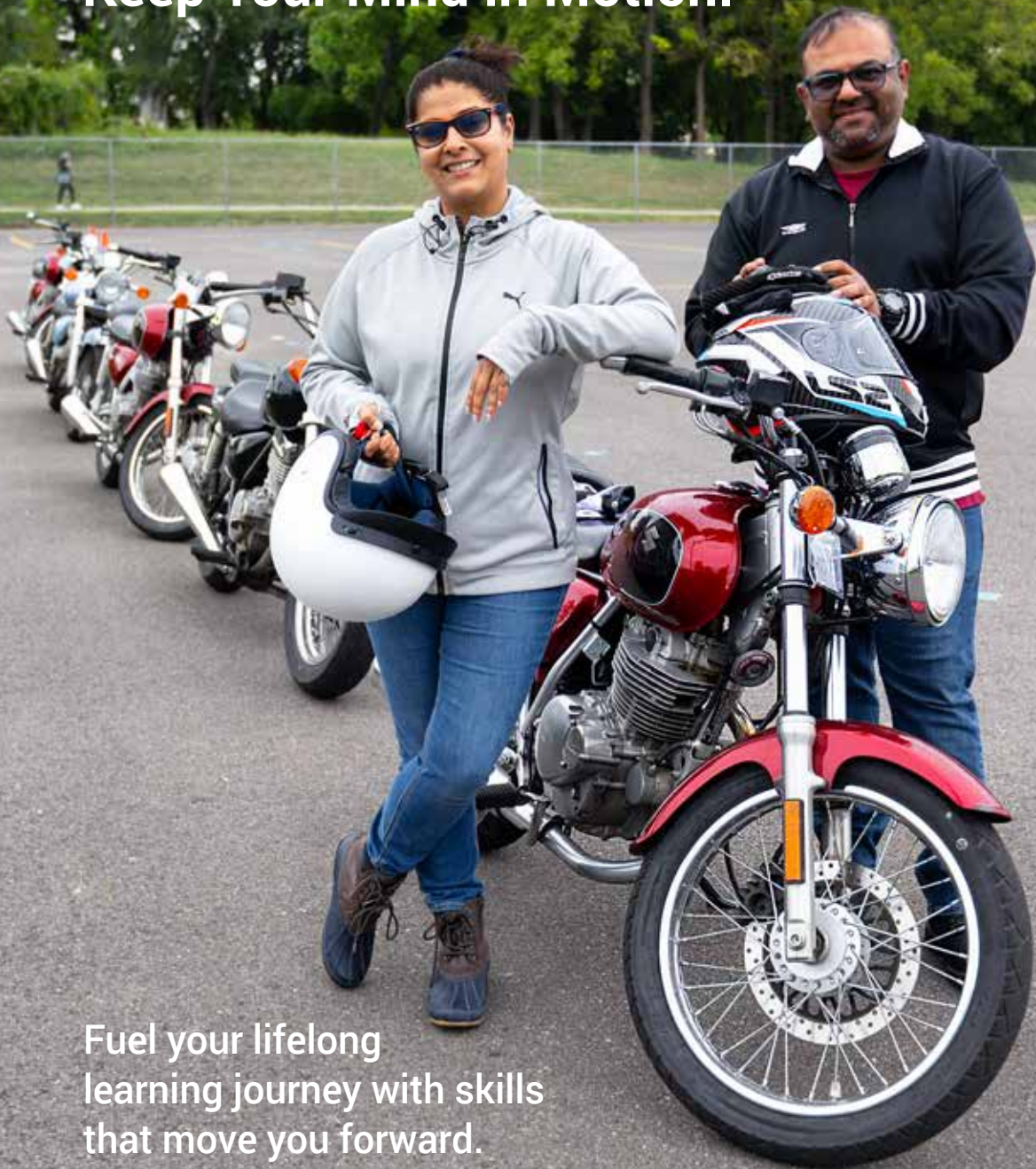


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■ Jun 1–Aug 28

XB-941-5098 (6493)

Online

Entrepreneurship

Entrepreneurship and Creativity ▶

This course helps you develop an entrepreneurial mindset and creative problem-solving skills applicable in both community and organizational settings. You will design and deliver a business pitch presentation that can support funding efforts, pitch competitions, and business planning. Students are co-enrolled with the credit course HUMN-115. Topics include the roles of entrepreneurs and intrapreneurs in today's global economy, identifying viable opportunities, and evaluating business concepts through feasibility studies. The course also explores the ethical, social, and moral dimensions of entrepreneurship. Learners are encouraged to register at least seven days prior to the start date. For more information, email TrainingSolutions@HowardCC.edu. Digital badge eligible (DB) 3.8 CEUs. \$450 (includes \$100 in fees*)

■ Jun 1–Aug 8

XB-503-5114 (7004)

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Human Resources

Human Resource Management ▶

This self-paced, online series of courses provides a foundational overview of key Human Resource Management topics. Topics include Compensation and Benefits, Employee Selection, Performance Management, Equal Employment Opportunity, Talent Management and Career Development, Introduction to Human Resource Management, and Data & Human Resource Management. Students will receive login instructions by email from MindEdge Learning on the course start date. Access to a computer, internet, and email are required. Basic computer navigation skills are strongly recommended. No refund starting on the sixth day of class. 2.1 CEUs. \$429 (includes \$317 in fees*)

■ Jun 1–Aug 28

XB-940-5097 (6492)

Online

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AI for HR NEM

The AI for HR series is designed for HR professionals seeking to deepen their expertise in applying artificial intelligence responsibly and effectively across the employee lifecycle. Through a series of online, self-paced courses, participants explore how generative AI can support key HR functions such as recruiting, onboarding, policy development, learning and development, and performance management. The series also addresses ethical, legal, and compliance considerations, emphasizing fairness, transparency, risk management, and governance. Participants gain practical strategies for using AI to enhance the employee experience while protecting employee rights and organizational integrity. Students will receive login instructions by email from MindEdge Learning on the course start date. Access to a computer, internet, and email are required. Basic computer navigation skills are strongly recommended. No refund starting on the sixth day of class. 1.2 CEUs. \$319 (includes \$269 in fees*)

■ Jun 1–Aug 31

XB-943-5111 (6929)

Online

Leadership & Management

Leadership Development

In this self-paced online series, you will gain practical, hands-on guidance to strengthen your leadership potential and make a meaningful impact in the workplace and beyond. Through an exploration of leadership styles, relationship-building, emotional intelligence, and influence strategies, you will build a practical toolkit and a clear understanding of how to lead with confidence and effectiveness. The series includes the courses Leadership Principles, Developing Your Leadership Skills, and Developing Your Professional Career to progressively build your expertise. For detailed course information, visit UGotClass.org/Catalog.cfm/HowardCC. Students will receive login instructions by email from UGotClass five days before the course begins. Access to a computer, internet, and an active email address is required. Basic computer navigation skills are strongly recommended. No refund starting on the sixth day of class. 4.8 CEUs. \$395 (includes \$380 in fees*)

■ Jun 1–Aug 28

X0-926-4029 (6494)

Online

Attention, Managers!

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Data Analysis

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■ Jun 1–Aug 28

X0-929-4027 (6487)

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Introduction to Data Analysis

This self-paced, online course teaches data analysis, a highly valuable skill in today's workplace. While companies collect vast amounts of data, few professionals can effectively interpret it to identify trends and make predictions. This course provides a foundational understanding of data analysis within a business context, preparing learners to meet growing employer demand for data-savvy candidates. For detailed course information, visit UGotClass.org/Catalog.cfm/HowardCC. Students will receive login instructions by email from UGotClass five days before the course begins. Access to a computer, internet, Microsoft Excel, and an active email address is required. Basic computer navigation skills are strongly recommended. No refund starting on the sixth day of class. 1.6 CEUs. \$195 (includes \$180 in fees*)





■ Jun 1–26

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■ **Jun 1–Aug 28**

XB-937-5096 (6491)

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Marketing & Social Media

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This self-paced, online series of courses covers the essentials of eMarketing. Students will explore ways to improve email promotions, increase website traffic, and online advertising techniques. For detailed course information, visit UGotClass.org/Catalog.cfm/HowardCC. Students will receive login instructions by email from UGotClass five days before the course begins. Access to a computer, internet, and an active email address is required. Basic computer navigation skills are strongly recommended. No refund starting on the sixth day of class. \$495 (includes \$480 in fees*)

■ **Jun 1–Aug 28**

XO-933-4028 (6488)

Online

Introduction to Social Media ▶

This self-paced, online course explores how online networking connects individuals and businesses worldwide. Covering major platforms such as Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn, YouTube, and X, you'll learn to leverage social media to understand customer behavior, expand your reach, and convert visitors into buyers. Designed for both beginners and experienced users. For detailed course information, visit UGotClass.org/Catalog.cfm/HowardCC. Students will receive login instructions by email from UGotClass five days before the course begins. Access to a computer, internet, and an active email address is required. Basic computer navigation skills are strongly recommended. No refund starting on the sixth day of class. 1.6 CEUs. \$195 (includes \$180 in fees*)

■ **Jun 1–26**

XO-920-4025 (6484)

Online

Introduction to Web Design

In this self-paced, online course, you will learn the fundamentals of web design using HTML and CSS and gain the information needed to plan and design effective web pages. You will also explore techniques to enhance your web pages through page layout, text formatting, graphics, and images. No prior knowledge of HTML or web design is necessary. For detailed course information, visit UGotClass.org/Catalog.cfm/HowardCC. Students will receive login instructions by email from UGotClass five days before the course begins. Access to a computer, internet, and an active email address is required. Basic computer navigation skills are strongly recommended. No refund starting on the sixth day of class. 1.6 CEUs. \$245 (includes \$230 in fees*)

