		
Fall Semester		Fall Semester	
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1	LAW 150 Legal Writing 3	
ENG 101 Composition I	3	LAW 201 Domestic Relations 3	
LAW 101 Basic Law	3	LAW 221 Civil Trial & Appellate Practice I 3	
LAW 170 Criminal Law	3	LAW 231 Estates & Trusts I 3	
MAT Mathematics Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	SOC 201 Intro. to Sociology or 3	
PED Physical Education Elective	1	SOC 211 Cultural Anthropology	
POL 101 US Govt & Politics	3	Humanities Elective 3	
	17	18	
Spring Semester	"	Spring Semester	
CST 102 Computer Concepts & Appl <sup>2</sup>	3	LAW 211 Business Organizations 3	
ENG 102 Composition II	3	LAW 222 Civil Trial & Appellate Practice II 3	
LAW 102 Basic Law II	3	LAW 240 Legal Externship 3	
LAW 140 Legal Research	3	LAW 261 Creditor Rights & Bankruptcy 3	
LAW 241 Real Property	3	Law Elective 3	
PED Physical Education Elective	1	Natural Science	
	2		
SPE 201 Basic Speech	3	(or additional Math) $4(3)$	
	19	19(18)	
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	36	SECOND YEAR TOTAL 38(37) TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS 74(73)	

<sup>\*</sup>The LAW courses will be centered primarily at the Cumberland County Higher Education Center in Crossville.

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Social Science/Education/PE Department.

<sup>&#</sup>x27;MAT 110 or higher.

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Students may substitute other computer related courses with the approval of their academic advisor.

#### A.A.S. OFFICE ADMINISTRATION

The two-year Office Administration program is designed for students seeking employment and for those who are currently employed. The curriculum develops the knowledge, skills, and values needed to secure positions and to succeed in the rapidly changing workplace.

The curriculum integrates interpersonal and technological skills and emphasizes competency-based training in preparing students in all aspects of today's culturally diverse, technological business environment. This curriculum is based on research and is built on a solid partnership between education and business, and it includes up-to-date courses that provide the foundation for students to succeed in the world of work.

To develop leadership skills and practice what is being learned, students are encouraged to join and participate in Collegiate Secretaries International<sup>TM</sup> (CSI<sup>TM</sup>), an organization for students sponsored by Professional Secretaries International<sup>TM</sup> (PSI<sup>TM</sup>).

See "Admissions Procedures" on page 35 for information on semester credits awarded for passing the Certified Professional Secretaries™ (CPS™) examination.

# A.A.S. OFFICE ADMINISTRATION INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

	FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR			
Fall Semes	ter		Fall Semes	ter	
EDU 100	Orientation to College	1	OAD 104	Document Production	3
CST 102	Computer Concepts &		BUS 221	Principles of Accounting I	3
	Applications	3	OAD 121	Word/Information Processing I	3
OAD 101	Keyboarding/Formatting	3		Natural Science/Math Elective	3
OAD 105	Business Communications I	3		Humanities Elective	3
BUS 111	Business Math	3		Elective*	3
	Elective	3			
PED	Physical Education Elective	1			
		17			18
Spring Sen	nester		Spring Sem	nester	
OAD 102	Document Processing	3	OAD 122	Word/Information Processing II	3
OAD 106	<b>Business Communications II</b>	3	OAD 201	Administrative Office	
MAT 110	College Algebra	3		Management	3
ECO 201	Economics I	3	OAD 111	Office Machines	3
	Social Science Elective	3	OAD 132	Word Processing on the	
PED	Physical Education Elective	1		Microcomputer	3
			OAD 133	Desktop Publishing	3
				Elective*	3
		16			18
	FIRST YEAR TOTAL	33		SECOND YEAR TOTAL	36
				TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	69

<sup>\*</sup>Medical emphasis, choose MRT 105 and MRT 121. Other emphasis, choose OAD, CST, BUS, or COE courses. (See your academic advisor for help in scheduling.)

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Business and Environmental Technologies Department.

#### A.A.S. POLICE SCIENCE

The two-year Police Science Technology program is designed for students interested in career opportunities in Police Science and Corrections. The Corrections Option is designed to serve the educational needs of the region by preparing students for entry into a rapidly growing correction system which will continue to accelerate in the near future with the addition of area correctional institutions—both juvenile and adult. The Police Science Option is designed to meet the needs in society for personnel capable of entry and advancement in the law enforcement field. The two-year curriculum emphasizes an academic approach to law enforcement rather than a training approach.

## A.A.S. POLICE SCIENCE CORRECTIONS OPTION

FIRST YEAR				SECOND YEAR				
	Fall S	emes	<u>ter</u>		Fall S	emest	ter	
	PST	111	Criminal Procedures	3	COR	111	Juvenile Delinquency	3
	COR	101	Intro. to Corr. & Security	3	COR	201	Corr. Admin. & Supv.	3
	CST	102	Computer Concepts &		PST	101	Intro. to Law Enforcement	3
			Applications <sup>1</sup>	3	SPE	201	Basic Speech Comm.	3
	EDU	100	Orientation to College	1	PED		Physical Ed. Elective	1
	ENG	101	Composition I	3			Natural Science or	3
	POL	101	U.S. Government & Politics	3			Math Elective	
				16				16
	Spring	g Sem	iester		Sprin	g Sem	iester	
	COR	112	<b>Emerging Rights of Prisoners</b>	3	COR	212	Private and Indus. Security	3
	POL	102	Intro. to Political Science	3	COR	211	Practicum in Corrections	3
	PST	112	Court Procedures	3	MAT	110	College Algebra	3
	PSY	101	General Psychology I	3			Humanities Elective	3
	SOC	201	Introduction to Sociology	3			Social Science Electives	6
	BUS	111	Business Mathematics	3				
	PED		Physical Education Elective	1				
				19				18
			FIRST YEAR TOTAL	35			SECOND YEAR TOTAL	34
							TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	69

Students may substitute other computer related courses with the approval of their academic advisor.

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Social Science/Education/PE Department.

# A.A.S. POLICE SCIENCE POLICE SCIENCE OPTION

FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR				
Fall Semester		Fall S	Fall Semester			
PST 101 Intro. to Law Enforcement	3	COR	101 ln	ntro. to Corrections	3	
CST 102 Computer Concepts &		COR	111 Ju	venile Delinguency	3	
Applications <sup>1</sup>	3	PST	201 P	olice Admin. &	3	
EDU 100 Orientation to College	1		C	Organization		
ENG 101 Composition I	3	SPE	201 B	asic Speech Communication	3	
POL 101 U.S. Govt. & Politics	3	PED	P	hysical Ed. Elective	1	
PST 111 Criminal Procedures	3		Natura	l Science or	3	
			Math E	lective		
	16				16	
Spring Semester		Spring	Spring Semester			
POL 102 Intro. to Political Science	3			College Algebra	3	
PST 112 Court Procedures	3	PST		riminal Law	3	
PST 213 Criminal Investigation	3	PST	231 S	eminar in Police Problems	3	
PSY 101 General Psychology I	3		Н	lumanities Elective	3	
SOC 201 Introduction to Sociology	3		S	ocial Science Electives	6	
BUS 111 Business Mathematics	3					
PED Physical Ed. Elective	1					
	19				18	
FIRST YEAR TOTAL	35	8		ECOND YEAR TOTAL	34	
			- 10	OTAL SEMESTER HOURS	69	

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Students may substitute other computer related courses with the approval of their academic advisor.

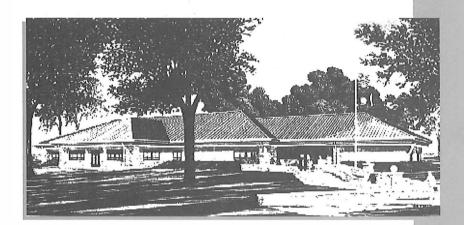
# A.A.S. POLICE SCIENCE SECURITY OPTION

FIRST YEAR					SECOND YEAR		
Fall Semes	ter		Fall S	Fall Semester			
BUS 281	Mgmt. & Supervision I	3	PST	101	Intro. to Law Enforcement	3	
CST 102	Computer Concepts &		COR	111	Juvenile Delinguency	3	
	Applications <sup>1</sup>	3	SEC	201	Security Management	3	
EDU 100	Orientation to College	1	SPE	201	Basic Speech Communication	3	
	Composition I	3	PED		Physical Ed. Elective	1	
POL 101	U.S. Govt. & Politics	3			Natural Science/Math Elec.	3	
	Legal Aspects of Security	3			riatoral belefice, machine en		
	Introduction to Security	3					
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Spring Sen		_	_	_		_	
POL 102	Intro. to Political Science	3	MAT	110	College Algebra	3	
SEC 112	Physical Security	3	PST	221	Criminal Law	3	
SEC 113	Security Invest.	3	SEC	202	Special Topics in Security	3	
PSY 101	General Psychology I	3			Humanities Elective	3	
SOC 201	Intro. to Sociology	3			Social Science Electives	6	
PED	Physical Education Elective	1					
PED 131	*	fetv 1					
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		17				18	
	FIRST YEAR TOTAL	36			SECOND YEAR TOTAL	34	
					TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	70	

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Students may substitute other computer related courses with the approval of their academic advisor.

Students pursuing these options will be advised by the Social Science/Education/PE Department.

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Education Center.

## TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

Students in these programs should apply for admission as special credit students. The AAPP test and/or academic development courses are not required of students in these programs.

## CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE OF CREDIT

This certificate program is designed to prepare graduates to be proficient in legal casework in a Title IV-D Child Support enforcement office setting in any judicial district in the state of Tennessee and to easily adapt to any Title IV-D office setting in the country. The student will learn and be able to apply basic child support law and will become familiar with basic court systems in Tennessee. The student will fully understand the child support enforcement process and all federal and state policies and mandated performance standards. The student will have a basic knowledge of related human service programs and understand the interaction of child support enforcement and these other programs. Proficiency in initial legal assessment of a child support case, preparation and filing of legal pleadings, interaction with clients, negotiation and filing of the final order, and mastery of TCSES — a statewide child support computer system, will be accomplished by the certificated student.

Fall Semester		
OAD 100	Keyboarding for the Computer*	1
OAD 105	Business Communications	3
LES 101	Introduction to Child Support Law	3
LES 105	Introduction to Title IV-D of the Social Security Act	3
LES 110	Introduction to Casework	3
SOC 202	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	13
Spring Semester		
LES 120	In Depth Study of a Child Support Action	3
LES 130	Internship with Child Support Office	3
LES 140	TCSES I	3
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	9

<sup>\*</sup>Students may substitute other computer-related courses with the approval of their academic advisor.

Students pursuing this certificate will be advised by the Social Science/Education/PE Department.

## COMPUTER ART & DESIGN TECHNICAL CERTIFICATION OF CREDIT

The Technical Certificate of Credit in Computer Art and Design is especially geared toward these individuals: 1) those already holding BFA's, MFA's, or other degrees who need a structured program of computer skills to enhance or secure employment, or 2) those who wish to quickly enter the job market on a technical level and pursue further education along with their employment.

To complete requirements to receive the technical certificate of credit in Computer Art and Design, students must pass competency tests in six areas: Basic computer skills; pagination; Raster Graphics; Vector Graphics; 2-D animation; and 3-D animation. In addition, students must pass an advanced exam in one area of specialization. An internship is also required.

## The following courses are required:

ART 101, 102, 103	Studio Fundamentals:	6
	Drawing I, II, III	
ART 141	Beginning Graphic Design	3
ART 142, 143, 144	Computer Art I, II, III	9
ART 181	Visions Seminar I	2
ART 191	Practicing Artists Seminar	3
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	23

Students pursuing this certificate will be advised by the Humanities Department.

# EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY-PARAMEDIC TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE OF CREDIT

The Emergency Medical Services curriculum is designed to prepare graduates to perform patient assessments and render emergency care in the pre-hospital and hospital setting. First Responder students will learn basic life support skills necessary by a combination of classroom teaching with practice in laboratory sessions. Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) and EMT-Paramedic students will learn basic and advanced life support skills necessary by a combination of class lectures, laboratory training, clinical experience and the pre-hospital management of the ill or injured with local Ambulance Services.

As students progress through the curriculum, they become eligible to take licensure examinations for First Responder, EMT, EMT-IV, and EMT-P given by the State of Tennessee Department of Emergency Medical Services. All programs have limited enrollment.

The Paramedic Program is nationally accredited by the American Medical Association's Joint Review Committee on EMT-Paramedic Educational Programs. All our Emergency Medical Care Programs are approved by the Tennessee Emergency Medical Services.

## Admission to the First Responder Class

A prospective student seeking admission to the First Responder Class must complete the following procedures according to the State of Tennessee, Department of Emergency Medical Services and Roane State Community College guidelines.

- Complete an Application for Admissions/Readmission and submit it to the Office of Admissions and Records, Roane State Community College, 276 Patton Lane, Harriman, TN 37748. Remember to include your \$5 application fee which is a one-time fee. Do <u>not</u> send this fee with your program application. This fee is not necessary if you have previously attended RSCC.
- Complete a program application specific to the First Responder Class. The program application must be returned to the Emergency Medical Services Department, 8373 Kingston Pike, Knoxville, TN 37919.

## Admission to the Basic Emergency Medical Technician-Basic Program

A prospective student seeking admission to the Emergency Medical Technician program must complete the following procedures according to the State of Tennessee, Department of the Emergency Medical Services, and Roane State Community College guidelines.

- Complete an Application for admission/readmission and submit it to the Center for New Student Admission, Roane State Community College, 276 Patton Lane, Harriman, TN 37748. Remember to include your \$5 application fee which is a one-time fee. Do not send this fee with your EMS program application. This fee is not necessary if you have previously attended RSCC.
- Complete a program application specific to the EMS program. The program application must be returned to the Department of Emergency Medical Services, 8373 Kingston Pike, Knoxville, TN 37919.
- Applicants should have completed a course that includes one-person, twoperson and infant and child CPR certification and submit a copy of certification with the program application. Call 539-6905 for information on CPR classes.
- 4. First Responder is recommended but not required for acceptance.
- The program applications will be reviewed by the Department of Emergency Medical Services for approval of enrollment utilizing the following priority order:
  - a. applicants employed full time by a primary licensed ambulance service
  - b. applicants employed full or part time, no less than 12 hours per week, by an emergency agency (e.g. fire department, rescue squad)
  - c. applicants volunteering with an emergency agency
  - d. applicants employed with public safety organizations or hospitals
  - e. licensed Tennessee First Responder or eligible
  - f. applicants not belonging to any of the previous categories
- 6. All other documentation must be submitted to the Department of Emergency Medical Services. (See #2 for address)

## Admission to the Emergency Medical Technician-Accelerated Program

A prospective student seeking admission to this program must complete the following procedures according to the State of Tennessee, Department of the Emergency Medical Services, and Roane State Community College guidelines.

- Complete an application for admission/readmission and submit it to the Center for New Student Admission, Roane State Community College, 276 Patton Lane, Harriman, TN 37748. Remember to include your \$5 application fee which is a one-time fee. Do <u>not</u> send this fee with your EMS program application. This fee is not necessary if you have previously attended RSCC.
- Complete a program application specific to the EMS program. The program application must be returned to the Department of Emergency Medical Services, 8373 Kingston Pike, Knoxville, TN 37919.
- Applicants should have completed a course that includes one-person, two-person, and infant and child CPR certification and submit a copy of certification with the program application. Call 539-6905 for information on CPR classes.
- 4. Applicants must be an RN, LPN or other Allied Health training approved by the EMS director, or a current Tennessee Certified First Responder or eligible.
- 5. The program applications will be reviewed by the Department of Emergency Medical Services for approval of enrollment utilizing the following priority order:
  - a. applicants employed full time by a primary licensed ambulance service
  - b. applicants employed full or part time, no less than 12 hours per week, by an emergency agency (e.g. fire department, rescue squad)
  - c. applicants volunteering with an emergency agency

- d. applicants employed with public safety organizations or hospitals
- e. licensed Tennessee First Responder or eligible
- f. applicants not belonging to any of the previous categories
- All other documentation must be submitted to the Department of Emergency Medical Services. (See #2 for address)

## Admission to the Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic Program

A prospective student seeking admission to the Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic Program must complete the following procedures according to the State of Tennessee, Department of Emergency Medical Services, and Roane State Community College guidelines.

- Complete the "Application for Admission/Readmission" form and submit the application form, with \$5.00, to the Center for New Student Admission.
- Submit to the Emergency Medical Services Program Director the application specific to the Paramedic program.
- 3. Submit an official copy of high school transcript or GED certification to the Center for New Student Admission.
- 4. Submit official college transcripts to the Center for New Student Admission if previous college credit has been earned.
- Be currently licensed as an Emergency Medical Technician. The applicant must submit a copy of a current EMT card to the Emergency Medical Services Program Director.
- 6. Applicants should have completed a course that includes one-person, two-person and infant & child CPR and submit a copy of certification to the Department of Emergency Medical Services.
- 7. Submit written evidence, on appropriate form, of a physical examination within the past six months showing the applicant is in good physical and mental health and that the applicant possesses no physical handicaps or disabilities which would impede the applicant's ability to fulfill the functions and responsibilities of a paramedic as defined by the Tennessee EMS Board. The form must be returned to the Emergency Medical Services Program Director.
- Successfully complete the Paramedic entrance examination. This exam will be administered by the Regional EMS consultant and conducted at Roane State. The exam must be taken each year. For dates and times, call 539-6905.
- 9. Applicant must take a psychological examination given by a licensed psychological examiner named by Roane State. The report must state emotional stability and psychological fitness to perform the duties of a paramedic. This report should be returned to the Emergency Medical Services Program Director. The exam must be taken within one year of interview date.
- 10. The screening process includes a personal interview with the EMT-Paramedic Admissions Committee. The applicant is rated by each committee member on appearance, motivation, maturity, knowledge of profession, EMS related experience, communication ability, and poise.
- 11. The individual must take the Academic Assessment Placement Program (AAPP) examination or an examination acceptable to the board to determine academic eligibility into the program unless he/she meets the requirements through ACT scores or accumulated college credits. For more information contact the Emergency Medical Services Program Director.
- 12. Scores are placed on interview, psychological exam, field experience, and paramedic entrance exam.

- 13. Evidence of current vaccinations or testing including Hepatitis B, TB testing (within three months), tetanus, and MMR after 1980, must be submitted prior to interview.
- 14. Final student selection is by the EMT Paramedic Admissions Committee.

#### **Retention Policies**

Students' grades will be evaluated at the end of each semester. A student must maintain the following standards or he/she will be dismissed from his/her respective program:

- 1. A grade of "C" or better in each specialty course must be maintained.
- 2. Must adhere to the EMS Program attendance policy.

#### **EMT-PARAMEDIC PROGRAM**

Fall Semester		
EMT 211	Paramedic I	13
EMT 221	Clinical I	3
LIVIT ZZI	Clinical	S - 3
		16
Spring Semester		
EMT 212	Paramedic II	13
EMT 222	Clinical II	3
		16
		10
Summer Semester	-	
EMT 216	Paramedic III	4
EMT 223	Clinical III	4
		8
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	40
	TOTAL SEMIESTER HOURS	40

Students wishing to pursue an AAS in General Technology with emphasis in Emergency Medical Services, should consult with a Health Sciences advisor.

# ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH TECHNOLOGY CERTIFICATE OF CREDIT

The Environmental Health Technology certificate program is designed to prepare individuals with a strong background in mathematics and science to enter the environmental health field. Certificate options include Air Quality, Industrial Hygiene, Health Physics and Waste Management.

Applicants must complete an application for admission to the program and submit it to the RSCC Admissions Office. Final selection is made by the Environmental Health Admissions Committee. Individuals considering the program should contact an Environmental Health faculty advisor before submitting an application. Applicants with inadequate mathematics or science background will be required to take additional coursework in these areas prior to being admitted in the program.

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Options:	AIR QUALITY CONTROL CERTIFICATE	
AQC 101 AQC 201 AQC 111 AQC 112 EHT 201 EHT 211	Introduction to Air Quality Environmental Toxicology Air Sampling and Instrumentation I Air Sampling and Instrumentation II Environmental Law and Regulations Safety and Emergency Response TOTAL HOURS	3 3 3 3 3 
	HEALTH PHYSICS CERTIFICATE	
HPT 111 HPT 112 HPT 121 HPT 221 BIO 113 EHT 201 EHT 211	General Health Physics I General Health Physics II Instrumentation and Measurement I Instrumentation and Measurement II Radiation Biology Environmental Law and Regulations Safety and Emergency Response TOTAL HOURS	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 -3
	INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE CERTIFICATE	
IHT 101 IHT 102 EHT 111 EHT 222 IHT 221 EHT 201 EHT 211	Industrial Hygiene I Industrial Hygiene II Environmental Instrumentation I Environmental Instrumentation II Occupational Safety and Protection Environmental Law and Regulations Safety and Emergency Response TOTAL HOURS	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 21
	WASTE MANAGEMENT CERTIFICATE	
WMT 101 WMT 121	Introduction to Waste Management Environmental Sampling	3 3

WMT 221	Waste Reduction and Packaging	3
EHT 111	Environmental Instrumentation I	3
EHT 222	Environmental Instrumentation II	3
EHT 201	Environmental Law and Regulations	3
EHT 211	Safety and Emergency Response	_ 3
	TOTAL HOURS	21

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Business and Environmental Technologies Department.

# MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTION TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE OF CREDIT

The Medical Transcriptionist Program is a nine month certificate program. In addition to classroom lecture and transcription practice, two days a week are spent during the second semester in a health care facility affording the student valuable work experience in Medical Transcription. Graduates obtain employment in hospitals, clinics, doctor's offices, and transcription services. Graduates are eligible to take the American Association for Medical Transcription certificate examination. MDT courses must be taken in sequence.

## **Admission Requirements**

1. High school diploma or equivalent.

Recommend typing skills of 45 words per minute; typing/keyboarding skills are required.

