

Lake Sumter

COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Leesburg Campus South Lake Campus Sumter Campus

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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

Thanks for your interest in attending Lake-Sumter Community College (LSCC). The following items and steps are necessary for admission to LSCC.

1. Submit a completed application for admission, with a non-refundable admissions and processing fee of \$70.00 US dollars.
2. Have official TOEFL Scores (Test of English as a Foreign Language) sent to LSCC. Minimum scores are: 550 on the paper/pencil test, or 213 on the computer-based test or 79-80 on the internet-based test. If you are a citizen from an English speaking country, and received your secondary education in English, these scores are not necessary.
3. Submit official copies of all academic transcripts, high school and college, along with official evaluations by the World Education Services (www.wes.org), or by Josef Silny & Assoc. Inc (www.jsilny.com). There are costs associated with the evaluation of credentials. Contact the provider for more information. If not written in English, all academic transcripts must be translated before they are submitted for evaluation.
4. Provide official financial statements, directly sent to LSCC from the appropriate financial institutions, verifying the availability of approximately \$19,061.00 (USD), to cover your costs of attending LSCC for nine months. All college-related fees are due at registration and will not be deferred. **Financial aid is not available to international students.**
5. **THE SEVIS I-901 FEE:** All students must go to the Department of Homeland Security Web site at: www.ice.gov/sevis.com to complete the I-901 form and pay the current fee. The receipt from paying the SEVIS I-901 fee is required for the interview at the U.S. embassy. **Please Note:** this fee is in addition to the normal interview fees the embassy may charge.
6. Upon arrival in the United States, it is mandatory that you purchase medical insurance and show evidence of it to LSCC.
7. If you are formally admitted to LSCC, you will receive a letter of admission and a form I-20, which you will use to obtain your F-1 Visa. The letter will provide you additional information and instructions. You can also find more information on Visas and immigration at www.travel.state.gov/visa_services.html.
8. All Int'l students on an F-1 visa are not eligible for Florida Residency for tuition purposes. You must maintain a full course load (a minimum of 12.0 credit hours) on an F-1 visa.

If you need more information or clarification, please contact the Admissions Office at (352) 365-3665, or email at admissioninquiry@lsc.edu

STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

For additional information contact the Office of Students with Disabilities at 365-3589 or stop by the Student Development Office on the Leesburg Campus.

LSCC is accredited to award AA, AS, and AAS degrees by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, GA 30033-4097; 404-679-4501.

DEGREE PROGRAMS/MAJOR CODES

AA DEGREE PROGRAMS 2/2007

140	AA Pre-Maj: Art
141	AA Pre-Maj: English
150	AA Pre-Maj: Biology
151	AA Pre-Maj: Chemistry
152	AA Pre-Maj: Physics
153	AA Pre-Maj: Mathematics
159	AA Pre-Maj: Sports & Fitness
160	AA Pre-Maj: Athletic Training
161	AA Pre-Maj: Criminal Justice
162	AA Pre-Maj: Nursing
170	AA Pre-Maj: Early Childhood Ed
171	AA Pre-Maj: Elementary Ed
172	AA Pre-Maj: Secondary Ed
180	AA Pre-Maj: Engineering
182	AA Pre-Maj: Pre-Professional Health
183	AA Pre-Maj: Pre-Physical Therapy
184	AA Pre-Maj: Pre-Pharmacy
190	AA Pre-Maj: General Studies
191	AA Pre-Maj: Business
192	AA Pre-Maj: Psychology
193	AA Pre-Maj: Human Services
194	AA Pre-Maj: Social Science

AS DEGREE PROGRAMS

230	AS Emergency Medical Service
239	Nursing Prerequisites
265	AS Computer Information Technology
270	AS Criminal Justice Technology
282	AS Early Chldhd Ed w/Preschl Spec
283	AS Early Chldhd Ed w/Chd Devel Cntr Mgmt Spec

AAS DEGREE PROGRAMS

210	AAS Off Admin: Office Management Spec
213	AAS Off Admin: Medical Office Management Spec
214	AAS Off Admin: Legal Office Specialization
237	AAS Hlth Information Technology
251	AAS Business Administration
261	AAS Graphic Design Technology
268	AAS Computer Information Technology
271	AAS Criminal Justice Technology
272	AAS Fire Science Technology
284	AAS Early Chldhd Ed w/Chd Dev Cntr Mgmt Spec
285	AAS Early Chldhd Ed w/Preschl Spec
290	AAS Electrical Distributn Technology

TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

330	CERT Medical Information Coder/Biller
331	CERT Medical Office Management
340	CERT Office Specialist
341	CERT Office Support
353	CERT Computer Programming
354	CERT Accounting Technology Management
355	CERT Small Business Managemt
358	CERT Office Management
381	CERT Information Technology Analysis
390	CERT Electrical Distribution Tech Basic
391	CERT Electrical Distribution Tech Advanced

VISION

Lake-Sumter Community College will be a leader in Florida in modeling and fostering excellence and the values of scholarship, respect, honesty and integrity, teamwork, high performance, and service, in order to better serve the needs of our diverse community and prepare students to be successful and productive citizens.

MISSION

Lake-Sumter Community College is a public, multi-campus college that prepares students for employment, career advancement, and four-year college or university transfer, and improves the workforce with specialized training for business and industry. Through its commitment to student success, LSCC provides students with an accessible, supportive, learning-centered environment while challenging them to think critically, improve their academic skills, communicate effectively, become independent, build leadership skills, enhance their ability to work as part of a team, develop social responsibility, and enhance their creativity.

