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& Technical High School**
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Coconut Creek, FL 33063
754.321.5100

**Atlantic Technical College
Arthur Ashe, Jr. Campus**
1701 NW 23rd Avenue
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311
754.322.2800

**Atlantic Technical College
Coconut Creek High School
Campus**
1400 NW 44th Avenue
Coconut Creek, FL 33066
754.321.5350



**McFatter Technical College
& Technical High School**
6500 Nova Drive
Davie, FL 33317
754.321.5700

**McFatter Technical College
Broward Fire Academy**
2600 SW 71st Terrace
Davie, FL 33314
754.321.1300

**Broward Estates
Early Learning &
Resource Center**
441 NW 35th Avenue
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311
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**Sheridan Technical College
& Technical High School**
5400 Sheridan Street
Hollywood, FL 33021
754.321.5400

**Sheridan Technical College
West Campus**
20251 Stirling Road
Pembroke Pines, FL 33332
754.321.3900

Sheridan Technical High School
3775 SW 16th Street
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312
754.321.7450

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ADMISSIONS M-1 STUDENT VISAS

Broward Technical Colleges are NOT APPROVED by Immigration to process the Form I-20 for students wishing to apply for an M-1 Student Visa for the following programs: ESOL – English for Speakers of Other Languages; ABE – Adult Basic Education; AAE – Applied Academics for Adult Education; GED® – General Educational Development.

The International Student Handbook, and documents required may be downloaded from the technical colleges' Web sites at AtlanticTechnicalCollege.edu (Atlantic); McFatterTechnicalCollege.edu (McFatter); or SheridanTechnicalCollege.edu (Sheridan). Select How to Apply, and then scroll down to International Student Information.

ADMISSIONS PROCEDURES

- 1. Orientation & Testing** – Make arrangements to attend an Orientation and take the Basic Skills Test at the technical college you wish to attend. Photo ID & \$15 Testing Fee are required for initial testing.
- 2. Schedule an appointment with the program counselor/advisor** to discuss test results, program placement, and registration procedures.
- 3. Schedule an appointment with Vera Fernandez, International Student Advisor**, to process the Form I-20 – Certificate of Eligibility for Non-immigrant (M-1) Student Status.
- 4. Once the Form I-20 – Certificate of Eligibility for Nonimmigrant Student Status is processed, a space in the class will be reserved for the international student Class of Admission M-1.**
- 5. After obtaining the M-1 student visa** or approval of your application for change of status provide a copy to Vera Fernandez.
- 5. Register for the class** during the registration period. International students are permitted to enter the U.S. 30 days prior to the program start date.

IMPORTANT! HEALTH SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY PROGRAMS: International students must first come to the U.S. on a visitor's visa to fulfill all admissions requirements for these programs. After all requirements are met and the students have been accepted into these programs, the Form I-20 can then be processed and international students will be eligible to apply for the M-1 student visa or change of status with USCIS.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS PAY NON-RESIDENT TUITION FOR THE DURATION OF THEIR STUDIES UNDER THE M-1 STUDENT VISA.

Vera Fernandez

International Student Advisor

McFatter Technical College and Technical High School

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Office Hours by Appointment Only - Please call 754-321-5737