■ Jun 1–26

X0-923-4026 (6485)

Online

Writing & Public Speaking

Grant Writing Skills Suite

This online, self-paced course series teaches introductory to intermediate grant writing skills for securing funding in the nonprofit sector. Introduction to Grant Writing covers the basics of proposal development, while Advanced Grant Writing helps learners strengthen and refine their proposals through strategic revision and iterative questioning to stand out in a competitive grant process. Students will receive login instructions by email from MindEdge Learning on the course start date. Access to a computer, internet, and email are required. Basic computer navigation skills are strongly recommended. No refund starting on the sixth day of class. 1.0 CEUs. \$269 (includes \$221 in fees*)

■ Jun 1–Aug 28

XB-936-5095 (6490)

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Asthma, Allergy, and Anaphylaxis Prevention & Management Training for Early Education Providers

This training is intended for early childhood caregivers and teachers to acquire relevant knowledge and skills to ensure Asthma and Allergy safe (Trigger free) childcare environment, identify and manage Asthma and Allergy emergencies as per the child's treatment/action plan and OCC COMAR requirement. Successful completion of this training may also qualify Maryland EXCELS participating programs to receive a Maryland EXCELS additional achievement. MSDE Core of Knowledge: 4 hours HSN. No refunds one week before the course start date. 0.4 CEUs. \$104 (includes \$55 in fees*)

■ **Sat 9 a.m.–1 p.m., Jun 1–Aug 31**

ZB-136-7057 (5184)

Hickory Ridge

CDA Capstone: Portfolio, Application & Exam Prep

The Child Development Associate (CDA) Credential^T is the most widely recognized national credential in early childhood education (ECE) and is a key stepping stone on this path to career advancement. Howard Community College is offering a specific course designed to navigate through the application process with time to create the portfolio, practice for the interview and demonstration. It is the final step in a detailed and thorough certification process. Prerequisites: Successful completion of the following courses: Child Growth and Development, Infant and Toddler Care OR Preschool Curriculum and Activities, & Child Care Administration or 120 hours of professional education covering the CDA's 8 subject areas. Must have 350 hours of work experience working with children in an early childhood setting. Refunds issued up until seven days before course start date. Purchase textbooks and a 2-inch, 3-ring binder with page protectors prior to class start date. (T) 2.2 CEUs. \$265 (includes \$100 in fees*)

■ **Jun 16–Aug 11**

ZB-111-7034 (5181)

Online

Interested in child care classes?

Receive information any time!

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Child Care Administration

This course prepares prospective directors to administer and manage a child care center. Topics include state requirements and compliance standards for physical facilities, licensing, insurance, and staffing child care programs. Other topics include recordkeeping, budget and bookkeeping, personnel selection, training and managing staff, food services, equipment, materials, and community involvement. This certification course satisfies the MSDE requirement for 45 hours of administrative training for child care center directors. You must successfully complete all course requirements to receive a certificate. Refunds issued up until seven days before course start date. 4.5 CEUs. \$280 (includes \$100 in fees*)

■ **Jul 9–Aug 27**

ZB-673-7010 (5191)

Online

Child Growth and Development 45 Hours

This certification course satisfies the child development half of the MSDE requirement of 90 hours for child care teachers and directors. Gain a broad overview of major concepts, theories and research related to the social, emotional, cognitive, and physical development of the child from birth through age 12. This course and a 45-hour course in age-appropriate curriculum (preschool, infant-toddler, or school-age) are required to complete the 90-hour certification for child care. You must successfully complete all course requirements to receive a certificate. Aligns with MD Staff Credential levels 2–4. Refunds issued up until seven days before course start date. Purchase textbook prior to class. (T) 4.5 CEUs. \$280 (includes \$100 in fees*)

■ **Jun 12–Jul 31**

ZB-707-7000 (5197)

Online

■ **Jun 12–Jul 31**

ZB-707-7001 (5198)

Online

■ **Jul 10–Aug 28**

ZB-707-7002 (5199)

Online

Communication Skills for Child Care Professionals

This course is designed for child care professionals as an introduction to the basic concepts of developing strong communication skills when working in a child care center. Topics include: speaking, writing, interpersonal communication strategies, and critical reading techniques, with a focus on communication with parents and co-workers, and communication issues within a typical child care day. Refunds issued up until seven days before course start date. 0.9 CEUs. \$110 (includes \$75 in fees*)

■ **Jul 13–27**

ZB-654-7011 (5188)

Online

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Infant and Toddler Care 45 Hours

Gain the skills necessary to work with infants and build communication skills to use with parents, co-workers and the public. Topics include growth and development, curriculum planning, goal setting, selection of age-appropriate materials, and methods for infants and toddlers birth to age 3. This certification course satisfies the MSDE requirement of 45 hours of infant-toddler curriculum training for child care teachers, directors, and family providers working with infants and toddlers. Teachers of 2-year-olds in a licensed Preschool may also need the Preschool Curriculum course (consult your licensing specialist). You must successfully complete class assignments to receive a certificate. Refunds issued up until seven days before course start date. 4.5 CEUs. \$280 (includes \$100 in fees*)

- **Jun 8–Jul 27**
ZB-702-7005 (5194) Online
- **Jun 8–Jul 27**
ZB-702-7006 (5195) Online
- **Jul 6–Aug 24**
ZB-702-7007 (5196) Online

Medication Administration

Gain skills to administer medications safely to children in child care centers and family child care homes, and learn to provide special care arrangements for children with asthma and allergies. This state-approved curriculum addresses Maryland child care licensing requirements and NAEYC standards for program accreditation. Topics include practices and procedures for administering over-the-counter and prescription medications to children, including asthma and allergies medications. Instruction is provided by qualified health professionals. MDSE medication administration handbook provided in class. Core of Knowledge: six clock hours. HSN. Refunds issued up until seven days before course start date. 0.6 CEUs. \$114 (includes \$65 in fees*)

- **Sat 9 a.m.–3:30 p.m., Jun 1–Aug 31**
ZB-737-7035 (5232) Hickory Ridge

Preschool Curriculum and Activities 45 Hours

Become prepared for a position in a child care center or preschool. This certification course satisfies the curriculum half of the MSDE requirement of 90 hours of training for child care teachers and directors working with preschoolers. Basic concepts of curriculum planning and implementation for children 3 to 5 years old are introduced. Topics include: teaching strategies, environment design, and implementation of best practices in early childhood education. You must successfully complete all course requirements to receive a certificate. Aligns with MD Staff Credential levels 2–4. Refunds issued up until seven days before course start date. Purchase textbook prior to class. (T) 4.5 CEUs. \$280 (includes \$100 in fees*)

- **Jun 8–Jul 27**
ZB-718-7003 (5202) Online
- **Jul 6–Aug 24**
ZB-718-7004 (5203) Online

Pyramid Model for Social and Emotional Competence: Preschool

Has a child's angry or aggressive behavior ever challenged your progress in achieving your teaching goals? Have you wished you could help a child who has trouble getting along with others or making friends? Do you wish you had a better way to understand why a child exhibits challenging behavior and design a solution to support them toward positive behavior? Using the Pyramid Model of SEFEL (Social and Emotional Foundations for Early Learning), gain strategies for understanding, addressing and preventing challenging behavior in children ages 3–5, and practice positive ways to support children with challenging behaviors toward social competence and success. MSDE Core of Knowledge 18 clock hours. Refunds issued up until seven days before course start date. 1.8 CEUs. Online course takes about 18 hours to complete (your time may vary.) Online course has no classroom meetings. After you have registered, email ChildCareClasses@HowardCC.edu to receive an automated reply with login instructions for Canvas. Instructor's contact information is listed on the syllabus in the online course. You will need access to a computer, the internet, and email to take this class. 1.8 CEUs. \$214 (includes \$100 in fees*)

- **Jul 20–Aug 24**
ZB-102-7033 (5180) Online

School Age Child Care Curriculum 45 Hours

Gain the skills necessary to work in school-age child care programs. Topics include curriculum planning, age-appropriate materials and methods for working with children ages 6–13. This certification course satisfies the curriculum half of the MSDE requirement of 90 hours of child care training for teachers, directors, and coordinators working with school-age children. You must successfully complete all course requirements to receive a certificate. Aligns with MD Staff Credential levels 2–4. Refunds issued up until seven days before course start date. Purchase textbook prior to class. (T) 4.5 CEUs. \$280 (includes \$100 in fees*)

- **Jun 10–Jul 29**
ZB-717-7008 (5200) Online
- **Jul 8–Aug 26**
ZB-717-7009 (5201) Online



Climb the Maryland Pyramids

Maryland's Pyramid Model for Social and Emotional Competence courses (formerly SEFEL) are newly designed for child care, preschool, and kindergarten teachers to address the needs of young children and include trauma-informed content. This model introduces two new age-specific courses for preschoolers, infants, and toddlers with online and classroom options.

Online Credential Boosters Courses

These classes are designed to help you get your program aligned with Maryland EXCELS and to help you reach higher Maryland Child Care Credential levels. Credential Boosters are classes that are identified by Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE) in the staff credential modifications for levels 2, 3, and 4.

To view full course descriptions for the classes listed below, please visit HowardCC.edu/ChildCareCourses.

