

C.51 Academic Support Services

Academic Matters

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POLICY

Nunavut Arctic College will provide academic counselling and guidance to assist applicants develop the prerequisite skills through upgrading and access programs as may be available.

PRINCIPLES

1. Nunavut Arctic College is dedicated to assisting applicants attain their educational goals.
2. Many students apply for admission into programs for which they do not possess the necessary academic prerequisites.

PROCEDURE

Applicants lacking the academic requirements to enter a chosen program will be required to take a Nunavut Arctic College Assessment Test.

Based on the results; they will be advised to follow one of the following routes:

1. Applicants whose scores indicate that relatively minor remedial work is needed will be permitted to take a full course load and complete their upgrading outside regular hours through tutoring and perhaps self-directed study.
2. Applicants whose scores indicate that a greater degree of upgrading is required may be permitted to take a partial course load in the program applied for in addition to the required upgrading.
3. Applicants whose scores indicate that significant upgrading is necessary to achieve the academic level necessary will be directed to full-time academic studies. For these students, instructors are encouraged to incorporate relevant content to develop and maintain commitment to their original program of choice.