

Admissions Application

I plan to begin my studies at PSC starting with the: Fall 20 ____ Spring ____ Summer ____

Social Security Number: ____/____/____

Note: You must provide a social security number to apply for financial aid and to receive a 1098T form for tax purposes at the end of the year.

Student Name: _____
Last First Middle Maiden

Home Address: _____
Street Apartment Number

City State Zip Code County

Residency: I have or will have lived at the above address at least 30 days before the beginning of the term.
 Yes No (if no, please list previous address below)

Previous Address: _____

Home Phone: (____) _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Gender: Male Female Birth Date: _____
Month Day Year

Ethnicity:

- Are you Hispanic or Latino?
 Yes, Hispanic or Latino Not Hispanic or Latino
- Please identify your **primary** racial/ethnic group. **(Select one)**
 American Indian or Alaska Native
 Asian
 Black or African American
 Hispanic or Latino
 Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
 White
 Choose not to respond
- Are you from one or more of the following racial groups? **(Select all that apply)**
 American Indian or Alaska Native
 Black or African American
 Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
 White
 Choose not to respond
- Is English your primary language: Yes No

Visa Status:

- Are you in the United States on a Visa—Nonresident Alien?
 Yes, in the United States on a Visa
Provide home country of origin _____
 Not in the United States on a Visa

Note: If you are on an I-20 Student Visa, we may need further documentation.

Military Status:

- Are you currently or have you previously served in the military?
 Yes No

If yes, what is your current status?

Veteran Reservist Active Duty

Which branch?

Air Force Army Coast Guard
 Marines Navy

Academic Program: _____ (see back page for program listing)

Enrollment Objectives:

- To complete one or several courses
- To complete a certificate
- To complete an associate degree

Enrollment Status:

- First time freshman (never attended college)
- Attended PSC prior to 1983
- Transfer student (attended another college/university)
- Advanced degree student (bachelor degree or higher)
- Guest student (attending 4 yr. university and registering for summer only)
- Dual enrollment (high school student attending college)
- Dual credit (high school student earning dual credit)

Last High School Attended:

- Beecher (12937)
- Bloom (1943)
- Bloom Trail (1655)
- Crete-Monee (880)
- Homewood-Flossmoor (12936)
- Marian (242054)
- Rich Central (12939)
- Rich East (12940)
- Rich South (12941)
- High school equivalency credential _____ State
- Other _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Year of high school graduation: _____
(official high school transcript required)

Highest Degree Earned:

- None
- High school equivalency credential
- High school diploma
- Some college
- Certificate
- Associate degree
- Bachelor degree
- Master's degree
- Doctoral degree
- Other _____
- Previously attended another college or university

Yes No
Please list _____

I have been expelled or dismissed from another post-secondary institution for behavioral or disciplinary reasons.

Yes No

If yes, please explain _____

Parental Education Background:

Mother _____ Father _____

- A. Not a high school graduate
- B. High school graduate
- C. Some college/associate degree
- D. Bachelor's degree
- E. Master's degree or beyond

I certify that the above stated information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and that withholding or falsifying information may make me ineligible for admission to the College or subject to dismissal.

Signature _____ **Date** _____

I hereby grant permission to Prairie State College to use my photograph on its Web site or in any other publication used for the College. I also acknowledge that the College can use this photo at any time. I hereby waive all rights to receive compensation in connection with the taking of my photograph or videotaped image by Prairie State College. If I do not want PSC to use video and photographs of myself, I will inform the Communications and Marketing department of Prairie State College.

For office use only:

Datatel - _____ **Date** _____ **Registered** **Student ID#** _____

PSC does not require proof of immunization for enrollment. However, immunizations may be necessary prior to clinical placement in selected health programs.

Enrollment Checklist - What's the Next Step

○ Step 1. Apply

Complete an enrollment application online at prairiestate.edu, or complete one in person in Enrollment Services. If you have questions about the enrollment process, contact Enrollment Services at (708) 709-3516. Allow three days for processing the online application.

