VETERINARY TECHNOLOGY ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE
PROGRAM APPLICATION

2020-2021 Application
Due no later than April 30, 2020

XXX ---XX --		
Last four digits of Social Security #	Edison Student ID #	Date of Birth

Last Name	Any previous last name(s)	First Name	M.I.

Street Address

City	State	Zip

If you are a current or former student of Edison and this is a new address, please inform Student Affairs of the change in address.

Home Phone	Mobile Phone

Edison Email Address

Personal Email Address

By signing below, applicant acknowledges that all information and provided documentation is current and accurate in order to receive information regarding their status in the program. Applicant has submitted all required documents mentioned in the "Application Requirement Checklist" and under "Additional Program Requirements."

Signature

Date

Application Requirement Checklist

- ☐ Completed an ESCC application (not required if previously submitted)
- ☐ Requested official high school or GED report to be sent to ESCC. High school seniors will need to submit a 7 month semester transcript. A final transcript is required after graduation. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure all transcripts be final and are on file**. Send official transcripts to the Office of Registration and Records, Room 160.**
- ☐ Requested transcripts from all colleges/universities previously attended to be sent to ESCC. Transcripts will need to be final and not "In Progress." Transcripts must be postmarked by the application deadline. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure all transcripts be final and are on file. **Send official transcripts to the Office of Registration and Records, Room 160.**
- ☐ Requested official ACT score report to be sent to Edison if taken within the last 5 year. (This does not need to be done if ACT score appears on high school transcript.) **Send official score report to the Office of Registration and Records, Room 160.**
- ☐ Completed Edison placement assessment. Contact the Student Services Office to schedule a placement assessment at (937) 778-8600. This assessment is **NOT** required if a student has:
  - Previously taken a college level English or Math course **OR**
  - Received an English score of 18 or higher, Reading score of 22 or higher, and a Mathematics score of 20 or higher. The ACT must have been taken within the last 5 years.
- ☐ Completed a Veterinary Technology Associate of Applied Science Program Application.
- ☐ Applicant has an overall college GPA (or H.S. GPA if no college course have been taken) of 2.5 or higher
- ☐ Applicant completed the below "Additional Program Requirements" prior to application deadline
- ☐ Applicant acknowledges the additional requirements that will need to be completed upon acceptance into the Veterinary Technology Program

If you wish to check on your file, call (937) 778-8600 and ask for Registration and Records.

Additional Program Requirements

The following requirements should be completed prior to application deadline:

- ☐ **Field Experience**
  - Applicant must provide documentation from a veterinary facility showing a minimum of 30 hours of shadowing a registered veterinary technician (RVT) within the last year. This documentation should list the name of the facility, the name of the RVT, address and phone number of the facility, and have a signature and typed name from the RVT and supervisor (Office Manager, licensed Veterinarian, or owner of the facility).
  - Be professional and respectful during your experience. Follow through with scheduled times and dress professionally, but comfortably (closed toed shoes are necessary).
- ☐ **CIS 100S**
  - Taken and passed CIS 100S Introduction to Computers **OR**
  - Passed the CIS 100S Proficiency Exam
- ☐ **Math**
  - Satisfactory placement assessment score in math **OR**
  - ACT Math score of 20 or higher within the last 5 years **OR**
  - Taken MTH 093D Math Literacy with a "B" or higher or MTH 098D Intermediated Algebra I with a "C" or higher **OR**
  - Received transfer equivalency credit for MTH 093D or MTH 098D
- ☐ **Chemistry**
  - Taken and passed one year of high school chemistry **OR**
  - Taken and passed CHM 110S Introduction to Chemistry **OR**
  - Received transfer equivalency credit for CHM 110S Introduction to Chemistry

- ☐ **Reading and Writing**
  - Have satisfactory placement assessment scores in reading and writing to be ready to take ENG 121S **OR**
  - ACT English score of 18 or higher AND Reading score of 22 or higher within the last 5 years **OR**
  - Successfully completed ENG 094D Composition I Plus **OR**
  - Received transfer equivalency credit for a college level ENG composition course

