

## Beginning freshmen

Students who apply to Georgia Southern University for either program as beginning freshmen must meet the following requirements. The prospective student must:

- be a resident of the State of Georgia (RETP only);
- have a high school grade point average (GPA) of at least 3.00 (B average);
- have a combined SAT score of at least 1090 (with individual minima of 560 on the math portion and 440 on the verbal portion) **or** have been admitted to an engineering program at Georgia Tech (such students should supply the Georgia Southern Office of Admissions with a copy of the acceptance letter from Georgia Tech);
- have satisfied the College Preparatory Curriculum (CPC) course work before enrolling in GTREP;
- for international students (GTREP only), have a TOEFL score of 600 (on the paper version) or a score of 250 (on the computer version).

High school graduates who do not meet the above requirements will be classified as [Technology Options Program \(TOP\)](#) majors.

## Current Georgia Southern students and transfer students from another institution

Current Georgia Southern students are those who are currently enrolled at Georgia Southern in another academic major (including learning support and the Technology Options Program). Transfer students are those who have taken a college or university course after graduating from high school from a college or university other than Georgia Southern. Such a student cannot be considered for freshman admission. To be accepted into either GTREP or RETP, current Georgia Southern students and transfer students must complete the following requirements within four semesters (not including summers):

- Complete a minimum of 30 semester hours of college course work with a cumulative GPA of 3.00;
- Complete MATH 1441 & MATH 2242 (Calculus I & II) with grades of at least "B" (3.00 GPA);
- Complete either CHEM 1147 (Comprehensive General Chemistry) or CHEM 1145 (Principles of Chemistry I) and PHYS 2211/1113 (Principles of Physics I & lab) with grades of at least "B". Note that for Chemical Engineering majors, grades of at least "B" (3.00 GPA) is required for CHEM 1145 & CHEM 1146 (Principles of Chemistry I & II);

If at any point it appears that a TOP student is not likely to meet the exit requirements, they will be assisted with the selection of a different major.

## Transfer admission to Georgia Tech with junior status

Georgia Southern students who wish to apply to Georgia Tech as either a GTREP or RETP student must meet the following requirements:

- **Complete** a minimum of 60 semester hours, including all course work as specified in the GTREP and RETP curriculum for the student's particular major field of engineering with a Regents cumulative grade point average of 2.70 on a 4.00 scale for Georgia residents and 3.00 for nonresidents/international students (GTREP only).
- **Complete** the mathematics sequence (18 semester hours), beginning with calculus I, with a cumulative GPA

of 2.70 for Georgia residents and 3.00 for nonresidents/international students (GTREP only).

- **Complete** all science courses for the particular major, including the calculus-based physics sequence (8 semester hours) and the first chemistry course (4 semester hours) with a cumulative GPA of 2.70 for Georgia residents and 3.00 for nonresidents/international students (GTREP only).
- **Complete** English composition I and II and all other remaining course work with a grade of "C" or better.
- **Submit** the completed Georgia Tech application for undergraduate admission along with either the GTREP or RETP application form to the Director of Engineering Programs at Georgia Southern (the application fee is waived for RETP and GTREP students). **It is recommended that RETP students apply for the summer term in order to be completely on track for the junior year of the engineering curriculum.**
- **Request** that the registrar's office of any institution(s) attended other than Georgia Southern submit directly to the Georgia Tech Admissions Office an official transcript of all course work taken at that/those institution(s). The Georgia Southern transcript will be submitted to Georgia Tech by the Georgia Southern Director of Engineering Programs as part of the admissions application package.
- **Request** the Georgia Southern Registrar's Office to submit an official transcript directly to Georgia Tech after the completion of all course work at Georgia Southern.