○ Step 2. COMPASS Testing, ACT Scores, or College Transcripts

COMPASS Assessment Testing from PSC or ACT scores that are within the past five years can be used to determine your placement in English, math, and reading. COMPASS scores from another institution can be used if they are within the last year.

If you have attended another college or university, official college transcripts should be received and an evaluation requested by the end of the first term of enrollment. Unofficial college transcripts can be used for advising purposes to determine a preliminary placement and determine the need for COMPASS testing.

○ Step 3. Advisor

Meet with an advisor to select courses and complete the registration form. No appointment necessary.

○ Step 4. Register

Register in person for courses in Enrollment Services.

○ Step 5. Payment

Pay tuition and fees in the Business Services Office or online through e-Cashier at prairiestate.edu. Don't let financial concerns stop you from enrolling at Prairie State College (PSC). Over half of PSC students receive financial aid. Talk to a financial aid representative at (708) 709-3735.

How Do I Pay for College Financial Aid Process

○ Step 1. Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

Apply online at fafsa.ed.gov or via paper application. To download a paper application, visit fafsa.ed.gov or call the (800) 433-3243.

Note: You must use the previous year's federal income tax forms to complete the FAFSA. The school code for PSC is 001640.

○ Step 2. Notification

If you listed PSC's school code in your FAFSA, the Financial Aid Office will receive your report in 14 days if you applied online or four to six weeks if you submit by paper. The report is used to determine additional documents needed to process your financial aid.

○ Step 3. Contact Financial Aid

Call the Financial Aid Office at (708) 709-3735 about 14 days after you submit your FAFSA electronically or four to six weeks if you submit by paper to verify if the Financial Aid Office received your FAFSA report. Based on this report, students may need to submit additional information.

○ Step 4. Complete PSC Financial Aid Application

Students must visit the Financial Aid Office to complete a PSC financial aid application.

○ Step 5. Award Letter

Once all required documents are submitted to the Financial Aid Office, you will be notified of your financial aid eligibility in approximately 14 days.

ANNUAL CLERY SAFETY REPORT (ASR) NOTICE

The annual CLERY security compliance document is available at the PSC Police Department website: prairiestate.edu/security with other safety information. If you would like to receive the ASR in booklet form, visit the PSC Police Department (PSCPD) located on main campus in room 1103 or call PSCPD at (708) 709-7777. The website and booklet contain information regarding campus security and personal safety such as crime prevention and reporting, police law enforcement authority, disciplinary procedures and other related security policies. Also the statistics for the three previous years for all PSC campuses, property owned and controlled by PSC District 515 and on public property immediately adjacent to PSC campuses.

Career Programs at Prairie State College

The following programs prepare students to enter the modern workforce.

Automotive

Automotive Technology (AAS)
Automotive Alignment Specialist (Cert.)*
Automotive Brake Specialist (Cert.)*
Automotive Driveability Specialist (Cert.)
Automotive Engines Specialist (Cert.)*
Automotive Heating/Air Conditioning Specialist (Cert.)*
Automotive Parts Specialist (Cert.)*
Automotive Service Management Specialist (Cert.)
Automotive Services Technology (Cert.)*
Automotive Transmission Specialist (Cert.)*

Business

Accounting and Business Management (AAS)
Management (AAS)
Accounting (Cert.)
Bookkeeping (Cert.)*
Business Essentials (Cert.)*
Entrepreneurship (Cert.)

Computer Aided Design (CAD)

CAD/Mechanical Design Technology (AAS)
CAD Drafter (Cert.)*
CAD Technician (Cert.)
CAD/Mechanical Design Technology (Cert.)

Computer Electronics

Computer Electronics Technology (AAS)
Computer Electronics Technician (Cert.)

Criminal Justice

Criminal Justice Services (AAS)
Criminal Justice Services (Cert.)

