

Southern Union State Community College Veterinary Technology Program Application Worksheet

Required Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 on Veterinary Technology Program required prerequisite academic core courses: BIO 103; ENG 101; MTH 100 (or higher); PSY 200; SPH 106 or 107; IDS 102 (preferred) or a humanities or fine arts elective.

A minimum of 2.0 GPA at SUSCC or entry to College on clear academic status if never enrolled at SUSCC (GED acceptable).

- HAVE YOU MET THE MINIMUM GPA REQUIREMENT OF 2.0 AT SUSCC, CLEAR STATUS, OR HAVE A GED THAT MEETS MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS?
- HAVE YOU MET THE MINIMUM GPA REQUIREMENT OF 2.5 ON ACADEMIC PREREQUISITE COURSES? ☐ YES ☐ NO

SECTION A - OPTIONAL

ACT NATIONAL OR RESIDUAL COMPOSITE SCORE; BACHELOR'S DEGREE (OPTIONAL):

NOTE: Submission of official ACT scores/bachelor's degree is optional; however, applicants who choose to submit an ACT score/bachelor's degree may earn points towards their application. There is no time limit on when the test was taken.

Verify with the Records Office that the ACT score/bachelor's degree you want on file for use matches that of SUSCC records. You can access your submitted score through your MySUSCC account. Students who submit an ACT composite score of 18 or higher may receive points towards eligibility and ranking for the Veterinary Technology Program. Students submitting a bachelor's degree may receive 18 points towards ranking in lieu of the ACT score. **Applicants who do not submit an ACT score/bachelor's degree will not be penalized.**

ACT COMPOSITE SCORE (TOTAL POINTS FOR SECTION A):	POINTS (max. 36 points)	
SECTION B		
POINTS AWARDED FOR SPECIFIC COURSEWORK. NOTE: You should consult with an academic advisor regarding the transferability of courses taken at another institution. A maximum of three (3) grades you have earned can be used for points as indicated by the following scale: A= 3 points; B= 2 points; C= 1 points		
BIO 103 General Biology ENG 101 English Composition I MTH 100 Intermediate Algebra (or higher) OPTIONAL:	Grade: = points Grade: = points Grade: = points	
CHM 104 Introduction to Chemistry I HED 226 Wellness HPS 105 or OAD 211 Medical Terminology	Grade: = points Grade: = points Grade: = points	

TOTAL POINTS FROM SECTION B: POINTS (max. 18 poi	nts)	
SECTION C		
VETERINARY AND HIGHER EDUCATION. NOTE: A total of three (3) additional points are earned by applicants who have completed either twelve (12) or more credit hours of academic courses or Health Sciences courses at Southern Union, or who have completed coursework at an AVMA accredited Veterinary Technology/Veterinary Nursing program (requires proof of completion with transcripts submitted to SUSCC admissions office) with a minimum grade of "C" or higher. Academic Course points completed at SUSCC: BIO 103; ENG 101; MTH 100 or higher; PSY 200; SPH 106 or 107; IDS 102 or humanities elective; CHM 104; HED 226, HPS 105 Applicants who have completed SUSCC Health Sciences programs in the following areas may be awarded three (3) points ONLY if the student has not earned 12 hours of academic credit with courses listed above: Surgical Technology, Radiologic Technology, Practical Nursing, or Paramedic, or Medical Assisting Technology		
 Twelve (12) or more academic course credit hours completed with "C" or higher at SUSCC YES NO Veterinary coursework completed at an AVMA accredited Veterinary Technology/Veterinary Nursing		
TOTAL POINTS FROM SECTION C: POINTS (max. 3 points)		
SECTION D		
Three (3) points are awarded if the applicant has an Associate Degree or higher awarded from a regionally accredited institution.		
TOTAL POINTS FROM SECTION D: P	OINTS (max. 3 points)	
SECTION E (Optional)		
VETERINARY EXPERIENCE. NOTE: A total of twelve (12) additional points are earned by applicants who have completed applicable veterinary related observation or working hours AND have completed the "Southern Union Veterinary Technology Program Observation Form". This form must be received along with application materials. Forms must be completed, signed and dated by a currently licensed Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM), or Licensed Veterinary Technician (LVT) employed by the facility at which hours were completed. Points are calculated based on the following scale: 8-16 hours of veterinary observation or work experience = 3 points; 17-20 hours of veterinary observation or work experience = 6 points; 21-39 hours of veterinary observation experience = 9 points; 41 or more hours of veterinary observation or work experience = 12 points		
8-16 hours of veterinary experience 17-20 hours of veterinary experience 21-39 hours of veterinary experience 40+ hours of veterinary experience	Hours: = 3 points Hours: = 6 points Hours: = 9 points Hours: = 12 points	

TOTAL POINTS FROM SECTION E:	POINTS (max. 12 points)

TOTAL APPLICANT SCORE = SECTION A + B + C + D + E = POINTS (max. 72 points)

Applicants are ranked by TOTAL APPLICANT SCORE

Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee acceptance into the Veterinary Technology Program.

Applicants must attend or complete an information session for the Veterinary Technology Program within six (6) months of the application and attach original verification (no copies) to the program application. See www.suscc.edu for information session details.