3. Pass a high school level grammar, punctuation and spelling test.

- Completed RSCC application and admission requirements for special student category.
- 5. Completed Health Sciences application.
- 6. Completed health form.
- 7. Be accepted by the Health Sciences Admissions Committee.

#### **Retention Policies**

Students' grades will be evaluated at the end of each semester by the Health Sciences Admissions committee. A student must maintain the following standards or he/she will be dismissed from his/her respective program:

- 1. A grade of "C" or better in each specialty course.
- Completion of specialty courses as specified by the degree checklist. A
  student must be able to complete courses with the class in which he/she
  was admitted. A student who cannot graduate with the class in which he/
  she was admitted will be dropped from that class and must re-apply to a
  subsequent class.
- 3. Evidence of malpractice insurance and physical examination must be provided prior to clinical training.

#### **Readmission Procedures**

- 1. A student may be considered for readmission to a Health Sciences Program if *all* of the following criteria are met:
  - A. The applicant must complete an application for Health Sciences programs and submit to the Admissions and Records Office.
  - B. Only one readmission to Health Sciences Program will be permitted.
  - C. The applicant must interview with the program director of the specific program before the date of the review by the Admissions Committee for consideration for readmission. A student with previous unsatisfactory clinical performance must be recommended for readmission by consensus of the program faculty.
  - D. A student must repeat the specialty course or courses for which he/she was dismissed and attain a "C" or better in the course.
  - E. Readmission to a Health Sciences Program is contingent upon the availability of space.
- Final selection of students will be made by the Health Sciences Admissions Committee.

# MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTION TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE OF CREDIT

Fall Semester		
MDT 102	Medical Terminology	3
MDT 103	Anatomy Concepts in Medical Transcription	2
MDT 104	Basic Medical Transcription	5
Spring Semester		
MDT 111	Advanced Medical Transcription	5
MDT 112	Clinical Practicum	6
MDT 113	Pharmacology Concepts in Medical	
	Transcription	2
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	23

PLEASE NOTE: Alternative scheduling is available for a limited number of students meeting special criteria. Please contact the program director for specific details. All Medical Transcription classes are held at the Oak Ridge campus.

Students pursuing this certificate will be advised by the Health Science Department.

# OFFICE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE OF CREDIT

This one-year program is designed for students interested in office positions. The program emphasizes the development of skills that build the foundation for an entry-level position.

Fall Semester		
EDU 100	Orientation to College	1
CST 102	Computer Concepts & Applications	3
OAD 101	Keyboarding/Formatting	3
OAD 105	Business Communications I	3
OAD 121	Word/Information Processing I	3
BUS 111	Business Math	3
		16
Spring Semester		
OAD 102	Document Processing	3
OAD 122	Word/Information Processing II	3
OAD 111	Machines	3
OAD 132	Word Processing on the Microcomputer	3
OAD 201	Administrative Office Management	3
		15
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	31

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Business and Environmental Technologies Department.

## PHLEBOTOMY TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE OF CREDIT

The Phlebotomy certificate program is designed to train students within a 16 week period to work as phlebotomists. Graduates of this program will be eligible for employment in various health care settings including hospitals, clinics, physician offices, commercial blood bank facilities, home health care agencies. The program combines lectures, laboratories, and 120 hours of clinical training in a health care facility. On completion of this program, students will be eligible for certification by the American Society of Clinical Pathologists or National Certification Agency as phlebotomists.

#### **Admission Requirements**

- 1. High school diploma or equivalent.
- 2. Completed Health Science application form and requirements for special student category.
- 3. Completed RSCC application and requirements for special student category.
- 4. Interview by the phlebotomy program faculty.
- 5. Acceptance by the Health Science Admission Committee.

PLB 101	Anatomy, Physiology & Terminology	2
PLB 102	Health Care Concepts	2
PLB 111	Phlebotomy Techniques	4
PLB 112	Phlebotomy Clinical	4
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	12

Students pursuing this certificate will be advised by the Health Science Department.

## POLICE MANAGEMENT TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE OF CREDIT

This program is designed to provide state-of-the-art education in the areas of procedural law and police management. The curriculum provides an opportunity for police supervisory personnel to receive training in a non-degree credit program. The Police Management certificate program is not designed to provide entry-level skills in police science. Students interested in a career preparation program should refer to page 131.

#### The following courses are required:

BUS 281	Management and Supervision I	3
PST 201	Police Administration and Organization	3
PST 111	Criminal Procedures	3
PST 101	Introduction to Law Enforcement	3
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	12

Students pursuing this certificate will be advised by the Social Science/Education/PE Department.

## SECURITY MANAGEMENT TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE OF CREDIT

This program is designed to meet the regional manpower needs for security inspectors and managers by providing currently employed security personnel with an opportunity to improve their knowledge of the field. The Security Management certificate program is not designed to provide entry-level skills in police science or security. Students interested in a career preparation program should refer to page 132.

#### The following courses are required:

BUS 281	Management and Supervision I	3
SEC 101	Introduction to Security	3
SEC 111	Legal Aspects of Security	3
SEC 201	Security Management	3
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	12

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Social Science/Education/PE Department.

## WORKFORCE PREPAREDNESS TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE OF CREDIT

Graduates of the Workforce Preparedness Certificate will have the basic knowledge and skills to enter the area workforce and assume responsible positions in the economy. Students will gain a basic understanding of the meaning or work, develop personal and occupational problem solving skills, and acquire adequate Workkeys skills to succeed in the work place. Students should leave the program with a greater understanding of not only the basic tenets of work skills and behaviors, but the economy and their position in it. Also, in consultation with an advisor, students can choose four technical courses in a designated option to create a technical specialty in a chosen field. These options are accounting, office administration, retailing, computer, teacher's aid/childcare, and gerontology.

First Semester		Credits
OAD 100	Keyboarding for the Computer	1
WKP 107	Workkeys Communication I	3
WKP 109	Business/Manufacturing Math	3
WKP 110	Personal Workforce Skills	3
WKP 210	Social Issues in the Work Place	3
***	Technical Electives	6
		19
Second Semester		
BUS 281	Management and Supervision I	3
HEA 223	Safety in the Work Place	1
PED 175	Concepts of Wellness	2
WKP 108	Workkeys Communication II	3
WKP 120	Professional Work Skills Development	3
***	Technical Electives	6
		18
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	37

\*\*\*Technical Electives: Students are required to complete a minimum of 12 technical elective hours in one of the following options:

<b>Accounting Optio</b>	<u>n</u>	
BUS 210	Intro to Quality Management	3
BUS 221	Principles of Accounting I	3
BUS 222	Principles of Accounting II	3
BUS 255	Microcomputing Accounting Applications I	3
CST 102	Computer Concepts and Applications	3
CST 135	Intro to Spreadsheets	3
<b>Computer Option</b>		
Computer Option CST 102	Computer Concepts and Applications	3
	Computer Concepts and Applications Computer Presentations	3 3
CST 102	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	3 3 3
CST 102 CST 103	Computer Presentations	3 3 3 3
CST 102 CST 103 CST 105	Computer Presentations Database Management	3 3 3 3 3

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Gerontology Option			
GER 201	Behavioral Problems with the Institutionalized		
CED 202	and the Cognitively Impaired Client		3
GER 202 GER 203	Physical Assessment		3
GER 203 GER 204	Toward Health Aging Nutrition and Nutritional Assessments		3
GER 204 GER 205	Chronic Illness		3
GER 206	Psychological Aspects of Aging		3
Office Administrat			,
CST 102	Computer Concepts and Applications		3
OAD 101	Keyboarding	5	3
OAD 102	Document Processing		3
OAD 111	Office Machines		3
OAD 132	Word Processing on the Microcomputer		3
OAD 201	Administrative Office Management		3
Retailing Option			
BUS	Retail Operations		3
BUS 210	Intro to Quality Management		3
BUS 221	Principles of Accounting I		3
BUS 271	Sales		3
BUS 294	Customer Service		3
CST 102	Computer Concepts and Applications		3
Teachers Aid/Child			
CST 102	Computer Concepts and Applications		3
EDU 121	Intro to Early Childhood Education		3
EDU 210	Human Development		3
EDU 220	Creative Activities for Young Children		3
EDU 230	Administration of Early Childhood Education Programs		3
HEA 221	Safety, First Aid and CPR		3

#### NOTES

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#### **COURSE DESCRIPTIONS**

The courses are listed in the following format: Dept., Course No., Title, Semester Hours Brief description, & term in which it is normally taught.

> F = Fall Sp = Spring Su = Summer

AIR QUALITY CONTROL
AQC 101 — Introduction to Air Quality
AQC 201 — Environmental Toxicology
AQC 111 — Air Sampling and Instrumentation I
AQC 112 — Air Sampling and Instrumentation II
AQC 242 — Internship
ALLIED HEALTH
ALH 254 — Human Cross-Sectional Anatomy

#### **ANIMAL SCIENCE**

required for this course. Please consult the Semester Class Schedule for specific fee information.
ASC 130 — Theory of Horsemanship
ASC 140 — Stable Management
ART
ART 101 — Studio Fundamentals: Drawing
ART 102 — Studio Fundamentals: Two Dimensional Design2 Credits Surface composition and color. Primarily for art, architecture, interior design, and art education majors. Additional work may be required outside class. Sp  2 hours lecture — 2 hours laboratory
ART 103 — Studio Fundamentals: Three Dimensional Design 2 Credits Projects dealing with real space and three dimensional materials. Primarily for art, architecture, art education, and interior design and housing majors. Additional work may be required outside class. F, Su  2 hours lecture — 2 hours laboratory
ART 104 — Introduction to Illustration
ART 105 — Illustration II
ART 111 — Drawing I: Survey of Drawing
ART 113 — Painting I: Introduction
ART 114 — Painting II
ART 121 — Art Appreciation
ART 131 — Photography I

ART 132 — Photography II
ART 140 — Introduction to Industrial Design
<b>ART 141</b> — <b>Beginning Graphic Design</b>
2 hours lecture — 2 hours laboratory
ART 142 — Computer Art
ART 143 — Computer Art II
Advanced exploration of computer applications and graphic design for pagination, presentation, illustration, three dimensional modeling, or animation. 3 credit hours. 1 hour lecture, 1 hour per week required lab internship, 4-6 hours per week (minimum) computer lab time. (Prerequisite: ART 142) F, Sp
ART 144 — Computer Art III
ART 145 — Computer Art IV
ART 147 — Industrial Design II
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ART 151 — Ceramics I: Handbuilding
3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory
ART 152 — Ceramics II: Throwing
ART 161 — Printmaking I
ART 181 — Visions Seminar I
ART 182 — Visions Seminar II
ART 183 — Visions Seminar III

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ART 191 — Practicing Artists Seminar	r
ART 201 — Survey of Art History I	<b>s</b> n
ART 202 — Survey of Art History II	
ART 203 — Survey of Contemporary Art	<b>S</b>
ART 211 — Watercolor I: Introduction	rs
2 hours lecture — 2 hours laboratory	
ART 212 — Watercolor II	a l
2 hours lecture — 2 hours laboratory	
ART 221 — Portfolio Preparation	n IS
ACTRONIONING PL 1	
ASTRONOMY (See Physics)	
BANKING	
The BNK prefix will be used to offer various service courses to the banking industry. These courses will use the course descriptions furnished by the industry	

The BNK prefix will be used to offer various service courses to the banking industry. These courses will use the course descriptions furnished by the industry and credit will be granted based upon the recommendations of the American Council of Education (ACE). For more information contact the division head of Business and Economics.

#### **BIOLOGY**

For a student to receive credit for a biology course, the lecture section must be accompanied by a laboratory session during the same semester.

3 hours lecture — 2 hours laboratory

BIO 113 — Introduction to Radiation Biology
BIO 201 — Environmental Science
BIO 211 — Field Biology
BIO 212 — Cell Biology
BIO 213 — General Genetics
Classical and modern principles of heredity; laboratory experiments involving a variety of organisms. (Prerequisites: BIO 111-112, or the equivalent of 2 years of high school biology and satisfactory ACT scores, or consent of instructor; CHE 121-22 and BIO 111, 112 recommended) Sp
3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory
<b>BIO 220 — Pathophysiology of Substance Abuse</b>
3 hours lecture
BIO 221 — Pathophysiology
2 hours lecture
BIO 222 — Microbiology
2 hour lecture — 2 hour laboratory
BIO 231 — Human Anatomy and Physiology I
3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory
BIO 232 — Human Anatomy and Physiology II

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BIO 253 — General Ecology	ıtal
BIO 254 — Human Cross-Sectional Anatomy	on sue nal
BIO 251-269 — Independent Scientific Investigation	the ply
BUSINESS AND COMMERCE	
BUS 101 — Introduction to Business	fur- etc.
BUS 111 — Business Mathematics	are
BUS 112 — Personal Finance	ded
BUS 201 — Principles of Real Estate I	Real udy real
BUS 202 — Real Estate Law	ship on- sla-
BUS 203 — Real Estate Finance	
BUS 204 — Real Estate Appraisal	
BUS 206 — Principles of Real Estate II	dits

duties owed others, regulated activities, and sanctions.
BUS 210 — Introduction to Quality Management
BUS 211 — Resource Management
Explains the theory, design, implementation, and maintenance of MRP and MRP II computerized manufacturing control systems; including bills of material, item master, and schedule files. This course will help in the preparation for certification by the American Production and Inventory Control Society. Elective credit only. F (odd years)
BUS 212 — Just-In-Time
Explains the company-wide philosophy of "only the right parts, of the best quality, in the right place, at the time" through the elimination of waste and non-value added activities; includes the Kanban system of stockless production. This course will help in the preparation for certification by the American Production and Inventory Control Society. Elective credit only. F (even years)
BUS 213 — Attaining World Class Status
This course addresses the contemporary manufacturing strategies and techniques required for competitive success in the 21st century as a world class organization. Teams research and discuss the strategic and tactical applications of such topics as the quality perspective, quality engineering, concurrent design techniques, a responsive supplier network, the evolving role of supervision, and the empowered workforce. Sp (odd years)
BUS 214 — Kaizen, Continuous Improvement 3 Credits
Kaizen addresses the elimination of waste and non-value added activities to increase quality and productivity, while reducing costs. Commitment to and the pursuit of continuous, on-going improvement is critical to the success of a company-wide quality effort. Course also covers TQC, TEI, SPC, as well as problem solving techniques. Learning partners work in teams on a semester long continuous improvement project. F (odd years)
BUS 215 — Business Ethics
A course concerned with the relationship between business goals and practices and the good of society. Of specific concern will be matters such as fair pay, safe working conditions, well-made products at fair prices and environmental issues. Elective credit only. F
BUS 217 — Developing a Quality System
This course uses the criteria of the Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award as a framework for an integrated, organizational quality system. Each of the 7 criteria, 28 examination items, and 91 areas to address are examined in an application orientation. Learning partners participate as teams to assess an actual organization, determine criteria scoring, and make recommendations for improvement. F (even years)
BUS 221 — Principles of Accounting I
Basic principles and procedures in accounting relating to the complete accounting cycle for both service and merchandising companies owned as sole proprietorships and as corporations. Also, detailed analysis of assets and liabilities and owner's equity. F, Sp, Su

BUS 222 — Principles of Accounting II
BUS 224 — Cost Accounting
BUS 225 — Income Tax Accounting — Personal
BUS 226 — Income Tax Accounting — Business
BUS 227 — Fund Accounting
BUS 230 — Quality Management Seminar
BUS 231 — Intermediate Accounting I
BUS 232 — Intermediate Accounting II
BUS 251 — Legal Environment for Business
BUS 252 — Business Law
BUS 255 — Microcomputing Accounting Applications I
BUS 256 — Microcomputing Accounting Applications II

BUS 261 — Psychological Aspects of Management
BUS 262-270 — Business Seminar
BUS 271 — Sales
BUS 272 — Retailing
BUS 273 — Marketing
BUS 274 — Marketing Opportunity Analysis
BUS 278 — Small Business Management
BUS 281, 282 — Management and Supervision I, II
BUS 284 — Management Seminar
BUS 285 — Strategic Management
BUS 290 — Basic Statistical Process Control

system. Project teams apply SPC techniques in organizations to identify and reduce process variation, select appropriate control charts, and perform capability studies. Sp (even years) Course covers human resource management in areas of leadership, interpersonal and formal communication, and team building examining shared leadership, leadership effectiveness, empowerment, trust, rewards, risks, ethics, role modeling, interpersonal communication, listening, self-presentation, interviewing, motivation, team building, problem solving, goal setting, communication, pressure, and other areas. (Elective credit only) Offered as required. Course covers leadership, competition, conflict resolution and negotiation examining the impact of leadership on self-esteem, the importance of performance appraisals, organizational effectiveness and development, healthy and destructive competition, resolving conflict, mediation techniques, and negotiating techniques and tactics. Elective credit only. Offered as required. Presents methods and techniques for measuring customer satisfaction. Topical materials covered include use of customer expectations for goal setting, customer driven management techniques, creating employee ownership of the customer service process, exceeding customer expectations, and establishing continuous customer feedback and immediate resolution of complaints. Elective credit only. Offered as required. CARDIOVASCULAR INTERVENTIONAL TECHNOLOGY This course covers an overview of anatomy and physiology, practical applications of interventional procedures, vascular correlations, and surgical intervention for specific disease processes. 3 hours lecture This course covers theory and practice of physiological monitoring, emergency care, and pharmacology. 3 hours lecture An overview of patient care and legal considerations, equipment and instrumentations, image quality and control, sterile techniques and isolation procedures. 3 hours lecture This course provides the Radiologic Technologist with CIT experience, an extensive review to sit for the ARRT examination in Cardiovascular Interventional Technology. 3 hours lecture **CHEMISTRY** To receive credit for a chemistry course, the lecture section must be accompanied by a laboratory session during the same semester. This course is designed for students desiring to enter a science, engineering or pre-med (veterinarian, pharmacy, etc.) program but who have had no high school chemistry or are not recent high school graduates. The emphasis will be on the fundamental concepts of chemistry, nomenclature, equation writing, simple stoichiometric calculations, bonding,

gas laws and property of solutions. (NOTE: This course cannot be used to fulfill a natural/physical science requirement where a sequence is indicated. It can be used if a

Intermediate Algebra) F, Su

acids and bases, equilibria. (Prerequisite: 2 years of high school algebra and 1 year high school chemistry or 2 years of high school algebra and CHE 100) F 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory Aliphatic, aromatic, and heterocyclic organic chemistry with emphasis on structure, nomenclature, and functional groups. Introductory biochemistry concerning lipids, carbohydrates, proteins, and nucleic acids. (Prerequisite: CHE 101) Sp. 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory A study of fundamental principles of chemistry, such as mathematical calculations of chemical relationships, atomic structure, periodic relationships, molecular structure, bonding, and the chemistry of oxygen, hydrogen, and water, Kinetic Molecular Theory, physical states of matter, solution chemistry. (Prerequisite: 2 years of high school algebra and 1 year high school chemistry or 2 years of high school algebra and CHE 100) F, Sp 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory CHE 122 — General Chemistry II ......4 Credits Electrolytes, oxidation-reduction, electrochemistry, molecular and ionic equilibria, nuclear chemistry, and brief survey of organic chemistry. (Prerequisite: CHE 121) Sp, Su 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory CHE 202 — Quantitative Analysis ......5 Credits The study of the basic theories of quantitative analysis, with stress on the theories of neutralization, precipitation, volumetric, and gravimetric analysis. (Prerequisite: CHE 122) Sp, on demand 3 hours lecture — 6 hours laboratory CHE 211 — Qualitative Analysis ......4 Credits Theory and practice of qualitative analysis, chemical equilibrium and solubility product. Laboratory practice in the identification of the major cations and anions. (Prerequisites: CHE 121, 122) 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory A study of the properties, preparations, reactions, and spectroscopy of aliphatic and aromatic compounds, including reaction mechanisms and the relationship between structure and reactivity. (Prerequisite: CHE 122) F 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory CHE 222 — Organic Chemistry II ......4 Credits A continuation of CHE 221, covering carbanion condensations, heterocyclics, fats, carbohydrates, amino acids, and proteins. (Prerequisite: CHE 221) Sp 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory Introduction to the theory of nuclear stability and nuclear decay processes. Detection, safe handling and use of radioisotopes will also be studied. (Prerequisite: CHE 122) Sp. 3 hours lecture CHE 240 — Internship-Environmental Chemistry ......5 Credits This work experience is designed to familiarize students with applications of environmental chemistry. Efforts will be made to place students in an area which supports their

career goals. (A minimum of 300 contact hours are required.) No student may enroll in an internship unless the approval of the instructor is granted. Offered as needed.

sequence is not required.) (Prerequisite: 2 years of high school algebra or DSM 082 -

#### CHE 242 — Internship-Analytical Chemistry ....... 5 Credits

This work experience is designed to familiarize students with applications of analytical chemistry. Efforts will be made to place students in an area which supports their career goals. (A minimum of 300 contact hours are required.) No student may enroll in an internship unless approval of the instructor is granted. Offered as needed.

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Independent laboratory/library research in chemistry by qualified students under the supervision of a faculty member. Especially designed to develop interest and to apply techniques of scientific research. Up to six credit hours may be earned. (Prerequisite: Consent of the faculty member)

#### CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT

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This course will give the student an overview of domestic law in Tennessee with an emphasis placed upon those aspects of the law which pertain to child support establishment and enforcement. Upon completion of the course, the student will have been exposed to legal actions and forms used in the establishment and enforcement of child support.

#### LES 105 — Introduction to Title IV-D of the Social Security Act . . . . . . 3 Credits

This course will introduce the student to federal and state law requirements for the administration of the Title IV-D Office. Upon completion of the course, the student will understand why and how Title IV-D offices exist and requirements for their management and administration. The student will understand the relationship of the IV-D program to other human service programs, such as Aid to Families with Dependent Children, JOBS, and Medicaid. The student will understand basic rights of the custodian of a child and noncustodial parent to the child support services and benefits provided by federal and state government.

