ADMISSION APPLICATION PROCEDURES

International students who enter the United States under a non-immigrant student visa will be admitted only for specified terms. Our certificate of eligibility I-20 Form will ONLY BE ISSUED after ALL the following documents are received by this office. Please mail completed application packets to the Admissions and Records Office at the address listed below.

Exact Legal Name

Last Name (Family Name)  First (Given)  Middle

Issue Reason

☐ Initial Attendance
☐ Initial Attendance - Change of Status Requested
☐ Reinstatement Requested
☐ Transfer (Previous Institution: ____________________________)  
☐ Other: ____________________________

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

1. Submit a completed application for admission, with a non-refundable admissions and processing fee of $75.00 U.S. Dollars.

2. Have your official Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) scores sent to LSSC. Minimum scores are: 550 on the paper/pencil test, or 213 on the computer-based test, or 79-80 for the online test. If you are a citizen from an English-speaking country, and you received your secondary education in English, these scores are not necessary. Please see our website for other English proficiency options.

3. Submit official copies of all academic transcripts (both for high school and for college), along with official evaluations by the World Education Services (www.wes.org), or by Josef Silny & Associates, Inc. (www.jsilny.com). There are costs associated with the evaluation of credentials. Contact the provider for more information. If not written in English, all academic transcripts must be translated before they are submitted for evaluation.

4. Provide official financial statements, directly sent to LSSC from the appropriate financial institutions, verifying the availability of the current Cost of Attendance (see http://lssc.edu/finaid/Pages/How%20to%20Apply/COA.aspx for the current Cost of Attendance), to cover your costs of attending LSSC for nine months. All college-related fees are due at registration and will not be deferred. International students are not eligible for Federal and State financial aid. However, there are other forms of financial aid available.

5. **THE SEVIS I-901 FEE:** All students must visit the U.S. Department of Homeland Security website (www.ice.gov/sevis.com), complete the I-901 form, and pay the current fee. The receipt from paying the SEVIS I-901 fee is required for an interview at a U.S. Embassy/Consulate. Note: The fee is in addition to the normal interview fees the embassy may charge.

6. **All Students:** Upon arrival in the United States, it is mandatory that you purchase medical insurance and show evidence of it to LSSC.

   Additional Note: If you are formally admitted to LSSC, you will receive a letter of admission and an ICE Form I-20, which you will use to obtain your F-1 Visa. The letter will provide you additional information and instructions. You also can find information on visas and immigration at: www.travel.state.gov/visa_services.html.

For more information, contact LSSC Admissions and Records:  
Lake-Sumter State College ● 9501 U.S. Hwy. 441 ● Leesburg FL 34788  
Tel: (352) 787-3747 ● Email: AdmissionsOffice@lssc.edu
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT APPLICATION

Your admission status will remain Provisional until all official transcripts have been received. It is your responsibility to have all transcripts (high school and college) and test scores sent to Lake-Sumter State College. Please print carefully; Use only blue or black ink.

U.S. Social Security Number (If not available, an LSSC Student Number will be assigned): ________________________________

Name: ___________________________________________ ___________________________________________ ___________________________________________

Last Name (Family Name) First Name (Given Name) Middle Name

Country of Birth: ___________________________ Country of Citizenship: ___________________________

What is your native language? ___________________________ Date of Birth: __________ MM/ DD/ YYYY

Permanent Email Address: ____________________________________________________________

Foreign Mailing Address (Required):
Address Line 1: ___________________________________________
Address Line 2: ___________________________________________
City: ___________________________ State: ___________________________ ZIP Code: ___________________________
Country: ___________________________

United States Mailing Address (If Available):
Address Line 1: ___________________________________________
Address Line 2: ___________________________________________
City: ___________________________ State: ___________________________ ZIP Code: ___________________________
Country: ___________________________

Telephone Number: ___________________________ Mobile Telephone Number: ___________________________

Emergency Contact (Required):
Name: ___________________________________________ Relationship: ___________________________________________
Email Address: ___________________________________________
Address: ___________________________________________
City: ___________________________ State/Province: ___________________________ Country: ___________________________ ZIP Code: ___________________________
Telephone Number: ___________________________ Mobile Telephone Number: ___________________________

ADMISSION STATUS
Check one of the following:

☐ High School Graduate
☐ College Transfer or College Graduate

ENROLLMENT STATUS
Check one of the following:

☐ First-time College Freshman
☐ Transfer Student

SEMESTER TO ENTER
Check one of the following:

☐ Fall (August): __________ (year)
☐ Spring (January): __________ (year)
☐ Summer (May): __________ (year)

Applicants with Disabilities
For additional information regarding services for students with disabilities, contact the Office for Students with Disabilities (tel: 352-365-3589), or stop by the Student Development Office on the Leesburg Campus.
The following information is requested to comply with federal and state regulations and only will be used for statistical purposes.

