

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION OF STUDENTS

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I. REASON FOR THIS POLICY

New freshmen who do not meet the Board of Regents undergraduate admission requirements may be considered as a conditional admit (exception group) student which is allowed under the Board of Regents Policy 2:3, at the discretion of the university. This policy outlines the criteria established by Dakota State University for conditional admit students.

II. STATEMENT OF POLICY

Board of Regents policy 2:3 states that each university may admit a group of students to baccalaureate programs, limited in size to three (3) percent of the previous year's freshman class, and each university may admit a group of students to associate programs, limited in size to ten (10) percent of the previous year's freshman class.

III. DEFINITIONS

Not applicable.

IV. PROCEDURES

If a new freshman does not meet one of the three primary BOR admission requirements, they must meet one of three conditional admission requirements:

- 16 or greater ACT composite score
- 2.3 or greater cumulative high school GPA
- Graduate in the upper 70% of their class

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A student who meets one of the three conditional admit requirements is admitted as a conditional student (coded ACX in Colleague rather than ACC for regularly accepted students). They are admitted on probation, restricted to 12-13 credit hours including necessary skills courses, must have 100% class attendance, must meet regularly with Student Development and their advisor (as directed by each) and are admitted into an associate degree program until they have successfully completed 24 credit hours.

Students who do not meet one of the three conditional admit requirements, are not accepted to DSU.

V. RELATED DOCUMENTS, FORMS AND TOOLS

South Dakota Board of Regents Policy 2:3, System Undergraduate Admissions