

Greetings from Nicholls State University

Located way down south in bayou country, Nicholls State University is a comprehensive university offering a unique blend of academic programs to meet the needs of Louisiana and beyond. Nearly 7,000 students choose from over 100 majors including business, education, nursing, culinary arts, geomatics, and petroleum services. You can find out more about Nicholls State University and its academic programs by visiting our website at www.nicholls.edu.

Admissions Requirements

For students with at least 12 non-developmental semester hours:

- *Minimum GPA of 2.0 on college level courses
- *Require no developmental (remedial) courses
- *Eligibility to return to the most recent institution attended



For students with less than 12 non-developmental hours:

- *Eligibility for admission under the freshman criteria: visit www.nicholls.edu/admission/
- *Eligibility to return to most recent institution attended.

Students who do not meet admissions requirements may petition the Appeals Committee by sending an email to appeals@nicholls.edu.

Transfer Credits

Typically, all courses taken at an accredited community college, college, or university will transfer. However, whether or not courses apply to a particular degree program is determined by the department of the major. To earn a

degree at Nicholls, students must earn at least 25% of their course work from Nicholls.

Transfer Credit Evaluations

If you would like a preliminary evaluation of transcripts contact David Zerangue,

Director of Transitional Programs, at 985-448-4462 or at transfer@nicholls.edu. A preliminary evaluation will give you a general idea as to how courses will transfer. **All preliminary evaluations are unofficial.**

Transfer Orientation

The Transfer Orientation Program provides students with valuable information about Nicholls and the many services we have to offer. Campus tours are also available. For more information visit www.nicholls.edu/transfer/transfer-orientation-program/. If you would like to schedule a tour go to www.nicholls.edu/tours/.

Academic Support

Nicholls State University offers free tutoring and writing assistance through the Tutorial & Academic Enhancement Center. The center is an excellent resource for students who need extra help or just a little encouragement. Visit www.nicholls.edu/academic_enhancement/ for more information.



Admissions Procedure

*Apply for admission:

www.nicholls.edu/apply/

*Have an official transcript sent by each college or university previously attended. This should be done as quickly as possible.

*If you need financial aid, file early at fafsa.ed.gov.

*Submit immunization records.

Visit www.nicholls.edu/parents/ for more information.

*Once you receive a letter of acceptance, call David Zerangue at 985-448-4462 to set up an appointment for advising.

*Read the schedule of classes for

important dates and deadlines and familiarize yourself with your degree program. Both can be done at www.nicholls.edu/catalog/.

*Sign up for the Transfer Orientation Program at <http://www.nicholls.edu/transfer/transfer-orientation-program/>.

If you have any questions or concerns about the admissions procedure, contact Robin Andrews, Transfer Student Admissions Counselor, at Robin.Andrews@nicholls.edu or call 985-448-4145.



Financial Aid & Scholarships

FAFSA

If you did not already complete the FAFSA for the current award year at your current school, you may do so online at www.fafsa.ed.gov. Be sure to list the **Nicholls school code, 002005**. If you have already completed FAFSA you must make sure Nicholls' code appears on your application. To add our school code, call 1-800-4-FED-AID, go online at www.fafsa.ed.gov, or contact our office with the Data Release Number (DRN) indicated on your Student Aid Report (SAR). Financial aid is not transferrable.

We will not be able to process any financial aid until all aid at your current school is cancelled.

TOPS

Generally, students who have TOPS do not have to do anything. However, if you scheduled classes at your current school you should cancel your schedule.

Scholarships

Students may be eligible for privately funded scholarships. For a list of available scholarships or for more information on financial aid please visit www.nicholls.edu/finaid/.

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