St. Petersburg College
COLLEGE OF VETERINARY NURSING

Veterinary Technology Online Bachelor's in Applied Science Program
Admission Requirements Checklist

Term	Applications Accepted	Student Notified through MySPC email
Fall: August	May 1 – July 31	July 1 - August 1
Spring: January	August 1 – December 31*	November 1 - January 1*
Summer: May	January 1 – April 30	March 1 - May 1

SPC offices close for Winter Break – please refer to the Academic Calendar for specific dates.
Application materials should be submitted in time to be posted for immediate review when SPC offices reopen.

☐ **New** students must complete the St. Petersburg College Admission Application and pay the non-refundable fee. **Returning** students must complete the online Readmission steps in MySPC if you have not enrolled in the previous six semesters. Admissions and Readmissions

☐ Submit official, unopened (sealed) high school or GED transcripts indicating completion of standard high school diploma or equivalency. We do not accept unofficial copies or official copies that have been opened. Applicants who have earned an Associate in Arts, Associate in Science, Associate in Applied Science, Baccalaureate, or higher degree from a regionally accredited institution are waived from this requirement. **Transcripts must be received and evaluated by St. Petersburg College prior to the application deadline to ensure consideration.** Submitting Official Transcripts

☐ Submit official, unopened (sealed) transcripts from all regionally accredited college(s) and/or universities currently or previously attended. We do not accept unofficial copies or official copies that have been opened. **Transcripts must be received and evaluated by St. Petersburg College prior to the application deadline to ensure consideration.** Submitting Official Transcripts

☐ Students must have a cumulative grade point average of 2.00 on a 4.00 scale in all postsecondary coursework. Your Academic Standing may have an impact on your admission, enrollment, and financial aid eligibility. See the SPC Academic Standing Policy for details. Academic Standing Policy

☐ Submit official transcripts showing an A.S. or A.A.S. degree in Veterinary Technology from an AVMA accredited program showing 60 credits earned.

☐ Complete a minimum of 15 semester hours of transferable general education coursework from a regionally accredited college or university which demonstrates college level in Writing, Reading, and Math. *To view approved General Education courses, please refer to General Education Requirements*

☐ Submit the Upper Division Health Programs Application: https://web.spcollege.edu/hec/app_ud/apply

St. Petersburg College is committed to equal access/equal opportunity in its programs, activities, and employment.
For additional information visit www.spcollege.edu/eaeo

Program Information and Schedule

- SPC's online B.A.S. Veterinary Technology degree program provides the knowledge, skills, and a solid credential to help you further your career and become a leader in your profession.
- Our online program means you do not have to give up your job to finish the degree.
- Three tracks available: Clinical, Hospital Management, and Combined Clinical & Hospital Management

Selection Criteria and Admissions

- **All application requirements must be satisfied by the closing of the application window.**
- The Veterinary Technology Online B.A.S. degree program will accept applications continually throughout the year. Please apply once your prerequisite coursework has been completed and posted to your SPC transcript. All qualified students will be admitted and will be eligible to enroll in the following semester.

Estimated Cost

*¹Tuition *Based on 42 upper division online credits*	Textbooks	Total
Florida Resident: $ 5,363.00	$1,000.00	$ 6,363.00
Non-Florida Resident: $18,513.18	$1,000.00	$19,513.18

 *Tuition is estimated using the Florida residency rate of $122.70/credit hour. Non-resident rate is $425.79/credit hour.
   Online fees are $15/credit hour
 ¹ Tuition is for core coursework only. General Education and Support courses are not included.

Transfer Coursework

It is the student's responsibility to ensure transfer coursework meets SPC course requirements.
Transfer courses for which there is no direct SPC equivalent will be posted as elective credit and designated with a '999' course number. If you believe a course posted as an elective should satisfy a degree requirement, you may submit a request for **Alternate Satisfaction**.

To initiate the alternate satisfaction request/review process, please complete the **Alternative Satisfaction Survey**. Survey: Alternate Satisfaction

Before you begin completing the survey, be sure to have the following available:

- Course name and course number of the course taken at the former institution
- Official or unofficial copy of the transcript from the former institution to upload
- Syllabus of the course you completed and wish to use to satisfy an SPC course

Questions regarding transfer credit evaluation should be directed to transcript.evaluator@spcollege.edu
Please use your SPC Student email and include name, student number, course prefix and number, title, and term/year it was completed as it appears on your original transcript.

Graduation Requirements

In addition to satisfying the General Education course requirements, students must:

- Complete all core courses required for their program
- earn a cumulative 2.0 GPA in all courses completed
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- **FOREIGN LANGUAGE**
  If students have not completed two consecutive years of the same foreign language in high school or 8 credits in college, students will need to complete 8 credits of foreign language before completing the B.A.S. program.
- **CIVIC LITERACY**
  Students entering an A.S. Degree program in the 2022-2023 academic school year and thereafter must demonstrate competency through successful completion of a Civic Literacy course
  POS 2041 American National Government   3 credits
  AMH 2020 History of the United States II   3 credits
  AND by achieving a 60% passing score on the Florida Civic Literacy Examination (FCLE)

  The following are alternatives to the Civic Literacy course and Florida Civic Literacy Examination (FCLE).
  AP Government and Politics: United States   Score: 3
  AP United States History   Score: 4
  CLEP: American Government   Score: 50

Accessibility Services

St. Petersburg College is committed to providing quality education and services to all students by ensuring that admission, academic programs, support services, student activities, and campus facilities are accessible to and usable by qualified students with disabilities. Each specific health program has its own technical standards which all students must meet with or without accommodation(s). To help students achieve success, Accessibility Services works with students, faculty, and staff to coordinate the provision of reasonable accommodations. To put your accommodations in place, please contact the Health Education Center Accessibility Services at (727) 341-4141 or visit http//www.spcollege.edu/accessibility