

## STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING

**Instructions: Please read the statements below carefully. You must agree to each of these statements before you apply for admissions to Delgado Community College.**

**1. English Language Proficiency Assessment**

International students whose native language is not English are required to take the Delgado English Language Proficiency Test. Enrollment in English as a Second Language courses (ESL) is required if an English language deficiency is determined. Although the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) is not required, students may submit TOEFL scores for evaluation by the International Student Advisor.

2. I understand that all admission documents must be received by the Office of Admissions and Enrollment Services prior to the admission deadline date and that I have not been accepted for admission until I receive notification of acceptance.
3. I understand I may choose to study English as a Second Language (ESL) only and that, if I decide to take college coursework, I must first meet all applicable admission requirements.
4. I understand that I must make my own arrangements for housing.
5. I understand that all documents and materials relating to my admission should be sent to the Office of Admissions and Enrollment Services. It is also understood the \$50.00 application fee is not refundable.
6. I understand that I must have \$17,200 available for each year of study. However, these fees are subject to change at any time.
7. I understand the Board of Supervisors of the Louisiana Community and Technical College System has established policies for determining residency for fee purposes, therefore, students on F-1 student visas are not considered for resident tuition.
8. I understand that I must be in New Orleans on or before the date specified. If I cannot arrive on time, I must file another application to be considered for another semester.
9. I understand that if I am filing a change of status, I must file at least 60 days before my current status expires.
10. I understand that if I am filing a change of status, there are no guarantees that USCIS will approve a change of status.

**If you agree to fulfill all of the requirements stated above, please sign below.**

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**Applicant's signature**

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**Date**

