

Center for Adult and Professional Studies

Educational Opportunities for Non-Traditional Students

St. Andrews Presbyterian College offers academic programs to non-traditional and non-residential students through off-site instructional locations and distance learning delivery systems. Coordination of these programs is under the auspices of the St. Andrews Center for Adult and Professional Studies. Students enrolled in St. Andrews Presbyterian College through the Center for Adult and Professional Studies (CAPS) have access to all course deliveries available at the College. In consultation with the student's advisor, CAPS students may enroll in courses on the main campus, St. Andrews @ Sandhills, or online without the need for additional approvals. It is the policy of St. Andrews Presbyterian College that courses offered in alternative formats will have academic rigor, faculty engagement, student expectations, and student engagement comparable to courses offered in a live classroom format. Whether delivered in a traditional classroom setting or online, St. Andrews Presbyterian College retains responsibility and control for all aspects of its programs including course content, delivery and evaluation, faculty qualifications, training, and evaluation, and assessment of student learning outcomes. The College provides a range of services to support these programs including, but not limited to, admissions, financial aid, academic advising, delivery of course materials, and placement and counseling.

Students are admitted to non-traditional programs after evaluation of application, transcripts of previous college work, and other required information. Students admitted to online programs must have access to a high-speed internet connection, computer hardware and software as required for the specific course, and basic knowledge of the technology. Students in these programs will have complete access to College library resources either online, by phone, or in person.

A schedule of expenses and fees for non-traditional and non-residential programs is found in the Fees section of this catalog.