



## New and Transfer Students Next Steps

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- 1) **Financial Aid:** To receive full consideration for Federal and State Aid, complete the **Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)** online at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov). The Rhodes State FAFSA code is 010027.
- 2) **Submit Official Transcript(s) to: Rhodes State College, PS 148, 4240 Campus Drive, Lima OH 45804.**
  - **High School Transcripts or GED Results are required for Federal Financial Aid consideration.**
  - **High School Transcript** – Contact your high school and request that an official transcript be submitted to Rhodes State.  
*Current high school seniors may submit a transcript at the time of application and a final transcript upon graduation from high school.*
  - **College or University Transcript(s)** – Contact former colleges/universities and request that an official transcript be submitted to Rhodes State for transfer credit evaluation.
  - **GED Results** – Fax to **419-995-8098** or bring your official GED results to the Office of Admissions to be copied for your file.
- 3) **Placement Testing:** Required for students who have not met established pre-requisites or co-requisites through the ACT Test or transfer credit. Register by calling the Testing Center at **(419) 995-8476**. The College recommends a **Texas Instruments (TI) 83 or 84 Graphing Calculator**. This is a tool you will use during your time at Rhodes State. Bring this calculator, if you have one or have access to one, when you take your test. If you do not have one available, one will be provided for you to use. **A Photo ID must be provided at the time of testing.**
- 4) **Residency:** A Residency Information Form must be completed by students who have not resided in Ohio for the past 12 consecutive months.
- 5) **Selective Service:** A Draft Compliance Form is required from male students between the ages of 18-26 who have not registered with Selective Service.
- 6) **New Student Orientation:** This program is designed to introduce students to success strategies, personnel, faculty and academic requirements. At orientation you will meet with an Academic Advisor who will help you create an educational plan and register for classes. [Click Here to Register for New Student Orientation](#)  
*Transfer students are highly encouraged, but not required, to attend orientation. If you would prefer an individual advising appointment, please call the Office of Advising at (419) 995-8400.*
- 7) **Student ID Card:** Following class registration your Student ID may be obtained from the Campus Safety and Security Department in the Technical Education Lab, Room 140.
- 8) **Vehicle Registration:** Register your vehicle at the Office of Admissions, Public Service Bldg. 148 or Campus Safety and Security, Technical Education Lab, Room 140.