

### 3357:13-14-21 New Student Orientation Policy

(A) North Central State College's New Student Orientation is provided to assist new students in successfully transitioning to college through the mandatory completion of programming to increase their likelihood of academic success, persistence, and degree completion. The focus of New Student Orientation is to promote a theme of connection to the college and support the academic and social integration of new students to the campus community.

(B) All new and returning degree-seeking students, students pursuing a practical nursing certificate, matriculating College Credit Plus students, and on-campus College Credit Plus students shall be required to attend New Student Orientation.

Completion of New Student Orientation may be waived for students who meet one of the following conditions:

- (1) have a college degree
- (2) are only taking one or two courses for transfer, a work requirement, or skill improvement
- (3) are taking courses as part of an apprenticeship or employer-sponsored training

(C) New Student Orientation follows Enrollment advising and academic planning and includes course registration.

(D) The Director of Student Success & Transition Services shall be responsible for implementation, maintenance, oversight, and monitoring of this policy and any related procedures.

(E) Definitions:

- (1) New Student— First-time attending North Central State College
- (2) Returning Student— Previously attended North Central State College (one year ago or more)
- (3) Matriculating College Credit Plus — Former College Credit Plus students who earned college credit prior to high school graduation and who are now enrolling at North Central State College post high school graduation
- (4) On-campus College Credit Plus Student— Students currently participating in College Credit Plus who plan to enroll for the first time in on-campus/seated courses or on-line courses through North Central State College
- (5) Degree-seeking— Any student who is pursuing an associate's degree

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