

PA State System of Higher Education  
Board of Governors  
Effective: July 18, 1991

**POLICY 1991-03: VISITING STUDENT PROGRAM**

See Also: Adopted: July 18, 1991

Amended:

**A. Purposes**

1. To facilitate undergraduate student enrollment at sister institutions of the State System of Higher Education for a limited period to take advantage of courses, programs, or experiences not available at the home institution, without loss of institutional residency, eligibility for honors or athletics, or credits toward graduation.
2. To expand options available to undergraduate students and improve supervision of student teaching, clinical experiences, internships, and international exchange programs, by sharing responsibility for each others' students.

**B. Standards**

1. The student must have satisfactorily completed at least 27 credits at the home university and be in good academic standing.
2. The student must obtain advance approval from the home university and from the sister university to complete specified studies at a sister university under this program. Each university shall specify and publish the approval procedure for its own students' participation and for students from other State System universities who wish to visit under this policy.
3. The student must present evidence of home university approval and evidence of visiting university acceptance at time of registration at the sister university.
4. A student may complete up to 18 credits in a single semester and up to 16 credits of summer work as a visiting student.