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This course will introduce the student to the inner workings of the child support office and to basic clerical skills. Upon completion of the course, the student will have been introduced to and will have practiced telephone skills, filing skills, copier skills, the diary and tickler system, interpersonal relationships with other child support personnel and will have an initial "walk-through" of a typical child support file from beginning to end. The student will learn about the importance of independent work habits, will be introduced to resource materials for the Title IV-D office (state and local manuals), will learn the hierarchy of employees and management in a Title IV-D Office. This course will prepare the student to enter the workplace in the second semester internship and will be designed to equip the student with practical skills for use in that internship.

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This course will provide a detailed study of procedures utilized in the Title IV-D Office in the administration of required services. An intense examination of specific legal actions and the individual steps necessary from start to finish of a typical child support case will be accomplished by each student. Upon completion of the course, along with the companion TCSES course, the student will be acclimated to the Title IV-D Office and will be prepared to begin working basic child support files.

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This course will allow the student to apply basic clerical skills and knowledge of child support law and Title IV-D policies and procedures in the actual child support office setting. The student will spend weekly time in the child support office actually working cases needing evaluation for review and modification requirements of Title IV-D of the Social Security Administration Act. The student will have an opportunity to practice a broad spectrum of child support caseworker duties.

#### LES 140 — Tennessee Child Support Enforcement System ...........3 Credits

This course will allow the student to apply the knowledge of case management that was obtained in previous child support courses through the interaction with the state mainframe. Upon completion of the course, the student will have not only the knowledge of how to access and use the state mainframe but also understand how the system will interact in the daily operations of the Child Support Enforcement Office.

#### COMPUTER SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY

To receive credit for CST 201, 211, and 261 the lecture section must be accompanied by a laboratory section during the same semester. Students selecting the Computer Science Option may expect programming or lab assignments requiring 9 or more hours of computer use per week.

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An introductory course including fundamental computer concepts, terminology, and applications. Included in this course is a basic familiarization with a microcomputer, an operating system, and the more popular microcomputer application such as word processing, spreadsheets, and others. F, S, SU

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An introductory course in the use of presentation software such as Powerpoint and Harvard Graphics. Preparation of graphs, charts, slides, and transparencies is included. Students are required to make oral and written presentations with the use of presentation software. (Prerequisite: CST 102) F, Sp

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Database system design, implementation, querying and application development in a microcomputer environment. SQL techniques are included. Course integrates the database functions of spreadsheets and spreadsheet macros during the coverage of database system applications. (Prerequisite: CST 102) F, Sp

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An introductory course using the C programming language. Topics include C syntax, top-down program development, predefined C functions, user-defined functions, repetition statements, arithmetic operators and operator precedence and associativity, variable declarations and assignment statements, C data types including pointer variables, passing, storing and using addresses, relational and logical operators, decision statements, and arrays. Good program documentation is emphasized. (Prerequisite-reading and math requirements have been completed in Academic Development. Students completing the Computer Science Option in the A.A.S. Business Management Technology Program must take CST 102 as a corequisite with CST 113 or have Computer Science advisor's approval.) F, Sp

#### CST 114 — Introduction to Programming Using FORTRAN . . . . . . . . 4 Credits

Problem solving and algorithm development, introduction to programming using FOR-TRAN. Organization and characteristics of modem digital computers. Devices, software packages, tools. Emphasis on developing good programming habits. Sp

#### CST 131 — Microcomputer Applications in Business . . . . . . . . . . . . 3 Credits

An intermediate course covering the use of Windows, spreadsheet, and database on the microcomputer. (Students attending this class are expected to have working familiarity with computer hardware and have an operational knowledge of the Windows environment. CST 102) As required.

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Designed to introduce students to fundamental operations of a spreadsheet including formula development, graphics, data base management, and design. Course will expose students to windows based spreadsheet such as Excel. F, Sp

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CST 140 — Beginning Windows
CST 141 — Intermediate Windows
CST 144 — Beginning DOS
CST 145 — Intermediate DOS
CST 146 — Beginning Spreadsheet Applications for Windows 1 Credit Exposes students to Excel for Windows. Course covers the fundamental strategies in the Spreadsheet Application Development Cycle while introducing the basic features of the Windows based spreadsheet. (Prerequisite: CST 140 or CST 102 or Computer Science Advisor's Approval)
CST 147 — Intermediate Spreadsheet Applications for Windows 1 Credit An in-depth examination of such topics as functions, graphics, and database are explored using Excel for Windows. Principles of good spreadsheet design is emphasized. (Prerequisite: CST 146 or Computer Science Advisor's Approval)
CST 148 — Advanced Spreadsheet Applications for Windows1 Credit Advanced features of Excel are introduced covering such topics as object linking, scenarios, and macros. (Prerequisites: CST 146, CST 147 or Computer Science Advisor's Approval)
CST 149 — Beginning Word Processing Applications for Windows 1 Credit Students are exposed to the fundamental features of Microsoft Word's menu bar and tool bar while creating and editing documents. (Prerequisite: Adequate keyboarding and computing skills. OAD 100 and CST 140 or CST 102 recommended)
CST 150 — Intermediate Word Processing Applications for Windows1 Credit Covers document formatting in depth, use of graphics, object linking, and embedding. (Prerequisite: CST 149 or Computer Science Advisor's Approval)
CST 153 — Beginning Desktop Publishing for Windows 1 Credit Principles of good design and layout are introduced as students integrate text and graphics to create a brochure, flyer, and newsletter in a Windows environment. 1 Credit Hour (Prerequisites: Adequate keyboarding and computing skills. OAD 100 and CST 102 or CST 140 recommended)
CST 155 — Beginning Database Applications for Windows 1 Credit Fundamental concepts are integrated with hands on exercises to introduce students to the commands and query features of a database applications package for the Windows environment. (Prerequisites: Adequate keyboarding and computing skills. OAD 100 and CST 102 or CST 140 recommended)
CST 156 — Beginning Internet

CST 157 — Beginning Network Management	1 Credit
Designed to introduce students to network systems management co	oncepts common in
such network environments as Novell's Netware and Microsoft's V	Nindows for Work-
groups. (Prerequisites: Adequate keyboarding and computing skills.	. CST 100 and CST
102 or CST 140 recommended.)	

- CST 159 Seminar on Applications in the Windows Environment . .1-4 Credits
  An introductory course on the fundamental concepts, commands and uses of a
  Windows based application package. This class explores one of many different applications in the Windows environment such as financial planning, time scheduling, stock
  market analysis, presentation graphics, etc. The specific software package used in class
  will be indicated in the course title when it is placed in the class schedule. (Prerequisites: Adequate keyboarding and computing skills. CST 100 and CST 102 or CST
  140 recommended or Computer Science Advisor's Approval.)

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CST 210 — GUI Programming II and Applications Development4 Credits Integrates theoretical and practical approaches to real-world problems using object-oriented programming techniques in windowed operating systems. This course builds on the C, Visual BASIC, and Windows API work of the prerequisites, continuing students' understanding of GUI principles and techniques. The use of C++ and a commercial class library is contrasted with other modern GUI languages and development systems such as HTML, VBScript, and Java, to be determined by the instructor. (Prerequisite: CST 209)
CST 211 — COBOL
CST 212 — Advanced Microcomputer Applications
CST 215 — Operating Systems
CST 217 — Data and File Management
CST 221-229 — Seminar in Computer Applications
CST 231 — RPG Programming
CST 241 — Systems Analysis
CST 261 — Computer Organization
2 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory
COMPUTER TOMOGRAPHY
CTR 101 — Computer Tomography
COOPERATIVE EDUCATION
COE 101 — Cooperative Education I

COE 201 — Cooperative Education III
CORRECTIONS
COR 101 — Introduction to Corrections
COR 111 — Juvenile Delinquency
COR 112 — Emerging Rights of Prisoners
COR 201 — Correctional Administration and Supervision 3 Credits A study of the organizational structure, training techniques, cultural developments, and administrative concepts of incarceration. Special emphasis will be placed upon supervision, responsibility, authority, and accountability in the operation of penal institutions. F
COR 202 — Treatment in Corrections
COR 211 — Practicum in Corrections
DENTAL HYGIENE
NOTE: All DHT courses must be taken in appropriate sequence, as listed in the degree checklist. Admission to the Dental Hygiene Technology program is required prior to taking any DHT courses.
DHT 101 — Preclinical Dental Hygiene
DHT 111 — Dental Science I

3 hours lecture/week

DHT 121 — Clinical Dental Hygiene I
DHT 132 — Dental Radiography
DHT 133 — General and Oral Pathology
DHT 141 — Principles of Dental Hygiene I
DHT 161 — Biochemistry and Nutrition
DHT 171 — Dental Materials
DHT 201 — Pharmacology and Pain Control
3 hours lecture/week
DHT 211 — Dental Hygiene Seminar
DHT 212 — Community Health
DHT 221 — Clinical Dental Hygiene II
180 total hours of clinic
DHT 222 — Clinical Dental Hygiene III
180 total hours of clinic
DHT 241 — Principles of Dental Hygiene II
DHT 242 — Principles of Dental Hygiene III
DHT 251 — Periodontology

#### **DEVELOPMENTAL STUDIES**

#### **EDUCATION**

EDU 100 — Orientation to College1 Credit
Valuable information to promote the student's success in college. Includes registration
and advisement procedures; financial aid; counseling and other student services; study
habits; and other topics that should contribute to student success. (It is advised that
EDU 100 be taken concurrently with ENG 101) F, Sp

EDU 111 — Introduction to Educating Exceptional Children 2 Credits  Examination of categories of exceptionality (mental retardation, giftedness, deafness, blindness, emotional disturbance, orthopedic impairment, etc). Brief review of educational strategies used with particular problems. Site visits to acquaint the student with services, settings, and teacher roles.
EDU 121 — Introduction to Early Childhood Education
EDU 210 — Human Development
<b>EDU 211 — Educational Psychology</b>
<b>EDU 220</b> — Creative Activities for Young Children
EDU 221, 222 — Trends and Issues in Education I, II 3 Credits In-depth analysis of a particular topic, concern, or problem in education.
<b>EDU 230</b> — Administration of Early Childhood Education Programs3 Credits Administrative and managerial procedures relevant to the operation of early childhood education programs.
EDU 231 — Field Experiences I
EDU 232 — Field Experiences II
EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY-PARAMEDIC
EMT 102 — Emergency Medical Technician Basic-Part I
Covers all emergency medical techniques currently considered to be within the responsibilities of the basic EMT providing emergency care with an ambulance service. Areas to be included are cardiopulmonary resuscitation, splinting, bandaging, medical emergencies, and childbirth. Also covered are the functions of the Emergency Medical Services, the legal aspects, emergency driving techniques, and medical ethics. This

class meets for a total of 75 hours — 30 hours are lab. (Prerequisites: Students must have approval of the program director to obtain admission to this course, a CPR card and an EMS application filed with the Program Director.) Class size is limited. F

Combination lecture/lab (5 hours/week)

#### EMT 106 — Emergency Medical Technician Basic-Part II . . . . . . . . . . 6 Credits (EMT Basic Part II)

A continuation of the training course for the basic EMT. Upon successful completion the student will have satisfied one of the eligibility criteria for taking the Basic EMT licensure examination given by the Tennessee Department of Health and Environment, Division of Emergency Medical Services. This class meets for a total of 90 hours — 30 hours are lab. (Prerequisite: EMT 102) S

Combination lecture/lab (5 hours/week) 2 hours clinical

This course covers all aspects of vehicle rescue, crash rescue and extrication. The course also deals with, and stresses personal safety during extrication operations. Facts on late model car structure and extrication methods and patient protection will be emphasized. Successful completion of this course allows the student to sit for the certification examination given by the Tennessee Association of Rescue Squads. (Prerequisite: EMT 101) F

3 hours lecture

#### EMT 108 — Emergency Medical Dispatcher (EMD) ................... Credits

This course covers all aspects of the Emergency Medical Dispatch curriculum, maintaining D.O.T. standards. The course covers CPR, First Aid, Basic Telecommunication skills, and Basic EMD skills. Successful completion of this course certifies the student as a EMD, recognized by the D.O.T. (no prerequisites) F

6 hours lecture

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This initial training course in the art of pre-hospital emergency medical care follows the guidelines set by the Department of Transportation (D.O.T.). Successful completion enables the student to sit for licensure examination given by the Department of Health and Environment, Division of Emergency Medical Services. First Responders are individuals trained to assess patients, provide emergency care, and when necessary, move patients without causing injury. This class is 60 hours long — 16 hours are lab. (Prerequisites: Students must have approval of the program director to obtain admission to this course, and an EMT Program application filed with the EMS Program Director.) Class size limited, F. Sp. Su

Combination lecture/lab (4 hours/week)

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This course studies fluids and electrolytes in the body with emphasis placed upon the manifestation of fluid and electrolyte imbalances. The manifestations of dehydration and overhydration are included. The course also deals with the causes, signs, and symptoms of shock, fluid administration through intravenous techniques and the application of medical anti-shock trousers (MAST). Successful completion of this course allows the student to sit for certification examination given by Department of Health and Environment, Division of Emergency Medical Services. This class meets for a total of 60 hours — 9 hours are lab. (Prerequisites: Students must hold current Tennessee licensure as an EMT or be licensure eligible. Students must have an EMS application filed with the EMT Program Director.) F, Sp

Combination lecture/lab (3 hours/week) — 2 hours clinical

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This course is designed to familiarize rescue and EMS personnel with the proper techniques for negotiating entrance and in-cave pits. Students will learn how to select and assemble their personal vertical and horizontal caving equipment, rig, rappel and ascend drops in a safe manner.

#### EMT 115 — Advanced Cardiac Life Support - ACLS ...... 1 Credit

An introduction to common medical emergencies encountered by pre-hospital care providers. Emphasis is on the recognition and management of emergencies relating to the respiratory and cardiovascular systems. Students must show proficiency in EKG recognition and the advance treatment of the patients in cardiopulmonary arrest. Upon successful completion of this course, students will be ACLS trained by the American Heart Association. This course is available to EMTs, paramedics, nurses, respiratory therapists, and physicians.

#### EMT 116 — Basic Trauma Life Support - BTLS . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 Credit

A study of the assessment and treatment of victims suffering traumatic injury. Emphasisis on airway maintenance with cervical spine immobilization and currently accepted treatments for life threatening injuries related to the cardiopulmonary, musculo-skeletal, gastro-intestinal, and nervous systems. Upon successful completion of the BTLS course, students will receive certification by the Tennessee Chapter of the American College of

the Emergency Physicians. This course is available to EMTs, paramedics, nurses, respiratory therapists, and physicians.

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# EMT 118 — Pre-Hospital Trauma Life Support - PHTLS . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 Credit A study of the assessment and treatment of victims suffering traumatic injury. Emphasis is on airway maintenance with cervical spine immobilization and currently accepted treatments for life threatening injuries related to the cardio-pulmonary, musculo-skeletal, gastro-intestinal, and nervous systems. Upon successful completion to the PHTLS course, students will receive certification by the American College of Surgeons. This course is available to EMTs, paramedics, nurses, respiratory therapists, and physicians.

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3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

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3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

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This course provides the licensed EMT with the medical knowledge and skills to complement their existing level of training in wilderness areas. Areas covered include patient assessment, prolonged transport, medical rescue equipment, trauma, environmental medicine, backcountry medicine and wilderness rescue training. (Prerequisite: First Responder, EMT, EMT-IV, paramedic, LPN, RN, or physician)

3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

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Combination lecture/lab (10 hours/week) — 2 hours clinical

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pathophysiology of shock, general pharmacology, major incident response and stress management. (Prerequisite: PRIOR admission to the Paramedic Program; Corequisite: EMT 221) F
8 hours lecture — 6 hours laboratory
EMT 212 — Paramedic II
EMT 216 — Paramedic III
2 hours lecture — 6 hours laboratory
EMT 217 — Comprehensive Advanced Cardiac Life Support 3 Credits  An introduction to common cardiac emergencies encountered by pre-hospital care providers. Emphasis is on the recognition and management of emergencies relating to the respiratory and cardiovascular systems. This course covers interpretation of EKG rhythm strips, identifying and recognizing acute injury, ischemia infarct on 12-lead EKG, interpretation of ABG's. Upon successful completion of this course, students will be ACLS trained by the American Heart Association. This course is available to EMTs, paramedics, nurses, respiratory therapists, and physicians.  3 hours lecture
EMT 221 — Clinic I
EMT 222 — Clinic II
EMT 223 — Clinic III
EMT 300 — Dysrhythmia Recognition & Treatment
ENGINEERING CORE

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primary and secondary auxiliary views. Application of computer-aided Design and Drafting (CADD) in solving engineering problems. Three two-hour periods or two three-hour periods, including one hour of lecture per week.
ERG 162 — Fundamentals of Engineering Graphics II
ERG 211 — AutoCAD I
ERG 212 — AutoCAD II
ERG 221 — Surveying I
ERG 241-249 — Independent Engineering Investigation
ENGINEERING SCIENCE
ESC 111 — Survey of Engineering
ESC 112 — Computer Aided Engineering
<b>ESC 121 — Mechanics I: Statics</b>
ESC 131 — Mechanics II: Particle Dynamics
ESC 201 — Numerical Techniques
ESC 202 — Introduction to Materials Science and Engineering3 Credits

Correlation of atomic structure, crystal structure and microstructure of solids with mechanical, physical and chemical properties of engineering significance. (Prerequisite: CHE 121)

ESC 205 — Rigid Body Dynamics		
ESC 211 — Statics		
ESC 212 — Dynamics		
ENGLISH		
<b>ENG 101</b> — Composition I		
ENG 102 — Composition II		
ENG 201 — World Literature I		
ENG 202 — World Literature II		
ENG 203 — Appalachian Literature		
ENG 211 — American Literature I		
<b>ENG 212</b> — American Literature II		
<b>ENG 213</b> — Introduction to Poetry		
<b>ENG 223, 224, 225</b> — Seminar in Creative Writing		
ENG 231 — Technical Writing		
HONORS: Composition II and World Literature I and II are offered in an Honors format. Admission to Honors classes is by permission.		

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH**

- **EHT 201 Environmental and Occupational Law and Regulations ...3 Credits**Survey of federal and state regulations relating to waste management, occupational health, air and water pollution, environmental management, and radiological safety. Sp

#### **FRENCH**

#### **GEOGRAPHY**

Geography is a subject which in its broadest sense studies the earth-atmosphere system and human activities therein. As such, geography provides an unusual blend of social science and natural science. Prospective students should note that the 3-credit-hour courses in geography generally are classified as social science credits. The 4-credit-hour sequence (GGY 101, 102, Geography of the Natural Environment I, II) fulfills the natural/physical science requirements in most liberal arts programs.

3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

#### **GEOLOGY**

The geology sequence offers students an additional branch of science which will fulfill natural/physical science curriculum requirements. Geology provides a perspective about the earth that may be very helpful in numerous other fields of study including archaeology, anthropology, forestry, soil science, biology, and engineering. The courses listed below do not have to be taken in sequence, and there are no prerequisites.

3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

#### **GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS**

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An introductory course dealing with the basics of using computerized map information in science, education, social science, and business applications. Students will learn to organize their own projects using Windows or Macintosh based mapping software, local data, and a variety of geographic information technologies and tools. Business, education, and social science applications emphasize demographic data while scientific

applications emphasize environmental and facility management issues. (Prerequis Working knowledge of Windows or Macintosh based PC systems) F 3 hours lecture — exercise	ite:
GIT 105 — Cartography and Digital Image Analysis	n of
GIT 110 — Geographic Database Technology	e of s of erar- ata- ality am- ine,
GIT 210 — Imaging and Global Positioning Technology3 Creating	dite
Using Global Positioning System (GPS) technology, this course will introduce topic data capture (including scanning), editing, registration and rectification to provide image for the extraction of geographic data such as property boundaries, streets, stre and structures. Uses of GPS in this course are to provide reference points for registe and rectification of images, verifying and correcting map data as well as creating retime maps with the use of laptop computers. (Prerequisites: GIT 101 and GIT 110 or veconsent of the instructor)	s of e an ams ring eal-
GIT 220 — GIT Demographic Applications	ities lata.
GIT 230 — GIT Map/Envir/Util & Lc Govt Ap	ities lata. king y to and
GIT 290 — Directed Research Project	phic om-
GERMAN	
GRN 101 — German I	dits and
GRN 102 — German II	dits
GRN 201 — Intermediate German I	

GRN 202 — Intermediate German II
GERONTOLOGY
GER 201 — Behavior Problems of the Institutionalized and the Cognitively Impaired Client
GER 202 — Physical Assessment
GER 203 — Toward Healthy Aging
GER 204 — Nutrition and Nutritional Assessments
GER 205 — Chronic Illness
GER 206 — Psychological Aspects of Aging
HEALTH
HEA 221 — Safety, First Aid and CPR
HEA 223 — Safety in the Workplace
HEA 241 — School Health
HEA 242 — Stress Management

#### **HEALTH SCIENCE**

The emphasis for this course will be on ways to promote health and optimal functioning. This course will examine the myths associated with ageism, some of the theories of aging, normal body changes that are associated with aging, medication use, chronic and acute illnesses, mental health, nutrition, the roles of physical activity and sexuality, and grief, loss and death. This is a course that will not only be useful to nursing students, but for those who are preparing for any health related area, as well as social work, psychology, or any service related field. HEALTH PHYSICS TECHNOLOGY Reviews mathematics and introduces the basic concepts of atomic and nuclear structure, radioactive decay, ionizing radiation, and biological effects of ionizing radiation. (Prerequisite: 2 years of high school algebra; Corequisite: MAT 110) F 3 hours lecture Covers internal and external dosimetry, shielding, radiation detection, and environmental monitoring. (Prerequisite: HPT 111; Corequisite: MAT 119) Sp 3 hours lecture Teaches the principles of operation and the use of portable radiation survey instruments, counting room instrumentation including GM and proportional counters, and liquid scintillation. Introduces gamma ray spectroscopy. (Corequisites: HPT 112 and MAT 119) Sp 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory Study of the core academic knowledge and skills required of entry level radiation control technicians. Includes applying skills in mathematics, algebra, physical sciences and life sciences to the control of occupational exposure of workers to ionizing radiation. Topics include radiation mathematics, physical sciences, nuclear physics, sources of radiation, biological effects of radiation, radiological protection, exposure control, and radiation detector theory and operation. (Enroll by permission of instructor.) Elective credit only. 3 hours lecture A continuation of the concepts of HPT 121 with particular emphasis on identifying and quantifying radioactive materials. Extensive training in the use of multi-channel analyzers in alpha, beta and gamma spectroscopy is provided. Also the advanced techniques of X-Ray Fluorescence Analysis and Neutron Activation Analysis are covered. (Prerequisites: HPT 111 and HPT 121) F 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory HPT 242 — Internship ......1-5 Credits This work experience is designed to familiarize the student with application of health physics principles on the job. Efforts will be made to place students in an area which supports their career goals. (A minimum of 300 contact hours) No student may enroll in an internship unless the approval of the instructor is obtained. F, Sp, Su

#### HISTORY

This is a one semester college-level course designed to remove the high school unit deficiency in U.S. History. The course will examine the political, social, cultural and economic development of the United States from the colonial period through the present. This course will not fulfill the college's core curriculum requirement for history. (Offered as needed; permission of instructor required.)

