If you have completed Project Lead The Way (PLTW) Biomedical Science courses and national end-of-course exams at a PLTW certified high school, you may be eligible for credit by examination in certain Metropolitan Community College (MCC) programs. This credit will be added to your MCC student transcript upon enrollment at any of the MCC campuses. Your high school PLTW course grades will not be factored into your MCC grade point average.

what you need to do:

one

You must apply for admission and enroll at MCC. Visit mcckc.edu/getstarted for MCC’s steps to enrollment.

two

You must provide the MCC Records Office/Advisor with verification of national end-of-course exam stanine scores of 6 or better and PLTW course grades of 80% (B) or better from your high school instructor, counselor, or an administrator. The national end-of-course exam scores should be documented in a letter on school or school district letterhead. The PLTW course grades should be documented on your official high school transcript.
Students intending to earn either an Associate in Applied Science degree or certificate in Paramedic, or an Associate in Applied Science degree in Health Information Management can earn four credits for HLSC 108 (Anatomy and Physiology for Health Professions) if:

1. You complete Principles of Biomedical Sciences (PBS) and Human Body Systems (HBS) with an 80% (B) or better average.
2. You earn stanine scores of 6 or better on the national end-of-course exams for the courses above.

These requirements will go into effect for any student graduating from a certified PLTW high school in 2013 or later. If you have questions, please contact Teresa Loney at 816.604.1517 or via email at Teresa.Loney@mcckc.edu.

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