NAME OF PROPOSAL: Policy for Admission in the Baccalaureate (FESA)

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Policy for the Admission into the Fire and Emergency Services Administration (FESA) Baccalaureate Program

It is the policy of East Georgia State College to create admissions requirements that fulfill the stated mission of the college, by encouraging students of diverse levels of preparedness, ethnicity and age to attend this institution and develop their full potential as individuals and members of the community. These guidelines are in keeping with East Georgia State College’s strong commitment to student success, a process that begins when students first apply to the college and continues through graduation and job placement. East Georgia State College complies with the access mission institution admission standards established under University System of Georgia Board of Regents policies and is committed to ensuring that the admissions procedures implement these standards.

The specific requirements for the admission in the Baccalaureate (FESA) are:

1. Completed application for admission
2. Certificate of immunization required prior to registration
3. Application fee ($20)
4. Official high school and/or college transcripts (mailed directly from sending institution) showing date of graduation and successful completion of high school testing requirements
5. Must have a 2.0 Academic Core GPA.
6. Must have completed and present high school credit for the Required High School Curriculum, which entails completion of sixteen (16) specified units. Students who graduate from high school in 2012 or later must present credits for seventeen (17) specified units. Students who have not completed the RHSC cannot apply for and be admitted into any baccalaureate program at EGSC.

The 16 (17 for students who graduate in 2012 or later) specified USG units are:

- **MATHEMATICS**: Four (4) units of Mathematics, including Algebra I, Algebra II, and Geometry. For students who graduate from a Georgia Public School in 2012 or later, the 4 units of Mathematics must include a course at the level of Math 3 or higher.
- **ENGLISH**: Four (4) units of English that have as their emphasis grammar and usage, literature (American, English, World), and advanced composition skills.
- **SCIENCE**: Three (3) units of science, with at least one laboratory course from the life sciences and one laboratory course from the physical sciences. Students who graduate in 2012 or later must have four (4) units of science. Georgia Public High School graduates must have at least one (1) unit of biology, one (1) unit of physical science or physics, and one (1) unit of chemistry, earth systems, environmental science, or an advanced placement science course.
- **SOCIAL SCIENCE**: Three (3) units of social science, with at least one (1) course focusing on United States studies and one (1) course focusing on world studies.
- **FOREIGN LANGUAGE**: Two (2) units in the same foreign language emphasizing speaking, listening, reading, and writing. Two (2) units of American Sign Language may be used to satisfy this requirement.

7. Must have 30 hours and be able to return to sending institution.
8. Must have transient permission letter (if applicable)
9. Must present International applicant documents (if applicable) as follows:
   - TOEFL score(s)
   - Financial statement
   - Officially translated and evaluated transcripts
   - Copy of visa or alien resident card
Current Admission Requirements:

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Baccalaureate Applicants (Biology or FESA)

Listed below are the admission requirements:

1. Completed application for admission

2. Certificate of immunization required prior to registration

3. Application fee ($20)

4. Official high school and/or college transcripts (mailed directly from sending institution) showing date of graduation and successful completion of high school testing requirements

5. Must have a 2.5 Academic Core GPA.

6. Must have completed and present high school credit for the Required High School Curriculum, which entails completion of sixteen (16) specified units. Students who graduate from high school in 2012 or later must present credits for seventeen (17) specified units. Students who have not completed the RHSC cannot apply for and be admitted into any baccalaureate program at EGSC

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• SOCIAL SCIENCE: Three (3) units of social science, with at least one (1) course focusing on United States studies and one (1) course focusing on world studies.

• FOREIGN LANGUAGE: Two (2) units in the same foreign language emphasizing speaking, listening, reading, and writing. Two (2) units of American Sign Language may be used to satisfy this requirement.

7. Must have Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) scores ≥24 Verbal and ≥25.5 Math or American College Testing (ACT) scores ≥17 English or ≥17 Math.

8. Must have 30 hours and a 2.5 GPA if a transfer student.

9. Must have transient permission letter (if applicable)
10. Must present International applicant documents (if applicable) as follows:
   • TOEFL score(s)
   • Financial statement
   • Officially translated and evaluated transcripts
   • Copy of visa or alien resident card

11. Must have completed pre-requisite courses, if applicable.