



**LOUISIANA DELTA**  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## **POLICIES & PROCEDURES**

**Title: Non-Traditional Credit**

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### **Purpose**

Identification of routes non-traditional credit may be earned and recognized by Louisiana Delta Community College.

### **Scope**

All Louisiana Delta Community College students and prospective students.

### **Policy**

Louisiana Delta Community College will recognize non-traditional credit earned by students through College Level Examination Program (CLEP), Defense Association for Non-Traditional Educational Services (DANTES), military service, correspondence and extension courses taken through accredited extension divisions of other colleges/universities and departmental exams. Credits will be posted to the student's academic record with the grade "P" indicating that the credit has been earned, but does not impact semester or cumulative GPA. Application of credit to meet degree program requirements will be determined by the Department Chair, Program Coordinator and appropriate Dean/campus director. A maximum of 21 hours can be earned through nontraditional credit to apply to any degree program.

The student must be enrolled at Delta in order to have non-traditional credits posted to their academic record.