Early Childhood

Child Development (AAS)
Childhood Development Director (Cert.)
Child Development Preschool Teacher (Cert.)

Fire Science

Fire Science Technology (AAS)
Fire Science Technology (Cert.)
Basic Firefighter Operations (Cert.)*
Firefighter/EMT (Cert.)*
Advanced Technician Firefighter (Cert.)*

Fitness

Fitness & Exercise (AAS)
Group Fitness Instructor (Cert.)*
Personal Trainer (Cert.)

Graphic Communications

Multimedia Arts (AAS)
Animation (Cert.)
Digital Design (Cert.)*
Web Designer (Cert.)

Health Services

Dental Hygiene (AAS)
Nursing (AAS)
Advanced Bedside Care Provider (Cert.)*
CNA/Nurse Assistant (Cert.)*
Surgical Technology (Cert.)
Emergency Medical Technician (Cert.)*
First Responder (Cert.)*

Industrial Technology

CNC Programmer/ Operator (Cert.)
Heating, Ventilation, A/C (Cert.)
Industrial Maintenance Technician (Cert.)
Welder Technician (Cert.)
Welding Specialist (Cert.)
Industrial Electrician (AAS)
Industrial Electrician (Cert.)
Industrial Mechanic (AAS)
Industrial Mechanic (Cert.)
Manufacturing Technology (AAS)
Manufacturing Technology (Cert.)
Machinist (Cert.)
Tool & Die Making (AAS)

Information Technology

IT: Networking Option (AAS)
IT: Programming Option (AAS)
IT: Web Option (AAS)
Cisco Network Associate (Cert.)
Computer Technician (Cert.)
Computer Support Associate (Cert.)*
Game Design and Development (Cert.)
Network Security Specialist (Cert.)
Networking Specialist (Cert.)
Programming (Cert.)
Web Developer Technician (Cert.)
Web Junior Technician (Cert.)*
Web Master Technician (Cert.)

Music

Music Production (AAS)
Music Technology (Cert.)

Photography

Photographic Studies (AAS)
Photography (Cert.)
Portrait Photography (Cert.)

note: certificates with an asterisk () may not be eligible for financial aid*

The official declaration of nursing, dental hygiene, and surgical technology is reserved for students accepted to the respective selective admission program following the selective admission process (e.g., completed prerequisites, submitted intent form, completed testing, etc.).

Transfer Programs at Prairie State College

The following degree programs are recommended for students who intend to complete their first two years of a B.A. / B.S. degree and transfer to a four year institution.

Art (AFA)
Art/Art History (AA)
Art Education (AA)
Astronomy (AS)
Biological Sciences (AA)
Business (AA)
Chemistry (AS)
pre-Clinical Laboratory Sciences (AA)
Computer Science (AA)
Criminal Justice (AA)
pre-Dentistry (AA)
Education/Early Childhood (AA)
Education/Elementary Education (AA)
Education/Secondary Education (AA)
Education: Associate of Arts in Teaching:
Secondary Mathematics (AAT)
Engineering (AS)

English/Literature (AA)
General Math/Science (AS)
Geology (AS)
History (AA)
pre-Law (AA)
Liberal Arts (AA)
Mathematics (AA)
Media and Communication Arts:
Advertising/Public Relations (AA)
Communication Studies (AA)
Multimedia (AA)
Radio/TV/Film (AA)
pre-Health Professions (AA)
pre-Medicine (AA)
Music Education (AA)
Music Performance (AA)
pre-Nursing (AA)

pre-Occupational Therapy (AA)
pre-Pharmacy (AA)
Physical Education (AA)
pre-Physical Therapy (AA)
Physics (AA)
Political Science (AA)
Psychology (AA)
Social Work (AA)
Sociology (AA)
Speech Communication (AA)

GENERAL STUDIES *(not intended for transfer)*

Associate in General Studies (AGS)

Questions: Call (708) 709-3516

FAX: (708) 709-3951

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