Note the following about these courses:

- You can complete online Credential Boosters at your own pace, with instructor guidance; courses are 2, 3, or 5 hours. Course hours are listed in the course descriptions below.
- You may register for a class anytime between Jun 1 and Aug 7, 2026. Final deadline for course work is Aug 14, 2026.
- Once you have registered, it is your responsibility to email ChildCareClasses@HowardCC.edu to receive an automated reply with login instructions.
- You will need access to a computer, the internet, and email to take an online Credential Boosters course.
- No refunds. No assignment deadline extensions.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT ▶

Engaging Children with Remote Learning

MSDE Core of Knowledge: 2 hrs CD, 1 hr CC, 1 hr CP, 1 hr SN. Refunds issued up until seven days before course start date. 0.5 CEUs. \$79 (includes \$50 in fees*)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-202

Observation and Assessment Birth–12

MSDE Core of Knowledge: Ch Dev 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-725

Positive Child Guidance and Discipline Theory

MSDE Core of Knowledge: Ch Dev 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-726

Supervising Children in Child Care

MSDE Core of Knowledge: Ch Dev 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-751

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS ▶

Cultural Competencies and Awareness

MSDE Core of Knowledge: Com 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-732

Family & Community Partnerships

MSDE Core of Knowledge: Com 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-733



Need financial assistance to get started?

Scholarships and financial aid may be available for students who meet certain criteria and enroll in career-related noncredit courses. Some aid may have residency requirements.

Email NoncreditFinAid@HowardCC.edu and indicate your program or course of interest. Our financial aid coordinator will be in touch to discuss eligibility and next steps.

CURRICULUM PLANNING ▶

Developmentally Appropriate Practice

MSDE Core of Knowledge: Curric 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-724

Resources That Guide Daily Planning

MSDE Core of Knowledge: Curric 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-723

Taking Learning Outside

MSDE Core of Knowledge: Curric 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-727

SPECIAL NEEDS ▶

Including All Children and the ADA

**Required Course.* MSDE Core of Knowledge: SN 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-722

Supporting Children with Disabilities

MSDE Core of Knowledge: SN 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-720

PROFESSIONALISM ▶

Introduction to Environmental Rating Scales

MSDE Core of Knowledge: Pro 3 hrs, aligns with MD EXCELS Program accreditation standard-quality rating levels 3–5. 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-721

The Child Care Provider as a Professional

MSDE Core of Knowledge: Pro 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-731

Conflict Resolution Strategies

MSDE Core of Knowledge: Pro 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-730

Online Credential Boosters Courses *(continued)*

HEALTH, SAFETY & NUTRITION

Basic Health & Safety Training

MSDE Core of Knowledge: 5 hrs. Health, Safety & Nutrition. 0.5 CEUs. \$79 (includes \$50 in fees*)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-742

Nutrition and Active Living

MSDE Core of Knowledge: HSN 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-719

Pandemics and Outbreaks: Reducing Risks in Childcare

MSDE Core of Knowledge: 5 hours HSN. Refunds issued up until seven days before course start date. 0.5 CEUs. \$79 (includes \$50 in fees*)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-115

Playground Safety

MSDE Core of Knowledge: HSN 3 hrs, 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-729

Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS)

MSDE Core of Knowledge: 3 hrs. HSN. 0.2 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-661

Supporting Breastfeeding in Child Care

**Required Course.* MSDE Core of Knowledge: 3 hrs. HSN. 0.3 CEUs. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Jun 1–Aug 14
ZB-740

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COURSE NOTES

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SUMMER
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OPENS APRIL 14

Trade Occupations, Certifications & Licenses

Trade jobs are growing much faster than average, according to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. Gain real-world experience, professional knowledge, and certifications you need to succeed in your trade.

Becoming a Notary Public

Notaries Public are responsible for carrying out their duties with accuracy and integrity. Individuals seeking to become a Notary Public must complete a course of study and pass an examination before submitting their application. This course outlines the scope of responsibilities and proper procedures involved in performing notarial acts. Please note: This course is intended for informational purposes only and does not constitute legal advice. Upon successful completion, you will receive both a Certificate of Completion and a Certificate of Passing. The course is self-paced and available online 24/7 for a duration of three days. Digital badge eligible (DB). \$79 (includes \$60 in fees*)

■ Jun 15–17

XB-619-6744 (6937)

Online

Certified Logistics Associate (CLA)

The Certified Logistics Associate (CLA) course provides training for material handling and supply chain logistics jobs. You will learn fundamental principles to apply in the global logistics environment, including use of material handling equipment, safety and quality control best practices, and relevant computer systems and applications. Follow this course with the Mid-Level Certified Logistics Technician course to increase your knowledge and expand your skill set. Your course materials and CLA assessment fee are included in the cost of this course. Standard refund policy does not apply. Refunds issued up until seven days before course start date. 3.5 CEUs. \$799 (includes \$350 in fees*)

■ Mon, Wed 5:30–9 p.m., Jun 1–Jul 1

XM-901-1802 (6815)

Online

Certified Logistics Technician (CLT)

The Certified Logistics Technician (CLT) course is the second in a series of courses designed to train you in essential skills for employment in the logistics industry. In this course you will learn best practices for stocking and processing products, shipping, maintaining inventory, handling hazardous materials, evaluating transportation, dispatch, routing and tracking operations. Prerequisite: successful completion of the CLA assessment prior to taking this course. Your course materials and CLT assessment fee are included in the cost of this course. Standard refund policy does not apply. Refunds issued up until seven days before course start date. 3.5 CEUs. \$799 (includes \$350 in fees*)

■ Mon, Wed 5:30–9 p.m., Jul 6–Aug 5

XM-902-1803 (6816)

Online



Need financial assistance to get started?

Scholarships and financial aid may be available for students who meet certain criteria and enroll in career-related noncredit courses. Some aid may have residency requirements.

Email NoncreditFinAid@HowardCC.edu and indicate your program or course of interest. Our financial aid coordinator will be in touch to discuss eligibility and next steps.



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Interested in earning your Class A Commercial Driver's License? Before enrolling, it's critical to determine if this program is right for you. Please call the Rider School at 443-518-4808 or send an email to ride@howardcc.edu to schedule an appointment to review the mandatory program licensure requirements and gain a solid understanding of program expectations. Financial aid and payment plan options are available. Once enrolled in the readiness class, you will need to review these requirements, provide us with a copy of your driver's license and complete a physical exam and drug screen (at student's expense) conducted by a licensed medical examiner, as required by the U.S. Department of Transportation. All requirements must be fulfilled at least five (5) business days prior to the start of the CDL program starting mid-September. \$50 (fee based, no waivers)

■ Aug 3-28

Online

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Join like-minded Howard County residents and become a Master Watershed Steward! Learn how to protect and restore local watersheds while making a lasting impact on your community.

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Certification Classes**

Enroll this fall and be a leader in watershed conservation.

For more information email WorkforceTraining@HowardCC.edu.

Intro to Skilled Trades and Craft Professionalism I 👤

This is the first in a two-part course that will use a nationally recognized training curriculum to prepare individuals for entry-level positions in the skilled trades. Topics to cover include: basic safety, blueprint reading, math skills, hand and power tool use, material handling, employability skills, as well as industry recognized credentials in OSHA, First Aid, and CPR. Must complete both XM-106 and XM-107 to receive completion certificate. 4.8 CEUs. \$750 (includes \$300 in fees*)

■ **Mon, Tue, Thu 5–8 p.m., Jun 1–Jul 6**
XM-106-1800 (6813)

Introduction to Skilled Trades and Craft Professionalism II 👤

This is the second in a two-part course that will use a nationally recognized training curriculum to prepare individuals for entry-level positions in the skilled trades. Topics to cover include: basic safety, blueprint reading, math skills, hand and power tool use, material handling, employability skills, as well as industry recognized credentials in OSHA, First Aid, and CPR. Must complete both XM-106 and XM-107 to receive completion certificate. 4.7 CEUs. \$750 (includes \$300 in fees*)

■ **Mon, Tue, Thu 5–8 p.m., Jul 7–Aug 6**
XM-107-1801 (6814)
■ **Sat 9 a.m.–2 p.m., Aug 8**
XM-107-1801 (6814)



**English is not your
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You can still succeed!**

Join HCC's English for Skilled Trades program at the English Language Center.

- Build your English skills while training for careers in electrical, HVACR, or plumbing
- Enter fields with 250,000+ job openings projected each year through 2034 (*BLS.gov*)

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Build Your Future in Skilled Trades!

No experience? No problem.

HCC's Introduction to Skilled Trades & Craft Professionalism program starts June 2026!

What to Expect in this 2-part course:

- Fundamental knowledge & hands-on skills
- Industry-recognized credentials
- Gain skills & credentials to begin a career in electrical, HVACR, or plumbing—fields with 250,000+ job openings projected every year through 2034 (*BLS.gov*).

Cost: \$1,500

(full & partial financing available)

Take the first step toward a high-demand career with HCC!



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Partner with HCC to build a skilled workforce, enhance employee retention, and access valuable resources.

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Computers & Information Technology (IT)

Strengthen your tech skills and prepare for today's workforce. From computer basics to advanced topics like networking and cybersecurity, our courses support learners at all levels who want to succeed in a technology-driven world.

