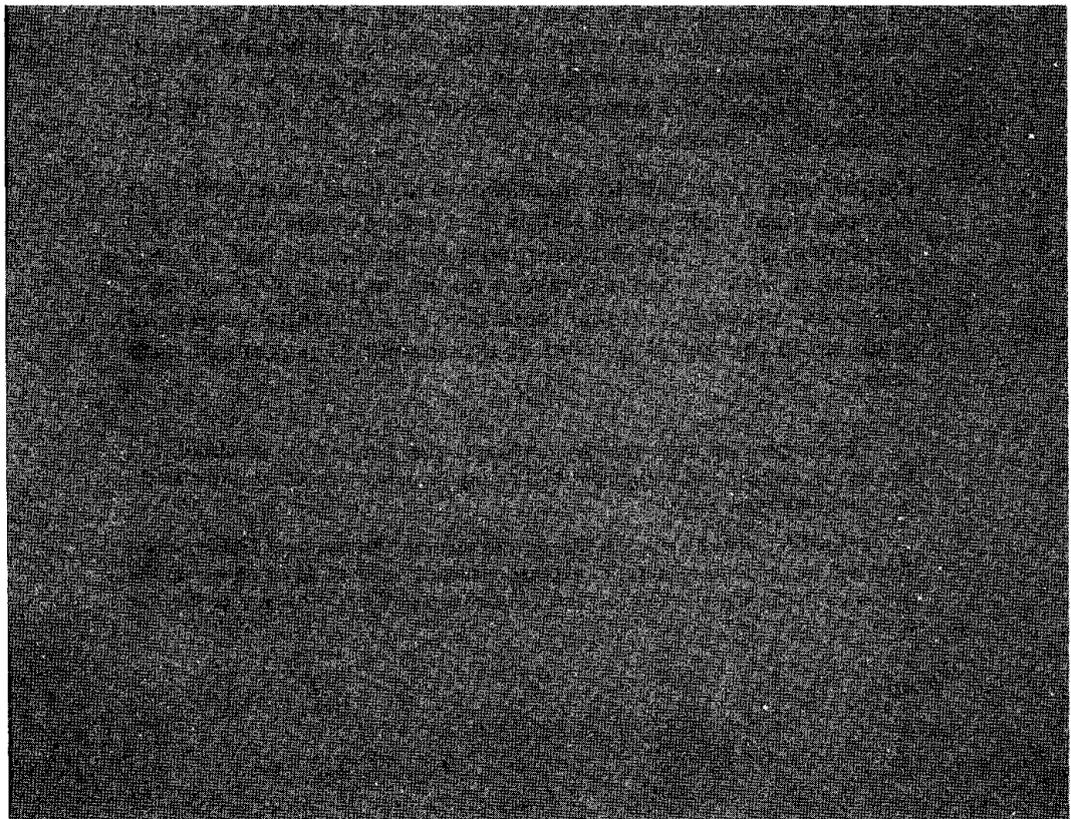


IV. Admission Requirements



First-Time Freshmen*

In-state applicants for admission who have graduated from an accredited Texas high school within five years of the date of first enrollment at UT San Antonio and who have never attended a college or university must have a minimum total score on either the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) of the College Entrance Examination Board or the American College Testing Program (ACT) corresponding to their high school rank in class as indicated in the following table:

<i>High School Rank in Class</i>	<i>Minimum Total SAT Score</i>	<i>Minimum Total ACT Score</i>
Top 10%	Score must be submitted; no minimum score is required	Score must be submitted; no minimum score is required
Top 25% (but not top 10%)	700	15
Second 25%	750	17
Third 25%	800	19
Fourth 25%	850	21
GED Test**	850	21

In-state applicants for admission who have graduated from an accredited Texas high school five or more years prior to the date of first enrollment at UT San Antonio and who have never attended a college or university are eligible for admission regardless of high school rank in class and irrespective of SAT or ACT scores, although the submission of SAT or ACT scores will be required for admission.

Out-of-state applicants for admission who have graduated from an accredited high school within five years of the date of first enrollment at UT San Antonio must be in the top half of their graduating class and must have a minimum total SAT or ACT scores corresponding to that required for in-state applicants who graduate in the top 25 percent or the second 25 percent of their class.

*When there are more qualified applicants than can be accommodated, The University may control enrollment by limiting the admission of first-time freshmen and other new students.

**Applicants furnishing results on the General Educational Development Test will be required to have an average standard score of 45 or above on the five tests in the battery and to have no scores less than 35 on any of the five tests.

