TOEFL Exemption for Admissions

UNDERGRADUATE APPLICANTS INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS 2013-14 Academic Year



International students must demonstrate proficiency in English as one of the admission requirements for undergraduate admission. A minimum 500 on the paper-based TOEFL, 173 on the computer-based TOEFL [CBT] or 61 on the internet-based TOEFL [iBT] is required. The Test of English as a Foreign Language [TOEFL] is required for all applicants whose native language is not English.

Exempt from submitting TOEFL scores are applicants that have:

- earned a high school diploma from a high school in the English education system in any English speaking countries/regions
- completed a minimum one term of full time post secondary academic studies in the United States, Canada, UK, Australia, or New Zealand where English proficiency is required for admission
- acceptable GCE Ordinary Level or Advanced Level results, GCSE results or acceptable test results of Senior Secondary Certificate Examinations [SSCE] by the West African Examinations Council,
- been recommended by the Lakeland College approved ESL schools in the U.S. or by other institutions of higher learning with which Lakeland College has a signed agreement regarding this requirement, or
- acceptable IELTS scores [minimum 6 for undergraduate or 7 for graduate admission].

The TOEFL score is not required but recommended for admission to the College's English Language Institute [ELI]. Students currently enrolled in the college's ELI program must meet the Exit Criteria to begin their academic studies at Lakeland College.

Lakeland College reserves the right to determine whether or not an admission test is required of an international applicant.