Computer Basics

Computer Skills for the Office

In this self-paced, online course, you will elevate your Microsoft Office skills through a series of engaging, instructional modules. Video tutorials are paired with knowledge checks, interactive exercises, and games to reinforce learning. Topics include PowerPoint for Business, Visual PowerPoint, Excel Basics, Excel Tips & Tricks, Excel Advanced Skills, and Microsoft Word Basics. Students will receive login instructions by email from MindEdge Learning on the course start date. Access to a computer, internet, and email are required. Basic computer navigation skills are strongly recommended. No refund starting on the sixth day of class. 1.8 CEUs. \$319 (includes \$251 in fees*)

■ Jun 1–Aug 31

XA-130-5094 (6489)

Online

Introduction to ChatGPT

This self-paced, online course introduces the power of Artificial Intelligence through ChatGPT, an app with over 180 million users. Learn how AI tools can enhance your productivity and provide a competitive edge in the workplace. Perfect for anyone seeking to acquire new skills, this course helps you leverage AI to achieve your goals more efficiently. For detailed course information, visit UGotClass.org/Catalog.cfm/HowardCC. Students will receive login instructions by email from UGotClass five days before the course begins. Access to a computer, internet, and an active email address is required. Basic computer navigation skills are strongly recommended. No refund starting on the sixth day of class. 1.6 CEUs. \$195 (includes \$180 in fees*)

■ Jun 1–26

XO-911-4023 (6482)

Online

IT & Cybersecurity Certification

GOOGLE IT SUPPORT PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE

Students must complete the five modules to receive certification. If interested in Google IT certificates, please email WorkforceTraining@HowardCC.edu for more information.

Google IT Support Professional Certificate Module 2 The Bits and Bytes of Computer Networking

This course is the second in the 5-part series leading to the Google IT Support Professional certificate. This course provides an overview of computer networking and covers the fundamentals of modern networking technologies and protocols, an overview of the cloud, practical applications, and network troubleshooting. Course Prerequisite: XA-705. You must complete all five parts to earn the Google IT Support Professional Certificate. No refund seven days prior to course start date. 4.0 CEUs. \$85 (includes \$80 in fees*)

■ Jun 2–Jul 14

XA-706-8002 (5114)

Online

Train for a Career in Google IT

Prepare for an entry-level position in information technology in under six months with the Google IT Support Professional Certificate.

Requirements: basic computer data entry skills and internet access. No degree required. You must take all five modules to earn your certification. Spots are limited.

Visit HowardCC.edu/GoogleIT.

This online program teaches:

- ▶ Troubleshooting
- ▶ Customer Service
- ▶ Security
- ▶ Operating Systems
- ▶ Networking
- ▶ System Administration

Google IT Support Professional Certificate Module 3 Operating Systems and You: Becoming a Power User

This course is the third in the 5-part series leading to the Google IT Support Professional certificate. In this course, through a combination of video lectures, demonstrations, and hands-on practice, you will learn about the main components of an operating system and how to perform critical tasks like managing software and users, and configuring hardware. Course Prerequisites: XA-705 and XA-706. You must complete all five courses to earn the Google IT Support Professional Certificate. No refund seven days prior to course start date. 4.0 CEUs. \$85 (includes \$80 in fees*)

■ Jul 21–Sep 1

XA-707-8003 (5115)

Online

Google IT Support Professional Certificate Module 4 System Administration and IT Infrastructure Services

This course is the fourth in the 5-part series leading to the Google IT Support Professional certificate. Systems administration is the field of IT that's responsible for maintaining reliable computers systems in a multi-user environment. This course will transition you from working on a single computer to an entire fleet, and you'll learn about the infrastructure services that keep all organizations, big and small, up and running. You will deep dive on the cloud, how to manage and configure servers and how to use industry tools to manage computers, user information, and user productivity, and how to recover your organization's IT infrastructure in the event of a disaster. Course Prerequisites: XA-705, XA-706, and XA-707. You must complete all five courses to earn the Google IT Support Professional Certificate. No refund seven days prior to course start date. 4.0 CEUs. \$85 (includes \$80 in fees*)

■ May 26–Jul 7

XA-708-8000 (5116)

Online



Google IT Support Professional Certificate Module 5 IT Security: Defense Against the Digital Dark Arts ▶

This course is the last in the 5-part series leading to the Google IT Support Professional certificate. This course covers IT security concepts, tools, and best practices. It introduces threats and attacks and the many ways they can show up. You will be introduced to encryption algorithms and how they are used to safeguard data, and learn the three A's of information security: authentication, authorization, and accounting. This course will also cover network security solutions, ranging from firewalls to Wi-Fi encryption options. The course puts all these elements together into a comprehensive security architecture, and covers recommendations to create a culture of security in your organization or team. Course Prerequisites: XA-705, XA-706, XA-707, and XA-708. You must complete all five courses to earn the Google IT Support Professional Certificate. No refund seven days prior to course start date. 4.0 CEUs. \$85 (includes \$80 in fees*)

■ Jul 14–Aug 25
XA-709-8001 (5117)

Online



SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR THESE CERTIFICATES!

- Citizen Developer & AI Citizen Developer
- Google IT Support
- Health Information Technology
- IT & Cybersecurity
- Logistics – CLA & CLT
- Networking
- PMP Certification

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Prepare for a Career in Information Technology

HCC offers multiple levels of courses and certifications in networking and cybersecurity to help you start a career in IT.

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Health Care

The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics predicts that nearly 2 million health care jobs will open each year, through 2033. If you are looking to start your career in health care, earn a certification, or would like to transition into another specialization, HCC can help.

Medical Office Skills

Medical Insurance & Billing A-Z Plus

This course is designed to prepare students to perform medical insurance billing in a physician's office, clinic or a similar health care setting. The curriculum will incorporate principles of the ICD-10-CM and ICD-CM/PCS system and how the implementation of this system impacts accurate billing processes and HIPAA compliance with simulated practice using manual and electronic preparation of insurance claims. Topics include: medical/healthcare office management, electronic health records, insurance processing guidelines, entering charges, submitting insurance claims, posting insurance payments, completion and submission of Medicare, Medicaid, and a variety of commercial credentialing applications techniques required to ensure receipt of optimum provider payments, and best collection practices including writing and submitting appeal letters. This course incorporates National Healthcareer Association (NHA) study resources and exam-aligned materials to help enrolled students prepare for their certification examination. Book is not included in the tuition. No refunds will be issued seven days prior to the course start date. Contact NonCreditAlliedHealth@HowardCC.edu for additional information. Digital badge eligible (DB). 10.0 CEUs. \$1,999 (includes \$1,149 in fees*)

■ Jun 7–Aug 2

XH-198-7395 (5077)

Online

Medical Terminology for Health Professionals

NEW!

Medical Terminology provides students with a comprehensive foundation in the language of healthcare, preparing them for careers in nursing, allied health, emergency services, medical office administration, and medical billing and coding. Students learn to interpret, define, and apply medical terms by mastering word parts, anatomical vocabulary, diagnostic language, and terminology related to common diseases and treatments. National Healthcare Association (NHA)-aligned materials are incorporated to support students pursuing NHA recognized pathways and to reinforce industry standard terminology used in both clinical and administrative settings. Through structured weekly modules, students explore terminology across major body systems and learn to interpret medical language in real world patient care and documentation scenarios. This course is especially valuable for students entering medical billing and coding. No refund given seven days prior to start date. Contact NonCreditAlliedHealth@HowardCC.edu for additional information. Digital badge eligible (DB). 6.6 CEUs. \$750 (includes \$500 in fees*)

■ May 26–Jun 23

XH-197-7664 (7063)

Online

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Patient Care

Patient Care Technician

Patient Care Technicians (PCTs) play a vital role in supporting patients and healthcare teams by combining advanced clinical skills with compassionate, hands-on care. This course provides comprehensive instruction in both theory and skill application to prepare students for the expanded responsibilities of the PCT role across a variety of healthcare settings. The curriculum aligns with the National Healthcare Association (NHA) Certified Patient Care Technician (CPCT) standards. Students will build upon foundational Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) skills while receiving additional training in areas such as interdisciplinary communication, respiratory and wound care, urinary and ostomy care, blood glucose and EKG monitoring, and phlebotomy. Emphasis is placed on patient centered communication with the primary nurse, technical proficiency, and efficiency in fast paced clinical environments. Students will also deepen their understanding of anatomy, physiology, and safety protocols, applying these concepts through instructor led skill development and assessment. Professionalism, ethical care, and adaptability to diverse patient needs are woven throughout the curriculum. Upon successful completion of this course, students will meet the minimum requirements to prepare for the CPCT certification exam through the NHA. No refund given seven days prior to start date. Contact NonCreditAlliedHealth@HowardCC.edu for additional information. Digital badge eligible (DB). 9.6 CEUs. \$1,365 (includes \$765 in fees*)

■ Sat 9 a.m.–5 p.m., May 23–Jun 27

XH-653-7605 (5093)

Howard Hall 122

■ Tue 9 a.m.–5 p.m., Jul 14–Aug 18

XH-653-7633 (5094)

Howard Hall 122

Launch Your Health Care Career!

Train for an in-demand healthcare job. Our courses are designed to help you build practical skills and prepare for today's growing healthcare workforce.

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Looking for college credit or a degree? HCC offers courses and programs for degree-seeking students.

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Certified Nursing Assistant: Theory & Clinical

This is a hybrid course. Prepare to function as a nursing assistant in a variety of health care settings. This course has been approved by the Maryland Board of Nursing. CNA provides training in life span development, vital signs, basic patient care skills, etc. Certified Nursing Assistant Theory and Clinical must be successfully completed to receive a certificate. You are eligible to take the State Geriatric Examination. Students must have an American Social Security number, pass a criminal background check, have proof of medical insurance, complete medical forms, be able to read, write and understand basic American English, and be at least 18 years old. (Students without a prior degree or those who have not taken English 121 are required to take the Accuplacer Assessment at the college testing center and score a minimum of 240). No refund seven days prior to the start date. Contact NonCreditAlliedHealth@HowardCC.edu for more information. Book is included in the tuition. 14.5 CEUs. \$1720 (includes \$885 in fees*). Must complete both XH-651 and XH-652 to receive completion certificate. **Digital badge eligible (DB)**. Select Theory and Clinical options A, B, or C.