Gender: 
☐ Male  ☐ Female

Race/Ethnicity: 
A. Are you Hispanic/Latino?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No
B. _____ Asian  _____ Black  _____ Pacific Islander  _____ White

PROGRAM OF STUDY AND INTENDED DEGREE  (See Program Codes on Page 4.)

☐ A.A. - Associate in Arts ("University Transfer Degree," General Studies

☐ A.S. - Associate in Science (Name the A.S. Degree you seek: ______________________________________)

☐ A.A.S. - Associate in Applied Science (Electrical Distribution Technology)

VISA INFORMATION

Are you holding a student (F-1) visa?  ☐ YES  ☐ NO
Are you applying for a student (F-1) visa?  ☐ YES  ☐ NO
If NO, what type of visa do you hold? _____________________________________________________________________

HIGH SCHOOL LAST ATTENDED

________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________________

High School Name  City  State or Country

Date of High School Graduation: _______/_______ OR General Equivalency Diploma (GED): _______/_______

COLLEGES AND/OR UNIVERSITIES PREVIOUSLY ATTENDED

In the table below, list each college and/or university you have attended; include the location, dates of attendance, and certificates, diplomas, and/or degrees earned. Please attach additional sheets of paper if necessary.

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I certify the information given in this application is complete and accurate, and I understand to make false or fraudulent statements within this application may result in disciplinary action, denial of admission, and invalidation of credits or degrees earned. I also give my permission to release all my transcripts and test scores to Lake-Sumter State College.

Applicant's Signature  (In ink)  Date

AR 8/2017
DECLARATION of F-1 STUDENT RESPONSIBILITY for COMPLIANCE with U.S. IMMIGRATION REGULATIONS

Individuals who enter the United States on an F-1 student visa are subject to special requirements during their stay. Each individual is responsible for maintaining his or her F-1 status. Failure to maintain your F-1 status can result in immediate deportation and being banned from entering the United States the future. Please carefully read the following information about maintaining your status, and sign below.

☐ I understand I must enroll as a full-time student during the first semester of attendance (12 credit hours) and every fall and spring semester of my program of study. I further understand at least nine (9) credit hours in every fall and spring semester must be face-to-face classes (not online). I understand if I am awaiting acceptance to a limited access program, I must continue to enroll in twelve (12) credit hours during my first semester of attendance and each fall and spring semester thereafter.

☐ I must apply for an extension of my program of study prior to the expiration date on my I-20 from if I cannot complete my program by that date. As an F-1 student, I must complete and submit the form “recommendation for extension of program.” I must submit my request for extension between 30 and 60 days prior to the expiration date of my I-20.

☐ I must maintain adequate medical insurance coverage for illness and injuries in the United States.

☐ I will not change programs of study without approval from the International Student Advisor. I also must report any change of address or residence and/or change of name.

☐ I must obtain a new I-20 form before changing my name and/or academic program from one program/field of study to another.

☐ I must maintain a valid passport at all times, unless exempt from passport requirements.

☐ I will not add or drop classes without first consulting both an Academic Advisor and the International Student Advisor.

☐ I understand I am NOT eligible for the Florida resident tuition rate, and I will be billed the non-Florida resident tuition rate.

☐ I understand that I am NOT eligible for federal or state financial aid. (F-1 students may still apply for privately-funded scholarships or other forms of aid).

☐ I understand that I am NOT allowed to work off campus in the United States without ICE authorization. I may; however, work on campus for a maximum of twenty (20) hours per week when school is in session.

☐ I must notify the International Student Advisor at least a minimum of two (2) weeks prior to traveling outside the U.S.

__________________________________________
Applicant's Signature  (In ink)                  Date

AR 8/2017
In accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), a student's academic records are the sole property of the student and cannot be released without student permission. More information is available in the official college catalog.

Lake-Sumter State College is an equal access, equal opportunity, open admissions institution. Admission to the college is made without regard to age, gender, race, color, religion, national origin, handicap, academic or economic status.

I certify all the information given in this application is complete and accurate, and I understand to make false or fraudulent statements within this application or residency statement may result in disciplinary action, denial of admissions and invalidation of credits or degrees earned. I understand with my signature, that while attending Lake-Sumter State College, I hereby agree to uphold all federal and state laws, county and municipality ordinances, and rules, regulations, policies and procedures of Lake-Sumter State College. LSSC reserves the right to withdraw any student at any time for violations of these items listed above.

I understand that Lake-Sumter State College collects Social Security numbers as authorized by Florida Statutes (1008.386) as a means of student identification to avoid duplication, and other uses such as the Hope Tax Credit (USC Title 26) and Financial Aid processing (34CFR, Sect. 668.36).

I understand the $75.00 application fee is a non-refundable fee, whether or not I attend LSSC.

Applicant's Signature  (In ink)  Date