



2021 Professional Program Application Information and Procedures

Veterinary Technology Program
North Dakota State University

1. Completion of *Applicant Information Form*

- Please find the online link for this form at www.ndsu.edu/vettech/application-process
This should be submitted within your application packet.

2. Completion or current enrollment, earning a grade of “C” or higher in the following course offered during Spring and Summer semesters only:

- VETS 115 Medical Terminology

* Recommended courses offered during Fall Semester only:

- ANSC 218 or VETS 135 Anatomy and Physiology of Domestic Animals
- ANSC 219 or VETS 136 Anatomy and Physiology Lab

3. Completion of at least 12 credits at NDSU by the end of the spring semester of application.

- 12 Credits completed (See item #6 for information to include in application packet)

4. Qualifying results on the “Wonderlic Pre-Admittance Scholastic Level Examination.” Maximum of 20 application points.

Wonderlic Score	Program Application Points
Less than or = 20	5
21-30	15
31 or Greater	20

- Please find instructions for application and dates offered for the Wonderlic Exam on the www.ndsu.edu/vettech/application-process website. Online scoring will be reported to the application committee, no additional action required.

5. NDSU Cumulative GPA – Upon final review your GPA x 12.5 will provide you up to 50 application points.

- Campus Connection* printable – Unofficial Transcript, include in application packet.

****Your FINAL score will be based on your Official NDSU Cumulative GPA upon completion of the Spring semester and will be accessed by the selection committee.*****

6. Future Direction Essay – Maximum of 30 application points.

- Please find the current topic and instructions for completion of the essay at www.ndsu.edu/vettech/application-process, include in application packet.

On what basis will applications be evaluated?	Maximum
1. Wonderlic Pre-Admittance Scholastic Level Examination	20
2. NDSU Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) x 12.5	50
3. Future Direction Essay	30
4. Completion of VETS 115 (Grade of "C" or higher)	REQUIRED
	<u>Total = 100</u>

What is the application deadline?

May 7, 2021. *It is your responsibility to make sure all materials are submitted in a sealed manila envelope. Your sealed packet should be submitted to the Program Co-Directors located in Robinson Hall Room 101 or 113. Please be sure to have all your application materials enclosed as incomplete packets will not be considered.*

How many students will be admitted into the Veterinary Technology Professional Program each year?

Up to 30 qualified students. Students apply by the first Friday in May (May 7, 2021) each year are evaluated/ranked, and the selected students begin the Professional Program the following Fall semester.

When will I know if I've been accepted in the professional program?

Final evaluations will be completed when spring semester grades are received – generally mid-summer. You will be notified via US Mail and e-mail to your permanent mailing address and e-mail listed within your application packet.

Summary of Materials to include within application packet:

1. Application Information Form
2. Unofficial NDSU Transcript – printed from Campus Connection
3. Future Direction Essay

**Thank you for your interest in the
North Dakota State University Veterinary Technology Program.**

NDSU Veterinary Technology Program Faculty/Staff:

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