A

THEORY:

■ Tue 9 a.m.–5 p.m., May 26–Jun 16

XH-651-7654 (5085)

Howard Hall

AND CLINICAL:

■ Mon–Fri Jun 22–26

XH-652-7655 (5090)

On Company Site

B

THEORY:

■ Tue, Thu 5:30–9:30 p.m., Jun 23–Jul 16

XH-651-7600 (5084)

Howard Hall

AND CLINICAL:

■ Mon–Fri Jul 20–24

XH-652-7601 (5089)

On Company Site

C

THEORY:

■ Sat 9 a.m.–5 p.m., Jul 11–Aug 1

XH-651-7415 (5083)

Howard Hall

AND CLINICAL:

■ Mon, Thu, Fri, Sat, Sun Aug 6–10

XH-652-7416 (5088)

On Company Site

CPR: Healthcare Provider

Health care provider students are taught Basic Life Support (BLS) with the most currently available material from the American Heart Association. This course is primarily for health care workers but is also open to the community. Topics cover one- and two-person CPR techniques for adults, infants, and children; barrier device; bag mask; automatic external defibrillation (AED); and airway obstruction management. Upon successful completion of the class, you will receive a card good for two years from the American Heart Association. Fees charged do not represent income to the AHA. Book is included in the tuition. No refund seven days prior to start date. Contact NonCreditAlliedHealth@HowardCC.edu for additional information. Digital badge eligible (DB). 0.7 CEUs. \$110 (includes \$90 in fees*)

■ Sat 9 a.m.–4 p.m., Jun 13

XH-454-7730 (5078)

Hickory Ridge 230

■ Sat 9 a.m.–4 p.m., Jul 11

XH-454-7743 (5079)

Hickory Ridge 230

■ Sat 9 a.m.–4 p.m., Aug 8



XH-454-7744 (5080)

Hickory Ridge 230



GNA Skills & Exam Preparation

This noncredit course is designed for Certified Nursing Assistants (CNAs), student nurses, or individuals with prior nursing education who are preparing to take the Maryland Geriatric Nursing Assistant (GNA) skills and written examination. Participants will engage in a focused review of 23 essential nursing assistant skills—such as hand hygiene, ambulation with transfer belts, and measuring vital signs—through hands-on practice in a supervised lab setting. In addition, the course will cover test-taking strategies to help boost confidence and performance on the written exam. Upon successful completion of the course, students will receive a certificate of achievement and be eligible to take the Maryland GNA examination. This course is ideal for those seeking to refresh their skills, meet certification requirements, or take the next step in their healthcare career. No refund given seven days prior to start date. Contact NonCreditAlliedHealth@HowardCC.edu for additional information. Digital badge eligible (DB). 1.4 CEUs. \$179 (includes \$129 in fees*)

A

- **Jun 16–Jul 2** 
 - XH-141-7672 (6635) Online
- **Fri, Jun 26, 9 a.m.–5 p.m.** 
 - XH-141-7672 (6635) Howard Hall 122

B

- **Aug 6–23** 
 - XH-141-7671 (6634) Online
- **Sun, Aug 16, 9 a.m.–5 p.m.** 
 - XH-141-7671 (6634) Howard Hall 122

Introduction to Dental Assisting and Radiology

This noncredit HYBRID course will teach students entry-level dental assisting job skills when you successfully complete this noncredit course, approved by the Maryland State Board of Dental Examiners. This course is a combination of face-to-face lab practice and online internet instruction, in addition to an 8-hour participation in a dental office shadowing experience. Topics include dental terminology and anatomy, concepts of four-handed dentistry, instrumentation, and treatment of common dental diseases. This course includes 24 hours of dental radiology instruction as required by the Dental Assisting National Board (DANB) for eligibility to sit for the DANB Radiology Health and Safety (RHS) certification exam. Prerequisites: Must be 18 years of age and have a high school diploma/GED. Students without a prior degree or those who have not taken English 121 are required to take the Accuplacer Assessment at the college testing center and score a minimum of 240. Computer and internet access required. You must successfully complete all course requirements to receive a certificate. No refund given seven days prior to start date. Contact NonCreditAlliedHealth@HowardCC.edu for additional information. Book is included in the tuition. Digital badge eligible (DB). 10.0 CEUs. \$2,400 (includes \$1,740 in fees*)

- **Thu 9 a.m.–4 p.m., May 28–Jul 16**
 - XH-195-7360 (5075) Howard Hall 123



Medical Assistant Program

The Medical Assistant program is comprised of three courses designed to prepare you with the knowledge, technical skills, and work habits to pursue an entry-level position in the ambulatory medical field. This program concentrates on helping you acquire knowledge and develop skills in performing laboratory, clinical, and medical office procedures in a physician's office or ambulatory care clinic. This course provides students with the opportunity to take the National Certification exam, Certified Clinical Medical Assistant (CCMA). CCMA is offered through the National Healthcare Association (NHA). The CCMA certifies that someone has the skills to perform both clinical and some administrative tasks on a healthcare setting. This course includes an online component as well as mandatory skills/ lab sessions, and an extensive practical internship. Requirements: high school diploma/GED, you must pass a criminal background check, have a current BLS CPR certificate, and complete health forms required for patient contact. Students must also successfully complete XH-121, XH-122, and XH-123 to receive a certificate. No refund seven days prior to the start date. For more information, please email NonCreditAlliedHealth@HowardCC.edu or call 443-518-4981. 22 CEUs. \$3,655 (includes \$1,670 in fees*)

THEORY:

- **May 12–Jul 30**
 - XH-121-7674 Online

SKILLS:

- **Tue, Thu, 10 a.m.–1 p.m., May 12–Jul 30**
 - XH-122-7675 Howard Hall

INTERNSHIP:

- **Mon–Fri, 8 a.m.–4 p.m., Aug 3–Sep 3**
(The MA Internship will meet for a total of 60 hrs. over four weeks. Weekly schedules are determined between the student and the internship location.)



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Medication Technician 🧑🏻🧑🏻

Advance your healthcare career in just 20 hours. HCC's Medication Technician program prepares students to safely administer medications under nurse supervision. Gain hands-on training, meet Maryland Board of Nursing requirements, and qualify for certification, opening doors to new opportunities in assisted living, home care, and long-term care. To register the applicant must be at least 18 years of age and pass a basic math test and reading comprehension test, and be employed in an assisted living facility / home care setting. No refund given seven days prior to start date. Contact NonCreditAlliedHealth@HowardCC.edu for additional information. Book is included in the tuition. **Digital badge eligible (DB)**. 2.40 CEUs. \$550 (includes \$240 in fees*)

■ Tue, Thu 9 a.m.–3 p.m., Aug 11–20

XH-131-7669 (6632)

Hickory Ridge 228

Mental Health Technician 🧑🏻🧑🏻

Begin a rewarding career in behavioral health in just 40 hours. HCC's Mental Health Technician program prepares you to support patients with compassion, assist with daily care, respond to crises, and communicate effectively. Students must attend a 4-hour Zoom lecture on Tuesdays and a 6-hour-in-person class on Thursday to complete the course. Successful completion qualifies you for the Certified Mental Health Technician exam, opening opportunities in hospitals, residential programs, and community care. No refund given seven days prior to start date. Contact NonCreditAlliedHealth@HowardCC.edu for additional information. Book is included in the tuition. **Digital badge eligible (DB)**. \$1,120 (includes \$500 in fees*)

■ Thu 9 a.m.–3:30 p.m., Jul 14–Aug 6 🧑🏻🧑🏻 Hickory Ridge 228

and Tue 9 a.m.–1 p.m., Jul 14–Aug 6 📺 Online

XH-132-7670 (6633)

Phlebotomy Tech: Theory, Lab, and Externship 🧑🏻🧑🏻

NEW!

This course incorporates National Health career Association (NHA) study resources and exam aligned materials to help enrolled students prepare for their certification examinations. The course prepares students to work as phlebotomy technicians in hospitals, outpatient laboratories, physician offices, and other health care settings as part of the diagnostic care team supporting patient testing and treatment. Students will expand and deepen their skills in safe blood collection and specimen processing, including venipuncture and capillary techniques, infection control, order of draw, specimen handling, quality assurance, and professional communication, while building the clinical readiness required for national certification and entry-level practice. No refund given seven days prior to start date. Contact NonCreditAlliedHealth@HowardCC.edu for additional information. **Digital badge eligible (DB)**. \$1,900 (includes \$1,107 in fees*)

THEORY & LAB: 🧑🏻🧑🏻

■ Mon 9 a.m.–4 p.m., Jun 3–29

XH-220-7697 (7058)

Howard Hall 122 & Online

EXTERNSHIP: 🧑🏻🧑🏻

■ Mon–Fri 9 a.m.–4 p.m., Jun 29–Jul 20

XH-221-7698 (7059)

On Company Site

Registered Behavior Technician 40-Hour Part 1 and Part II 📄 *NEW!*

This continuing education and training course is part of a series designed for entry-level behavioral health workers seeking to become Registered Behavior Technicians (RBT), and completion of 40-Hour Training Parts I and II fulfills the Behavior Analyst Certification Board (BACB) 40-hour education requirement for the RBT certification exam. The course provides comprehensive instruction in data collection and measurement procedures, including continuous and discontinuous measurement, permanent-product recording, graphing, preference assessments, discrimination training, individualized and functional assessment procedures, and skill acquisition planning. Content also includes antecedent modification, differential reinforcement, extinction procedures, and crisis/emergency response strategies. Additional topics address communication and reporting, legal and regulatory requirements, supervision and documentation standards, ethics, professional boundaries, and maintaining client dignity. Contact NonCreditAlliedHealth@howardcc.edu for additional information. Digital badge eligible (DB). This course is provided in partnership with Carroll Community College. 5.8 CEUs. \$900 (includes \$800 in fees*)

PART I:

- **Mon, Tue 6–9:15 p.m., Jun 8–29**
XH-681-7695 (6637)

PART II:

- **Mon, Tue 6–9:15 p.m., Jun 30–Jul 21**
XH-682-7696 (6638)



Health Care Interpreter Program

The Health Care Interpreting Program is comprised of three courses that need to be taken sequentially to earn a certificate of training. You must have a high level of proficiency in English and at least one other language to be able to participate in this class.