Out-of-state applicants for admission who have graduated from an accredited high school five or more years prior to the date of first enrollment at UT San Antonio and who have never attended a college or university are eligible for admission regardless of high school rank in class and irrespective of SAT or ACT scores, although the submission of SAT or ACT scores will be required for admission.

Recommended preparation. High school students who anticipate applying to UT San Antonio are strongly encouraged to include in their preparation for university study work in courses involving language skills; courses in quantification skills; and courses in subjects contributing to a broad academic background, such as English and foreign languages, speech, social sciences, history, mathematics and sciences, and the fine arts.* The nature and number of high school units** are suggested as follows:

<i>Subject</i>	<i>Units</i>
English	4
Mathematics: algebra, geometry, trigonometry, and advanced mathematics	3 or more
One foreign language	2 or more
Natural science	2 or more
Social science	2 or more

These specific units, although not required for admission, are recommended, since The University expects each applicant to be prepared for academic work at a higher level.

Admission prior to completion of studies. Applicants for admission as first-time freshmen attending high school at the

*To enroll at UT San Antonio in courses in English, foreign language, and mathematics that are part of The University's General Education Requirements, all students, except those with acceptable college-level transfer credits in these courses, who have prior knowledge of the subject matter must take placement examinations in those subjects. (See the Placement Examinations section of the present catalog.)

**A unit represents a year of study in one subject at an accredited secondary school.

time of application for admission and who meet the rank-in-class and SAT or ACT score requirements at the end of their first semester* of the senior year may be admitted pending certification of high school graduation. Applicants not meeting these requirements prior to graduation will have the determination of eligibility for admission deferred until a final high school transcript and rank-in-class report is received.

Undergraduate Transfer Students**

Applicants for admission who have earned less than 30 semester hours of acceptable credit from accredited colleges or universities must:

- 1) Meet the same rank-in-class/SAT or ACT requirements as first-time freshmen;
- 2) Have at least a "C" average (2.0 grade-point average on a 4.0 scale) on all academic college or university hours attempted; and
- 3) Must be in good standing at the last institution attended.

Applicants for admission who have earned 30 or more semester hours of acceptable credit from accredited colleges or universities must:

- 1) Have at least a "C" average (2.0 grade-point average on a 4.0 scale) on all academic college or university hours attempted; and
- 2) Must be in good standing at the last institution attended.

Applicants for admission as transfer students who are enrolled at another accredited college or university at the time of application for admission and who have at least a "C" average on all attempted college-level work completed through the next to the last term of attendance at other institutions may be admitted pending receipt of final transcripts verifying the cumulative "C"

*For high schools on a calendar using other than the semester system, determination of eligibility may be made at the end of the term which is the next to the last term prior to graduation.

**In 1975-76, transfer will be restricted to upper-division students who have 60 or more hours of acceptable credit.

average and good standing. Applicants not meeting these requirements will have the determination of eligibility for admission deferred until all final transcripts are received.

International Freshmen Students

All applicants for admission as freshmen who are not citizens of the United States must:

1. Have credits equivalent to those of students entering from an accredited secondary school in the United States, as determined by the Registrar's Office;
2. Have superior grades on work done in secondary school, as determined by the Registrar's Office;
3. Submit scores from the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL), or successfully complete an intensive course in English from an accredited college or university in the United States. A minimum score of 550 on the TOEFL is required. Subsequent English tests and preparation may be required by a student's advisor if his or her performance in English is unsatisfactory. TOEFL scores are not required for international students from countries where the primary language of instruction is English; nor are TOEFL scores required for non-citizens of the United States graduating from United States high schools although a composite SAT or ACT test score appropriate to rank in class is required;
4. Submit a letter guaranteeing the student's ability to pay all expenses while a student at The University. The letter may be sent from a parent or guardian, a bank or other reliable institution, or a United States citizen who will accept responsibility for the student's financial needs;
5. Submit proof of adequate hospitalization insurance prior to registration.

International Transfer Students

International students who have attended a college or university in a country other than the United States must:

1. Have qualifications equal to those required for transfer from a college or university in the United States;
2. Satisfy requirements 3, 4, and 5 above for international freshmen students.

To be eligible for admission, international students who have attended another college or university in the United States must:

1. Have completed at least 30 semester hours of credit with "C" (2.0 average on a 4.0 scale) on all work attempted;
2. Satisfy requirements 3, 4, and 5 above for international freshmen students.

