



ADMISSION BY EXCEPTION POLICY

STUDENT SUPPORT | 600.604A

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1. Policy Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to outline any exceptions that can be granted for the admission of students.

2. Policy Statement

Mountainland Technical College (MTECH) does not accept students by exception to its admissions policy. All students must satisfy entrance requirements. MTECH does not accept Ability to Benefit students.

3. Definitions

Admission by Exception - a process where a college may admit applicants who have not achieved the requirements necessary for college admission.

Ability to Benefit - Ability to Benefit (ATB) allows a student without a high school diploma or equivalency to receive Title IV student financial aid to pay for postsecondary education and training if they are enrolled in a career pathway program.

4. Policy

- 4.1 Any student who is at least 16 years old and at least a junior in high school is eligible to enroll in most programs after satisfying entrance assessment requirements with the testing center.

- 4.2 Additional requirements, including grade and age of students, may be necessary for admission into a specific program. Students may go to the program page of the College’s website to determine enrollment requirements for their selected program.
- 4.3 MTECH does not accept students by exception to its admissions policy. All students must satisfy entrance requirements found on the website and in the Admissions and Enrollment Policy 600.604.
- 4.4 In adherence to our admissions policy, the MTECH testing center is committed to guiding students in addressing areas of academic challenge and offering support by providing direction to relevant study materials.

5. Revision History

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3/1/2018	3/12/2028	3/21/2018	3/1/2018
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