HIS 111 — History of Western Civilization I
HIS 112 — History of Western Civilization II
*HIS 161 — World History I
*HIS 162 — World History II
*Accepted for history sequence requirement at UTK, UTC, and MTSU.
HI\$ 211 — United States History to 1877
HIS 212 — United States History Since 1877
HOME ECONOMICS
HEC 131 — Elementary Nutrition
HUMANITIES
HUM 261-290 — Humanities Seminar
INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE

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IHT 102 — Industrial Hygiene II
IHT 221 — Occupational Safety and Protection
IHT 242 — Internship
INCLIBANCE
INSURANCE
The INS prefix will be used to offer various service courses to the insurance industry. These courses will use the course descriptions furnished by the industry and credit will be granted based upon the recommendations of the American Council of Education (ACE). For more information contact the division head of Business and Economics.
JAPANESE
JPN 101 — Beginning Japanese I
JPN 102 — Beginning Japanese II
JOURNALISM
JRN 111 — Introduction to Mass Communications
JRN 121 — Journalism Practicum I
JRN 201 — Editing, Design and Management
JRN 231 — Writing for Mass Media

JRN 241 — Publicity and Public Relations				
JRN 251 — Advertising Principles				
LAW				
(Legal Assisting)				
LAW 101 — Basic Law I				
LAW 102 — Basic Law II				
Training and role of law office personnel; ethical and professional practice standards; legislation, administrative process; government regulation of business, anti-trust, and consumer law; torts; contracts; investigations; domestic relations; wills, estates, and trusts. S				
LAW 140 — Legal Research				
Legal bibliography including codes, administrative regulations, reporters, digests, encyclopedias, citators, law reviews, and treatises; analysis and synthesis of cases. (Prerequisite: LAW 101) S				
LAW 150 — Legal Writing				
Legal writing skills including precision and clarity, legal citation, and format; drafting of law office and trial memoranda, trial court brief, appellate brief, and abstracting depositions; analysis and synthesis of legal materials. (Prerequisite: LAW 140)				
LAW 160 — Torts				
Non-contractual obligations which an individual in society owes others according to common law and statute; emphasis on intentional acts violating legally protected interest.				
LAW 170 — Criminal Law				
Substantive aspects of criminal law including general principles of criminal liability, specific analysis of particular crimes; subjective defenses to crime. Cross-listed with PST 221. F				
LAW 201 — Domestic Relations				
Laws, procedures, and documents involved in domestic relations; breach of promise to marry; marriage; annulment; divorce; adoption; child custody/support. (Prerequisite: LAW 102 or permission of program director) S				
LAW 211 — Business Organizations				
Sole proprietorships, partnerships, corporations, and other business vehicles; formation of various types of business entities; preparation of appropriate documents. (Prerequisite: LAW 102 or permission of program director) S				
LAW 221 — Civil Trial and Appellate Practice I				
Procedural law; preparation and use of pleadings and other documents involved in the trial and appeal of a civil action. (Prerequisites: LAW 101 and 102) F				
LAW 222 — Civil Trial and Appellate Practice II				
Procedural law; preparation and use of pleadings and other documents involved in the trial and appeal of a civil action. (Prerequisite: LAW 221)				

LAW 231 — Estates and Trusts I				
without a will; administration, taxation of estates and inheritances; basic requirements for trusts, wills, guardianships, and conservatorships; administration of a decedents estate including income tax consequences; case analysis; preparation of necessary documents. (Prerequisite: LAW 102 or permission of program director)				
LAW 232 — Estates and Trusts II				
LAW 240 — Legal Externship				
LAW 241 — Real Property				
LAW 251 — Public Benefits/Administrative Advocacy				
LAW 261 — Creditor Rights and Bankruptcy				
LAW 271 — Investigations/Pretrial Advocate				
LAW 275 — Income Tax				
LAW 280 — Special Topics in Law				
LAW 290 — Independent Studies in Legal Assisting				
MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING				
MRI 110 — Introduction to MRI				

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2 hours lecture

### **MATHEMATICS**

The State Board of Regents, governing board of Roane State Community College, has endorsed a provision aimed at strengthening mathematics in the System institutions. This provision states that the mathematics course taken to fulfill the requirement for graduation must carry high school prerequisites of two years of algebra and one year of geometry.

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Topics include symmetry, congruence, similarity, right triangle relationships, and geometrical modes of thinking in problem solving.

NOTE: This course is required of all students majoring in a transfer program who have not had high school geometry or another advanced high school mathematics course with geometry as a major component and will not fulfill the requirement for graduation. F, Sp

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This course is designed to prepare the allied health student to function in academic and clinical settings with mathematics competence. Topics of study include fractions, fractional equations and formulas, ratios and proportions, apothecaries and metric measurements, dosage calculations, logarithms, and statistics. (Prerequisites: Two years of high school algebra and one year of high school geometry or appropriate developmental mathematics courses) This course does not meet math requirement for AS/AA degree, nor does it carry transfer credit. F, Sp

## MAT 110 — College Algebra ......3 Credits

A course in algebraic functions, their properties and uses — equations, inequalities, graphs, systems of linear equations, analytical geometry including ellipse and hyperbola. Applications are in the mathematics of finance as well as the laws of growth and decay in other areas. (Prerequisites: Two years of high school algebra and one year of geometry or appropriate developmental mathematics courses) F, Sp, Su

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An introduction to probability and statistics without calculus. Topics covered include sampling, frequency distribution, elementary probability, hypotheses testing, linear regression and correlation, analysis of variance and non-parametric statistics. A scientific calculator is required. (Prerequisite: MAT 110 or consent of instructor) F, Sp, Su

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Designed for the education major, this course includes symbolic logic, logical reasoning and the nature of proofs, sets, language and rules of operations, history of early numeration systems, relations and functions, the systems of whole numbers, of integers, and of rational numbers. (Prerequisites: Two years high school algebra and one year of geometry or appropriate developmental mathematics) F

## A continuation of MAT 116 and designed also for education majors, this course includes elementary number theory, irrational numbers, basic algebra, interest problems, plane and solid geometry, the metric system, and basic statistics. (Prerequisite: MAT 116) Sp. Analysis of functions of angles, solutions of right and general triangles, graphs of trigonometric functions, identities and formulas, equation-solving techniques, DeMoive's Theorem, polar coordinates, and exponential and logarithmic functions. A calculus sequence student who is lacking in trigonometry background is strongly advised to take this course either before or concurrent with MAT 141. A calculator with trig and log functions will be needed by the student. (Prerequisites: Two years high school algebra and one year of geometry, or appropriate developmental mathematics and MAT 110) F, Sp, Su A one-semester single-variable calculus course for students not planning to major in science, engineering, mathematics, or computer science. This course is offered primarily for students in the Business transfer programs. The calculus of algebraic, exponential, and logarithmic functions with applications. (Prerequisites: Two years of high school algebra and a year of geometry with an ACT score of 24 or higher or MAT 110 or MAT 130; students who have taken DSM 082 must take 110; students planning to transfer to UT Business School should check with UT concerning the math requirements for their particular major.) F. Sp. MAT 122 — Calculus for Business and the Life Sciences II . . . . . . . . . . . 3 Credits A sequel to MAT 121 and designed also for the student in the Business transfer programs, this course includes multi-variable calculus, elementary matrix algebra, and optimization. (Prerequisite: MAT 121 or 141; students planning to transfer to UT Business School should check with UT concerning the math requirements for their particular major.) Sp MAT 130 — Pre-Calculus ......4 Credits Designed primarily for students planning to enter the calculus sequence, but who need more mathematical background. Topics include functions and graphing — algebraic, trigonometric, exponential and logarithmic, equations, the binomial theorem, and conics. A calculator with trig and log functions will be needed by the student. (Prerequisites: Two years high school algebra and a year of geometry or appropriate RSCC courses, e.g. developmental and MAT 110; regardless of high school background, an ACT of less than 23 on the math component indicates that the student would profit from taking MAT 130.) F, Sp The standard course in single-variable calculus designed for students of science, engineering, mathematics, and computer science. Topics included are rates of change, limits, continuity, differentiation, applications of the derivative, integration and applications of the definite integral. (Prerequisites: Two years high school algebra, one year of geometry, and one year of advanced math (including trigonometry) plus satisfactory ACT scores of 26 or above on the math component, or MAT 130) F, Sp NOTE: Students deficient in trigonometry should take MAT 119 either before or concurrent with MAT 141. MAT 142 — Calculus II ......5 Credits This course includes the differentiation and integration of transcendental functions with applications, additional methods of integration, analytic geometry, polar coordinates, parametric equations, and infinite series. (Prerequisite: MAT 141) Sp, Su

This calculus-based course is designed primarily for students of Business and Economics. It includes descriptive statistics, concepts of probability and probability distributions, binomial and normal distributions, linear correlation and regression, estimation and significance tests for means, ANOVA, contingency tables and quality control.

A calculator is required. (Prerequisite: MAT 121 or MAT 141) Sp

Physics).

MAT 221 — Discrete Mathematics I	s sym- e con-			
MAT 222 — Discrete Mathematics II	graph			
MAT 232 — Differential Equations	linear			
MAT 241 — Calculus III	partial			
MAT 251 — Matrix Algebra	cludes alues,			
MAT 270-271-272 — Independent Study	a fac- natical			
MATH-SCIENCE				
MSC 101 — Science Literacy	e and			
MSC 102 — Survey of Science	redits cusses			
MATH-SCIENCE SEMINAR				
MSC 261-289	in any			

## MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNOLOGY

Completion of all but one general education course is required before taking any MLT courses during the second year of the program.

MLT 105 — Introduction to Medical Laboratory Technology . . . . . . . 4 Credits

An introduction to the clinical laboratory sciences which includes orientation to the
clinical laboratory, duties of the medical laboratory professional, medical terminology,
medical ethics, quality control, urinalysis, laboratory safety, and basic laboratory math.
(Prerequisite: MAT 110 College Algebra. Corequisites: CHE 122, General Chemistry II.
Course open to students not accepted into the MLT program on a space available basis.)
MLT 105 is a prerequisite to all other MLT courses. Sp

3.5 hours lecture — 2 hours laboratory

MLT 122 — Microbiology and Parasitology					
MLT 202 — Hematology and Coagulation					
MLT 213 — Chemistry					
MLT 222 — Immunology and Immunohematology					
MLT 253 — Clinical Education I					
MLT 254 — Clinical Education II					
MLT 255 — Clinical Education III					
MLT 263 — Seminar I					
MLT 264 — Seminar II					
MEDICAL RECORD TECHNOLOGY					
MRT 102 — Introduction to Medical Records					

## An introduction to various coding and classification systems used in health care. This course will focus on ICD-9-CM coding. Laboratory practice time devoted to ICD-9-CM coding, (Prerequisite: MRT 102) Sp. 2 hours lecture - 3 hours laboratory/week MRT 105 — Medical Terminology ......4 Credits Greek and Latin elements of medical terminology, stems, suffixes, prefixes and root words. Medical terminology pertaining to each body system. F 4 lecture hours/week Introduction to health care data, indexes and registries. The calculation of rates and per-

techniques of maintaining data will be discussed along with data display techniques. (Prerequisite: MRT 102; Corequisite: MRT 103) Sp

3 hours lecture/week

centages used by health care facilities will be emphasized. Manual and automated

## MRT 108 — ICD-9-CM and CPT Coding Basics ......4 Credits

Entry-level course in ICD-9-CM disease and procedural coding and CPT coding. Students will learn the basics of both coding systems employed in health care facilities, coding rules and guidelines, and practice both coding systems utilizing practice exercises. This course is designed for students that have never utilized either the ICD-9-CM or CPT coding system or who have acquired their coding knowledge through on-thejob training without the benefit of formal coding instruction. This course is for elective credit and does not meet any degree requirement. (Prerequisite: students must be currently employed in a health care facility.)

4 hours lecture/week

## MRT 110 — Business Aspects of a Medical Practice . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3 Credits

This course will focus on the essential aspects of management of a medical practice. Emphasis will be placed on methods of establishing an efficient front office, handling office accounting and payroll, personnel functions, and computer hardware and software analysis and selection. F

3 hours lecture

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To provide the student a foundation in federal and state legislation regarding medical record release, retention, authorizations, and consents. The importance of confidentiality and professional ethics will be emphasized. The medical record in court and the medicolegal importance of accurate documentation will be presented. F

2 lecture hours/week

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Orientation to a hospital medical record department under the supervision of a medical record practitioner in an area hospital. Content of the practice will include chart assembly and analysis, release of information, filing, and the patient index. (Prerequisite: MRT 102; Corequisites: MRT 103, MRT 106) Sp

45 hours clinical experience

### MRT 120 — Revenue Optimization Techniques in a

This course will focus on techniques and strategies for increasing revenue in a medical practice. Managed care concepts and strategies as well as general reimbursement methodologies in a medical practice will be emphasized. Essential aspects will include effective billing and collection procedures, insurance claims processing and monitoring, accurate and complete CPT and ICD-9-CM coding needed to appropriately reflect the level of care and services rendered and the documentation essential to support the claim. F

MRT 121 — Medical Transcription
MRT 122 — Optimizing Reimbursement
3 Hours recture
MRT 125 — Pharmacology for the Clinical Coder
MRT 130 — CPT Coding
MRT 140 — Medical Office Procedures
An introduction to business aspects of a medical practice including third party payers, claims filing and processing, accounting and payroll functions. Sp  2 lecture hours/week
MPT 221 Advanced Medical Pacerd Procedures 2 Credite
MRT 221 — Advanced Medical Record Procedures
MRT 222 — Pathology and Clinical Interpretations
An introduction to common disease processes, their clinical signs, symptoms, and manifestations. Diagnostic radiology and laboratory examinations, pharmacological and other treatment modalities employed in the treatment of disease will be emphasized. F  4 hours lecture/week
MRT 231 — Directed Practice I
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MRT 232 — Directed Practice II
MRT 241 — Medical Record Computer Applications 2 Credits
Practice time will be spent utilizing several different software packages specifically related to medical records. Medical record abstracting, DRG grouping, encoding, automated chart deficiencies, master patient indexes, and chart locators will be used by the student. (Prerequisites: MRT 103, MRT 251) Sp  2 hours/week — 30 clock hours

Advanced topics in ICD-9-CM coding focusing specifically on Official Coding Guidelines, sequencing skills and the use of ICD-9-CM in health care reimbursement. The prospective payment system theory and methodology will be the course focus. Ambulatory Patient Groups will be introduced. Laboratory practice in coding and optimization techniques using actual medical records and a computerized grouper. (Prerequisite: MRT 103) F 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory/week This course will emphasize current philosophy and methodology in conducting an effective utilization review and quality assurance program for a health care facility. Requirements of various governmental, third party payers, and accreditation bodies regarding appropriate utilization of resources and continuous quality improvement will be emphasized. (Prerequisite: MRT 103) F 2 hours lecture/week MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTION MDT 102 — Medical Terminology ....... 3 Credits A study of medical terminology word elements including prefixes, suffixes and root words. Diagnostic, clinical, laboratory, pharmaceutical and surgical terms are also learned as they pertain to each body system. F 3 hours lecture/week MDT 103 — Anatomy Concepts in Medical Transcription ........... 2 Credits A study of basic anatomy and physiology of all body systems. F 2 hours lecture/week MDT 104 — Basic Medical Transcription . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 5 Credits Transcription practice utilizing dictated medical reports such as histories and physicals, consultations, operative reports, discharge summaries, x-ray and pathology reports. Transcription procedure is also learned. F 14 hours practice/week Advanced medical transcription with emphasis on speed and accuracy in a variety of types of medical transcription. Sp 15 hours laboratory/week MDT 112 — Clinical Practicum ...... Transcription experience in a medical facility. Sp 16 hours clinical/week MDT 113 — Pharmacology Concepts in Medical Transcription . . . . . 2 Credits This course will familiarize the student with the trade names and brand names of a variety of medications, drug classifications and general therapeutic use. 2 hours lecture/week MILITARY SCIENCE MIL 110 — Basic Military Science ......4 Credits The formation and functioning of the American Defense Establishment, customs and

MIL 220 — Basic Officer Skills			
MUSIC			
THEORY AND LITERATURE			
MUS 110 — Music Theory I (Fall only)			
MUS 111 — Theory Practicum I (Fall only)			
MUS 130 — Music Appreciation			
MUS 131 — Pop Music in America			
MUS 140 — Fundamentals of Music			
MUS 210 — Music Theory III (Fall only)			
MUS 220 — Music Theory IV (Spring only)			
MUS 211 — Theory Practicum III (Fall only)			
MUS 221 — Theory Practicum IV (Spring only)			
MUS 230 — Introduction to Music Literature I			
MUS 240 — Introduction to Music Literature II			
MUS 250 — Choral Conducting			

**APPLIED MUSIC: ENSEMBLES** 

Non-music majors are invited to participate in any of the music ensembles. Auditions are required only for MUS 163 - Celebration, MUS 164 - First Class, and MUS 168 - Jazz Band; all other ensembles are open to all students. Members are expected to attend all rehearsals and performances. Failure to do so may affect the student's grade for the course.
MUS 107 — Music Practicum
MUS 160 — Roane State Concert Choir
MUS 163 — Celebration
MUS 164 — First Class
MUS 165 — Small Instrumental Ensembles
MUS 166 — Concert Band
Performs traditional and contemporary wind ensemble literature. Open to all qualified stu-
Performs traditional and contemporary wind ensemble literature. Open to all qualified students. Meets three hours per week. Open to all students who play band instruments. F, Sp MUS 168 — Jazz Band
Performs traditional and contemporary wind ensemble literature. Open to all qualified students. Meets three hours per week. Open to all students who play band instruments. F, Sp  MUS 168 — Jazz Band
Performs traditional and contemporary wind ensemble literature. Open to all qualified students. Meets three hours per week. Open to all students who play band instruments. F, Sp  MUS 168 — Jazz Band
Performs traditional and contemporary wind ensemble literature. Open to all qualified students. Meets three hours per week. Open to all students who play band instruments. F, Sp  MUS 168 — Jazz Band

MUS 103 — Class Piano I	1 Credit
MUS 104 — Class Piano II	1 Credit
Group instruction in basic keyboard technique for students with little prior	training in
piano, or for music majors preparing for a piano proficiency examination	Flectronic

Group instruction in basic keyboard technique for students with little prior training in piano, or for music majors preparing for a piano proficiency examination. Electronic pianos will be used. Class meets twice weekly. Daily practice required. Should be taken in sequence.

#### APPLIED MUSIC: INDIVIDUAL INSTRUCTION

scholarship awards.)

Private lessons in voice, organ, piano, or other instruments may be taken each semester for one or two semester hours credit. Any student may take private lessons. Scheduling preferences will be given to full-time music majors. Students receive 25 minutes of private instruction per week per semester hour of credit. Any student may take applied music instruction in a minor area.

Requirements include one performance in solo class per semester (when registered for two hours Individual Instruction Credit) and performance before a faculty jury at the close of each semester. A recital is required for music majors in their applied major field during their second year of study. All students taking applied music are required to attend all solo classes and other selected performances. The music department reserves the right to request qualified students to participate in recitals and other musical programs for the benefit of the college and the community. A minimum of 10 hours of practice per week is required of students in their major area of concentration. Five hours of practice per week is required of all others.

Each of the following courses may be repeated for credit. The course number identifies the type of college credit, instrument, and credit hours. Students registering for any of the following courses should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons.

