PURPOSE

The purpose of this procedure is to outline the process for identifying students who have met the criteria to graduate with academic honors.

PROCEDURE

1. Based upon their Grade Point Average (GPA), students are eligible for the following academic honors at graduation:
   a. Summa Cum Laude with a 4.0 cumulative GPA
   b. Magna Cum Laude with a 3.75-3.99 cumulative GPA
   c. Cum Laude with a 3.50-3.74 cumulative GPA

2. Honors are calculated on cumulative grade averages received while enrolled in a specific curriculum.
3. Eligibility

Transfer students must earn a minimum of 25% of credit through instruction offered at TCL semester credit hours in the specific curriculum from which they are graduating at the Technical College of the Lowcountry. Credit awarded by transfer, exemption, and substitution will not be calculated into the student's GPR for the specific curriculum from which they are graduating.

4. At the end of each semester, the Office of the Registrar is responsible for evaluating academic records and identifying students who qualify for academic honors.