# Sheridan Technical College General 2025-26 Admissions Checklist



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Welcome to Sheridan Technical College! Whether you are starting your career, changing careers or recently unemployed, we are confident you will gain the essential skills needed to be successful and we are here to support you every step of the way! Follow the instructions below to complete the admissions process.

Note, prospective students for Child Care Center Operations, Commercial Class "B" Driving, Commercial Vehicle Driving and Health Programs, please complete the program specific admissions process provided at <a href="https://www.sheridantechnicalcollege.edu/getting-started">www.sheridantechnicalcollege.edu/getting-started</a> or visit the Office of Student Affairs for an admissions packet.

Step 1:
Attend
Orientation

- •The 1-hour orientation is conducted online and on-campus. Orientation provides an overview of the admissions process, services, policies/procedures and program info. A confirmation email will follow immediately after registration. Register for orientation at <a href="https://www.sheridantechnicalcollege.edu/online-orientation-schedule">www.sheridantechnicalcollege.edu/online-orientation-schedule</a>.
- Admissions documents are to be submitted in person. Save time by having the following documents completed prior to your visit (click on the form title below to access). Forms are also conveniently available on campus. A counselor/advisor interview is required to finalize the admissions process once basic skills testing or exemption is completed and the following documents are submitted. No appointment is necessary; however, please call to confirm the counselor's availability prior to arrival. Refer to page 3 for counselor/advisor contact information and office hours.

Step 2: Submit Documents

- 1. Workforce Education Registration Application
- 2. Workforce Education Registration Application Addendum
- 3. Explanation of Learner Rights and Responsibilities
- 4. Florida Residency Affidavit for Tuition Purposes
- 5. 2 proofs of FL residency (See "Florida Residency for Tuition Purposes" on the next page for acceptable proof)
- 6. Admissions Interview Form
- 7. High School or GED Transcript (if required by program or applying for basic skills exemption)
- 8. Valid (not expired) picture ID (i.e. driver's license, passport, etc.)

Step 3:

Request Disability Services

- This step is **OPTIONAL**.
- Prospective students who wish to self-identify as having a documented disability may request reasonable accommodations for testing and classroom instruction. For more information regarding the disability services process please visit www.sheridantechnicalcollege.edu/disability-services. Forms are available on campus upon request.

Step 4:

Take Basic Skills Test

- Students enrolled in a postsecondary program of 450 hours or more are required to take and pass a basic skills test in order to receive a certificate at the time of program completion. Some students may be exempt from testing. Test accommodations may be available for individuals who self-identify as having a documented disability. Requests for accommodations must be made prior to testing via the Exceptional Education Specialist (see step 3 for disability service request). For information regarding basic skills testing and exemption criteria visit www.sheridantechnicalcollege.edu/basic-skills-prep-guide.
- An admissions interview with the program counselor/advisor is required to finalize the admissions process once basic skills testing is completed. No appointment is necessary; however, please call to confirm the counselor's availability prior to arrival.

• This step is **OPTIONAL**.

•Prospective students requesting financial assistance must complete the online Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as soon as possible. For more information regarding the financial aid process please visit www.sheridantechnicalcollege.edu/financial-aid and select "Online Financial Aid Process".

Step 5: Apply for Financial Aid

The School Board of Broward County, Florida, prohibits any policy or procedure which results in discrimination on the basis of age, color, disability, gender identity, gender expression, genetic information, marital status, national origin, race, religion, sex or sexual orientation. The School Board also provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. Individuals who wish to file a discrimination and/or harassment complaint may call the Director, Equal Educational Opportunities/ADA Compliance Department & District's Equity Coordinator/Title IX Coordinator at 754-321-2150 or Teletype Machine (ITTy) 754-321-2158. Individuals with disabilities requesting accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act of 2008, (ADAAA) may call Equal Educational Opportunities/ADA Compliance Department at 754-321-2150 or Teletype Machine (ITTY) 754-321-2158. <a href="https://www.BrowardSchools.com">www.BrowardSchools.com</a>
<a href="https://www.BrowardSchools.com">STC/MR/8-1-25</a></a>

## Florida Residency for Tuition Purposes

A "Florida resident for tuition purposes" is a person who has, or a dependent person whose parent, legal guardian, or spouse has established and maintained legal residence in Florida for at least twelve consecutive months prior to the first day of the term. Those considered non-Florida residents pay tuition at a higher rate. Applicants must complete the Florida Residency Affidavit for Tuition Purposes form and submit required supporting documents. For more information, refer to the *Florida Residency Affidavit for Tuition Purposes* form in step 2.

