Early Enrollment Information

Early Enrollment website: https://stevenscollege.edu/earlyenrollment/

- Senior year of high school occurs at the same time as the freshmen year of college at Thaddeus Stevens College.
- Students are able to study in any of our programs with the exception of mechanical engineering.
 - List of programs can be found here https://stevenscollege.edu/academics/associatedegree/
- Programs meet 5 days a week and typically classes fall between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.
 - We do offer evening classes and sections but we avoid these at all cost for early enrollers
- Early enrollers are not permitted to live on campus and cannot participate in our intercollegiate athletics.
- Students are permitted to have a car on campus and parking passes are \$15.

- <u>COST</u>

- o Early enrollment tuition will be half of the standard tuition cost.
- Currently our tuition is \$8400/year so therefore our early enrollment tuition is \$4200/year. (2020-2021 school year).
- There is some financial aid available but it is limited.
- Aid that is available
 - Federal aid
 - Internal scholarships
 - Stevens Grant this is an internal aid opportunity that is based on Pell eligibility.
- o Early enrollers are able to file the FAFSA and we encourage them to do so.
- If a student would like to pay for tuition and not apply for aid, we do offer payment plans.

APPLYING/REQUIREMENTS

- Applications open for early enrollment on August 1.
- The requirements consist of -
 - High school senior
 - o 2.5 or higher GPA
 - o Student cannot require more than 4 credits to graduate from high school
- Students must submit the following
 - Online application
 - Fee waiver

- Official high school transcript
- o Reference form from a teacher of their choosing
- o Reference form from their counselor
- Students will receive a once a week status update from me.
- For students who meet our qualifications, additional testing may be requested. This is would be our entrance exam. Students may only schedule this once they have been notified by me.

- Offers of admission

- o Students will not be aware of the enrollment status until the first week of April.
- We do a mass review of all early enrollment applicants who have met our benchmarks both on the transcript and test scores.
- We only permit 2 early enrollers per section in our programs.

- <u>Denials</u>

- If a student is not offered admission to the college based off of GPA they will hear from us on a rolling basis.
- If a student is not offered admission based off of test scores they will hear from us within 7-10 days of testing.
- If a student is not offered admission but met our benchmarks, they will hear from us early April and further instructions may follow. We have offered admission for the following fall to early enrollment applicants who were not offered to begin during their senior year.