This presentation will be posted on the MCPS and MC Dual Enrollment webpages by March 20th and all information AND MORE can be found on our website.

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HELLO FUTURE MC STUDENTS!!

WHY IS MONTGOMERY COLLEGE THE PLACE FOR YOU?
Montgomery College Welcome

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What is Dual Enrollment?

- Dual Enrollment is an MC academic initiative that allows qualified high school students to be admitted and enrolled at Montgomery College, taking credit courses while earning their high school diploma.

- Students are registered for standard college courses taught by Montgomery College professors.

- Students may take advantage of individual College and career credit opportunities or apply for a diploma+degree program.
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College and Career Credit Opportunities

- MCPS students take Individual college courses to earn college credit.

- Students enroll in courses typically taken in their first and second year of college.
  - General Education Requirements
  - Foundation/Distribution Courses

- Students enroll in one 3-credit course up through a 30+ credit *Jumpstart to College pathway* towards college completion.
What Can I Do with the Credits Earned?

• College credits earned may-
  • Be used towards an associate’s degree or certificate at MC.
  • Also transfer to four-year colleges and universities. (“Google” ARTSYS Maryland).
  • Apply to both high school diploma requirements and college graduation requisites.
What Are The Requirements To Participate?

- Students must **submit a College admissions application** and be fully admitted to Montgomery College.

- Students must meet the College’s Dual Enrollment requirements
  - must have a high school unweighted grade point average (GPA) of 2.50 (seniors) or 2.75 (juniors or below).
  - must **complete all enrollment steps**, to include orientation and appropriate school and parent approvals.

- Students must have the required **prerequisites and assessment levels** for each class, including AP scores for appropriate courses.
What Are Your Course Options?

- Students may enroll in any MCPS approved college credit course provided they meet the appropriate course prerequisites and assessment levels.

- Students can take college classes at any MC campus. (Germantown, Rockville or Takoma Park/Silver Spring)

- Students can also enroll in online/distance learning classes.

- College courses are also offered at numerous MCPS high school sites.
  - 18 high schools currently offer 30+ college course sections per semester
### SAMPLE LIST OF COLLEGE COURSE SUBJECTS TAUGHT AT HIGH SCHOOL SITES 2019-20

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Fall 2020 HS-site course location and options are on the Dual Enrollment website.
Disability Support Services at MC

- Students may request accommodations for assessment testing or course support.

- Students must request accommodations through Montgomery College Disability Support Services (DSS).

- MC professors will not provide accommodations only to those high school students who produce an Accommodations Letter from Montgomery College Disability Support Services.

- Students do not receive accommodations through their high school for College classes, and accommodations may differ from those offered through MCPS.
EARNING DUAL CREDIT AT MCPS

• MCPS students can earn high school credit by successfully completing college courses.

• Students may refuse the corresponding high school credit at the time of enrollment into the college course.

• The grade earned in the college course will appear on the student’s high school transcript.

• Grades earned in college courses for dual credit will be calculated into the high school Weighted GPA as an advanced level course, just as AP/IB high school courses are.
APPROVED DUAL CREDIT COURSES

- MC Courses are pre-approved for specific high school credit.

- A list of approved courses and the corresponding high school credit can be found on the MCPS Dual Enrollment webpage.

- The student may earn subject graduation credit (English, Math, etc.) or elective credit as stated on the approved list.

- Students will receive one (1) full high school credit for successful completion of an approved 3- or 4-credit college-level course.
Jump Start to College Pathway

- The *Jump Start to College* pathway is an opportunity for high school students to earn 30 or more college credits using dual enrollment opportunities to meet high school graduation requirements and begin their journey toward success in college and beyond.

- The *Jump Start to College* pathway is available in General Studies, but can be tailored to meet other degree and transfer programs as available.

- Students may take more or fewer courses than the sample in the next slide illustrates depending on the student’s preference and future career and postsecondary goals.
Transferring College Credits To Other Institutions

• The transfer of college credits is at the sole discretion of the receiving college or university and not MC or MCPS.

• MCPS Approved college courses provide transfer credit within the University System of Maryland (“Google ARTSYS Maryland”).

• Parents/students should research the transferability of college credits to institutions outside of the University System of Maryland or to private colleges or universities.
How Much is a College Course Going to Cost Me?

- Students are individually responsible for
  - MC tuition and fees
  - MCPS fees
  - Course materials and textbooks associated with their registered course(s)

- As an MCPS student, a discount is provided under the Maryland College and Career Readiness and College Completion Act of 2013 (CCRCCA) (discount does not apply to summer courses)

- HS students do not receive federal aid (FAFSA) but may be eligible for need-based financial assistance to cover all or part of costs
  - MCPS financial assistance based on school status
  - MC High School Grant available to qualifying grant applicants
  - Gov. Hogan’s Maryland Community College Promise Scholarship does NOT apply to HS students. Must be a HS graduate to apply.
Typical Cost for a Three-Credit Course under CCRCCA

Typical Cost for a Three-Credit Course (FIRST FOUR COURSES)
Standard cost for student = $532.20* (college tuition/fees)
Cost for MCPS student = $403.05**

Typical Cost for a Three-Credit Course (FIVE + COURSES)
Standard cost for student = $532.20*
Cost for MCPS student = $492.60**

Check the Montgomery College webpage for standard tuition and fees.