## **Academic Records**

## **Academic Records Recognition Criteria**

Sheridan Technical College accepts academic records from other institutions for the purpose of decisions regarding admissions, eligibility for financial aid, basic skills exemption/exit, and recognition of prior academic work. To ensure the academic integrity and quality of educational programs, STC recognize academic records only from institutions that meet one of the following criteria:

#### **Accredited Institutions:**

Educational institutions accredited by agencies listed on the BTC's Approved Accrediting Agency list. Contact the program counselor/advisor or click on Approved Accrediting Agencies for a comprehensive list of approved agencies.

#### **Public School Districts or U.S. Territories:**

Public school districts or U.S. territories that do not utilize a formal accrediting body but are registered with their respective State or Territorial Departments of Education. Educational records issued by U.S. territories must be translated into English if not already provided in English. Credential evaluation is not required in such cases.

#### **Registered Home Education Programs:**

Home education program completers must submit this institution's Affidavit of Home School Completion form in compliance with Florida Statutes s. 1002.41 and s. 1007.263(2)(a), F.S. The affidavit must be completed, signed by the designated Home School Official (parent or legal guardian), and notarized. All required supporting documentation, as specified by this institution, must be submitted with the affidavit. Contact the program counselor/advisor or click on Affidavit of Home School Completion to obtain the form.

### **Foreign Institutions with Evaluation Reports:**

Academic records from foreign institutions must be evaluated by a credential evaluation service that is a member of the National Association of Credential Evaluation Services (NACES), the Association of International Credential Evaluators (AICE), FLDOE Bureau of Educator Certification (BEC), or an accepted accredited four-year college or university in the United States. The evaluation must certify that the academic records are equivalent to a secondary and/or postsecondary education in the United States. Contact the program counselor/advisor or click on Foreign Education Credentials Evaluation Agencies for a comprehensive list of approved agencies.

#### High School Diploma/ GED

To enroll in certain Certificate and Applied Technology programs, students must have a high school diploma or GED. If a student is using their diploma or GED to qualify for basic skills exemption or financial aid, an official transcript is required. Students who have earned a GED must request their official GED transcript through GED.com and should designate Sheridan Technical College as the recipient.

#### **Experiential Credit**

Prospective students with work or educational experience related to the program of interest may be eligible for Experiential Performance Awards. This allows students to accelerate the instructional process by applying past experiences toward the competencies taught in each Certificate and Applied Technology Program. Inform the program counselor/advisor if you would like to request experiential credit.

## **Financial Aid Options**

Financial Aid is available and awarded based on each student's individual financial need. The Office of Financial Aid will assess eligibility and provide guidance on application requirements. To ensure compliance with federal financial aid regulations, students are not permitted to receive federal aid from more than one postsecondary institution at the same time. Receiving aid from multiple institutions may result in overawards, which can lead to repayment obligations, loss of eligibility, and potential legal consequences. To remain compliant, students who are enrolled at more than one institution must inform the Office of Financial Aid to ensure that only one institution administers their financial aid. Sheridan Technical College does not participate in federal student loan programs and does not offer loans of any kind. However, various funding sources may be available to students depending upon the course of study and/or financial need. Students are encouraged to meet with a financial aid advisor or visit the Office of Student Affairs to explore available funding options and determine eligibility.

### **School Policies and Procedures**

The Broward Technical College (BTC) Student Handbook serves as a comprehensive guide for students, outlining the rules, policies, procedures and expectations of Atlantic, McFatter and Sheridan Technical College. To access the BTC Handbook online visit, www.sheridantechnicalcollege.edu/student-handbook.