Upon acceptance into the Veterinary Technology Program, the student will need to provide or complete the following prior to June 30th:

- ☐ Documentation of a physical examination within the past year.
  - Students must be physically able to lift 40 pounds of weight
  - Students able to work with a variety of animal species including, but not limited to, dogs, cats, horses, cows, goats, mice, rats, rabbits, and birds. This also includes fecal/blood/urine specimens.
  - NOTE: Pregnancy should be reported to the Program Director immediately, and a doctor's note will need to be obtained to determine any restrictions. Students may be exposed to zoonotic pathogens, x-ray radiation, and anesthetic gases during different veterinary technology courses and clinical experiences.
- ☐ Documentation of Tuberculin Testing (Mantoux) within the past year
- ☐ Documentation of a Tetanus booster w/ Pertussis (TDAP) within the past eight years.
- ☐ Documentation of health insurance coverage. This coverage must be kept on a continual basis while attending Edison as a Veterinary Technology student.
- ☐ Documentation of the Rabies vaccine **OR** sign a waiver declining the vaccine at this time.
- ☐ Drug test clearance
- ☐ Background check clearance
  - Applicants to the veterinary technology program should be aware that Section 4741.22 of the Ohio Revised Code gives the Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board authority to deny a graduate with criminal offenses (egregious felonies, offenses that involve illegal or prescription drugs, and others) eligibility to obtain a license. Criminal record background checks (fingerprinting) are required to be completed during the application process for an Ohio license.
- ☐ Students in the Veterinary Technology program must obtain a "C" or higher in all veterinary technology courses and in CHM 111S, BIO 121S, and COM 121S, and maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher throughout the program.
- ☐ Students must maintain a 75% exam average in all veterinary technology courses.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Submit application to:
Registration and Records, Room 160
Edison State Community College
1973 Edison Drive
Piqua, OH 45356

- **Applications are accepted only for Fall entry between September 1st and April 30th.**
- Application to both Edison State Community College and the Veterinary Technology Program must be completed in full and submitted by the deadline.

Questions:

Elizabeth Bingham, RVT
Veterinary Technology Program Coordinator
Email: ebingham@edisonohio.edu
Phone: 937.381.1544
Office: 313B

- Applicants will be notified by email of the acceptance decision approximately 6-8 weeks after the application deadline. Please notify us of any change in your email address.
- Applicants not accepted may reapply during the next application period.

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Veterinary Technology Program
Edison State Community College
1973 Edison Drive
Piqua, OH 45356
937.778.8600

Shadowing Requirement Documentation

This document is to confirm that _____ (print student name) has completed at least 30 hours of shadowing experience with a registered veterinary technician (RVT, LVT, CVT) who is practicing under the supervision of a veterinarian (DVM/VMD). This experience can be paid or unpaid and must have taken place **within one year** of submitting an application to the Veterinary Technology Program at Edison State Community College.

Student to complete:
Please describe your (student's) experience in a few sentences, including some procedures that were witnessed. If this was a paid position, please note what position you held and how long you held the position.

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☐ Please use the back if more space is required. Mark this box to indicate you continued your description on the back of the document.
☐ Hours waived with submission of transcripts showing enrollment in an approved Career Tech Animal/Veterinary Science Program (Vet Tech Program Director will sign as RVT Supervisor to acknowledge)
☐ I certify that the listed experience and information below is correct to the best of my knowledge.

_____
(student signature) (date)

RVT Supervisor to complete:
List start date and end date for shadowing hours for this experience: _____ /_____

Estimate number of shadowing hours completed during this time (30 hrs minimum) _____

Primary DVM's Name (printed) _____

Veterinary Facility Name, Address, Phone number, and Email, if applicable.

_____ P: _____

_____ E: _____

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RVT Name (printed) _____ Signature _____ Date ____