

## NOTICE OF ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

### EMS Education Programs | Mineral Area College

**Admissions Requirements** — Everyone must apply to Mineral Area College and complete the Admissions process. The new or returning student applications can be accessed and completed online at: [www.mineralarea.edu](http://www.mineralarea.edu). It is the applicant's responsibility to have official high school and other college transcripts sent from the educational institution to the Admission Department by following the steps on the MAC website.

#### Community Health Worker

- No Additional Requirements

#### Community Paramedic

- Valid Paramedic License

#### Emergency Medical Technician

- You must have one of the following:
  - ENG1330 with a minimum grade of C or
  - a minimum reading score of 18 on the ACT or
  - 250 on Accuplacer Next Generation in reading or
  - A minimum grade of C in RDG0900, ENG0090 or ENG0990 or
  - have previously earned 24 college-level semester credit hours.
- Students must be eighteen (18) years of age prior to course completion before the licensure examination can be taken.

#### Paramedic Certificate / Associate of Applied Science - Paramedic Technology

- Academic Test Scores - All paramedic applicants must complete academic testing according to the following minimum scores. The Accuplacer Next Generation testing information, practice testing, and scheduling can be accessed online at [www.mineralarea.edu](http://www.mineralarea.edu) or by calling the Assessment office at (573) 518-2202.
  - Accuplacer Next Generation: Writing 250, Math 250, Reading 250
- Application - Students who meet the entrance requirements must complete and submit a Paramedic Technology Program application. Applications can be found on MAC's website or from the office of EMS Education Programs.
- Deadlines - All academic testing and prerequisite courses must be completed by the paramedic application deadline. Also, it is the applicant's responsibility to request official transcripts from other educational institutions prior to the application deadline.
- Personal Interview - Once eligibility is established, paramedic applicants will be required to participate in a panel interview which will be scored. The personal interview score will constitute 25% of the selection score.
- Contingent Acceptance - Paramedic applicants who are selected into the paramedic program will be contingent upon meeting the following additional requirements as instructed in future correspondence following selection:
  1. Residency & Identification Documents (DL, SS, BC, and/or Passport)
  2. Required Immunization Records
  3. Current EMT License
  4. Current CPR Certification
  5. Drug Screen & Background Check
  6. Other Required Forms (Pre-Course Packet)

**General Education Courses** - The following courses are not required for program entrance but are required to obtain an Associate of Applied Science Degree:

BIO 2540 Human Anatomy and Physiology  
GUI 1010 First Year Seminar  
MAT 1240 Quantitative Reasoning\*  
PSY 1130 General Psychology

ENG 1330 English Composition I  
HIS 0000 MO Higher Education Civics Exam  
PHS 1250 Introductory Chemistry  
POS 1180 American Political Systems \*\*

\*MAT1205 Application of College Math and MAT1230 College Algebra are accepted as equivalent courses.\*\* HIS1230 [HIST101] American History I or HIS1240 [HIST201] American History II or POS 1130 American National Government can be substituted.