



## **SUBJECT: GUIDELINES FOR REDUCED TUITION FOR MOUNT VERNON ADULT STUDENTS**

A new program for adult students is now offering evening programs for a reduced tuition structure. In order for this reduced tuition to apply, the program must be declared as an evening program and the student must meet 3 criteria as an adult learner. These students will be identified by a unique program code which governs tuition rate.

### Program Criteria

The specific degree programs which qualify for the new rates currently are: **Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice, Bachelor of Arts in General Studies, Bachelor of Ministry, and Bachelor of Science in Education.** The list of approved programs will always be posted on the Brewton-Parker website at [www.bpc.edu/external](http://www.bpc.edu/external) (Until an appropriate website is developed for evening students, we are using this as a place marker.) along with the date they were approved.

### Criteria for adult learners

To be considered an adult learner, a student must meet all of the following criteria.

- Full-time student must be 24 years of age on or before the first day of MV Fall classes.
- Full-time student must live off campus and be in compliance with the Housing Policy in the BPC catalog.
- Full-time students who are coded as adult evening students will pay the tuition cost in effect at the beginning of the first term in which they enter the program under the new code. That tuition rate is locked in until graduation as long as they continue full-time in a clearly-identified evening program and don't stop out for a semester (excluding summer). If the full-time student stops out for an academic semester or longer, the rate of tuition at the time of readmission will apply. If the full-time student changes to another degree program not identified as an evening program, (s)he will forfeit the reduced tuition.

### Change in status

In the event that a student's situation changes and (s)he now meets all of the criteria for adult evening classification, (s)he may petition to change program codes for the next school year. To do this the student must either go to the Registrar's Office to request the change form or go online to the Registrar's website, download the form and submit it on or before the first day of fall classes. Any change of status will be for the coming term(s) and will not be retroactive for any reason.

**Brewton-Parker College is not responsible for initiating program code changes.**



## Reduced Tuition Rate for Mount Vernon Evening Program

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First

**Social Security Number:** XXX-XX- \_\_\_\_\_ (last 4 digits)

**Birthday:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Request:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Residential/Commuter:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Check Your Current Major:**

Bachelor of Science Early Childhood Education

Bachelor of Science Criminal Justice

Bachelor of Arts General Studies

Bachelor of Ministry

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For Office Use Only:

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Denied: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Notified: \_\_\_\_\_ (date)

Registrar: \_\_\_\_\_