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Revision to BOR Policy 301.1 – Admission Requirements for Undergraduates into Four-year University Programs

THAT

The Board of Regents adopts revisions to BOR Policy 301.1 – Admission Requirements for Undergraduates into Four-year University Programs

EXPLANATION

Recent changes to both the ACT and SAT college entrance exams require updating of the Board of Regents Admission Requirements for entrance into four-year university programs. In 2015 and again in 2016, the ACT revised the English/Reading/Writing portion of the exam altering the reported scores. In 2016, the SAT underwent significant revisions to the exam altering the scores in all sections

These changes effect the admissions guidelines and math and writing proficiency for entry into the Montana University System as indicated in Board of Regents Policy 301.1. Using the concordance tables provided by ACT and SAT between the former and new tests, the updated scores and appropriate test sections have been updated in the revised policy.

ATTACHMENTS

Revised Policy 301.1