			1ST YEAR	2ND YEAR
	ELECTIVE	ELECTIVE	MAJOR	MAJOR
INSTRUMENT	ONE CREDIT	TWO CREDITS	TWO CREDITS	TWO CREDITS
French Horn	MUS 320	MUS 420	MUS 520	MUS 620
Trumpet	MUS 321	MUS 421	MUS 521	MUS 621
Trombone	MUS 322	MUS 422	MUS 522	MUS 622
Baritone	MUS 323	MUS 423	MUS 523	MUS 623
Tuba	MUS 324	MUS 424	MUS 524	MUS 624
Flute	MUS 330	MUS 430	MUS 530	MUS 630

Oboe	MUS 331	MUS 431	MUS 531	MUS 631
Bassoon	MUS 332	MUS 432	MUS 532	MUS 632
Clarinet	MUS 333	MUS 433	MUS 533	MUS 633
Saxophone	MUS 334	MUS 434	MUS 534	MUS 634
Guitar	MUS 340	MUS 440	MUS 540	MUS 640
Violin/Viola	MUS 341	MUS 441	MUS 541	MUS 641
Cello	MUS 342	MUS 442	MUS 542	MUS 642
String Bass	MUS 343	MUS 443	MUS 543	MUS 643
Piano	MUS 350	MUS 450	MUS 550	MUS 650
Organ	MUS 351	MUS 451	MUS 551	MUS 651
Percussion	MUS 352	MUS 452	MUS 552	MUS 652
Voice	MUS 360	MUS 460	MUS 560	MUS 660

### **NURSING**

6 hours lecture — 12 hours clinical

3 hours lecture — 12 hours clinical

pathophysiologic disturbances and psychiatric dysfunctions and developing advanced nursing skills in assessment, planning, implementation and patient care. (Prerequisite: BIO 222) 6 hours lecture — 12 hours clinical A progression of NSG III with additional physiological and psychosocial health needs. Concurrent focus on exploration of nursing roles, organizational approaches to the delivery of nursing care and contemporary issues in nursing and health care. Clinical experiences focus on refinement of advanced nursing skills. 7 hours lecture — 15 hours clinical Prerequisite Nursing I and II or equivalent. Intermediate nursing focuses on the role of the registered nurse with emphasis on application of the nursing process. The course also includes components of physical assessment, basic mental health concepts, patient education, fluid and electrolyte balance, intravenous therapy, and nutrition. OFFICE ADMINISTRATION OAD 100 — Keyboarding for the Computer ...... 1 Credit A course designed for individuals with no prior keyboarding experience; develops touch mastery needed for information input; emphasis is on speed and accuracy. A pass-fail grading system will be used. NOTE: This course will not be accepted as part of the Office Administration degree. F, Sp An introduction to keyboarding and basic formatting techniques; this course emphasizes speed and accuracy in developing touch mastery for alphabetic, numeric, and symbol information input. F 5 hours per week — lecture and laboratory Building speed and accuracy; formatting letters, tables, manuscripts, and other business documents with emphasis on timed production. (Prerequisite: OAD 101) Sp. 5 hours per week — lecture and laboratory Emphasis is placed on productivity, mastery of word processing functions, and the application of communication skills. Activities simulating a variety of different types of offices such as medical, legal, government, etc., are offered. (Prerequisite: OAD 102) F 5 hours per week — lecture and laboratory This course focuses on the fundamentals of English — parts of speech, word usage, punctuation, capitalization, abbreviations, numbers, spelling, proofreading, editing, etc. F This course is a study of the communication skills necessary to speak and write clearly in a business environment; emphasis is placed on composing business correspondence and oral presentations. (Prerequisite: OAD 105) Sp This course covers machine transcription with emphasis on production of mailable correspondence and the electronic calculator with emphasis on business math applications. (Prerequisite: OAD 101) Sp 

This course is a study of the theory, basic concepts, and procedures of word/information

processing and the application of basic text editing. (Prerequisite: OAD 101) F

OAD 122 — Word/Information Processing II
OAD 132 — Word Processing on the Microcomputer
OAD 133 — Desktop Publishing
OAD 141 — Notetaking I
OAD 142 — Notetaking II
OAD 201 — Administrative Office Management
OAD 211-215 — Seminar in Office Administration
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ASSISTANT
All OTA courses are required to be taken in sequence, as listed in the degree checklist. Admission to the program is required prior to taking OTA courses.
OTA 102 — Introduction to Occupational Therapy
2 hours lecture/week
OTA 103 — Therapeutic Activities
2 hours lecture — 4 hours laboratory/week
OTA 104 — Rehabilitation Communication

2 hours lecture

OTA 110 — Theory and Treatment of Psychosocial Dysfunction 5 Credits  Description of psychosocial dysfunctions commonly treated in occupational therapy. Theories of occupational therapy treatment will be explored and students will practice a variety of techniques used in identifying and treating psychosocial disorders. Sp  4 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory/week
OTA 115 — Level I Psychosocial Fieldwork
OTA 116 — Neurological Theory and Treatment
OTA 210 — Theory and Treatment of Physical Dysfunction 5 Credits  The student will learn about physical pathologies and disabilities commonly seen in occupational therapy as well as current treatment techniques and methods. Treatment applications and rationale will be explored in lecture and laboratory with simulated treatment practice. Sp and Su  4 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory/week
OTA 212 — Occupational Therapy Practice Management 2 Credits  Basic knowledge of the responsibilities of an OT department and in the health care setting. Planning and management of activity service is included. Current topics and issues in OT practice as well as the changing role from student to employee are explored. Sp  30 clock hours lecture/semester
OTA 216 — Pediatric Theory and Treatment
OTA 217 — Level I Physical Disability Fieldwork
OTA 220 — Psychosocial Fieldwork
OTA 225 — Physical Disability Fieldwork
OPTICIANRY
OPT 101 — Introduction to Opticianry

4 hours lecture — 3 hours clinic

## A continuation of Introduction to Opticianry to include frame fit and adjustment, prescription analysis, visual acuity, resolving prisms, influence of vertex distance on prescription, and introduction to presbyopia. 3 hours lecture — 3 hours clinic This course is designed to introduce the student to the most commonly used ophthalmic devices, and the physical make-up of these devices. This includes single vision lenses, spectacle frames, and bifocal lenses, with special emphasis on how these devices are produced. Also included is an introduction to fabrication of lenses, developing a basis for layout, blocking, grinding, and verification procedures. 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory Surveys basic elements of geometric optics. Explores basic theories of light, shadow optics, mirrors, thin lenses, single spherical refracting surfaces. Deals with thick lenses, vergence angular magnification, and telescopes. Emphasizes ray tracing and calculations. (Prerequisite: MAT 110). Sp Combination lecture/lab (4 hours/week) An introduction to the fitting of contact lenses, following the history of contact and the development of new contact lens materials. Advantages and disadvantages of these materials are outlined, as well as indications and contra-indications to contact lens wear. Emphasis is placed on the optical principles behind contact lens correction, and the introduction of basic skills with related instrumentation. 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory OPT 140 — Practicum ......3 Credits Supervised fieldwork in a retail dispensary under a licensed optician, optometrist, or ophthalmologist. 120 total hours A detailed study of the structures and functions of the eye and its adnexa, as well as an overview of common ocular pathologies. 5 hours lecture OPT 210 — Ophthalmic Dispensing II ....... 5 Credits A continuation of Ophthalmic Dispensing I to include the optical properties of spectacle lenses and their relationship to the patient's refractive error, the spectacle management of presbyopia, the spectacle management of high power prescriptions and prescription analysis. 4 hours lecture — 3 hours clinic OPT 220 — Ophthalmic Materials II ......5 Credits A continuation of Ophthalmic Materials I, stressing: multifocal lenses - bifocals, trifocals, occupationals, blended and progressives. Increased hands-on experience with lens edging, including insertion, removal, and bench adjustment of spectacles. ANSI standards applied to all lab work. 4 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory Continuation of Contact Lenses I with increased attention to lens selection and design. Fitting philosophies of hydrogel and gas permeable contact lenses are put into practice, and follow-up care is stressed. Insertion, removal, and diagnostic skills are increased. 4 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

A continuation of Ophthalmic Dispensing II to include advanced prescription analysis, clinical astigmatism, fashion spectacle dispensing, aniseikonia, low vision care, clinical

types of hyperopia, ocular injuries and emergencies, visual field anomalies, orthoptics, prosthetic eyes, ophthalmic instrumentation, and theory of refraction. 4 hours lecture — 3 hours clinic A continuation of Ophthalmic Materials II to include cataract eyewear, glass lens tempering, high minus lens designs/materials, and a variety of specialty lenses. Practice management including; ordering, inventory, duty to warn, equipment maintenance, semantics and salesmanship. Licensed professional responsibilities are presented, along with the latest trends (fashion, technological breakthroughs). Advanced spectacle fabrication in the lab, to include: semi-rimless mounts, various repairs, progressive lenses, bifocal projects, and prism Rxs. 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory Continuation of Contact Lenses II, dealing mainly with special fitting problems and special lens designs. Practice management techniques are included, as well as continued use of all needed instrumentation. 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory **PHILOSOPHY** A study of problems that confront humans as they deal with knowledge and the nature of the world and their interaction with it. Study of the principles of reasoning, deductive and inductive fundamentals, and the use of logic as a practical tool. Critical analysis of the principal ethical theories and their application to the problems of PHL 130-150 — Philosophy Seminar ......1-3 Credits This course is designed to give students an in-depth study of a particular topic in the contemporary branches of philosophy. Introduction to the study of religion through selected historical traditions. East and West. PHL 231 — Medical Ethics ......3 Credits Deals with ethical issues in allied health fields such as abortion, euthanasia, patient-professional relationships, allocation of medical resources, genetic engineering, and related topics. **PHLEBOTOMY** NOTE: All Phlebotomy courses must be taken concurrently. Admission to the Phlebotomy program is required prior to taking any PLB courses. PLB 101 — Anatomy, Physiology, and Terminology ......2 Credits This course introduces the student to basic human anatomy and physiology using a sys-

tems approach which integrates appropriate medical terminology.

2 hours lecture

2 hours lecture

PLB 111 — Phlebotomy Techniques .......4 Credits This course teaches basic technical skills necessary for a phlebotomist, including equipment use, venipuncture, capillary puncture, infection control, safety, and appropriate transportation of specimens. 3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory This course consists of supervised clinical experience in phlebotomy. 120 clinical hours PHYSICAL EDUCATION PED activity classes meet twice a week for the entire semester, with the exception of the video course. Challenge exams and/or proficiency exams are NOT given for PED activity classes. PED 110 — Fitness Walking ......1 Credit Proper techniques for walking for fitness. Emphasis on health benefits of walking. For those interested in losing body fat and improving physical fitness. A continuation of slimnastics, emphasizing cardiorespiratory endurance and changes in the body composition. PED 117 — Basketball ......1 Credit Practice of fundamentals as well as the various types of play. PED 118 — Bowling ....... 1 Credit Proper selection of equipment, correct method of approach and release of the bowling ball, and scoring. A fee will be charged for facility and equipment rental. F, Sp. PED 119 — Folk Dance ......1 Credit Instruction in dances from various countries, including square dances. Acquaintance of the beginning player with correct swing, selection and use of the various clubs, and fundamentals. PED 122 — Soccer ......1 Credit Instruction and practice in the fundamental skills of soccer. PED 123 — Social Dance ......1 Credit Instruction, practice, and teaching in basic social dance steps. PED 130 — Weight Training ......1 Credit An introduction to the proper techniques and practices of weight training. PED 132 — Racquetball ......1 Credit Instruction and practice in racquetball fundamentals. A fee will be charged for facility use.

Instruction and practice in the fundamentals of catching, batting, and backing up other

PED 133 — Softball

positions. Rules and strategies.

PED 136 — Skiing
PED 175 — Concept of Wellness
PED 231 — Wilderness Camping
PED 251 — Swimming
PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT ALL PTA COURSES MUST BE TAKEN IN APPROPRIATE SEQUENCE, AS LISTED IN THE DEGREE CHECKLIST. ADMISSION TO THE PTA PROGRAM IS REQUIRED PRIOR TO TAKING ANY PTA COURSES.
PTA 102 — Introduction to Physical Therapy
PTA 121 — Kinesiology
PTA 141 — Patient Care Techniques
DTA 1E1 Thereneutic Modelities E Credits
PTA 151 — Therapeutic Modalities
PTA 202 — Treatment of Orthopedic Conditions
This course introduces the student to the fundamentals of therapeutic exercise and common orthopedic conditions and related therapeutic procedures, including the following: goniemetry, skeletal and soft tissue conditions of the spine, upper extremities, and lower extremities, and generalized arthritic conditions. There will be opportunity to learn and practice specific treatment techniques for these conditions. F  4 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

## PTA 212 — Treatment of Neurological Conditions ................. 5 Credits

This course introduces the student to common neurological pathologies and to concepts of rehabilitation and accepted treatment techniques. The student is introduced to basic techniques which the PTA may use and advanced techniques used by the physical therapist. Study of normal movement, abnormal movement, developmental sequence and muscle testing is included. F

4 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

## PTA 214 — Treatment of Medical/Surgical Conditions . . . . . . . . . . . 3 Credits

This course introduces the student to common medical and surgical conditions and their management. Sp

3 hours lecture

## PTA 222 — Treatment of Medical/Surgical Conditions ...... 5 Credits

This course introduces the student to common medical and surgical conditions and related therapeutic procedures, including the following: cardiac disease, respiratory disease, peripheral vascular disease, diabetes, AIDS, obstetrical and gynecological conditions, amputations and prosthetics, orthotics, burns, wound care, chronic pain, oncology and abdominal surgery. In addition, concepts of dealing with the pediatric and geriatric patient are investigated as well as principles of pharmacology and wellness. Sp

4 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

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This concentrated course presents the background information and procedure for performing goniometric measurements, manual muscle testing and fitness screening. It includes the use of these skills by the physical therapist assistant for documentation of patient outcomes. The class requires hands on practice to achieve minimal competency. Sp

1 week/30 hours laboratory

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This course introduces the student to the fundamentals of therapeutic exercise. Rehabilitation concepts and procedures are discussed and practiced in terms of goals, indications, contraindications, progression, modifications, adaptations and documentation per patient status. Treatment of common orthopedic conditions, cardiovascular conditions and amputations are also presented. Sp

4 hours lecture — 6 hours laboratory

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This course introduces the student to the fundamentals of motor retraining in the adult and pediatric patient with neurological damage. Study of normal/abnormal movement, developmental sequence of gross and fine motor skills and motor skill acquisition across the life span are included. Treatment of common neurological, respiratory and ob/gyn conditions are presented. Rehabilitation concepts and procedures are discussed and practiced in terms of goals, indications, contraindications, progression, modifications, adaptations and documentation per patient status. Sp

4 hours lecture — 6 hours laboratory

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This course prepares the PTA student for their final clinical experiences and entry into the field as a physical therapist assistant. The basic principles of administration, management, the supervisory process, performance evaluations, and fiscal considerations are presented. Strategies for obtaining employment are discussed. Effective techniques for inservice presentation, resume writing, interview performance are presented and practiced. Cultural diversity and ethical decision making are reinvestigated. Sp

2 hours lecture

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This course provides information directly related to clinical practice. Included is an overview of adjustment to disability and to the aging process. The basic principles of administration, management, the supervisory process, performance evaluations, and fiscal considerations are presented. Strategies for successfully completing the State

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Licensure Exam and obtaining employment are discussed. Plans for the final clinical experience are completed. Sp  3 hours lecture
PTA 244 — Seminar
PTA 249 — Clinical Education I
120 hours clinic
PTA 252 — Clinical Education II
PTA 253 — Clinical Education III
PTA 254 — Clinical Education II
PTA 255 — Clinical Education III
PHYSICS
PHY 101 — Survey of Physics
PHY 121 — Introductory Astronomy I
PHY 122 — Introductory Astronomy II
3 hours lecture — 2 hours laboratory

PHY 201 — General Physics I
PHY 202 — General Physics II
PHY 205 — Fundamentals of Physics I
2 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory/recitation
PHY 207 — Fundamentals of Physics II
PHY 211 — Physics I
3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory/week
PHY 212 — Physics II
PHY 221 — Modern Physics
PHY 231- 259 — Independent Scientific Investigation
POLICE SCIENCE
PST 101 — Introduction to Law Enforcement
PST 111 — Criminal Procedure
PST 112 — Court Procedures
PST 201 — Police Administration and Organization
PST 213 — Criminal Investigation

PSY 102 — General Psychology II
NOTE: PSY 102 H, Honors, General Psychology II, is an enriched completion of the survey of psychology with extra readings, less lecture and more discussion. (Prerequisite: Consent of instructor)
PSY 211 — Educational Psychology
PSY 213 — Abnormal Psychology
PSY 221 — Developmental Psychology: Childhood Through Early
Adolescence
PSY 222 — Developmental Psychology: Mid-Adolescence Through
Adulthood
PSY 231 — Social Psychology
RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY
RDT 102 — Introduction to Radiologic Technology
RDT 103 — Image Analysis I
RDT 105 — Clinical Education I
RDT 109 — Clinical Education II
RDT 110 — Image Analysis II

RDT 111 — Radiographic Procedures I
RDT 112 — Radiographic Procedures II
RDT 115 — Clinical Education III
RDT 122 — Exposure Technique
RDT 130 — Radiographic Processing
RDT 203 — Image Analysis III
RDT 205 — Clinical Education IV
RDT 210 — Radiographic Procedures III
RDT 212 — Radiographic Procedures IV
RDT 222 — Radiation Protection
2 hours lecture
RDT 225 — Radiation Physics
RDT 226 — Radiologic Science I
RDT 227 — Radiologic Science II
RDT 230 — Image Analysis IV
I hour laboratory

RDT 235 — Clinical Education V
RDT 250 — Clinical Education VI
REAL ESTATE (SEE BUSINESS)
RECREATION
REC 201 — Social Recreation
REMEDIAL STUDIES
NOTE: Courses in this program cannot be used to satisfy the minimum number of hours required for graduation. Evidence of competencies in these areas is prerequisite for college courses numbered 100 or above.
RSM 072 — Basic Mathematics Skills
RSE 073 — Basic Writing Skills
RSR 076 — Basic Reading Skills
RESPIRATORY THERAPY
PTT 114 Posniratory Caro I 2 Credite

3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

 respiratory care departments will be noted by the student. Use and understanding of the patient medical record will be obtained by the student.

8 hours clinical experience

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Course will be a continuation of Respiratory Care I. In this course, the following will be discussed: therapeutic aerosol delivery both long and short term. Aspects of airway care to include: tracheal aspiration, types of uses of various airways, intubation/extubation techniques, cuff care, and trach care procedures will be discussed. Procedure and theory of hyperinfaltion therapy to include: deep breathing and coughing techniques, Sustained Maximal Inspiration SMI therapy, and Intermittent Positive Pressure Breathing (I.P.P.B.) will be discussed. Positive End Pressure (PEP) therapy will also be discussed in this course.

3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

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Students will apply procedural methods learned in Respiratory Care I: this will include application of medical gases, oxygen delivery equipment, use of aerosol and humidity devices, patient assessment and vital signs. Continuation of patient studies using the medical record will be performed. Infection control and practice in communication skills with patients and medical personnel. Students will complete scheduled medical rounds with specific physicians.

16 hours clinical experience

### RTT 121 — Cardiopulmonary-Renal Anatomy and Physiology ..... 4 Credits

An in-depth study of the structure and function of the cardiopulmonary and renal organ systems, including the study of hemoglobin, oxygen, carbon dioxide, and acid base balance in health and disease. (Spring Semester - First Year)

4 hours lecture

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A study of common respiratory abnormalities. Anatomical alterations of the lungs due to disease, the etiology of the disease, the major respiratory-related clinical manifestations associated with the disease process, and treatment of the disease will be studied. (Spring Semester - First Year)

2 hours lecture

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Course will primarily discuss the concepts and physiological effects of mechanical ventilation. The various types of ventilators from hand-held devices to computer controlled devices will be discussed. Various ventilator adjuncts such as P.E.E.P., C.P.A.P., S.I.M.V., Pressure Support, and others will be discussed in this course. Mechanical ventilation preparation, set-up, monitoring, and troubleshooting will be discussed in detail.

3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

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Students will be introduced to critical care medicine during this rotation. Students will perform those procedures studied in Respiratory Care II. Continuation of medical rounds with physicians and studies and presentations of patient medical records.

16 hours clinical experience

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This course will be a continuation of Respiratory Care III. Special ventilatory techniques will be discussed to include: inverse ratio ventilation, independent lung ventilation, high frequency ventilation, airway pressure release ventilation, pressure controlled ventilation, and other new ventilator modalities will be discussed. The theory, application, and troubleshooting of monitoring devices used in conjunction with mechanical ventilation will be discussed. This will include: pulse oximetry, capnography, P-100 studies, apnea monitors, metabolic studies, and other devices used to monitor ventilator patients.

3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

16 hours clinical experience

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This course will be designed to introduce the student to the special therapeutic and diagnostic procedures in respiratory care. Elements of home care to include: equipment, patient/environmental assessment, and state and federal regulations. Theory and introduction to special diagnostics such as brochoscopy, chest tube care, stress testing, pulmonary rehabilitation, transporting patients, metabolic studies, and brachytherapy. Theory and procedure of ventilator weaning will be discussed in detail. Patient education methods will be introduced. Students will be introduced to research methods as they relate to respiratory care. Hyperbaric medicine and sleep medicine will be presented during this course. Care of patients in the sub-acute care will be introduced to the student.

3 hours lecture — 3 hours laboratory

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Students will continue work in the critical care areas and will work with and perform those modalities discussed in Respiratory Care IV. The students will also gain experience in special respiratory care procedures: brochoscopy lab, PFT lab, metabolic lab, hyperbaric lab, etc. Student will continue to complete scheduled medical rounds with physicians: to include working with the physician in the physician's office and attending seminars and classes with the physician. Student will also gain knowledge of and work in the pediatric and neonatal intensive care areas. Rotations in pulmonary rehabilitation/sub-acute care will also be completed by the student. Student will also gain knowledge and experience in elements of respiratory home care therapy. Students must also complete a final clinical summation evaluation during this clinical rotation.

18 hours clinical experience

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2 hours lecture

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2 hours lecture

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3 hours lecture

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This course will introduce the student to the following: Theory and application of cardiac output measurement. Arterial line insertion techniques, care, and hazards. Hemodynamic studies to include: insertion, care, and hazards of flow directed balloon tipped catheter and the central venous pressure catheter. Pressure monitoring will discuss central venous pressures, right arterial pressures, right ventricular pressures, pulmonary artery pressures, and pulmonary occluding pressures. Study will also introduce the student to equipment associated with hemodynamic monitoring such as: transducers and

monitoring devices. Waveform interpretation with clinical application will be discussed. Fundamentals of electrocardiography will be introduced to include: lead application, pharmacology for the cardiovascular problems, and tracing interpretation. Studies in fluid and electrolyte balance as it related to respiratory care will also be discussed.

