

Replaced by F76-5

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At its meeting of April 21, 1986, the Academic Senate approved the following Policy Recommendation presented by Charles Whitcomb for the Instruction and Research Committee.

HONORS AT ENTRANCE

- WHEREAS Students who are awarded Honors at Entrance are "automatically eligible to all General Education programs" by current policy; and
- WHEREAS Such students may not be proficient in the verbal/English skills as measured by the SAT or ACT; therefore be it
- RESOLVED That Senate Policy F81-9 be rescinded and a new policy (attached) reading: "II.D. Honors at Entrance students are eligible to be considered for admission to all General Education Honors Program" be established.

ACTION BY THE UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT:

APPROVED AND ACCEPTED AS UNIVERSITY POLICY.
EFFECTIVE FOR SPRING, 1987 ADMISSION
AND THEREAFTER.

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APRIL 25, 1986

HONORS AT ENTRANCE

I. Based Upon Superior Academic Performance

Academic Honors at Entrance shall be awarded to all entering undergraduate students who provide written evidence at the time of application to San Jose State University of:

A. The award of any academic honors herein listed, provided that the student completed a defined academic program at that institution.

1. High School Students

a. The student must have earned a grade point average of at least 3.6 on a four-point scale determined by standard academic evaluation procedures (the test score is not considered); or

2. College Transfer Students

a. Transfer students must meet the standards established for high school students and have earned a grade point average of at least 3.5 on a four-point scale in all transferable work; or

b. Students must transfer with a grade point average of 3.5 or better on 56 or more transferable units.

II. Recognition and Record

A. The award of Honors at Entrance shall be noted in the "remarks" section of the student's permanent record.

B. Honors at Entrance students shall receive registration priority in the semester of entrance.

C. The Honors at Entrance student shall receive, in the semester of entrance, priority for placement in the University on-campus dormitories insofar as it is feasible within the Housing Office time constraints.

D. Honors at Entrance students are eligible to be considered for admission to all General Education Honors Programs.

E. The source institutions of SJSU Honors at Entrance students shall be honored by SJSU via:

1. Formal notification by SJSU to the source institutions of the award of Honors at Entrance; and

2. Formal public recognition of these source institutions during the yearly commencement exercises.

F. The recognition privilege below is renewable subject to the student's maintaining annual Dean's List status:

Honors at Entrance Students shall be permitted a greater flexibility of coursework for satisfaction of General Education requirements, including waivers, where such action is deemed appropriate by the Dean of Undergraduate Studies.