ADMISSIONS

How to Apply for Admissions

If you have any questions or need help with the process, please contact us at admissions@morainepark.edu**.**

1. **Choose Major/Degree**
   Choose your program (https://catalog.morainepark.edu/programs/). Review the campus location and program details.
2. **Apply Online**
   Complete the online admissions application. (https://vip.morainepark.edu/Ellucian.ERecruiting.Web.External/Pages/welcome.aspx) There's a $30 non-refundable, one-time fee. When applying, you'll create an account to view needed steps and progress toward becoming an MPTC student!

   Important:
   a. If you're applying for a **certificate**, apply online and wait for instructions. Other steps may not be required.
   b. If you're an **international student**, review international admissions requirements (https://www.morainepark.edu/international-admissions/) before you apply.
   c. If you anticipate needing any disability-related accommodation, please complete this request (https://morainepark-accommodate.symplicity.com/public_accommodation/) and continue with the application process for admissions.
3. **Submit Transcripts**
   Submit your official high school or GED/HSED transcript. (http://www.morainepark.edu/experience-mptc/student-resources/transcripts-and-student-records/) If you have an associate degree or higher, we can use your official college transcript instead.
4. **Placement Testing**
   Submit ACT scores, GED test scores (earned since 2014), or take the Accuplacer at MPTC (https://www.morainepark.edu/academics/other-academic-resources/testing-and-assessment/accuplacer/). If you earned a 3.0 or higher GPA in high school, or have attained an associate degree or higher, we waive this requirement.

   Students will be able to discuss interpretation of test scores, pre-requisites, and appropriate course placement with their program advisor.

   Note: Due to CDC and safer at home guidelines, MPTC has limited on-campus Accuplacer sessions. If you have high speed internet and a computer with a video camera, we encourage you to take the Accuplacer utilizing our virtual proctor option.

   Please contact us at admissions@morainepark.edu *for details about testing.*
5. **Additional Requirements**
   Complete a background check ***if*** required. We'll provide details about the process after you apply. If a background check is required, it is stated on the program page.

   After accepted to a program, you'll meet with your program advisor. This meeting varies by program. Some programs require a Program Advisor Meeting; some programs require a Field Day; some programs require a combination of both. Your advisor will email you details and an invitation to schedule this.

Make sure you review the New Student Checklist (https://www.morainepark.edu/admissions/new-student/new-student-checklist/). You'll learn how to register, pay for class and more!

Note: The Nursing **(**http://www.morainepark.edu/academics/program-information/nursing-petition-process/**)**, Respiratory **(**https://www.morainepark.edu/academics/program-information/respiratory-therapy-core-intent-process/**),** Radiography **(**http://www.morainepark.edu/academics/program-information/radiography-petition-process/**)** and Surgical Technology **(**https://www.morainepark.edu/academics/program-information/surgical-technology-petition-process/**)** programs provisionally accept students as "pre-core" status. Once specific courses, grades and other requirements are met, "pre-core" students are eligible to petition to start core courses. (Click program above for details about the Petition Process.)