

# **International Student Admission Requirements**

# Antelope Valley College is approved by the Department of Homeland Security to accept non-immigrant visa (F-1) international students <u>only</u>.

#### PROGRAM INFORMATION:

- Must be enrolled as a full-time student (12 or more units) for the Fall and/or Spring Semester(s)
- Must maintain a minimum GPA of 2.00 at all times
- Must report change of address and/or phone number within 10 calendar days to Admission and Records.
- You are not authorized to work off campus. You are eligible to work on-campus after completing your first year in good standing. You must receive permission prior to finding work on-campus, and cannot work more than 20 hours a week.
- Current tuition and fees are due at the time of registration. Beginning Summer 2024, the tuition rate for international students is \$463 per semester unit. This includes the \$397 per semester unit cost, \$46 enrollment fee per unit and a Capital Outlay fee of \$20 per unit. (Tuition and fees are subject to change without notice).
- There are no dorms or housing on campus.

## **REQUIRED ADMISSIONS DOCUMENTS:**

- ☐ Go to <u>www.avc.edu</u> and apply online via CCCApply and **keep the application confirmation number**. (List Citizenship = other)
- □ International Student Information Form
- ☐ Copy of a valid passport
- □ Copy of I-94
- Applicants can demonstrate English Proficiency by fulfilling one of the following criteria:
  - TOEFL Score to be sent, <u>directly from the ETS</u> (AVC ID Code: 4005), with a minimum score of 45 (Internet-based testing) or 450 (Paper-based testing). For test sites and schedules, visit <u>www.toefl.org</u>.
  - o IELTS of 5.0. Send an official score report. For test sites and schedules, visit www.ielts.org.
- ☐ High School Diploma and Transcript
- □ Current bank statement(s) of the student or local sponsor, showing a minimum balance of US \$22,500.
- Medical Insurance from a US Agency showing full medical coverage with a minimum of \$250,000 in lifetime medical coverage. (Travel insurance not accepted) <u>Medical Coverage must be maintained the entire time you are</u> <u>here as a student.</u>

### **DEADLINES FOR APPLICATION:**

| Fall Semester   | June 1 <sup>st</sup>     |
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| Spring Semester | November 1 <sup>st</sup> |

Upon approval of all required documents, the AVC Designated School Official will issue an I-20. Any information on this form is subject to change based on regulation changes or cost of living increases. The student and/or sponsor are responsible to cover any adjustments.

For further information or questions, please contact:

Enrollment Services & International Students Office at (661) 722-6504; or by email at international.students@avc.edu