Important Announcement
From the
School of Nursing Admissions Committee

The School of Nursing Admissions Committee has made the decision to waive the requirement that all students must submit either SAT or ACT scores with their fall 2020 Nursing applications. This is another way that South Georgia State College is adapting to the COVID-19 pandemic which has forced both the College Boards and the ACTs to suspend all testing at this time.

If a student has taken the SAT or ACT exams in the past, they must continue to submit their sealed paper copy of their scores with their application. As the SAT and ACT scores are not required for students who have not taken the exams at this time, students may be considered for admission upon the completion of 21 semester hours of the general education requirements for the School of Nursing. Eight of these hours must include BIOL 2210K and BIOL 2211K. A minimum overall cumulative GPA of 2.80 is required to be considered for nursing admission into the ASN and LPN-RN Bridge programs and a 2.50 GPA is required for the BSN and BS-LTHM programs. Students must earn grades of “C” or better in all required general education courses for the School of Nursing.

Students must still meet all other admissions requirement as stated on the Nursing applications and SGSC School of Nursing webpage. We appreciate your patience and understanding as we make adjustments to accommodate for the changing COVID-19 situation. We hope these measures will help you as you are preparing to apply to the School of Nursing programs. Please see the admissions requirements below.

Admissions Requirements

If you have taken the SAT or ACE in the past, please submit a sealed paper copy of your scores with your application.

The School of Nursing requires that all applicants provide official sealed paper copies of transcripts from all institutions other than SGSC with their application.

You must have a 2.8 GPA or greater for the ASN and the LPN-RN Bridge programs.
If you are applying to the RN-BSN and the Long-Term Healthcare Management programs, you must have a 2.5 GPA or greater.
If you are applying to the ASN or LPN-RN Bridge programs, you must submit a printout copy of your HESI scores with your application. HESI score must be at least a 75 or greater in the Reading, Grammar, Vocabulary Knowledge, Anatomy and Physiology, and Math sections. We also require that you take the Critical Thinking sections as well.

Thank you again for your ongoing commitment to keep the community safe and healthy,

Dr. Jaime Carter
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