3 hours lecture

A review and practice of the NBRC Self Assessment Examinations including the entry level written registry, and the clinical simulation. Students must pass these examinations to receive a certificate of completion.

#### SAVINGS

The SAV prefix will be used to offer various service courses to the savings and loan industry. These courses will use the course descriptions furnished by the industry and credit will be granted based upon the recommendations of the American Council of Education (ACE). For more information contact the division head of Business and Economics

#### **SECURITY**

- An overview of security functions, operations, methods and procedures in the private and industrial sector. F
- Exposes the student to the legal guidelines and restrictions the modern security officer must operate within; examines liability concerns arising from private, industrial and governmental job performance. F
- Studies the various forms of perimeter barriers which impact upon security operations, examines insurance considerations, underwriters licensing certification, fire prevention and fire code regulations. Sp
- Studies the various techniques, procedures, resources and technical aids used in security investigation. Sp
- Examines the major management operations of planning, organizing, staffing, directing and controlling in the security field. Sp
- Considers contemporary issues, problems, trends and controversies in the modern security field F

## SOCIAL SCIENCE

- SS 100 Social Science Seminar: Survey of Social Studies .......1-3 Credits This is a one semester college-level course designed to remove the high school unit deficiency in Social Studies. The course will present an overview of the various disciplines designated as Social Studies, namely, anthropology, history, economics, political science, geography, psychology, and sociology. This course will not fulfill the college's core curriculum requirements of a social science course. (Offered as needed; permission of instructor required)
- SS 210-290 Social Science Seminar ......1-3 Credits In-depth analysis of a particular topic, concern, or problem in the social sciences. Courses may be oriented toward any one of the social science disciplines (history, political science, psychology, sociology-anthropology) or may be cross disciplinary in

nature combining several social sciences. Social Science elective credit only. Some examples of frequently offered Social Science Seminars include: African American History; The Civil War; Death and Dying; European Studies; Human Sexuality; North American Indians; The Southwest Field Trip; Women in Western Civilization; and World War II. As needed.

## SSC 116 — African-American History ....... 3 Credits

A general survey of the position and contributions of African-Americans in American History from Colonial America to the present. Emphasis is on the social, cultural, economic and political development of African-American institutions within the larger context of American History. No prerequisite.

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Women in Western Civilization is designed as an introduction to the field of women's history and as a study of the position of women in western society. The experiences of everyday women and of women who significantly contributed to the societies in which they lived are analyzed, based on the writings of any given historical period. This course also examines issues affecting women today. (Cross listed as HUM 288)

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The purpose of this course is to study and gain an understanding of the great central event of American history, the Civil War. Major political, economic, social, and military developments will be examined through use of a textbook, the PBS video series — "The Civil War," lecture, and class discussion.

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This course examines the largest single event in human history, the Second World War. The background to this conflict along with political, diplomatic, and military aspects will be studied through use of a textbook, "The World at War" video series, lecture, and class discussion.

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An interdisciplinary (including contributions from Anthropology, Art, Ethics, Health Sciences, History, Literature, Philosophy, Public and Government Policy, Religion, and Sociology) and humanistic study of death, dying and bereavement, including key issues and concerns. (Cross listed as HUM 261)

### SSC 226 — Human Sexuality ......3 Credits

A survey course dealing with the facets of human sexuality. An overview of the historical, social, cultural and psychological elements of governing human sexual behaviors. No prerequisite.

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A survey course designed to analyze the social construction of gender. Accounts of the historical, social and psychological underpinnings of gender will be covered. Special emphasis will be given to the changes occurring in contemporary society regarding gender roles and their elements. No prerequisite.

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A general survey of native American cultures with emphasis on cultural development, diversity, and comparative analysis. Topics include prehistory, social organization, kinship, politics, religion, and material culture, as well as discussion of current Native American concerns.

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A general survey of the historical and cultural development of the region of Southern Appalachia. Emphasis will be placed on topics such as physiography, native Americans, historical settlement, rivers and transportation, folklore and crafts, farming and mining activities, and political and social developments. This course will include field trips to significant sites such as Cades Cove in the Great Smoky Mountains, the Blue Heron mining community in the Big South Fork National Recreation Area, and the Museum of Appalachia in Norris. As needed. No prerequisite.

# **SOCIOLOGY**

SOC 201 — Introduction to Sociology
principles of explanation used by sociologists, as well as the basic concepts such as culture, socialization, social organization, social deviance, and social stratification. F, Sp, Su
SOC 202 — Social Problems
SOC 211 — Cultural Anthropology
SOC 212 — Prehistoric Archaeology
This course is an introductory survey of human origins and prehistoric cultures. Emphasis is placed on the general principles, history, theoretical orientations, and methods of archaeology. This course will examine a number of prehistoric cultural lifeways from the beginnings of human culture to the rise of civilization. (As needed)
SOC 214 — Marriage and the Family
This course is an examination of the family as a social institution. Emphasis is placed on comparative and historical approaches to the family, the relationship of the family to social organization, change and conflict within the family, and possible future developments. Other key social institutions may be examined in terms of the structural arrangements, changing interpretations and functions, and conflicts concerning social goals and values. Offered as needed.
SPANISH
SPA 101 — Beginning Spanish I
SPA 102 — Beginning Spanish II
SPA 201 — Intermediate Spanish I
Advanced grammar and conversation through use of films, videotapes, cassette tapes, filmstrips, computer programs and library readings. (Prerequisite: SPA 102)
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Advanced grammar and conversation through use of films, videotapes, cassette tapes, filmstrips, computer programs and library readings. (Prerequisite: SPA 102)  SPA 202 — Intermediate Spanish II

<b>SPE 211 — Interpersonal Communication</b>
SPE 221 — Business and Professional Speaking
SPE 231 — Fundamentals of Acting I
SPE 232 — Fundamentals of Acting II
SPE 241 — Introduction to Theatre
SPE 242 — Fundamentals of Theatrical Production
SPE 251 — Theatre Practicum I
TECHNOLOGY
TEC 101 — General Technology I
<b>TEC 102 — General Technology II</b>
TEC 201 — General Technology III
WASTE MANAGEMENT
WMT 101 — Intro to Waste Management
WMT 121 — Environmental Sampling

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WMT 221 — Waste Reduction and Packaging Techniques3 Credits Study of methods for collection and packaging for liquid, gaseous, and solid wastes. Course will include techniques for volumetric reduction, neutralization, labeling and transporting (DOT) of hazardous wastes. Also included will be cost benefit analysis. F
WMT 242 — Internship
WORKFORCE PREPAREDNESS
WKP 107 — Workkeys Communication I
WKP 108 — Workkeys Communication II
WKP 109 — Business/Manufacturing Math
WKP 110 — Personal Workforce Skills Development
WKP 120 — Professional Work Skills Development
WKP 210 — Social Issues in the Workplace

# Just down the road...



here's more to

college than classwork.

Organizations such as the

Raider Corps provide

opportunities for leadership,

friendship and fun.

# **STUDENT SERVICES**

#### FOOD SERVICES

The College Cafeteria is operated by a private contractor for the express purpose of providing students with good quality food. The cafeteria is open from 7:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. each day classes are in session. The cafeteria serves light breakfast items, hot entrees, vegetables, sandwiches, fruits, desserts, drinks, and several "fast food" items.

RSCC provides vending machines stocked with drinks, candies, chips, sweets, soup, and other items through a contractual agreement with a private vending contractor. To insure that all vending products are first quality, fresh, and good tasting, the vendor replaces all unsold machine items on a regularly scheduled basis.

#### LIBRARY

(423) 882-4553

#### **Roane County**

E-Mail address: LIBRARYSTAFF

The library serves primarily the students, faculty and staff, and, secondarily, members of the surrounding communities. In its collection of books, periodicals, microfilm and other material, the library makes resources available to support the curriculum and to provide for recreational use.

Library hours when classes are in session in Roane County are:

7:45 a.m. to 10 p.m. - Monday through Thursday

7:45 a.m. to 5 p.m. - Friday

9 a.m. to 1 p.m. - Saturday

When classes are not in session, changes in library hours will be posted at the entrance and circulation desk.

A book drop is available so that materials may be returned when the library is closed.

The library online catalog can be searched from any VAX terminal by entering the username LIBRARY. Terminals dedicated to this purpose are located on both floors of the library. Users dialing into the Roane State VAX may also log in to the catalog with the username LIBRARY.

Information available online includes:

- library catalogs of RSCC, UT, TTU and The Library of Congress
- periodical indexes (with full-text articles for some titles)
- Federal information via the Government Printing Office (U.S. Code, Federal Register, etc.)
- ERIC (Educational Resources Information Center)

The Library of Congress classification system is used and books are shelved in open stacks for self-service.

Books may be checked out for a two-week period and may be renewed. No fines are charged for overdue books, but they are subject to recall if needed for another borrower.

All books are to be returned by the end of each semester. Students who have overdue books from Roane State and all other libraries to which they have access as Roane State students will not receive grade reports or be allowed to register the following semester.

Borrowers are responsible for replacement of lost or damaged materials.

Periodicals and newspapers are to be used in the library and do not circulate. A photocopier is available for those who need copies at a cost of 10 cents per copy. Many periodicals are available on microfilm for which reader/copiers are provided.

Interlibrary loan service is provided to students, faculty and staff so that material not owned by the Roane State Library may be borrowed from another library. Information is available from any member of the library staff.

Microcomputers and software are available in the library for public use.

The library has reciprocal borrowing agreements with other libraries for RSCC students and staff. Details are available at the library.

#### Oak Ridge

Students at Roane State Oak Ridge may use the Oak Ridge Public Library at no cost. Details are available at the RSOR administrator's office and the Oak Ridge Public Library. Daily courier service makes circulating materials from the Roane State Library readily available. The library collection, along with periodical indexes and several other information databases (see above), can be searched from designated terminals.

#### **Satellite Centers**

The library collection, along with periodical indexes and several other information databases (see above), can be searched from any satellite center. Some centers have a terminal reserved for this purpose; ask the center coordinator. Daily courier service provides delivery of materials to persons unable to go to the Roane County Campus Library. Requests for materials to be sent from the Roane County Campus Library may be placed through center receptionists or via e-mail to LIBRARYSTAFF.

Public libraries in each of the areas served by the off-campus centers have agreed to help serve RSCC students and staff.

The Howard H. Baker, Jr. Library at the Scott County Center contains a basic reference collection, periodicals, circulating books, CD-ROM information sources and career information.

#### **INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY CENTER**

The Instructional Technology Center, a Tennessee Center of Emphasis for higher education, serves, primarily, the faculty and students and, secondarily, members of the surrounding communities. The purpose of the center is to promote the use of Instructional Technologies to enhance learning at Roane State Community College. The Instructional Technology Center is located on the second floor of the Library on the Harriman campus. The center has, available for use, an assorted collection of audio-visual materials including records, audio tapes, films, video tapes and laser discs. A media specialist is available for assistance using audio-visual materials. However, all audio-visual materials must be used in the library with the exception of faculty requests.

Instructional Technology Center hours are:

7:45 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday

Closed during scheduled administrative closing days and holidays

Microcomputers and software are available in the library for public use. There are also several microcomputer laboratories available for student use.

The ITC is designed to provide the faculty and staff with near state-of-the-art instructional technologies emphasizing instruction to students and staff. The use

of these technologies will be supported through internal instructional workshops emphasizing hands-on use of the equipment and media as well as individual assistance during one-on-one training.

#### INCLEMENT WEATHER

RSCC recommends that students use their own discretion in attending classes when snow and icy conditions exist. Additional information on the cancellation of classes due to inclement weather is available from the local media each day.

#### **BULLETIN BOARDS**

College regulations require that all notices, posters, advertisements, announcements, and other bulletin board information be approved, signed, and dated by the Dean of Student Services (Roane County), Dean of Oak Ridge Branch Campus (Oak Ridge), or site coordinators at the Scott, Loudon, Cumberland, and Campbell Centers. Approval may be obtained during normal working hours. Notices may remain on display for fourteen days (two weeks) before being removed and discarded. Posted material may be saved through personal removal prior to the expiration date. Materials should be posted only on bulletin boards, not walls or window space.

To maintain clean and uncluttered bulletin boards, all notices and announcements must be typed or neatly hand printed. Students should remove all notices personally if posted information becomes obsolete prior to the expiration date.

#### CHANGE OF NAME OR ADDRESS

The Office of Records and Registration should be informed of all changes in the student's legal name for marriage or other reasons, place of residence, mailing address, and telephone number. The college is not responsible for a student's failure to receive official information due to his failure to notify the college of any change(s) stated above.

#### **SMOKING**

Roane State Community College will tentatively become a smoke-free campus. Smoking is permitted only in specific, designated areas on campus. It is not permitted in the classrooms, library, restrooms, laboratories, hallways, or any place on campus that poses a health hazard to other individuals. Receptacles are placed conveniently where smoking is permitted. New policy pending (see Fall 1997 RSCC Student Handbook/Calendar).

#### **SOLICITING**

No soliciting or sales, related to or affecting students, are permitted on the campus without securing prior written approval from the Dean of Student Services or a designee.

#### SUBSIDIARY USE OF THE COLLEGE CAMPUS

As a general rule, visitors who desire to visit the college campus in a casual and informal manner are welcome. Non-members of the college community who have not been authorized in writing to use the college facilities and who repeatedly visit or spend a large portion of their time on the college campus interfere with the normal activities of the college and will be asked to leave.

The buildings, facilities, and campus of the college are reserved and dedicated to educational use, and no use may be made of the facility which is inconsistent with that primary use.

The college, acting on its own or at the request of a registered and recognized campus organization, may invite speakers, performers, or entertainers to appear before audiences on the college campus. No non-member of the college community may speak, perform, or entertain before an audience on the college campus without such an invitation and the written approval of the college of the time, place, and manner of such appearance. Rental of college facilities by non-college personnel may be arranged through the Office of Maintenance and Security (Roane County) or the Dean of the Oak Ridge Campus.

No person or persons shall use any sound amplifying equipment on the college campus other than that requested by the college officials in carrying on the normal activities of the college.

No person shall take advantage of the large concentration and semi-captive audience of students and faculty to organize on the campus any assembly, moratorium, strike, sit-in, parade, demonstration or similar activity which substantially interferes with the normal activities of the college or the rights of others.

No person who threatens to substantially interfere with the normal activities of the college or to substantially interfere with or deny the lawful rights of others to use the facilities of the college shall enter or remain upon the college campus.

Children should not be brought to class or left unattended in any area of the college. Out of consideration to fellow students, faculty and staff, and for safety reasons, please secure appropriate babysitting services off-campus. There are RSCC sponsored programs which may be used for children while you are attending classes or taking care of college business. For more information on these programs call 882-4509.

Non-members of the campus community are required while on the campus to observe and comply with the rules and regulations adopted by the college or the Tennessee Board of Regents. Non-members of the campus community are also required while on the campus to identify themselves upon the request of either campus officers or campus security or other law enforcement officials in the performance of their duty.

#### THE WRITING CENTER

The Writing Center provides free writing assistance to Roane State Community College students, faculty, and staff, and to the community. The purpose of the Writing Center is to promote excellence in writing. The center seeks to develop approaches that put writing at the center of the academic and professional enterprise and to foster the perception of writing as a vital means of communication, as an art form, and as a powerful mode of learning for all subjects.

#### Services

The Writing Center provides these services:

- One-on-one consultation between a writer and a professional writing consultant on manuscripts of any kind, whether for classroom assignments, professional development, or personal growth;
- Workshops for classes or for college, public school, business, or community groups on special writing projects, such as resumes, business letters, memos, reports, articles for publication;
- Word processing, revision, and graphics programs and instruction on Macintosh and IBM computers;

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#### Consulting

Most Writing Center activity consists of one-on-one consultations in which a writing specialist works with an individual writer. Consultants do not edit or proof-read course writing assignments. In discussing student writing, they focus on rhetorical and logical principles. Students are introduced to models of excellence in writing and challenged to think, clearly and critically so that they may achieve excellence in their own writing.

When possible, students should make an appointment in advance and should plan to spend a half hour in conference. To schedule an appointment, students may come by the center or call (423) 882-4641 in Roane County or (423) 481-2026 in Oak Ridge.

#### **COUNSELING AND CAREER RESOURCE CENTER**

#### COUNSELING

The Counseling and Career Resource Center (CCRC) was established to aid students in successfully completing their college work and establishing good foundations for future growth. The center is staffed by a professionally trained, licensed, and nationally certified counselors who provide services for a wide range of problems — educational, vocational, personal, and testing services. A career resource technician, and a placement coordinator are also on staff.

Confidentiality of counseling visits is assured so that students may feel free to discuss their concerns. Counselors also provide opportunities for students to develop interpersonal skills and to become more self-actualized using individual counseling, small group techniques, and workshops in human development. Situations which cause students undue concern may disrupt their interpersonal relations and affect academic achievement. CCRC provides the assistance and atmosphere to work through these problems.

CCRC services includes, but is not limited to the administration of interest or personality tests as requested by the student.

#### CAREER RESOURCE SERVICES

Roane State's Career Resource Center assists all students interested in exploring career options and selecting a major field of study. Through the availabililty of upto-date resources, career decision making workshops and individual advisement, our students have the opportunity to learn the skills necessary to make appropriate career decisions that will directly affect their success in extending the academic world to the world of work.

It is Roane State's goal through the use of a wide variety of resources to give every student the opportunity to maximize his or her career development potential.

#### **PLACEMENT OFFICE**

Roane State's Placement Office offers a full range of services to students seeking employment. A listing of full-time, part-time and temporary jobs is maintained for those seeking employment while pursuing an education.

By promoting the quality of the college's training programs to local employers, it is Roane State's goal to provide its graduates with the best possible employment opportunities. The Placement Office provides a job referral service for those students nearing completion of their program and those who have recently graduated. To receive referral assistance, graduating students must develop a file and authorize the college to send their credentials to prospective employers.

The Placement Office assists students in resume preparation, letter writing and the improvement of interview skills. Individual counseling and group seminars are available to deal with all aspects of organizing a self-directed job search.

#### **TESTING SERVICES**

The Testing Center provides a wide range of services to both the college and the community. The center administers regularly scheduled tests and tests by special appointment.

#### REGULARLY SCHEDULED TESTS

#### **AAPP (Placement Tests)**

The placement exams are given on both campuses and at off-campus centers to Roane State applicants who have been admitted to the college.

#### **College Base Test**

Each graduating sophomore is required by the Tennessee Board of Regents to take a test of general competency. This test does not affect one's graduating status; rather it is a measure of how well Roane State educates its students. Students are encouraged to do their best since Roane State's evaluation and future funding are based on student performance. Students are advised that failure to meet this graduation requirement will result in having the student's diploma held until this condition is met.

#### **ACT-Residual**

The ACT exams are given on both campuses for students who (1) are enrolled, (2) have been admitted, or (3) are in the process of applying to Roane State. The ACT scores from this test are not available for reporting to other institutions or scholarship agencies.

#### **ACT National**

Roane State Community College serves as an area test center for the American College Testing Program (ACT). Tests are given on the Roane County campus on all five of the national test dates. Students wishing to have their scores reported to institutions other than RSCC should take this test. Registration applications are available through high school counselor's offices or the Counseling and Career Resource Center.

#### **GED Test**

The General Education Development (GED) Test for a high school equivalency diploma is administered at the Roane County and Oak Ridge campuses ona regular schedule. Appointments are necessary and may be made by calling 882-4546 in Roane County, 481-2003 in Oak Ridge or by visiting the Counseling and Career Resource Center on either campus.

To be eligible to take the test, an applicant must be (1) eighteen years of age, (2) dropped out or withdrawn from high school, and (3) able to furnish proof of age and identity. A current photo driver's license is the best source of identification. Applicants seventeen years of age with an approved age waiver are also eligible to test.

An equivalency diploma is issued by the State Department of Education upon passing the GED Test by obtaining an overall average score of 45 with no subtest score below 35.

Persons who feel inadequately prepared to take the GED test may contact their local school system or Tennessee Technology Center for GED preparation classes.

#### **LPN Challenge Test**

This test is administered once during the fall and spring semesters for licensed LPNs who wish to qualify for the LPN Career Mobility Program. Scores are valid for three years.

#### **Assessment Scheduled by Special Appointment**

Strong Interest Inventory

SIGI Plus

Myers-Briggs Type Indicator

#### **SUCCESSFUL TRANSITIONS**

### An Enrichment Program for Single Parents and Displaced Homemakers

Roane State offers a special program for single parents and displaced home-makers. The program is primarily designed to assist individuals who are suddenly forced into the work world as the sole support of themselves or their family due to divorce, separation, death or disability of a spouse or due to their choice to be a single parent.

The program is free and open to both males and females, students and non-students. The Single Parent/Displaced Homemaker Program provides:

- Individual counseling
- Support group meetings
- Assessments to match personality and interests to a specific career
- Career counseling
- Assistance in getting enrolled into college or vocational programs
- Workshops on assertiveness training, coping with stress, legal rights, career search, finding a job, financial planning, and other subjects of interest.

#### **HEALTH AND DISABILITY SERVICES**

A complete Health History Form is requested of all students enrolled at RSCC. Under the direction of a sponsoring physician, a clinic is maintained at the Roane County campus without direct cost to the student. A Registered Nurse administers first aid and palliative treatment in minor illness and offers suggested referrals when needed. Self-care stations are available at the Oak Ridge Emory Valley, Campbell County, Scott County, Cumberland County, and Loudon County sites. These provisions are for short term use in case of accident or illness that occurs during the school hours. In addition, the nurse schedules regular hours at the Oak Ridge Turnpike campus and visits other sites as needed. Health consultations and a variety of health programs are offered through the clinic at the Roane County and Oak Ridge campuses. Vision tests are conducted on request.