TOEFL scores are not required for non-citizens of the United States graduating from United States colleges and universities with at least a baccalaureate degree.

Provisional Admission Program for Freshmen

Any Texas resident applying as a freshman who has not attended a college or university and who is a graduate of an accredited high school but who does not qualify for admission due to an inadequate SAT or ACT score or deficiencies in high school preparation may be admitted on a provisional basis in the spring semester or in the first summer term (for both summer sessions), during which time the student will be given an opportunity to demonstrate that he or she can perform college-level work and that he or she can reasonably be expected to make progress toward a degree. Such a student will be required to take courses selected from English, mathematics, natural science, and language and may not take courses in other disciplines until the provisional status is removed. The student must demonstrate ability to perform college work by obtaining an overall "C" average (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) in 12 hours of work from these fields. Normally a student will be expected to complete these 12 hours of work in a summer session (both summer terms) or during the spring semester. Upon completion of 12 hours of work from these fields a student will be admitted as a regular univer-

sity student in subsequent semesters. Students who achieve a GPA between 1.5 and 2.0 in their first semester or summer session (both summer terms) will be allowed to continue for the next semester or summer session immediately following in order to achieve a cumulative GPA of 2.0. A student not meeting these requirements will not be allowed to continue in the following semester or summer session.

Transient Students

A student who intends to register for courses in one term ONLY and who does not intend to work toward a degree at The University of Texas at San Antonio should apply for admission as a transient student. A statement of good standing from the institution last attended will be required as well as the application for admission.

A transient student may register for any course in which he or she has the prerequisites and in which space is available. A student registered in this capacity cannot enroll in subsequent terms unless he or she has been admitted as a regular student. To be admitted as a regular student the transient student must apply for regular student status through the Admissions Office and meet The University's admission requirements.

Application Dates

Students applying for admission to The University of Texas at San Antonio may apply for admission according to the following schedule.*

Application forms and instructions will be available from the Admissions Office beginning with the "first date to apply" indicated below. The completed application form and all required supporting documents must be on file with the Admissions Office no later than the "last date to apply" shown below.

*In the event there are more qualified applicants for admission than can be accommodated by The University, it may be necessary to restrict admission and/or enrollment. All applicants are, therefore, encouraged to apply for admission at the earliest possible time.

<i>Term</i>	<i>First Date to Apply</i>	<i>Last Date to Apply*</i>
Fall, 1975	September 16, 1974	July 1, 1975
Spring, 1976	August 1, 1975	December 1, 1975
Summer I, 1976	January 15, 1976	May 1, 1976
Summer II, 1976	January 15, 1976	June 1, 1976

Admission Procedures

The procedures to be followed in applying for admission are explained on the Application for Admission form. Each applicant for admission is individually responsible for ensuring that all required support documents (e.g., application form, test results, required transcripts, immunization record, etc.) are on file in the Admissions Office, since admission will not be granted until the applicant's file is complete.

Students who apply for admission to The University of Texas at San Antonio for any term and do not register, must re-apply for admission if they wish to enroll at a later date. A subsequent application for admission must be in accordance with current admission requirements. New transcripts, test scores, and all other supporting documents will be required since files for admitted students who do not register are not retained.

Re-Admission Policies and Procedures

Students, other than transient students, who have previously been admitted and registered at The University of Texas at San Antonio as resident students and who were enrolled within 12 months prior to the beginning of any semester or summer session and who are scholastically eligible to return may re-enroll without applying for re-admission. Former students who have not been enrolled within 12 months prior to the anticipated date of return must submit an application for re-admission and file a residence questionnaire. The application form and residence questionnaire are available in the Admissions Office. All former

*All documents required for admission must be received by the Admissions Office by this date.

students returning to UT San Antonio who have attended other institutions of higher education since they were last enrolled must submit an official transcript from each such institution. Eligibility for re-admission for any former student will depend on the academic status at the conclusion of the student's last UT San Antonio enrollment and any subsequent college or university work attempted.

Admission to Teacher Certification Programs

The University of Texas at San Antonio anticipates approval by the Texas Education Agency to recommend students for teacher certification in various baccalaureate degree areas.* Students who wish to prepare for teaching must apply for admission to The University through the Admissions Office and for admission to a certificate program through the Office of Teacher Certification and Placement. The application for admission to a certificate program should be submitted at the time the student attains upper-division standing.

*A complete list of certification programs will be published in a brochure available from the Office of Teacher Certification and Placement.