In the first course, **Orientation to Health Care Interpreting Training**, you will get an overview of the program components and requirements. The Health Care Interpreter’s standard of practice, roles and functions will also be introduced. You must pass language assessments that aim to gauge your level of proficiency to be invited to take the second course in the series. In the second course, **Interpreting in Health Care**, students will develop the awareness, knowledge, and skills necessary for effective language interpretation in health care settings. Students will learn basic information about common medical conditions, their treatments, and medical procedures. Students will also learn to bridge linguistic and cultural competency between patients and providers. In the third course, **Field Experience in Health Care Interpreting**, students will find their own volunteer opportunities to practice their interpreting skills. They will reflect, analyze, and self-evaluate their performance. **Digital badge eligible (DB).**

Orientation to Health Care Interpreting 📄

- **Aug 10–13**
YE-800-3051 (6887), \$140 Online

Interpreting in Health Care 📄

- **Sat 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m., Sep 5–Dec 12**
YE-801-3052 (6888), \$995 KHH-110

Field Experience in Health Care Interpreting 📄

- **Thu 7–8 p.m. Winter 2027: Jan 28, Feb 25, Mar 18, Apr 29, May 27**
YE-802-3053 (6889), \$155
(Dates and times for additional sessions will vary)



Is English not your first language? No problem!

Apply to the English for CNA program at the English Language Center. Support includes CNA-specific English classes, financial assistance, tutoring, and career guidance.

For information and to apply, visit HowardCC.edu/EnglishForWork.



For more information, visit HowardCC.edu/HCIT or email HCIT@HowardCC.edu.

Receive Hands-On-Training at HCC

Explore HCC's innovative state-of-the-art skills labs.



DENTAL ASSISTING LAB

The Dental Assisting Lab and classroom allows dental assistant students to gain hands-on experience using equipment, materials, and supplies in this realistic dental office learning platform.



MEDICAL ASSISTING LAB

The Medical Assisting Lab provides hands-on instruction to students interested in the accelerated Medical Assisting program. The facility is complete with new state-of-the-art medical equipment, manikins, and supplies including a lab/specimen area, front office, and mock exam rooms.



CNA/PCT LAB

The CNA/PCT Lab provides a hands-on training environment that simulates real patient-care settings found in hospitals, long-term care facilities, and rehabilitation centers, preparing students for the daily responsibilities of Certified Nursing Assistants and Patient Care Technicians.

For more information, including registration for new HYBRID programs, email NoncreditAlliedHealth@HowardCC.edu.



HCC is how you can achieve more.

Classes start soon.

Apply now!



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High School Diploma Programs

Take the first step toward your future with our high school diploma programs—designed to build your skills in math, reading, and writing while preparing you for college, opening doors to better job opportunities, and enhancing your quality of life.

SUMMER CLASSES START MAY 4

Get ready to advance your journey at HCC.



- Earn your high school diploma.
- Prepare for college courses.
- Get ahead in your career.

Master the skills you need for work, life, and more at Howard Community College.

Call 443-518-4919
or visit HowardCC.edu/GED

You must be 18 years or older and officially withdrawn from high school.



See HCC website for campus map at HowardCC.edu/CampusMap.



Howard Community College
Hickory Ridge Building: Room 200
10901 Little Patuxent Parkway,
Columbia, MD 21044

Summer Classes: May 4–Jun. 30 & Jul. 6– Aug. 13

Don't delay — schedule your orientation and placement at HowardCC.edu/GED.

Find Your Path

Earn a high school diploma at HCC in two ways:

- GED® Preparation – Take courses to prepare for four sections of the GED®: language arts, math, science, and social studies.
- National External Diploma Program (NEDP) – Students will work one-on-one at their own pace to demonstrate mastery of high school skills using their knowledge and abilities.

Refresh your knowledge for college, work, or life:

Take our courses to brush up on your skills.

You'll take reading and math placements tests so we can enroll you in only the courses you need.

High School Diploma Programs

GED®

Whether it's been two or 20 years since you were last in a classroom, we have the courses to prepare you for all four subject tests on the GED:

• Language Arts (reading and writing)

The Reasoning Through Language Arts test prepares students to read, interpret, and analyze articles, essays, manuals, and stories. Students also have to write a persuasive essay based on two readings. Our sequence of language arts courses will guide students to learn and practice all of these skills.

• Math

The Mathematical Reasoning test asks students about decimals, fractions, percentages, algebra, inequalities, graphs, geometry, and statistics. Students will build their confidence and skills in our sequence of math courses. We hope that our students will love math by the time they are ready to take the test!

• Social Studies

The Social Studies test asks students to apply concepts of American history, read and interpret historical graphs, and analyze events and arguments in historical writing. Students don't need to memorize capitals of countries or dates for the test! Our GED Prep course has students covered.

• Science

The Science test asks students to apply concepts from science, read and interpret scientific graphs and charts, and analyze and interpret scientific writing. Like the social studies test, the science test is not about memorization, and our GED Prep course will get students ready!

If you are eligible, some courses can be taken to refresh your academic skills without getting a GED. Ask us how!

For detailed descriptions and to get started, visit HowardCC.edu/GED.

¡Disponibile este otoño!

Obtenga su diploma de escuela secundaria en español en Howard Community College.

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- Horarios flexibles
- Programa asequible

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National External Diploma Program



Have you ever opened a bank account? Comparison shopped? Researched online? Then the NEDP program might be for you. The NEDP program enrolls year-round—so don't wait.

To learn more or get started, please visit HowardCC.edu/NEDP



Inclusive Learning Programs

At the "core" of HCC's Inclusive Learning Programs are the **College Opportunities for Real-life Engagement (CORE)** courses. For over two decades, adults with developmental disabilities in the CORE courses have developed skills for independent living by exploring practical topics in a college classroom setting. Students develop a community of friends while maintaining math and literacy skills in a supportive and welcoming environment. All prospective students can call or email for additional information or to schedule an eligibility interview.

New programs launching Fall 2026!

For detailed descriptions and pricing, visit HowardCC.edu/ILP.



For registration information, please email ILP@HowardCC.edu.

English Language Programs

Over 2,000 students from 80 different countries have decided that HCC is their place to learn English. Whether learning English is a personal goal or an employment necessity, HCC's English Language Center can help you.



The English Language Center (ELC) offers a variety of classes that allow you to learn and improve your English according to your schedule and needs.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

- Students must be 16 or older to register.
- All students pay the listed prices. Fees are not eligible for waiver.
- Out-of-county fee is \$10 and out-of-state fee is \$20.
- Only ages 60+ are eligible for tuition waiver.
- Books are included in the tuition unless otherwise noted.
- All refund or transfer requests must be in person or emailed to ELC@HowardCC.edu. Visit HowardCC.edu/ELC/Refund for refund policy.

College Closings (No Classes):

- May 25 (Memorial Day)
- Jun 19 (Juneteenth Day)
- Jul 3 and 4 (In observance of Independence Day)

Need Help?
Visit HowardCC.edu/ELC
or email ELC@HowardCC.edu.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

Most of our classes are in-person. To register, come to the Hickory Ridge Building at Howard Community College on one of the dates and times listed below:



Apr 28	Tuesday	5:30–6:30 p.m.
May 1	Friday	10–11 a.m.
May 6	Wednesday	5:30–6:30 p.m.
Jun 23	Tuesday	5:30–6:30 p.m.
Jun 25	Thursday	5:30–6:30 p.m.
Jun 30	Tuesday	5:30–6:30 p.m.

To register online, visit HowardCC.edu/ELC/OnlineRegistration for instructions.

Award-Winning Full-Time English Program

Our **English Institute (EI)** is a program for students who want to study full-time. We offer SEVP-compliant courses for F1 visa students. Receive special advising and support from our experienced staff and take part in many exciting activities. Visit HowardCC.edu/EI or email EI@HowardCC.edu for more information about this fast-track English program.

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-  [ELCatHowardCC](https://www.facebook.com/ELCatHowardCC)
-  [ELCatHowardCC](https://www.instagram.com/ELCatHowardCC)

SUMMER I ESL CLASSES MAY 11—JUNE 25

Daytime Classes: May 11–June 11


Evening Classes: May 11–June 25

No Classes: May 25 (Memorial Day), June 19 (Juneteenth)

Comprehensive Classes

Pre-Beginning Comprehensive A

Learn everyday, practical English and develop skills in listening, speaking, reading, writing, and grammar. Free tuition; \$60 materials fee.

- **Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu 9 a.m.–12:15 p.m. May 11–Jun 11** 


Life Skills English Pre-Beginning A/B

This is a class for students who speak no English. Learn basic words and grammar to help adapt to life in the U.S. Free tuition; \$60 materials fee.