Since the college does not collect a health fee, each student is responsible for his/her medical bills for services rendered by private physicians/other facilities. Student accident and sickness insurance is available on a voluntary basis through a contract by the State University and Community College System of

Tennessee. Applications and claim forms may be obtained in the clinic or through the Student Services Office, or the site coordinator's office at off-campus sites.

Roane State provides counseling and academic support services to insure that disabled students have access to educational opportunities provided by the college. Any student having a disability which restricts his/her participation in academic life is eligible for services which will be provided to meet the individual student's needs. Roane State serves in a liaison capacity with the Tennessee Division of Vocational Rehabilitation. Registration and other forms of administrative assistance and academic support are provided through Health and Disability Services.

Participation in the services is on a voluntary basis; confidentiality is maintained. The following special services may be provided:

- Special modifications will be made if it is determined that the mode of
  presentation of materials discriminates against the student. This may
  require re-structuring of materials, alternate methods of presentation,
  adjustment of physical facilities, extension of time allowed for tests or
  completion of coursework, etc. Modification should not alter academic
  requirements, and the student will be expected to show competency in
  the course material.
- Individual files are maintained to serve as the guidelines for a particular student during his/her educational term at Roane State Community College. Documentation from a qualified professional must be submitted by the student to the director of Health and Disability Services prior to receiving accommodations.

If possible, students who have a disability requiring special services should contact the Director of Health and Disability Services three weeks before classes begin.

#### STUDENT PROCEDURES FOR SPECIAL SERVICES

To receive the special accommodations mandated in section 504 of the Vocational Rehabilitation Act, the learning and physically disabled are to meet the following guidelines.

- Be identified as possibly learning or physically disabled. Any of the following ways is acceptable: self-referral, instructor referral, counselor referral.
  - Any learning disabled student requesting assistance should be referred to the Director of the Counseling and Career Resource Center (CCRC). Physically disabled students needing support should be referred to the Director of Health and Disabilities Services.
- 2. Be verified as learning or physically disabled. The type and degree of the disability may be confirmed by a number of appropriate methods:
  - a. High school record IEP or resource classes as recorded on the high school transcript indicate diagnosis of a problem, A record of the diagnostic testing administered by school psychologist may be requested by the student and sent to the Director of the CCRC.
  - b. Office of Vocational Rehabilitation Students who have undergone academic evaluation through the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation may request that a summary of the diagnostic testing be sent to the Director of the CCRC.
  - c. Private agency, clinical psychologist or medical doctor Students seeking the services of private agencies (i.e. clinical psychologist for diagnostic testing) may request that a summary of the results with recommendations be sent to the Director of the CCRC. Students with

physical disabilities may request a summary of the particular needs with recommendations be sent to the Director of Health and Disabilities Services.

 Documentation — Learning disability verification, provided by the student, will be filed in the CCRC. Pertinent documentation for the physically disabled student will be filed in Health and Disabilities Services.

Once the learning or physical disability is verified and documented, the student may receive special services from the college. The faculty works with Counseling and Disability Services to appropriately accommodate a student's disability without compromising the academic requirements of the curriculum.

#### HEALTH INSURANCE

Health and accident insurance coverage is available to all qualified students in the Tennessee University and Community College System. Students must be enrolled for at least 6 semester hours to be eligible for coverage. Plans are available for individuals or families. Enrollment forms are available in the Dean of Students' Office.

# TRAFFIC REGULATIONS REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

- 1. All vehicles parked or operated by any person in connection with their employment or attendance of classes at the college must be registered with the Office of the Dean of Student Services.
- 2. Vehicle registration must be renewed at the beginning of each fall semester and will be valid until the beginning of the following fall semester so long as the registrant remains a student or a college employee.
- 3. Expired campus registration decals must be removed. Current campus registration decals are to be affixed as indicated on the instruction sheet attached to the decal.
- 4. The person to whom the vehicle is registered is responsible for the vehicle and all violations and citations issued thereto. If the person operating the vehicle is other than the registrant, and a violation is committed, both he/she and the registrant may be fined.
- 5. Each student who registers for classes will be assessed a campus access fee each semester.
- Faculty and staff will be assessed an annual campus access fee of \$10.00. Persons who are employed spring semester or after will be assessed a campus fee of \$5.00.
- 7. All faculty, staff, and students who pay the campus access fee will be given a parking decal. If a decal is lost or stolen, additional decals are available at a cost of \$1.00 from the Business Office. The decal(s) issued will be valid from August through August of the following year.
- 8. If you are unable to drive your own vehicle on a particular day, leave an explanatory note on the dashboard (along with your decal number) to alert the security officer.
- 9. In case of an emergency, temporary permits are available in the Office of the Dean of Student Services at no cost.
- 10. Disabled students with a state issued disability placard for handicapped parking should clearly display the placard when parking in a handicapped space. In addition, a regular Roane State decal is required. Students with a temporary disability must have a special handicapped permit from the Director of Health Services to park in a handicapped space.

#### VISITORS

Visitors are defined as persons not connected with the college, but who occasionally have business or other reasons to be on the campus. Designated visitor space will be provided in parking areas.

#### **ENFORCEMENT**

- Violation Citations must be paid in the Business Office or appealed in the Dean of Students' Office (Roane County) or Dean of Oak Ridge Branch Campus (Oak Ridge) within 72 hours. APPEALS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER THAT TIME.
- Illegally parked vehicles may be impounded or moved at the owner's expense.

#### PARKING

Regular parking on all college lots will be by permit only and only in designated areas.

- STUDENT SIGNS indicate spaces or areas reserved for students. Students should park only in these spaces or areas. NO FACULTY OR STAFF PARKING.
- FACULTY SIGNS indicate spaces or areas reserved for faculty and staff. Faculty and staff should park only in these spaces or areas. NO STUDENT PARKING.
- SIGNAGE indicating spaces for the disabled are reserved for faculty, staff or students with disabilities.
- 4. VISITOR PARKING indicates NO FACULTY, STAFF, OR STUDENT PARK-ING.
- LOADING ZONES, ON SIDEWALKS, STREETS, ON LAWN, WITHIN 15
  FEET OF FIRE HYDRANT, OR RESERVED PARKING indicates NO PARKING (Cars will be towed away).

NOTE: Cars which have been towed away may be claimed by contacting the Superintendent of Maintenance and Security, and paying the cost of towing (between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.).

#### **DRIVING REGULATIONS**

- 1. The speed limit on campus is 15 mph.
- 2. All traffic signs must be obeyed.
- 3. Motorists must yield the right-of-way to pedestrians.
- 4. All accidents involving injury to persons or damages to autos, equipment, etc., must be reported to the Superintendent of Maintenance and Security.

### VIOLATION FINES — FACULTY, STAFF, STUDENTS AND VISITORS:

1.	No decal displayed\$10
	Illegal use of decal\$10
3.	Improper display of decal\$10
	Parked in unauthorized area
5.	Parked in driveway
6.	Double parked
7.	Improper motorcycle parking\$10
	Wrong way on one-way street\$10
9.	PARKED IN AREA DESIGNATED FOR DISABLED \$100
	These fines are paid in the Business Office.

#### **PENALTIES**

- Parking privileges for remainder of the school year will be revoked for any one who receives more than four parking violation citations within the academic year.
- Students who persist in violating these regulations or commit a single violation under extreme circumstances will be referred to the Dean of Student Services Office for disciplinary action which may lead to suspension or dismissal from the college.

#### **APPEALS**

- 1. The Office of the Dean of Student Services handles all traffic appeals.
- Students may appeal a violation citation by making application for appeal and answering this citation with forms furnished by the Office of the Dean of Student Services. All appeals must be made within 72 hours after issuance. Appeals will not be accepted after that time.
- 3. Failure to appear at a scheduled meeting without notifying the Office of the Dean of Student Services will result in forfeiture of right to appeal.
- 4. Failure to answer a citation within a 72 hour period will result in forfeiture of right of appeal.

#### STUDENT ACTIVITIES

In keeping with its dedication to the concept of total student development, Roane State Community College recognizes the importance of developing both a well-balanced program of student activities and avenues for responsible student input in the decision-making process.

For students to achieve their potential as well-rounded individuals, a broad-based activities program is essential. In addition, student involvement is imperative for effectively evaluating past programs and conscientiously planning future activities.

Roane State integrates these two concerns through the sponsorship of various clubs and organizations, committees, publications, and academic and social activities.

However, continued growth and development of the college and its students is largely dependent upon the discovery of new ideas and ways to combat student apathy and complacency.

Roane State strongly urges each student to support, through participation in one or more campus activities, attempts to conquer the "There's nothing to do" syndrome. Involvement not only benefits the college but also makes the student's stay a more richly rewarding experience. For information regarding extracurricular activities contact the Director of Student Activities.

#### **OTHER ACTIVITIES**

#### I. Athletics

Roane State competes in men's and women's basketball, men's baseball and women's softball as a member of the Eastern Division of the Tennessee Junior College Athletic Association.

In order for a student to participate in athletics, eligibility requirements of the National Junior College Athletic Association must be met. Any inquiries about athletics should be directed to the Director of Athletics located in the gymnasium.

#### II. Intramurals

Roane State conducts a diverse program of activities to provide students and staff the opportunity to participate in organized activities. The program does not require the intensified training and high degree of skill

normally associated with varsity competition. An individual's playing ability is not considered as important as the desire to enter into the true spirit of competition for the purpose of fun and relaxation. Participants, however, are expected to display good sportsmanship at all times.

The intramural program includes physical activities such as volleyball, flag football, basketball, softball, and weight lifting.

The RSCC Intramural Director is vested with the final authority and responsibility on matters concerning scheduling, rule interpretation, and eligibility. In addition, the Intramural Director may take any other action deemed necessary to insure that all intramural competition is played within the intent of the rules and within the realm of good sportsmanship. General Eligibility Requirements include:

- 1. Participant must be a current student or staff member at RSCC.
- Participant must not be actively playing, practicing, or working out with any varsity athletic team in that sport. Automatic ineligibility results whenever a player is listed on the official team roster or "dresses out" on the date of any officially scheduled varsity contest.

Roane State Community College and its employees cannot assume responsibility for any injury(ies) incurred during practice for or participation in any one of the scheduled activities beyond the coverage extended to all students by Health Services. Any student whose physical condition or health status is such that participation might be detrimental to his/her health is ineligible to play unless expressed written permission from a licensed, practicing physician (approved by Health Services) is given to the Intramural Director prior to participation. **Determining health status and getting permission is the sole responsibility of the student.** It is strongly recommended that all participants have medical examinations prior to participating in any intramural/recreational activity and that each participant have private and/or student medical insurance for his/her protection.

#### III. College Publications

The following statement constitutes the operating papers of all student publications:

#### A. Purpose of Student Publications

The college news periodical is edited and published by students during the year to inform students and staff of pertinent upcoming events, to provide students with an expression of opinions and views, and to increase student awareness of campus life.

The literary magazine is organized and assisted financially by The Literary Club to promote interest in the literary efforts of the students of Roane State and the surrounding community.

All publications produced by students at Roane State may serve as forums for expression of ideas concerning issues and events of interest. Views expressed in the publications are not the views of the student body as a whole, the college, or the Tennessee Board of Regents.

#### B. Organization and Governance

The editor of the student newspaper is appointed from applicants by the Dean of Student Services and newspaper advisor. Other staff members are appointed from applicants by the editor. The editor and advisor have administrative responsibility for publication of the periodical with the Dean of Student Services acting as a consultant.

All college and Board of Regents financial and administrative policies and procedures shall be followed in establishing and maintaining the operation of the student newspaper.

The Roane State Literary Magazine shall be published as a project of a campus literary interest group. This group must have at least one Roane State faculty/staff advisor-editor. Students for staff and editorial positions will be selected by the Literary Magazine's advisor(s). The editor(s) of the magazine must have a cumulative GPA of 2.25.

The Tennessee Board of Regents and the college administration recognize that all student publications at Roane State are guaranteed First Amendment freedom and that student editors have editorial control of the content of student publications. However, the editor also has responsibility to be knowledgeable of the meaning of First Amendment freedom and work closely with the advisor.

A Student Publications Committee shall be appointed by the Dean of Student Services and approved by the President. The Committee shall be made up of five voting members: two (2) faculty members from the Department of Humanities, one staff member, the Student Government Association President, and another representative from the student body. This group will hear and review plans, requests, or grievances and recommend appropriate action. Any publication with the Roane State name or logo on it must reflect what the college considers "good taste." If any publication is questioned as being offensive to the general public, the Student Publications Committee shall review the material and make a recommendation to the President.

#### IV. Fine Arts

Concerts, lectures and special cultural events are sponsored by the college for the enrichment of the students and community.

#### V. Clubs and Special Interest Organizations

A well-rounded, integrated program of student activities is provided through student organizations. Students may choose from a variety of organizations depending on their individual interests. These organizations include scholastic honoraries, departmental groups, service organizations, and special interest groups.

#### **CLUBS**

AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY - RSCC STUDENT SECTION — This society promotes interest in chemistry and topics related to chemistry. The society generates materials, such as sample tests, problem sets, lecture notes, etc., which aid the students taking chemistry courses at RSCC. It sponsors guest speakers to inform the students on current topics in chemistry and related fields. The society monitors the chemistry program at RSCC in order to assure high quality and certification of the program. Members of the society are given certain privileges by the national American Chemical Society, such as magazines, resume writing aids and an employment clearing house.

**BSU** (Baptist Student Union) — The BSU promotes interfaith as a way of life among college students. It provides a ministry to individuals in the campus community who have need for a personal relationship with Jesus Christ or who have a need for Christian growth.

**BUSINESS CLUB** — The Roane State Business Club is open to all students who have an interest in business. The purpose is to acquaint students with different functions and opportunities in the business world.

**COLLEGE REPUBLICAN CLUB** — An organization formed to develop political skills and leadership abilities among Republican students as preparation for future service by them to the party and the community.

**COLLEGIATE SECRETARIES INTERNATIONAL** — CSI promotes the professional development of students preparing for careers in the administrative support profession or as business teachers by offering opportunities and responsibilities for development of and improvement in confidence, skills and abilities, initiative, culture, and refinement.

**LITERARY CLUB** — The Literary Club organizes and assists financially a literary magazine and promotes interest in the literary efforts of the students of Roane State and the surrounding community.

**OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY STUDENT CLUB** — The OTA Club has been formed to (1) promote the field of OT in the community and at RSCC; (2) promote participation in state and national OT organizations; (3) allow participation in campus fund raising activities; and (4) provide community service.

PHI THETA KAPPA — An international honor society for two-year colleges. Invitation to membership is extended by the local chapter. To be eligible, students must complete at least twelve hours of college credit leading to an associate's degree (part-time students are eligible); have a grade point average of 3.5; and enjoy full rights of citizenship in your country. International, regional, and chapter programs provide opportunities in the areas of scholarship, leadership, service, and fellowship. Benefits of membership include eligibility for transfer scholarships, automatic nomination for the national Dean's List publication of outstanding students, automatic enrollment in the PTK Transfer Database, which is made available to four-year and senior level institutions that actively recruit transfer students; and the privilege of wearing the honors stole and tassel at graduation.

NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION (NEHA) — This organization is open to environmental health students and offers opportunities to expand their education through special speakers, environmental-related films, and involvement in current environmental issues. RSCC's chapter promotes participation in club activities in hopes of familiarizing members with environmental issues outside the classroom while encouraging leadership skills and responsibility.

**NURSING STUDENTS CLUB** — Objectives for organizing the Nursing Students Club: 1) to promote participation in national and state level nursing organizations; 2) to increase visibility of the RSCC Nursing Program; and 3) to allow organized participation on campus of fund-raising activities.

**PHYSICAL THERAPY STUDENT ASSOCIATION** — The Physical Therapy Student Association has been formed to promote the field of physical therapy at Roane State and in the community.

**PLAYMAKERS** — The Playmakers Club is responsible for presenting plays on the Roane State campus.

**RESPIRATORY THERAPY STUDENT ASSOCIATION** — The Respiratory Therapy Student Association promotes the Respiratory Therapy Program at RSCC and in the community. The club is affiliated with the Tennessee Society for Respiratory Care.

**S.T.A.R.S. ART CLUB** — Purposes for the S.T.A.R.S. Art Club are: 1) to provide a social bond for students and staff with the common interest of art; 2) to provide a vehicle for learning experiences in art outside the classroom through programs and field trips; 3) to provide students with ready opportunities to exhibit their work and learn about the technicalities of the exhibiting process; 4) to raise scholarship funds for art students and hold competitions designed to distribute those funds; 5) to provide art-related services to the community on a limited

basis; and 6) to raise the art-consciousness of college and community by bringing quality work to the campus.

**STUDENT AMERICAN DENTAL HYGIENIST ASSOCIATION** — An organization assigned to promote the professional development of students preparing for a career in dental hygiene. Licensed hygienists who are students working toward a baccalaureate or graduate degree complementary to a career in dental hygiene are also eligible for student membership.

WOMEN'S STUDENT ORGANIZATION — The WSO increases women's awareness regarding opportunities available to them at Roane State while fostering a better understanding and appreciation, on the part of the administration, of the needs of women students at the college. In addition, the organization provides materials and programs to inform women students of 1) continuing education, 2) career planning, 3) financial aid, and 4) personal growth opportunities as well as personal support and guidance to current and prospective students.

#### **ORGANIZATIONS AND BOARDS**

CAMPUS ACTIVITIES BOARD — The Campus Activities Board (CAB), working with the director of Student Activities, will be responsible for planning and implementation of all campus activities funded through the Student Activities fees. There will be separate boards for the Roane County and Oak Ridge campuses. The board will also be responsible for the disbursement of the portion of the activities fees allotted to their respective campuses for clubs and organizations acting as the Campus Activities Fee Board. The board shall consist of five students chosen by an application and interview process. Three students will be selected in the spring semester for the following academic year, and two members will be selected in the fall semester.

**CELEBRATION** — Celebration is a group of singers selected through auditions that are open to all students. The group has represented Roane State at the local and national level.

**THE ROANE STATE CONCERT CHOIR** — This chorus is the official college choral organization. It performs a repertoire of standard choral selections at various college, public school, church, civic, and community functions.

**CHEERLEADERS** — The goal of the RSCC cheerleading squad is to promote spirit, enthusiasm, and support for the athletic department's basketball teams. Membership is open to both males and females, and members are chosen for the coming season during tryouts spring semester.

**STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION** — The SGA provides opportunities for students to offer constructive opinions, thereby promoting cooperation among students, faculty, and administration, and works for the common good of Roane State by assisting in the promotion of social activities and special campus projects. The SGA is organized into three (3) branches: 1) Executive Branch (President, Vice-President, and Cabinet; 2) Legislative Branch (Student Senate); and 3) Judicial Branch (Supreme Court).

For copies of the Student Government constitution contact the Student Government president, director of Student Activities or Dean of Student Services office.

#### REGISTRATION OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

The college shall adopt and enforce such rules and regulations as it may deem necessary and proper with regard to the registration, recognition and function of

student organizations which operate on the college campus. The rules and regulations adopted by the college shall provide for the consistent application of reasonable standards and shall afford procedural due process by authorizing and providing for an appeal with the president of the college.

Membership in a student organization shall be limited to members of the college community; however, membership may include individuals from the professional and business communities. Membership shall be extended to such persons without regard to their race, religion, national origin, or sex.

The registration and recognition of a student organization by the college does not constitute college endorsement or approval of the policies or activities of the organization. No student organization shall represent or imply in any manner, in its contact with the public, that it speaks for or in the name of the college.

Student organizations and their members are subject to all state and federal laws and the rules and regulations adopted by the college and the Board of Regents. All student organizations are required to register with the Director of Student Activities.

The following procedures must be followed to register a student organization and gain active status:

- Submit an application for the formation of a new club. Applications are available from the Dean of Students Office or the Director of Student Activities.
- 2. Secure a faculty advisor for the organization.
- Secure approval from the Director of Student Activities to hold an organizational meeting.
- 4. Prepare and submit the Constitution of the organization which must contain the following: the name, purpose, proposed activities, rules of membership of the organization, officers, their terms and method of selection, nature and frequency of meetings, and financial plans including any proposed fees, dues and assessments.
- 5. A signed statement of compliance by the organization that it will comply with all rules and regulations, policies, and procedures of the board and the institution and with all federal and state laws and regulations.

To retain an active status all organizations must submit the following information annually to the Director of Student Activities.

- 1. A club roster containing the current officers and sponsors.
- 2. Changes in the Constitution or Bylaws.
- An annual report outlining the organization's activities and accomplishments for the year.

An organization may be placed on probation or suspended for the following reasons:

- 1. Failure to maintain compliance with the initial registration requirements.
- 2. The organization ceases to operate.
- 3. The organization fails to submit any required reports.
- 4. The organization requests withdrawal of registration.
- 5. The organization operates or engages in any activity in violation of rules and regulations of the institution or federal or state laws.

All organizational members and advisors are responsible for being familiar with the guidelines and policies listed above.

#### STUDENT CONDUCT AND DISCIPLINARY SANCTIONS

#### 1. Institution Policy Statement

College and university students are citizens of the state, local and national governments, and of the academic community, and are, therefore, expected to conduct themselves as law-abiding members of each community at all times. Admission to an institution of higher education carries with it special privileges and imposes special responsibilities apart from those rights and duties enjoyed by non-students. In recognition of the special relationship that exists between the institution and the academic community which it seeks to serve, the State Board of Regents has authorized the President of the College to take such action as may be necessary to maintain campus conditions and preserve the integrity of the institution and its educational environment.