## Registration & Payment Options

Prospective students can register after receiving an acceptance letter from the program counselor/advisor. Registration is on a first come, first served basis, so payment is required to reserve your seat in the course. Acceptable forms of payment include cash, Visa or MasterCard. The cardholder must be present for in-person payments.

Counselor/Advisor Contact & Office Hours			
Counselor/Advisor	Programs	Orientation	Office Hours
<b>Dorie Copeland</b> Dorie.Copeland@browardschools.com 754.321.5459	Accounting Operations Administrative Office Specialist Applied Cybersecurity Business Management and Analysis Computer Systems and Information Technology Legal Administrative Specialist Medical Administrative Specialist Network Support Services Network Systems Administration	Online Wednesday 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.  On-Campus (Dates vary) Tuesday 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	M, W, TH, F 8:00 a.m 3:30 p.m. T 9:30 a.m 5:30 p.m. *Unavailable during orientation
Victor Calderon Victor.Calderon@browardschools.com 754.321.5443	Electrocardiograph Technician Medical Assisting Medical Coder/Biller – ATD Patient Care Technician Pharmacy Technician – ATD Phlebotomy Practical Nursing Surgical Technology	Online Monday 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.  On-Campus (Dates vary) Thursday 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	M, T, W, F 8:30 a.m 4:00 p.m. TH 9:30 a.m 5:30 p.m. *Unavailable during orientation
Beverly Ferguson Beverly.Ferguson@browardschools.com 754.321.5463	Barbering Child Care Center Operations Cosmetology Early Childhood Education Facials Specialty Nails Specialty Professional Culinary Arts & Hospitality	Online Tuesdays 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.  On-Campus (Dates vary) Monday 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	T, W, TH, F 7:30 a.m3:00 p.m.  M 9:30 a.m 5:30 p.m.  *Unavailable during orientation
<b>Dominique Joseph</b> Dominique.Joseph@browardschools.com 754.321.5445	Automotive Collision Technology Technician Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair Technician Manufacturer Specific Automotive Service Technology – (GM ASEP, Ford ASSET, MOPAR-MCAP, Nissan/Infiniti NTTA) Master Automotive Service Technology Building Trades & Construction Design Technology Electricity Heating, Ventilation, Air-Conditioning/Refrigeration (HVAC/R) Plumbing	Online Thursdays 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.  On-Campus (Dates vary) Wednesday 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	M, T, TH, F 8:00 a.m 3:30 p.m. W 9:30 a.m 5:30 p.m. *Unavailable during orientation
June Armstrong June.Armstrong@browardschools.com 754.321.3903	Commercial Class "B" Driving Commercial Vehicle Driving Diesel Systems Technician Manufacturer Specific Automotive Service Technology (Audi/Dealer Exclusive, Mazda MAST)	Online Wednesday 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  On-Campus (Dates vary) Tuesday	M, W, TH, F 8:00 a.m 4:00 p.m. T 9:30 a.m 5:30 p.m. *Unavailable during orientation
	D	4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	
F:	Financial Aid Advisor		
Sabine Baur Sabine.Baur@browardschools.com 754.321.5506	Programs  Electrocardiograph Technician – Medical Assisting – Medical Coder/Biller ATD – Patient Care Technician – Pharmacy Technician ATD – Phlebotomy – Practical Nursing – Surgical Technology  Commercial Class "B" Driving – Commercial Vehicle Driving – Diesel Systems Technician		
April Norris April.Norris@browardschools.com 754.321.5558	Automotive Collision Technology Technician – Automotive Maintenance and Light Repair Technician – Manufacturer Specific Automotive Service Technology (Audi/Exclusive Dealer, GM ASEP, Ford ASSET, Mazda MAST, MOPAR-MCAP, Nissan/Infiniti NTTA) – Master Automotive Service Technology  ———————————————————————————————————		
Erin Hurst Erin.Hurst@browardschools.com 754.321.5564	(HVAC/R) – Plumbing  Barbering – Cosmetology – Early Childhood Education – Facials Specialty – Nails Specialty – Professional Culinary Arts and Hospitality		
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<b>Exceptional Education Specialist</b>	Veterans Certifying Official		Student Advisor
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