- **Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu 7–9:10 p.m. May 11–Jun 25 (A/B)** 



Everyday English 1A

Improve the English skills needed for everyday life and work in this course for beginning students. Free tuition; \$60 materials fee.

- **Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu 7–9:10 p.m. May 11–Jun 25** 

English 1A–5A

Improve all your English skills in one intensive class: listening, speaking, reading, writing, pronunciation, and grammar. The curriculum in all the classes is academic and challenging yet very practical. These classes are perfect if you are preparing for college study or need better English skills for your job or personal use. Content and complexity increase with each level. \$290.

- **Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu 12:30–2:45 p.m. May 11–Jun 11** 
- **Mon, Wed 6:30–9:30 p.m. May 11–Jun 24** 

Listening and Speaking Classes

Learn to use correct spoken English in everyday conversations. Develop confidence while you practice listening and speaking in an interactive, fun environment. Improve your pronunciation and expand vocabulary daily by learning and using new words and expressions. You will practice new vocabulary through repetition, group and pair work, and pronunciation exercises. Content and complexity increase with each level. \$290.

Intensive Listening and Speaking 1A–5A

■ Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu 9:30–11:45 a.m. May 11–Jun 11 🧑🧑

Grammar Skills Classes

Learn important grammar topics and practice using them in listening, speaking, reading, and writing. Do activities, submit recordings and writings, and get feedback from your teacher. This class is entirely online and does not have scheduled Zoom meetings. Study on your own time and at your own pace. Content and complexity increase with each level. This is a 6–week online course. \$250.

Intro to Fundamental Grammar Skills (Level 2)

Fundamental Grammar Skills (Level 3)

Intermediate Grammar Skills (Level 4)

Intro to Advanced Grammar Skills (Level 5)

Advanced Grammar Skills (Level 6)

■ May 11–Jun 26 ▶

Career and Professional English Classes

English for Workplace Success (Level 3 & 4)

Improve your English to help start or advance your career in the United States. In this class, you will strengthen your reading, writing, listening, speaking, and grammar skills while focusing on workplace activities and learning about U.S. work culture. You will also develop a resume, learn interviewing skills, and explore career resources. Free tuition; \$60 materials fee.

■ Mon, Wed 6:30–8:30pm. May 11–Jun 24 📅

English for CNA (Level 3+)

****Application Required****

Improve your English while preparing to become a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA). In this class, you will learn the vocabulary and English skills needed to be successful as a CNA. This course is designed to support students taking CNA training courses at HCC, which have additional costs. Free tuition; \$60 materials fee.

■ Mon, Wed 5:30–8 p.m. May 11–Jul 15 🧑🧑

Six Steps to Clearer Pronunciation (Level 4+)

Professional English Certificate

Practice pronunciation in the comfort of your own home, anywhere in the world! Your HCC ELC instructor will guide you through six detailed video lessons, with exercises to practice on your own. Record yourself with easy-to-use technology, and your instructor will respond privately to you with feedback and suggestions. A webcam with a microphone is required. \$300.

■ May 11–Jun 26 ▶

Business Idioms (Level 5+)

Professional English Certificate

Idioms are everywhere in the American workplace. If you do not use these commonly spoken phrases, you may sound formal and stiff to colleagues and clients. In this interactive class, you will “roll up your sleeves” and learn how to use the most common idioms and respond confidently when you hear them in conversation or see them in writing. \$300.

■ May 11–Jun 26 ▶

Professional Writing (Level 5+)

Professional English Certificate

This advanced-level ESL writing course will prepare professionals for business and professional writing. Work on various types of professional writing such as e-mail correspondence, conventions, memos, short reports, summaries, business letters, cover letters, and resumes. Vocabulary and grammar will be covered as well. Basic computer skills are required. \$300.

■ May 11–Jun 26 ▶

SUMMER II ESL CLASSES JULY 6–AUGUST 20

Daytime Classes: July 6–August 6

Evening Classes: July 6–August 20

Day and afternoon classes will be in the Duncan Hall Building.

Evening classes will be in the Hickory Ridge Building.

Comprehensive Classes

Pre-Beginning Comprehensive B

Learn every day, practical English and develop skills in listening, speaking, reading, writing, and grammar. Free tuition; \$60 materials fee.

■ Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu 9 a.m.–12:15 p.m. Jul 6–Aug 6 🧑🧑

Life Skills English Pre-Beginning A/B

This is a class for students who speak no English. Learn basic words and grammar to help adapt to life in the U.S. Free tuition; \$60 materials fee.

■ Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu 7–9:10 p.m. Jul 6–Aug 20 🧑🧑

Everyday English 1B

Improve the English skills needed for everyday life and work in this course for beginning students. Free tuition; \$60 materials fee.

■ Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu 7–9:10 p.m. Jul 6–Aug 20 🧑🧑



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Professional English Certificate



Build your written and oral communication skills while gaining valuable knowledge to succeed in the workplace.

Earn a noncredit **Professional English certificate** by completing at least three Professional English classes within 18 months.

For more information, visit HowardCC.edu/ProfessionalEnglish or email EnglishForCareers@HowardCC.edu.

English 1B–5B

Improve all your English skills in one intensive class: listening, speaking, reading, writing, pronunciation, and grammar. The curriculum in all the classes is academic and challenging yet very practical. These classes are perfect if you are preparing for college study or need better English skills for your job or personal use. Content and complexity increase with each level. \$290.

- Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu 12:30–2:40 p.m. Jul 6–Aug 6
- Mon, Wed 6:30–9:30 p.m. Jul 6–Aug 19

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- Advanced Grammar Skills (Level 6)**

- Jul 6–Aug 21

Professional English Classes

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- Jul 6–Aug 21

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- Jul 6–Aug 21

Professional Writing (Level 5+) **Professional English Certificate**

This advanced-level ESL writing course will prepare professionals for business and professional writing. Work on various types of professional writing such as e-mail correspondence, conventions, memos, short reports, summaries, business letters, cover letters, and resumes. Vocabulary and grammar will be covered as well. Basic computer skills are required. \$300.

- Jul 6–Aug 21

Grammar for Business (Level 5+) **Professional English Certificate**

This class will focus on grammar that is needed and used by business professionals. All the grammar points are taught using actual business scenarios. Lessons will focus on both written and spoken language. \$300.

- Mon, Wed 6:30–8:30 p.m. Jul 6–Aug 19

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- **Get an F1 Visa for Language Training** – Full-time intensive English program for international and U.S. resident students.
- **Improve Your English** – ESL classes for students who want to improve their English skills for everyday life, work, and academics.
- **Learn Business & Professional English Skills** – Classes for advanced-level students aiming to understand U.S. work culture and enhance their workplace English skills.



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World Languages and Culture

Experience the world by studying another language. Whether learning a language is a personal goal or a professional necessity, HCC's noncredit language courses can help.

Summer Personal Enrichment Language Courses

ALL WORLD LANGUAGE CLASSES ARE ELIGIBLE FOR DIGITAL BADGES (DB).

ASL Conversation

In this mixed-level continuing education course, students will learn and practice key signs and grammar structures needed for basic conversations. It is recommended that students have some prior experience with American Sign Language before enrolling. \$160 (includes \$70 in fees*)

■ **Tue 6–8 p.m., Jun 23–Aug 11**
YL-310-3800 (6716) Hickory Ridge

American Sign Language Storytelling

This course introduces students to the rich tradition of storytelling in American Sign Language (ASL). Through hands-on practice and guided instruction, students explore how stories are constructed and performed using visual language features such as facial expressions, body movement, role shifting, classifiers, and spatial organization. Students will analyze and practice a variety of ASL storytelling genres, including personal narratives, cultural stories, and short folk tales. Emphasis is placed on visual clarity, expressive signing, and audience engagement rather than spoken or written English translation. Cultural norms and storytelling conventions within the Deaf community are also introduced. This course is appropriate for students with basic ASL skills who wish to improve fluency, confidence, and expressive range in ASL through creative and communicative storytelling. It is recommended that students have some prior experience with the language before enrolling. There is no required textbook for this course. \$160 (includes \$70 in fees*)

■ **Thu 6–8 p.m., Jun 25–Aug 13**
YL-318-3809 (6724) Hickory Ridge

French Conversation

In this mixed-level continuing education course, students will learn and practice vocabulary and grammar structures needed for basic conversations. It is recommended that students have some prior experience with the fundamentals of the French language and already know some basic phrases before enrolling. \$160 (includes \$70 in fees*)

■ **Thu 6–8 p.m., Jun 25–Aug 13**
YL-315-3807 (6722) Hickory Ridge

German Conversation

In this mixed-level continuing education course, students will learn and practice vocabulary and grammar structures needed for basic conversations. It is recommended that students have some prior experience with the fundamentals of the German language and already know some basic phrases before enrolling. \$160 (includes \$70 in fees*)

■ **Tue 6–8 p.m., Jun 23–Aug 11** *(No class Jul 29)*
YL-313-3803 (6719) Hickory Ridge

Italian Conversation

In this mixed-level continuing education course, students will learn and practice vocabulary and grammar structures needed for basic conversations. It is recommended that students have some prior experience with the fundamentals of the Italian language and already know some basic phrases before enrolling. \$160 (includes \$70 in fees*)

■ **Tue 6–8 p.m., Jun 23–Aug 11**
YL-311-3801 (6717) Hickory Ridge

Japanese Conversation

In this mixed-level continuing education course, students will learn and practice vocabulary and grammar structures needed for basic conversations. It is recommended that students already have some experience with Hiragana and/or Katakana and know some basic phrases before enrolling. \$160 (includes \$70 in fees*)

■ **Tue 6–8 p.m., Jun 23–Aug 11**
YL-316-3808 (6723) Hickory Ridge

Korean Conversation

In this mixed-level continuing education course, students will learn and practice vocabulary and grammar structures needed for basic conversations. It is recommended that students already know some Hangul and basic phrases before enrolling. \$160 (includes \$70 in fees*)

■ **Thu 6–8 p.m., Jun 25–Aug 13**
YL-312-3802 (6718) Hickory Ridge

Mandarin Chinese Conversation

In this continuing education course, students will learn key vocabulary and basic grammar structures while building the speaking and listening skills needed for everyday conversations in Mandarin Chinese. It is recommended that students have some prior experience with the language before enrolling. There is no required textbook for this course. \$160 (includes \$70 in fees*)

■ **Thu 6–8 p.m., Jun 25–Aug 13**
YL-319-3810 (6725) Hickory Ridge

Travel and Learn

Experience Ecuador

Summer language and cultural immersion experience in Ecuador. See page 2 for more information.