To fulfill this commitment, the college maintains an open door admission policy while emphasizing high collegiate academic standards and convenient access to its services.

RESIDENCY CLASSIFICATION DETERMINES IN-STATE/OUT-OF-STATE FEES

A Florida "resident for tuition purposes" is a person who has, or a dependent person whose parent or legal guardian has, established and maintained legal residency in Florida for at least 12 months. Residence in Florida must be as a bonafide domicile rather than for the purpose of maintaining a residence incident to enrollment at an institution of higher education. To qualify as a Florida resident for tuition purposes, you must be a US Citizen, permanent resident alien, or a legal alien granted indefinite stay by the Immigration and Naturalization Service. Persons not meeting the 12-month legal residence requirement may be classified as a Florida resident for tuition purposes only if they fall within one of the limited special categories authorized by the Florida legislature. All other persons are ineligible for classification as a Florida resident for tuition purposes. Living in or attending school in Florida will not, in itself, establish legal residence. Students dependent on out-of-state parental support are presumed to be legal residents of the same state as their parents.

NON-FLORIDA RESIDENTS

I understand that I do NOT qualify as a Florida resident for tuition purposes at this time. If I should qualify in the future, I understand that I will be required to provide documentation of proof prior to the beginning of the term for consideration as a Florida resident.

Signature (in ink) _____

Date _____

FLORIDA RESIDENTS

- Documents supporting the establishment of legal residence must be dated, issued, or filed 12 months before the first day of classes of the term for which a Florida resident classification is sought. All documentation is subject to verification.
- Select the definition which best describes your status and provide copies of all required documentation. Additional documentation may be required in some cases s.1009.2 F.S.
- A notarized copy of your and/or your parents' most recent tax return or other documentation may be requested to establish dependence/independence.

Independent: a person who provided more than 50% of his/her own support.

Dependent: a person for whom 50% or more of his/her support is provided by another as defined by the Internal Revenue Service.

- A. I am an independent person and have maintained legal residence in Florida for at least 12 months.
- B. I am a dependent person and my parent or legal guardian has maintained legal residence in Florida for at least 12 months.
- C. I am a dependent person who has resided for **five** years with an adult relative other than my parent or legal guardian and my relative has maintained legal residence in Florida for at least 12 months. **(Required:** copy of most recent tax return on which you were claimed as a dependent or other proof of dependency).
- D. I am married to a person who has maintained legal residence in Florida for at least 12 months. I have now established legal residence and intend to make Florida my permanent home. **(Required:** copy of marriage certificate, claimant's voter registration, driver's license and vehicle registration.)
- E. A Florida public college/university declared me a resident for tuition purposes. *Name of institution* _____
- F. I was previously enrolled at a Florida State institution and classified as a Florida resident for tuition purposes. I abandoned my Florida domicile less than 12 months ago and am now re-establishing Florida legal residence.
- G. According to the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service, I am a permanent resident alien or other legal alien granted indefinite stay. I have maintained domicile in Florida for a least 12 months. **(Required:** INS documentation and proof of Florida residency status)
- H. I am a member of the armed services of the United States and am stationed in Florida on active military duty pursuant to military orders, or whose home of record is Florida, or I am the member's spouse or dependent child. **(Required:** copy of military orders or DD214 showing home of record.)
- I. I am a full-time instructional or administrative employee employed by a Florida public school, community college or institution of higher education, or I am the employees' spouse or dependent child. **(Required:** copy of employment verification)
- J. I am part of the Latin America/Caribbean scholarship program. **(Required:** copy of scholarship papers.)
- K. I am a qualified beneficiary under the terms of the Florida Pre-paid College Program s.1009.98(2a) F.S. and not otherwise eligible.
- L. I am living on the Isthmus of Panama and have completed 12 consecutive months of college work at the F.S.U. Panama Canal Branch, or I am the student's spouse or dependent child. **(Required:** copy of marriage certificate or proof of dependency)
- M. I am a full-time employee of a state agency or political subdivision of the state whose student fees are paid by the state agency or political subdivision for the purpose of job-related law enforcement or corrections training.
- N. I am a full-time student participating in a linkage institute s.288.8175(6).

PERSON CLAIMING RESIDENCY MUST COMPLETE THIS SECTION IN FULL

Use blue or black ink only; PLEASE PRINT.

1. Name of Student: _____ 2. Student SSN: _____
3. Person claiming Florida residency: _____ 4. Claimant's relationship to student: _____
5. Claimant's permanent legal address: _____ 6. Claimant's telephone number: _____

7. Date claimant established legal Florida residence and domicile: _____
City _____ State or Country _____ Zip _____
8. Claimant's voter registration: State _____ County: _____ Number: _____ Date of Issue _____
9. Claimant's driver's license: State _____ Number: _____ Date of Issue _____
10. Claimant's vehicle registration: State _____ License Tag Number: _____ Date of Issue _____

11. Non-US Citizen Only: Resident Alien Number: (Copy of both sides of card) _____ Date of Issue _____

I do hereby swear and affirm that the above named student meets all requirements indicated in the checked category above for classification as a Florida resident for tuition purposes. I understand that a false statement in this affidavit will subject me to penalties for making a false statement pursuant to 837.06 Florida Statutes and that a false statement in this affidavit may subject the above named student to the penalties for making a false or fraudulent statement.

Signature (person named above as claimant) _____ Date _____