* Based on AY 2019-20 rates
** Does not apply to summer courses. Financial assistance is available
Compare a Three-Credit Course at Other Institutions

Montgomery College

Standard cost for student= $532.20* (college tuition/fees)

- Cost for MCPS student= $403.05

Univ. of Maryland, College Park (4-year, public)

Standard cost for student= $1,556.00* (college tuition/fees)

George Washington University (4-year, private)

Standard cost for student= $5,025.00* (college tuition/fees)

*Based on AY 2019-20 per-credit rates
What are the Benefits of Participating?

- Register and attend an MC course(s) on campus, online or at a high school site
- Engage with outstanding college professors and peers in a collegiate classroom setting
- Graduate from high school with earned college credit
- Earn high school credit for the college course (dual credit)
- Save money on college tuition and fees
  - MCPS (CCRCCA) benefits
  - MC High School Grant
- Accelerate college and high school completion
- Gain additional skills and confidence needed to succeed in college
Want to Take a Class?....

- Summer and Fall 2020 enrollment is starting now!
- $25 College admissions application fee WAIVED through April 15th

  Apply now for free!

- Contact your high school Dual Enrollment Program Assistant (DEPA) to get started! (see MC or MCPS dual enrollment website for list of DEPAs)
Diploma + Degree Opportunities

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Diploma + Degree Opportunities

- **Early College Program**
  - On the MC Campus.
  - Students apply in fall of the 10th grade year.

- **Middle College Program (MC²)**
  - Located at Northwest and Northwood High Schools.
  - Students apply in fall of their 8th grade year.

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  - Located at Clarksburg H.S.
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MC 2 and 3 year Associate’s degree

• Successful completion of 60-70 credits with a combination of General Education courses and coursework in a specific degree program or major.

• A.A, A.S., A.A.T. - These degrees are intended for transfer to equivalent bachelors of arts/science programs at four year schools.

• A.A.S. - These degrees are intended for those seeking immediate employment. In addition, students may transfer eligible credits to a four-year institution.
Early College Program Overview

- The Early College program allows students from all high schools to complete their high school graduation requirements on the MC campus while also earning one of the specific degree options available.

- This is an application only program with limited seats available. The application process occurs in the fall of the 10th grade year.

- Students complete 9th and 10th grade years at their home high school and complete their 11th and 12th grade years by exclusively taking college courses on the MC college campus.

- Students take all of their 11th and 12th grade coursework at MC, but will be eligible to participate in both high school and college after school activities.*
Early College Program Overview (cont’d)

• MC coursework earned as both credit towards their MC degree and MCPS diploma appears on both transcripts and is weighted on the MCPS transcript in the same manner as AP and IB credit.

• MCPS students will complete their Maryland State diploma requirements while simultaneously earning an Associate’s degree from Montgomery College.

• The MC degree earned will transfer to a four-year institution within the state of Maryland and provide an opportunity for Montgomery County to support current students while building a future workforce. This is a pathway from MCPS, to MC, to a bachelor’s degree, and then back to the Montgomery County workforce.
Fall 2020 Early College Degree Programs

Germantown Campus:
• A.S. in Biological Science
• A.A. in Business
• A.A. in Computer Science
• A.A.S. in Cybersecurity
• A.A.T. in Elementary Education/Elementary Special Education

Rockville Campus:
• A.A. in Business
• A.S. in General Engineering
• A.S. in Science; Mathematics Track

Takoma Park/Silver Spring Campus:
• A.S. in Biological Science
• A.S. in Nursing*
• A.A.S. in Diagnostic Medical Sonography*
• A.A.S. Physical Therapist Assistant*
• A.A.S. in Radiologic (X-Ray) Technology*
• A.A.S. in Surgical Technology

* 3 year program or one year after high school graduation
This conference focuses on culturally responsive educators building relationships for the pre-k through 12 classroom.

**BREAKOUT SESSIONS:**

- Explore Dual Enrollment Pathways—Earn the Associate of Arts Teaching Degree While in High School
- Remembering Our Best and Worst Teachers—What Makes a Good Teacher?
- The Impact of Males of Color in the Classroom
- Real Experiences of MCPS Teachers Who Graduated from Montgomery College

Registration begins April 1
Cost of Associate’s degree through Early College Program

- **Early College**: Students pay for college fees or approximately $2700 for the 2-year MC degree. MCPS and MC cover the cost of tuition and textbooks. For students who are eligible for MCPS financial assistance, MCPS also covers their colleges fees or $0 cost.

- **Early College 3-year Health Science degree programs**: Same as above for years 1 and 2. Once student is an MCPS graduate, student covers all costs for year 3, however, student is eligible to apply for student financial aid through MC.
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Did You Know?

- Last year over 1,100 students were dually enrolled at MC in one or more college course(s) while in high school.

- Over 80% of MCPS students earned a B or better in their college course.

- More than half of MCPS students took more than one course.

- Over 40% of MCPS students maintain a 4.00 college GPA.

- Last fall, students earned an average of 7+ college credits while Dually Enrollment.

- This spring, nearly 400 MCPS students are taking MC courses directly at their home high school.

- Last year, 20 students graduated from high school with their MC associate’s degree under the Middle College program.
Dual Enrollment Websites

Information on General Dual Enrollment at MC can be found at:  
www.montgomerycollege.edu/dep

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Information on all MCPS Dual Enrollment Programs and Pathways can be found at:  
montgomeryschoolsmd.org/curriculum/partnerships/dual-enrollment.aspx

or

by searching the MCPS website for “Dual Enrollment” and selecting the first result

Direct Link to Early College information can be found at:  
https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/high-school-students/dual-enrollment/degree-and-pathway-programs/early-college-program.html
START COLLEGE NOW!

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