

## Accelerated Learning for Rapid Learners Policy

ACOT encourages any student who wishes to accelerate their learning and decrease the duration of their program to participate in the accelerated learning program. Students who have an overall B (3.0) average or higher and believe they are capable of taking an extra course can enroll in a second class during any six-week term.

The second course is held on either the opposite day of their first course (such as Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday) or in an all-day Saturday course. The Saturday course consists of three (3) two and one-half (2.5) hour lectures. Class is held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. CST, and there are 15-minute breaks every 2 hours. Students are strongly encouraged to attend all three lectures; however, the U.S. Department of Education mandates student attendance to one lecture at a minimum.

Each accelerated learning course, as with all ACOT courses, requires 22.5 hours of student participation per week (7.5 contact hours in lecture and 15 hours outside study and preparation time). All school policies are applicable to the accelerated learning courses.