

DUAL ENROLLMENT AT MCC

Being a college student is different from high school. This guide will provide you with a better understanding of dual credit requirements, what it means to be enrolled in college, and the MCC resources available to ensure your academic success.



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Dual Enrollment 101

Dual credit courses give you the chance to earn college credit by taking one or more college-level courses while you're still in high school. If you're eligible, you'll earn both high school and college credit for each dual credit course you take.

Benefits:

- Gives you a head start on college
- Save money on college tuition
- Develop career focus
- Explore a potential major
- Increase your chances of completing a college degree

Expectations:

- The grades you earn while taking a college credit course will count toward your college grade point average (GPA) and will be a **permanent** part of your postsecondary transcript.
- High schools and colleges follow different academic calendars. Your college courses must come first.
- You will be treated as a college student and required to follow college policies, deadlines and instructor expectations.



Program Options

Explore Secondary Partnerships [program pathways](#) to find the best program for you.

- [Career Academy](#) application and registration begins with your high school counselor. Enrollment packets are returned to Secondary Partnerships.
- [Concurrent Enrollment](#) application and registration begins at your High School at the start of each academic term. Registration forms are returned to Secondary Partnerships.
- [Kickstart Online Institute](#) application and registration begins with the student or High School Counselor. KSOI registration forms are returned to Secondary Partnerships.
- [Gateway to College](#) application and registration begins with student participation in an information session.
- [CollegeNow!](#) application and registration begins with the student through MCC's application and an appointment with a Success Navigator.



College Transcript

The grades you earn while taking a college credit course will count toward your college grade point average (GPA) and will be a **permanent** part of your postsecondary transcript.

- Grades are part of your permanent college transcript and will follow you wherever you go.
- Your college transcript could impact future scholarship eligibility and financial aid.
- You do not have the option to remove a course or grade from your college transcript if you are unhappy with the grade.
- You can retake a course, and depending on the college or university, it will either replace the first grade or the first grade will be excluded from GPA but will show on the transcript.
- A poor grade could indicate to other colleges or universities that you were not prepared for the academic rigor of college and could impact acceptance.
- Transferability of the college courses you take vary. Visit MCC's [Transfer and Articulation](#) site for more information.
- Most colleges require a C or better for a class to count toward a degree and/or transfer.

Taking college credit courses while in High School is an important decision. Make sure you are ready!



Ready to transfer your MCC courses to another institution?
Visit MCC's [Transcript Request](#) webpage.

FERPA

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) is a federal privacy law that outlines students rights concerning access to educational records. If a student is attending a postsecondary institution - *at any age* - the rights under FERPA have transferred to the student. A student enrolled in both a high school and a postsecondary institution creates a unique situation.

If the student is under 18, the **parents still retain the rights under FERPA at the high school**, however, the **post-secondary rights belong to the student.**

Students who wish to grant parental or 3rd party access to their educational records may do so by submitting an **[Authorization to Release Student Information Form](#)** to the Records Office.



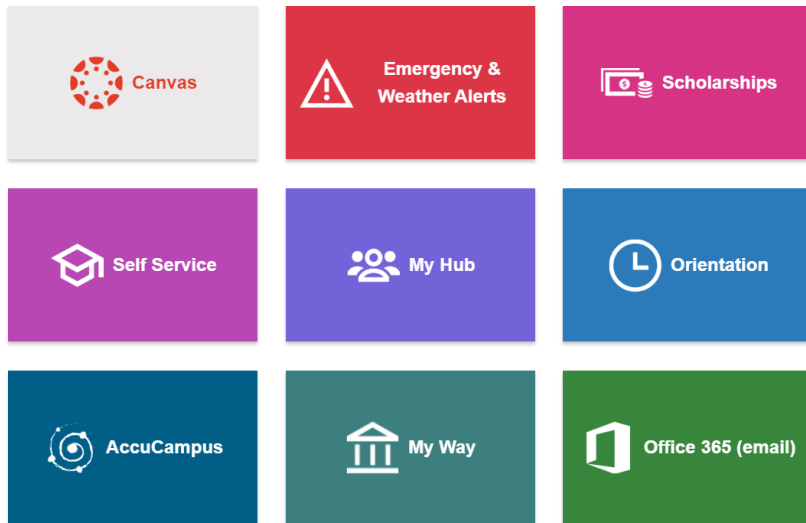
MCC Student Tech Stack

MCC's Student Tech Stack is where you can access CANVAS, MCC Email, Self-Service & more.

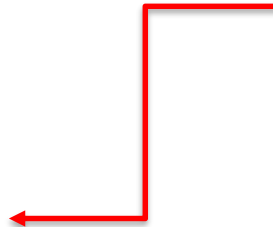
Visit mccneb.edu and select Canvas/Student Links



Student Links



Access to all student links



Need Help Logging In?
Set your [MCC password](#) or
contact IT Support Services
531-622-2900

MCC Student Orientation

MCC Student Services offers a full orientation experience where you can find information on:

- Disability Support Services
- Advising
- Tutoring
- Academic Support
- Campus Security
- Textbooks
- And More!

Attend MCC's New Student Orientation [online](#) or [in person](#).



MCC Bookstore

Textbooks for Career Academy, CollegeNow!, and Kickstart Online courses can be purchased from [MCC's Bookstore](#). Textbooks are the responsibility of the student and not included in the MCC tuition waiver.

1. Visit [MCC's bookstore webpage](#)
2. Review the purchase guide [video](#) or [document](#).
3. Place your order



Disability Support Services

The mission of Disability Support Services (DSS) at Metropolitan Community College is to foster an accessible environment where we value students on the basis of ability, not disability. This is accomplished by providing qualified students with the tools and support to ensure access to all programs and activities.

Students with disabilities who meet the academic and technical standards for participation are eligible to request reasonable accommodations to achieve equal access. Qualified students are accommodated when they disclose their disabilities and request accommodations.

The [Disability Support Services Staff](#) at MCC is committed to providing access for students with disabilities. If you have questions about our accommodations, [contact us](#).



MCC Learning & Tutoring Center

MCC offers onsite tutoring and academic support at most campus locations.

- [Elkhorn Valley Learning and Tutoring Center](#)
- [Fort Omaha Campus Learning Commons](#)
- [Fremont Area Center-Learning and Tutoring Center](#)
- [Sarpy Learning and Tutoring Center](#)
- [South Omaha Campus Learning and Tutoring Center](#)

MCC also offers online learning and tutoring support.

- Visit the [Student Links](#) portal.
- Click on the AccuCampus button to access.
- Login using your credentials.
- Select "Drop-In" for online assistance or choose "Make an Appointment" and follow prompts to select the service that meets your needs.
- Review the confirmation email sent to your MCC account, and follow instructions to attend the appointment.



Questions?

Secondary Partnerships is here to help.



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