

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY AND NONDISCRIMINATION IN EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT

Pellissippi State Technical Community College is committed to nondiscrimination and to equal educational and employment opportunities. No person on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, age, sexual orientation, a disability unrelated to program performance requirements or veteran status will be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of or otherwise be subjected to discrimination in the administration of any educational program or activity, including admission thereto, by Pellissippi State. The College complies with Title VI (prohibiting discrimination in programs and activities that receive federal financial assistance) and Title VII (prohibiting discrimination in employment) of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended. Pellissippi State does not discriminate on any basis prohibited by law and provides equal employment opportunities for all qualified applicants and employees without regard to race, color, religion, gender, national origin, age, sexual orientation, disability unrelated to job performance or veteran status. The College complies fully with Executive Order 11246, as amended; the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; Americans With Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended; the Vietnam Era Veterans Readjustment Assistance Act (VEVRAA) of 1974, as amended; the Equal Pay Act of 1963, as amended; the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, as amended; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended; the Pregnancy Discrimination Act; and all other applicable state statutes and applicable laws and orders. The College will not tolerate any conduct by an administrator, supervisor, student, faculty or staff member that constitutes harassment on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, age, sexual orientation, disability or any other protected status.

Any Pellissippi State student or employee who has reason to feel he or she has been affected by discrimination should contact the following:

Karen Queener, SPHR
Director of Human Resources and Affirmative Action;
AA/EEO Officer; ADA, 504, Titles VI & IX Coordinator
Pellissippi State Technical Community College
J.L. Goins Administration Building, Room 204
10915 Hardin Valley Rd.
P.O. Box 22990
Knoxville, TN 37933-0990
(865) 694-6607

Questions about services and facilities for people with disabilities should be directed to the following:

Ann Satkowiak
Director
Services for Students With Disabilities
Pellissippi State Technical Community College
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NOTICE ON CHANGES

The course offerings and requirements of the institution are continually under examination and revision. This Catalog and Handbook presents the offerings and requirements in effect at the time of publication; it does not guarantee that such offerings and requirements will not be changed or revoked. Adequate and reasonable notice will be given to students affected by any changes. This Catalog and Handbook is not intended to state contractual terms and does not constitute a contract between the student and the institution.

The institution reserves the right to make changes as required in course offerings, curricula, academic policies, and other rules and regulations affecting students to be effective whenever determined by the institution. These changes will govern current and formerly enrolled students. Enrollment of all students is subject to these conditions.

Current information may be obtained from the following sources:

- Admission Requirements - Enrollment Services
- Course Offerings - Department offering course
- Degree Requirements - Office of the Vice President of Learning
- Fees and Tuition - Business and Finance Office

Pellissippi State Technical Community College provides the opportunity for students to increase their knowledge by offering programs of instruction in the various disciplines and programs through faculty who, in the opinion of Pellissippi State, are qualified for teaching at the college level. The acquisition and retention of knowledge by any student is, however, contingent upon the student's desire and ability to learn and his or her application of appropriate study techniques to any course or program. Thus, the College does not represent that any student who completes a course or program of study will be able to successfully complete any specific examination for any course, degree or license.