



# MVP Veterinary Technician Program

## Enrollment FAQs

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Please consult the MVP School for Veterinary Technology's Catalog and Handbook on the school's website ([learnwithmvp.com](http://learnwithmvp.com)) for program specific information including admissions, grading, instructional resources & equipment lists, proctoring, technology requirements, student support services, syllabus/course details, and policies related to safety, technology, or attendance.

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### **Which states are eligible to apply to the school at this time?**

**A:** Currently, only students from the following states are eligible: AR, AZ, CA, CO, HI, ID, IN, KS, MI, MD, ME, MO, MS, NC, OH, SC, SD, TN, VA and WI. We are actively working to gain approval in additional states.

### **What if my state isn't eligible to apply?**

**A:** If your state is not currently eligible, we recommend adding your name to the waitlist via [this link](#), or you can find information on enrollment in Penn Foster [here](#). We will continue to provide updates as more states become eligible.

### **Q: When can I apply, and what are the key dates?**

*Please refer to the school's website [learnwithmvp.com](http://learnwithmvp.com) for important dates and information regarding applications and enrollment.*

### **Where do applicants send their transcripts?**

**A:** To expedite student enrollment, we encourage digital copies of transcripts be sent to: [vtschool@mvetpartners.com](mailto:vtschool@mvetpartners.com).

We do accept mailed copies of student transcripts, but please note that this process takes longer and may result in a delay of enrollment. If your school does not offer the ability to send digitally, transcripts can be mailed to:

MVP School for Veterinary Technology  
Attn: Lisa Kernaghan  
11904 Kingston Pike Farragut, TN 37934  
(865) 381-1946

Please note that we do need official transcripts sent directly from the HS/College, they cannot come from the student.



**What is the cost of the program and who pays for it?**

**A:** The program is fully funded by MVP, so there is no cost to students or hospitals for tuition or textbooks. Students are required to obtain a rabies vaccination prior to participation in clinical activities. Students are responsible for the cost of the AVMA required rabies vaccination.

**What is my commitment to MVP in exchange for my schooling?**

**A:** In exchange for the educational opportunity, you are expected to maintain satisfactory academic progress, adhere to program guidelines, and continue employment with MVP while enrolled. If you decide to leave MVP, you will not be eligible to continue the MVP program.

**Can Penn Foster students, or students from another program, switch to the MVP program?**

**A:** Not at this time as the MVP program is not yet accredited, therefore the credits do not transfer.

**How long will it take to complete the program?**

**A:** The program is structured to be completed in 6 quarters for students pursuing a diploma, and 8 quarters for students in degree-eligible states, assuming full-time enrollment. For part-time students, the program typically takes 3 to 4 years, depending on their individual course load and schedules.

**Is the program at my own pace?**

**A:** While there are structured timelines and benchmarks, the program does offer some flexibility. Students are encouraged to progress at a pace that balances their work commitments and personal learning style, while remaining within the 3–4-year allotted timeframe to complete the program.

**If I finish the program before the accreditation process is complete, will I receive a diploma or degree?**

**A:** If you complete the program before accreditation is finalized, you will receive a diploma. Upon accreditation, your diploma may be converted to an associate's degree, subject to regulatory approval and completion of the 8-quarter program.

**If I finish the diploma program, can I sit for the VTNE?**

**A:** No, students cannot sit for the VTNE unless the program becomes fully accredited. If the program earns accreditation, students will be required to complete the remaining 2 quarters to earn their associate's degree.

**How are externship skills handled in this program?**

**A:** Externship skills are completed at your current place of employment, under the supervision of a qualified mentor. Regular assessments will be conducted to ensure competency.



### **Will there be live instructors to help with course concerns?**

**A:** Yes, live instructors and mentors will be available to provide support and address course-related questions.

### **Where will I access my courses and support?**

**A:** Courses and support resources will be accessed through the MPower Learning Management System (LMS). You will receive login information and an orientation upon acceptance into the program.

### **What happens if I enroll but don't finish the program?**

**A:** There is no immediate impact on students who do not finish the program. However, incomplete enrollments can negatively affect MVP's accreditation status, as accreditation is heavily dependent on student completion and overall program success rates. This is why the application and selection process is rigorous, ensuring we select students who are the right fit and have the potential to successfully complete the program. We ask that students applying carefully consider whether they are willing and able to commit the necessary time and effort to successfully complete the program, as well as their intent to remain with MVP to fully benefit from attending the program.

### **What happens if I am enrolled in the program but decide to leave MVP?**

If you decide to leave MVP, you will not be eligible to continue the MVP program.

### **What if I need an extension to complete my coursework?**

**A:** Students who require additional time to complete coursework due to extenuating circumstances must submit a Time Extension Request Form. Acceptable reasons for requesting an extension include medical issues, personal emergencies, or significant academic difficulties. The request must be accompanied by relevant documentation, such as medical certificates or letters from advisors. The form should be submitted to the course instructor as soon as possible. Approval of the extension is at the discretion of the instructor and will be communicated to the student via their official school email. Please note that submitting a request does not guarantee approval.



### **What if I don't have a mentor in my hospital?**

**A:** If a mentor is not available at your hospital, we will work with you to identify a suitable mentor within our network or provide alternative support.

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