Pursuant to this authorization, the College has developed the following regulations which are intended to govern student conduct on the campus. In addition, students are subject to all national, state, and local laws and ordinances. If a student's violation of such laws or ordinances also adversely affects the institution's pursuit of its educational objectives, the institution may enforce its own regulations regardless of any proceedings instituted by other authorities. Conversely, violation of any section of these regulations may subject a student to disciplinary measures by the institution whether or not such conduct is simultaneously violative of state, local, or national laws.

#### 11. Disciplinary Offenses

- A. Generally, through appropriate due process procedures, institutional disciplinary measures shall be imposed for conduct which adversely affects the institution's pursuit of its educational objectives, which violates or shows a disregard for the rights of other members of the academic community, or which endangers property or persons on institution-controlled property.
- B. Individual or organizational misconduct which is subject to disciplinary sanction shall include but not be limited to the following examples:
  - Conduct dangerous to others. Any conduct which constitutes a serious danger to any person's health, safety, or personal wellbeing, including any physical abuse or immediate threat of abuse.
  - 2. Hazing. Participation of students in hazing activities: any intentional or reckless act, on or off institutional property, by one student, acting alone or with others, which is directed against any other student, that endangers the mental or physical health or safety of that student, or which induces or coerces a student to endanger his or her mental or physical health or safety, and includes treatment of a violent, abusive, shameful, insulting or humiliating nature. Such action is prohibited when connected with initiation into, affiliation with or continuing membership in a group or organization and does not include participation in customary athletic events or similar competition.
  - 3. Disorderly conduct. Any individual or group behavior which is abusive, obscene, lewd, indecent, violent, excessively noisy, disorderly, or unreasonably disturbing to other groups or individuals. Specifically prohibited are both actions and language which tend to incite an immediate breach of the peace by making reference to another's race, religion or ethnic origin.

- 4. Obstruction of or interference with institutional activities or facilities. Any intentional interference with or obstruction of any institutional activity, program, event, or facilities, including the following:
  - Any unauthorized occupancy of institution or institution controlled facilities or blockage or access to or from such facilities.
  - b. Interference with the right of any institution member or other authorized person to gain access to any institution or institution controlled activity, program, event or facilities.
  - c. Any obstruction or delay of a campus security officer, fireman, or any institution official in the performance of his/her duty.
- 5. Misuse of or damage to property. Any act of misuse, vandalism, malicious or unwarranted damage or destruction, defacing, disfiguring, or unauthorized use of property belonging to the institution including, but not limited to fire alarms, fire equipment, elevators, computer equipment, telephones, institutions keys, library materials and/or safety devices; and any such act against a member of the institution community or a guest of the institution.
- Theft, misappropriation, or unauthorized sale. Any act of theft, misappropriation, or unauthorized possession or sale of institution property or any such act against a member of the institution community or a guest of the institution.
- 7. Misuse of documents or identification cards. Any forgery, alteration of, or unauthorized use of institution documents, forms, records, or identification cards, including the giving of any false information, or withholding of necessary information, in connection with a student's admission, enrollment, or status in the institution.
- 8. Firearms and other dangerous weapons. Possession or use of firearms or dangerous weapons of any kind is prohibited.
- Explosives, fireworks, and flammable materials. The unauthorized possession, ignition, or detonation of any object or article which would cause damage by fire or other means to persons or property or possession of any substance which could be considered to be and used as fireworks.
- Alcoholic beverages. The use and/or possession of alcoholic beverages on college owned, controlled, or temporarily leased property is prohibited.
- 11. Drugs. The unlawful possession or use of any drug or controlled substance (including any stimulant, depressant, narcotic, hallucinogenic drug or substance, or marijuana) or sale or distribution of any such drug or controlled substance. Includes any violation of the Drug Free School and Communities Act which is distributed to each student annually.
- 12. Gambling. Gambling in any form.
- 13. Financial irresponsibility. Failure to meet financial responsibilities to the institution promptly, including, but not limited to, knowingly passing a worthless check or money order in payment to the institution or to a member of the institution community acting in an official capacity.
- 14. Unacceptable conduct in hearings. Any conduct at an institutional hearing involving contemptuous, disrespectful, or disorderly behavior, or the giving of false testimony or other evidence at any hearing.

- 15. Failure to cooperate with institutional officials. Failure to comply with directions of institutional officials acting in the performance of their duties.
- 16. Violation of general rules and regulations. Any violations of the general rules and regulations of the institution as published in official institutional publications, including the intentional failure to perform any required action or the intentional performance of any prohibited action.
- 17. Attempting or aiding and abetting the commission of offenses. Any attempt to commit any of the foregoing offenses, or the aiding and abetting of the commission of any of the foregoing offenses (an "attempt" to commit an offense is defined as the intention to commit an offense coupled with the taking of some action toward its commission).
- 18. Violations of state or federal laws. Any violation of state or federal laws or regulations proscribing conduct or establishing offenses, which laws and regulations are incorporated herein by reference.
- C. Disciplinary action may be taken against a student for violations of the foregoing regulations which occur on institutionally owned, leased, or otherwise controlled property, or which occur off-campus when the conduct impairs, interferes with, or obstructs any institutional activity or the missions, processes, and functions of the institution. In addition, disciplinary action may be taken on the basis of any conduct, on or off-campus, which poses a substantial threat to persons or property within the institutional community.
- D. For the purposes of these regulations, a "student" shall mean any person who is registered for study at the College for any academic period. A person shall be considered a student during any period which follows the end of an academic period which the student has completed until the last day for registration for the next succeeding regular academic period and during any period while the student is under suspension from the institution.

#### III. Academic and Classroom Misconduct

- A. The instructor has the primary responsibility for control over classroom behavior and maintenance of academic integrity and can order the temporary removal or exclusion from the classroom of any student engaged in disruptive conduct or conduct violative of the general rules and regulations of the institution. Extended or permanent exclusion from the classroom or further disciplinary action can be effected only through appropriate procedures of the institution.
- B. Plagiarism, cheating, and other forms of academic dishonesty are prohibited. Students guilty of academic misconduct, either directly or indirectly through participation or assistance, are immediately responsible to the instructor of the class. In addition to other possible disciplinary sanctions which may be imposed through the regular institutional procedures as a result of academic misconduct, the instructor has the authority to assign an "F" or a zero for the exercise or examination, or to assign an "F" in the course.

If the student believes that he or she has been erroneously accused of academic misconduct, and if his or her final grade has been lowered as a result, the student may appeal the case through the Dean of Students Office

#### IV. Disciplinary Sanctions

A. Upon a determination that a student or organization has violated any of the rules, regulations, or disciplinary offenses set forth in the regulations, the following disciplinary sanctions may be imposed, either singly or in combination, by the appropriate institutional officials.

#### B. Definition of Sanctions

- Restitution. A student who has committed an offense against property may be required to reimburse the institution or other owner for damage to or misappropriation of such property. Any such payment in restitution shall be limited to actual cost of repair or replacement.
- Warning. The appropriate institutional official may notify the student that continuation or repetition of specified conduct may be cause for other disciplinary action.
- 3. Reprimand. A written reprimand, or censure, may be given any student or organization whose conduct violates any part of these regulations. Such a reprimand does not restrict the student in any way, but does have important consequences. It signifies to the student that he or she is in effect being given another chance to conduct himself or herself as a proper member of the institution community, but that any further violation may result in more serious penalties.
- 4. Restriction. A restriction upon a student's or organization's privileges for a period of time may be imposed. This restriction may include, for example, denial of the right to represent the institution in any way, denial of use of facilities, parking privileges, or participation in extracurricular activities, or restriction of organizational privileges.
- 5. Probation. Continued enrollment of a student on probation may be conditioned upon adherence to these regulations. Any student placed on probation will be notified of such in writing and will also be notified of the terms and length of the probation. Probation may include restrictions upon the extracurricular activities of a student. Any conduct in violation of these regulations while on probationary status may result in the imposition of a more serious disciplinary sanction.
- Suspension. If a student is suspended, he or she is separated from the institution for a stated period of time with conditions of readmission stated in the notice of suspension.
- Expulsion. Expulsion entails a permanent separation from the institution. The imposition of this sanction is a permanent bar to the student's readmission to the institution.
- 8. Interim or summary suspension. Though as a general rule the status of a student accused of violations of these regulations should not be altered until a final determination has been made in regard to the charges against him, summary suspension may be imposed upon a finding by the appropriate institutional official that the continued presence of the accused on campus constitutes an immediate threat to the physical safety and well-being of the accused, or of any other member of the institutional community or its guests, destruction of property, or substantial disruption of classroom or campus activities. In any case of immediate suspension, the student shall be given an opportunity at the time of the decision or immediately thereafter to contest the suspension, and if there are disputed issues of factor cause and effect, the student shall be provided a hearing on the suspension as soon as possible.

- Counseling or rehabilitative treatment. Counseling sessions with Roane State's Counseling personnel or outside sources may be recommended.
- C. The President of the College is authorized, at his or her discretion, to subsequently convert any sanction imposed to a lesser sanction or to rescind any previous sanction, in appropriate cases.

RSCC recognizes that disciplinary proceedings should play a secondary role to guidance and counseling and makes every effort to keep open the avenues of communication between students, faculty, and staff which provide for the transmittance of constructive ideas toward the solution of problems.

However, whenever violations of standards of conduct occur, the institution may initiate judicial proceedings through the power vested in its Discipline Committee. In all cases, disciplinary action becomes a part of the student's permanent record, and proper procedural safeguards will be used to assure due process. Notification of disciplinary action is by letter from the Dean of Student Services to the student and (when appropriate) to the parents and to other college officials.

Tennessee Uniform Administrative Procedures Act. All cases which may result in (1) suspension or expulsion of a student from the institution, a program, or a course for disciplinary reasons, (II) assignment of a grade which results in the grade of "F" in a course for academic misconduct, or (III) revocation of registration of a student organization during the term of the registration are subject to the contested case provisions of the Tennessee Uniform Administrative Procedures Act and shall be processed in accordance with the uniform contested case procedures adopted by the Board of Regents unless the student waives those procedures in writing and elects to have his or her case disposed of in accordance with college procedures established by these rules.

#### PROCEDURAL DUE PROCESS

Due process is not a technical concept with a fixed content unrelated to time, place and circumstances. It is an elusive concept in that its exact boundaries are indefinable and its content varies according to specific facts. The nature of the right involved, the nature of the proceedings and the possible penalty are all considerations which must be taken into account. The very nature of due process negates any conception of inflexible procedures universally applicable to every imaginable situation. There is no requirement of a formal type judicial hearing. Any college procedure which is reasonably calculated to be fair to the accused and to lead to a reliable determination of the issues is acceptable.

The requirements of due process are flexible in different cases and will require different procedural safeguards. The nature of the hearing will vary depending upon the circumstances of the particular cases.

The following fundamental safeguards are required in every proceeding at Roane State Community College that may lead to a serious penalty.

- 1. The student should receive timely, written notice of the specific charge against him, and the date and time of the hearing. This charge should be sufficiently precise as to enable the student to understand the grounds upon which the college seeks to impose a penalty against him and to enable him to adequately prepare any explanation or defense which may be available to him. The student will be allowed to have an advisor accompany him.
- The student shall be given an opportunity to respond to the evidence against him. He shall have an opportunity to present his position, make such admissions, denials, or explanations as he thinks appropriate and testify or

present such other evidence as is available to him. The technical rules of evidence normally followed in civil and criminal trials shall not apply.

3. The decision of the Disciplinary Committee should be based upon the evidence presented at the hearing and a finding of guilt must be based upon substantial evidence.

4. Cases of alleged sexual assault. In cases involving alleged sexual assault both the accuser and the accused shall be informed of the following:

A. Both the accuser and the accused are entitled to the same opportunity to have others present during a disciplinary proceeding; and.

B. Both the accuser and the accused shall be informed of any disciplinary proceeding involving allegation of sexual assault. GROUNDS FOR APPEAL: a decision or judgment of the Disciplinary Committee may be appealed by the aggrieved party upon the following

A. Prejudicial error committed during the hearing whereby the aggrieved

was deprived of a fair hearing.

B. Noncumulative material and relative evidence new or newly discovered which with reasonable diligence could not have been produced at the hearing.

C. The decision or judgment is not supported nor justified by the evidence.

NOTICE OF APPEAL: A Notice of Appeal shall be in writing and shall be filed with the President of the College, to whom the appeal is taken, within ten (10) calendar days from the promulgation and filing of the decision or judgment on which the appeal is based. Failure to timely file the above mentioned notice shall constitute a waiver of any right to appeal.

The President of the College will review the case and render a decision based upon his/her findings.

Statutory Authority: T.C.A. Section 49-3239.

#### SEXUAL, RACIAL OR OTHER HARASSMENT

Harassment: Any form of harassment including, but not limited to, racial harassment, sexual harassment, or stalking, is prohibited by the Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Any student who believes he or she has been subjected to harrassment at Roane State should present the charge to the Dean of Student Services. Applicants for employment or employees should report such charges to the Affirmative Action Officer in the Human Resources Office.

Any present employee or student, former employee or student, or applicant for employment or admissions at Roane State Community College who believes that discrimination has been practiced against him or her, or any employee or student who feels that practices at Roane State Community College will result in discrimination against him or her should report these charges to the Affirmative Action Office.

#### NONDISCRIMINATION ON THE BASIS OF SEX IN EDUCATION **PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES**

It is the policy of the State Board of Regents that, Pursuant to Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Sections 799A and 845 of the Public Health Service Act, and Regulations adopted pursuant thereto, no institution or school shall discriminate on the basis of sex in the education programs or activities of the institution or school, including health-related training programs. Institutions and schools shall ensure that equal opportunity and nondiscrimination exist on the basis of sex for students in all education programs and activities, including but not limited to, the following: (1) recruitment and admission; (2) academic, extracurricular, research, occupational training, health-related training, and other education programs; (3) rules on student life activities; (4) housing; (5) facilities; (6) access to course offerings; (7) counseling; (8) financial assistance; (9) employment assistance; (10) health and insurance benefits and services; (11) rules on marital or parental status; and (12) athletics. In addition, in conjunction with Board Policy No. 5:01:02:00, each institution and school shall ensure that no person, on the basis of sex, is excluded from participation, denied the benefits of, or subjected to discrimination in employment under any education program or activity. Nondiscrimination in employment on the basis of sex shall include, but not be limited to, the following areas: (1) employment criteria; (2) recruitment and hiring; (3) promotion, tenure, demotion, transfer, layoff, termination, nepotism policies, and rehiring; (4) compensation; (5) job assignments, classifications, and descriptions, lines of progression and seniority lists; (6) leave; (7) fringe benefits; and (8) all other terms, conditions, and privileges of employment.

#### **COMPUTER RESOURCES**

Computer facilities at Roane State Community College are available to all students, faculty, and staff upon approval by the Director of Computer Services or an instructor of computer science. It is the responsibility of Computer Center personnel to maintain a stable operational environment for all users and to provide security for all programs and files currently residing on available computer systems. Cooperation of all users in the form of ethical and responsible behavior is required at all times so that all may share resources freely and equitably.

The following college rules and regulations are to define all users' limitations. These rules are separate and apart from the code of conduct as approved by the State Board of Regents. Any violations shall be termed "computer misuse," and the offender shall be referred to the appropriate college supervisor, or in the case of students, to the Vice President for Academic Affairs.

#### **COMPUTER MISUSE**

Theft or other abuse of computer time, including but not limited to:

- 1. unauthorized entry into a file, to use, read, or change the contents, or for any other purpose.
- 2. unauthorized transfer of a file.
- 3. unauthorized use of another individual's identification and password.
- 4. use of computing facilities to interfere with the work of another student faculty member or college official.
- 5. use of computing facilities to send obscene or abusive messages.
- unauthorized disclosure of student's user name and password to another individual.
- 7. any attempt to access a system on the internet for which the user is not authorized.
- 8. any use of computer facilities for commercial purposes.

The dispositions listed below (not an all-inclusive list) are examples drawn from the sanctioned policy of the State Board of Regents Code of Conduct.

- Revoking of the individual's right to use the computer, either on a temporary or permanent basis.
- 2. Probation.
- 3. Suspension.
- 4. Expulsion.

- 5. Financial assessment for computer services.
- 6. Legal prosecution.

In the event that other college regulations are violated, additional penalties may be imposed.

Unauthorized use of the computer by an individual other than the college community may be adjudged a felony, and the individual may be liable to legal prosecution.

#### **COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY SECURITY INFORMATION ACT**

Pursuant to the requirements of the College and University Security Information Act and the Campus Security Act, the following information is available and will be provided to you upon request: A. Annual crime statistics and rates for crimes occurring on this campus, B. Copies of Board of Regents and/or institutional security related policies and procedures and certain other related information. Contact the Office of the Dean of Students at Roane State Community College, Rt. 8 Box 69, Harriman, Tennessee 37748 (telephone (615) 882-4550) to obtain any or all of this information.

#### STUDENT COMPLAINTS

Roane State Community College is committed to providing a quality educational experience for all students. Students are encouraged to take advantage of all relevant services and programs offered by the college. RSCC is therefore concerned that all students receive the best treatment possible by college personnel. However, if a student feels he/she has not received fair treatment, or has a complaint regarding some situation or condition (financial aid, tuition refunds, parking tickets, advisement, records, admissions, facilities, classroom concerns, student conduct, etc.) at the college, the student may address the complaint in writing to the Dean of Student Service's Office. The Dean of Students will investigate the complaint, consulting with other RSCC personnel as needed and will notify the student of the outcome. If the student is not satisfied with how the Dean of Students has tried to resolve the issue, the student may be heard by the Vice President of Academic Affairs and Student Services. Please review the RSCC catalog (Student Services section) for detailed procedures regarding the appeal process for disciplinary matters.

#### STUDENT RESPONSIBILITY

There are a number of established policies and regulations, student-right-to know information, developed by the college as well as mandated by the Tennessee Board of Regents, that exist for the welfare of both students and the college. This information is described in the following publications: The RSCC catalog, the Student's Guide to Safety, and the upcoming Student Handbook/Calendar, which are available and accessible to students at all RSCC campus locations. This information is also presented in the New Student Orientation sessions, and in credit Orientation courses. Students should contact the Center for New Student Admission, Academic Advisement Center, or the Dean of Students Office, for copies if needed. Although the college provides this information to the student, it is the student's responsibility to become familiar with the policies and regulations outlined in these publications. Students may see the Dean of Students for clarification of these policies and regulations.

#### POLICY-MAKING AND THE STUDENT

Students have the right to voice their opinions and ask questions concerning current issues or policies of the college. RSCC students may participate in the decision-making process through the Student Government Association, by representation on some standing college committees, as well as participation on the Academic Curriculum Council. In addition, RSCC has an "open door policy" which allows students the opportunity to express their views through college administration.

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Judy Duncan, RSCC

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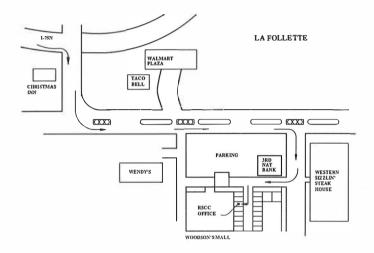
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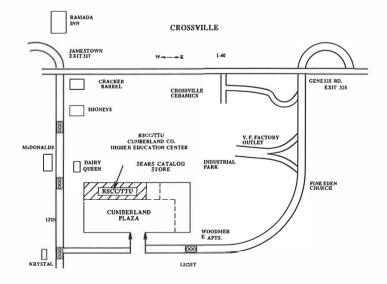
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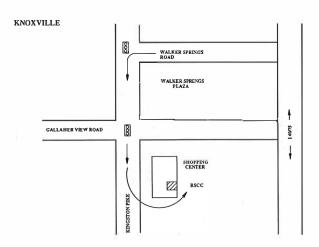
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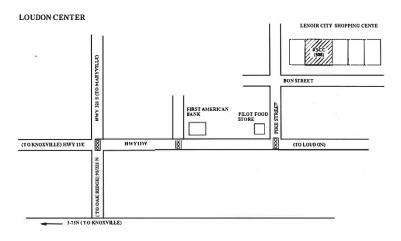
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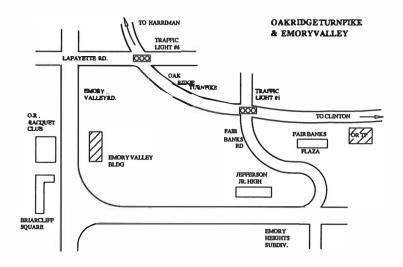


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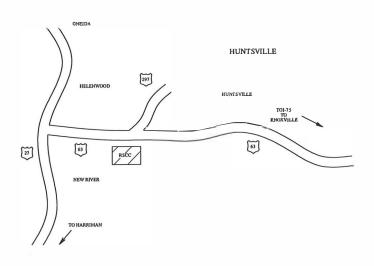


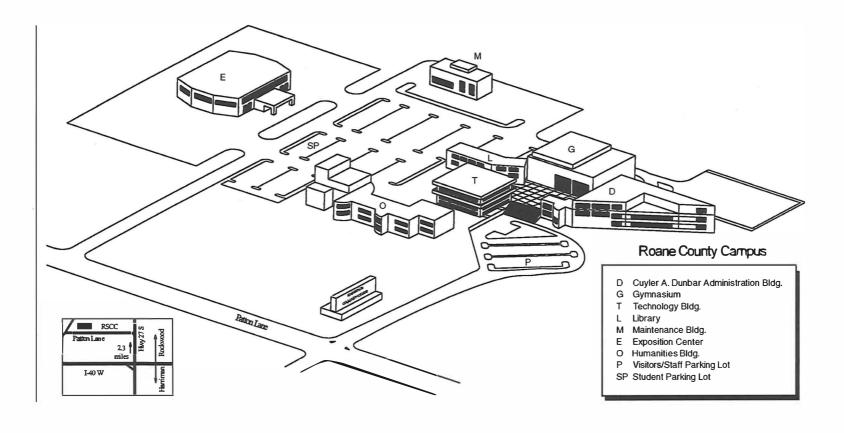
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