

MANUAL OF POLICY

Title	Student Orientation Program	3615
Legal Authority	Approval of the Board of Trustees	
Date Approved by Board	Board Minute Order dated November 9, 1995 Board Minute Order dated July 28, 2005	

South Texas College shall provide a comprehensive orientation program for full-time and part-time students. The orientation program is designed to facilitate student success, reduce student barriers and increase student retention and graduation rates. The orientation addresses registration, navigation and financial aid, and includes personal and academic growth opportunities for new students. In order to meet the needs of the college's working students, orientation will be offered at each campus in the morning, the afternoon, the evening and on the weekend. The program attendance, agenda, and student evaluations will be evaluated annually to ensure a quality program is being delivered to new students.