



**PTA Program Application Dates:**

<b>Applications open</b>	<b>February 1</b>
<b>Applications close</b>	<b>April 15</b>
<b>Application deadline</b>	<b>May 1</b>

Process for Applying for the Physical Therapist Assistant Program

Follow Steps 1-3 below to apply for the Physical Therapist Assistant (PTA) program that begins in January of next year in Grenada:

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**Step 1—You may complete this step as soon as pre-registration for the fall opens (typically in November).**

If you are not currently enrolled as a Holmes student (this semester), click on “Enroll Now” at [www.holmescc.edu](http://www.holmescc.edu) to complete a Holmes Community College online Admissions Application for **fall**, choosing **General College Studies** as your major. After applying to the college, you must return to “Enroll Now” and complete the orientation.

*Please note that successful completion of Step 1 denotes acceptance to the college, not acceptance of application to the Physical Therapist Assistant Program.*

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**Step 2—You may complete this step on or after Feb. 1 after successful completion of Step 1.**

After you have been accepted to the college and know that your ACT score on file with Holmes meets the minimum requirement for the Physical Therapist Assistant Program\*, click on the college portal, “My Holmes,” at [www.holmescc.edu](http://www.holmescc.edu) and log in. Navigate to the “Academics/Career-Technical” icon at the top of the page and then go to the “Health-Related Applications” (blue box) on the lower left-hand side of the page to access the PTA application. Using your My Holmes username and password, read and submit the PTA application.

**You will receive a confirmation page verifying that your application submitted successfully or that you are missing information.**

*\*Please note that your PTA application will **not** submit successfully unless official verification is on file with Holmes that you meet the minimum ACT requirement, regardless of your age. If you submit an ACT score to Holmes at a later date (by April 15) that meets the minimum SCORE requirement, you must resubmit the PTA Application. Once you successfully complete Step 2, you will be credited with any higher official ACT scores submitted to Holmes by May 1st.*

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**Step 3—You may complete this step as soon as your PTA application has submitted successfully by April 15 and you have received a supplemental application packet via your Holmes email.**

The completed supplemental application packet must be submitted in one package, postmarked or hand delivered by May 1, to the following address in order to be considered for selection:

PTA Program  
Holmes Community College  
1060 Avent Drive  
Grenada, MS 38901

Also submit all official transcripts\*\* for all completed coursework from all regionally-accredited colleges attended to the following address by May 1<sup>st</sup>:

Office of Admissions  
Holmes Community College  
PO Box 398  
Goodman, MS 39079

*\*\*If you have any college credit, please note that you must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 by May 1 to be considered for class selection.*

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**After the May 1<sup>st</sup> deadline, students with the strongest applications will be scheduled for mandatory face-to-face interviews as part of the selecton process.**

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If you have questions about the application process, please contact Tracy Herring at 662-227-2360 or [therring@holmescc.edu](mailto:therring@holmescc.edu). Basic information about the program, including requirements, etc., may be found on the PTA program's web pages.

- The electronic PTA application will be available from Feb. 1 until April 15.
- The supplemental application packet to be completed by May 1 will be emailed to your Holmes account as soon your electronic PTA application submits successfully by April 15.
- The sooner your electronic PTA application is submitted, the more time you will have to meet the other requirements in the supplemental application packet by May 1.