



# A+ Student Enrollment Checklist

## CONGRATULATIONS!

Metropolitan Community College welcomes all A+ students, and we are here to help you achieve your educational goals.

This checklist provides you with critical information and dates that will ensure that you successfully complete the financial aid and enrollment process and receive your A+ benefits. Steps one through three below must be completed by each semester's Priority Date in order to guarantee that your benefits are applied to your account before the MCC fee deadlines.

### PRIORITY DATES

Fall semester	May 30
Spring semester	November 30
Summer semester	May 1

#### 1. APPLY

- Apply for admission.** Complete the free on-line application at [www.mcckc.edu/apply](http://www.mcckc.edu/apply). You should apply for admission during the fall semester of your senior year.
- Apply for Financial Aid.** Go to [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov) to complete your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The federal school code is **002484** and will show on your form as **Metropolitan Community College**. If you need assistance with this form, contact the financial aid department of the campus to which you have applied. Go to [www.mcckc.edu/financialaid](http://www.mcckc.edu/financialaid) for additional information.

*A+ students are required to complete a FAFSA each academic year they are enrolled.*

#### 2. TEST

- Take the COMPASS test or submit ACT scores.** If you have taken the ACT within the last two years, you may be able to use those scores to determine placement. Go to [www.mcckc.edu/testing](http://www.mcckc.edu/testing) to view test-scheduling information and sample COMPASS questions. You may complete your testing requirements at any MCC campus.
- Request a final high school transcripts with the A+ seal to be sent to MCC.
- Request all dual credit transcripts from other colleges to be sent to MCC.

*Send transcripts to Metropolitan Community College, Student Data Center, 3200 Broadway, Kansas City, MO 64111.*

#### 3. ENROLL

- Attend an enrollment session** to select your classes. Make your appointment the spring before graduation at the campus you plan to attend by visiting [www.mcckc.edu/advising](http://www.mcckc.edu/advising).
- Visit the financial aid office at the campus you plan to attend to complete additional financial aid application forms.

*A+ students must complete the FAFSA and additional financial aid information forms each academic year of eligibility.*

#### 4. ATTEND

- Attend New Student Orientation. Sign up at [www.mcckc.edu/orientation](http://www.mcckc.edu/orientation).
- Purchase books, pay fees, and obtain free parking sticker and free student ID card.

*Books may be purchased at the bookstore at the campus you will attend classes or on-line at [www.mcckc.edu/bookstores](http://www.mcckc.edu/bookstores) prior to start of classes. As a full time student, you should expect to pay approximately \$500-\$650 for books each semester.*

#### A+ Deadlines:

If you do not meet the Priority Dates above, you may be responsible for paying tuition and fees by the MCC fee deadline and receive a refund if you enroll and complete your financial aid file by the final A+ deadline. **Failure to meet these deadlines will result in loss of A+ benefits.**

Fall	September 15
Spring	February 15
Summer	June 15

*Funding for the Student Financial Incentives portion of the A+ Schools program is the sole responsibility of the State of Missouri. The A+ Schools Program may provide these educational incentives subject to state funding approval.*

<p><b><u>Protect Your A+ Benefits!</u></b></p> <p>You've worked hard in high school to earn your A+ eligibility. To maintain your benefits you must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1. Maintain full-time enrollment of degree-related credit each semester (12 hours in Fall and Spring, six hours in the Summer).</b></li> <li><b>2. Maintain a 2.5 cumulative grade point average. (Dual credit grades earned in high school cannot be applied to your A+ GPA; however, they will be included in your overall MCC grade point average.)</b></li> <li><b>3. File an application for federal financial aid (FAFSA) each year of A+ eligibility and completed needed financial aid paperwork.</b></li> </ol> <p>If you have difficulty meeting the A+ Program guidelines, please <b>ask for help!!</b> Contact your campus counselor/advising center to discuss the many services we offer to help you achieve success.</p>	<p><b><u>Reinstatement of A+ Eligibility</u></b></p> <p>To regain eligibility you must enroll in a subsequent term and <b>achieve a GPA that will restore the required, cumulative 2.5 GPA.</b></p> <p>During the semester(s) of ineligibility, you are responsible for the full cost of your tuition and all fees.</p>
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 20301 East 78 Highway  
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MCC- Business & Technology  
 1775 Universal Avenue  
 Kansas City, MO 64120  
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MCC- Longview  
 500 SW Longview Rd  
 Lee's Summit, MO 64081  
 816-672-2000

MCC- Maple Woods  
 2601 NE Barry Rd  
 Kansas City, MO 64156  
 816-437-3000

MCC- Penn Valley  
 3201 Southwest Trafficway  
 Kansas City, MO 64111  
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