■ **Jul 17–26**
YL-900-3805 (6024)

Explore Senegal **NEW!**

Fall 2026 cultural immersion experience in Senegal. See page 2 for more information.

■ **Nov 6–15**
YL-904-3828 (7092)

Spanish Conversation 👤👤

In this mixed-level continuing education course, students will learn and practice vocabulary and grammar structures needed for basic conversations. It is recommended that students have some prior experience with the fundamentals of the Spanish language and already know some basic phrases before enrolling. \$160 (includes \$70 in fees*)

- **Tue 6–8 p.m., Jun 23–Aug 11**
YL-314-3804 (6720) Hickory Ridge
- **Thu 6–8 p.m., Jun 25–Aug 13**
YL-314-3806 (6721) Hickory Ridge

Spanish for Travelers I 👤👤

In this continuing education course, you will learn practical vocabulary, expressions, and cultural tips that will prepare you for getting around Spanish-speaking countries. This is one part of a two-part course. \$100 (includes \$70 in fees*)

- **Tue 6–8 p.m., Jun 16–Jul 14**
YL-416-3811 (6726) Hickory Ridge

Intensive Language Courses ▶

Intensive languages courses help you improve your ability to communicate in a new language by applying the four language skills—listening, speaking, writing, and reading. They are co-enrolled with credit language classes and offered only in a Flexible Online format during the summer. Check out our website or email WCCELanguages@HowardCC.edu for more information. \$350 (includes \$100 in fees)

Elementary American Sign Language I

- **Jun 1–Aug 8**
YL-519-3821 (6785)
- **Jun 1–Aug 8**
YL-519-3822 (6786)
- **Jun 1–Aug 8**
YL-519-3823 (6787)

Foundational Arabic I

- **Jun 5–Jul 25**
YL-500-3812 (6776)

Foundational Arabic II

- **Jun 5–Jul 25**
YL-501-3813 (6777)

Foundational Mandarin Chinese I

- **Jun 5–Jul 25**
YL-508-3814 (6778)

Foundational Mandarin Chinese II

- **Jun 5–Jul 25**
YL-509-3815 (6779)

Foundational Spanish I

- **Jun 5–Jul 25**
YL-512-3816 (6780)
- **Jun 5–Jul 25**
YL-512-3817 (6781)
- **Jun 5–Jul 25**
YL-512-3818 (6782)

Foundational Spanish II

- **Jun 5–Jul 25**
YL-513-3819 (6783)
- **Jun 5–Jul 25**
YL-513-3820 (6784)

Intermediate Mandarin Chinese I

- **Jun 5–Jul 25**
YL-608-3824 (6788)

Intermediate Spanish I


- **Jun 5–Jul 25**
YL-611-3825 (6789)
- **Jun 5–Jul 25**
YL-611-3826 (6790)
- **Jun 5–Jul 25**
YL-611-3827 (6791)



Check out our website for more information and the most up-to-date course listings! HowardCC.edu/WCCELanguages.

SCAN THE CODE to review a complete listing of world language courses.





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Kids on Campus

Dive into a world of discovery with Kids on Campus! We offer a wide variety of classes to help young students ages 6 to 17 gain confidence, discover new passions, and get an academic boost, all while making friends and having fun.

Test Preparation

Preparation for the SAT **👤👤**

Ages 15+. This updated course will prepare students for both the verbal and math sections of the SAT. Verbal preparation includes interpreting the meanings of relevant words and phrases in context, using close reading to increase comprehension, and identifying central ideas and themes of a text. Math preparation includes mastery of linear expressions, creating and solving equations, using ratios, percentages and units, problem solving, and data analysis. Students should have completed Algebra II. Test taking tips will be covered. This class uses practice tests and exercises to simulate a test-taking environment. Students must bring a calculator. This course is for high school students. 2 weeks. \$409 (includes \$100 in fees*)

- **Mon–Fri 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m., Jul 6–17**
XK-132-1374 (0038) Hickory Ridge 242
- **Mon–Fri 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m., Jul 20–31**
XK-132-1359 (0037) Hickory Ridge 242

Preparation for the SAT Math Test **👤👤**

Ages 15+. If you are taking the SAT and only need preparation in the math section, you should take this updated course. Math preparation includes multi-step problems with applications in science, social science, career scenarios, and other real-life contexts. Students should have completed Algebra II. Test taking tips will be included. The class simulates a test-taking environment with practice tests and exercises. You must bring a calculator. This course is for high school students. 1 week. \$295 (includes \$119 in fees*)

- **Mon–Fri 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m., Jul 13–17**
XK-133-1580 (6149) Hickory Ridge 242
- **Mon–Fri 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m., Jul 27–31**
XK-133-1581 (6150) Hickory Ridge 242



HOWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE

40TH KIDS ON CAMPUS ANNIVERSARY

**Summer 2026
Registration is open.**

Preparation for the SAT Verbal Test **👤👤**

Ages 15+. If you are taking the SAT and only need preparation in the verbal section, you should take this updated course. Verbal preparation includes vocabulary and reading comprehension such as understanding the author's message, rhetoric, synthesis, and understanding relationships in passages. Test taking tips will be included. The class simulates a test-taking environment with practice tests and exercises. This course is for high school students. 1 week. \$295 (includes \$119 in fees*)

- **Mon–Fri 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m., Jul 6–10**
XK-547-1582 (6151) Hickory Ridge 242
- **Mon–Fri 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m., Jul 20–24**
XK-547-1583 (6152) Hickory Ridge 242



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- 🗣️ Amazing! Love that it is truly educational, but so much fun! Perfect for kids as they grow up.
- 🗣️ My child pours over the catalog debating which courses, paring down the options until they make the final choices.
- 🗣️ My son absolutely loved the Drummin' Dragons class! He was so excited to go back each day! The instructor was amazing! He sent email updates to let us know about the fun activities they were doing each day.



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- Recharge & Reset: Building Your Mental Wellness Toolbox
- The Next Step: College & Career Prep



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- Edible Masterpieces: Food Art for Kids
- Piano Academy for Beginners



Become an Enthusiast

- Auto Basics
- Wickedly Inspired
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Personal Enrichment

Designed for the lifelong learner, our Personal Enrichment courses offer an opportunity to expand your knowledge, explore new interests, and enhance your well-being. From creative arts and culinary studies to history, music, and wellness, our courses support personal growth at every stage of life.

IN THIS BROCHURE AND ONLINE,

Personal Enrichment classes are organized by topic to help adult learners of all ages find the classes they are looking for quickly. Maryland residents ages 60+ may be eligible for a tuition waiver for some courses (fees are not eligible for waiver). XE courses are ineligible for waiver; please refer to the notations in the legend.



Creative Arts

Advanced Beginner Quilting **👤👤** *NEW!*

Embrace the math of quilting. Students learn to design quilt blocks and identify elements of traditional blocks while mastering techniques such as half- and quarter-square triangles, foundation paper piecing, and classic patchwork. Instruction covers block construction through finishing a small quilt. Students must provide a sewing machine. Prerequisite: beginning quilting or basic sewing experience. Instructor: June Piper-Brandon. (S) \$179** (includes \$50 in fees)

- **Sat 9–11 a.m., Jun 13–Aug 15** (No class Jun 27 and Jul 4)
XE-446-6446 (6625) Hickory Ridge 328

Color & Canvas: Introduction to Acrylics **👤👤** *NEW!*

This course introduces the fundamentals of acrylic painting, focusing on creativity, technique, and personal expression. Students explore color theory, brushwork, texture, composition, and perspective while learning layering, blending, and surface preparation. Guided projects build confidence and help students develop a personal painting style. Instructor: Anne Rickert. (S) \$139** (includes \$50 in fees*)

- **Mon 6:30–8:30 p.m., Jun 8–Jul 20**
XE-627-6270 (6951) Horowitz Arts Center 245

Digital Camera Basics Workshop **👤👤**

Start from the very beginning! Students will gain hands-on experience with their cameras as they learn digital camera operation and photographic principles. Class includes a discussion of basic composition principles. Bring a digital camera (charged or with fresh batteries), and its manual to class. Instructor: Walter Calahan. Enroll early; class size limited to 12. \$119** (includes \$50 in fees*)

- **Sat 9:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m., Aug 8–15**
XE-448-6448 (6107) Horowitz Arts Center 165

Drawing Fundamentals **👤👤**

Learn the fundamentals of drawing through observation-based exercises designed to build confidence and technical skill. Explore line, shape, value, proportion, and composition while working with graphite, charcoal, and other dry media. No prior experience necessary, just a willingness to experiment and enjoy the process of learning to see and draw with greater accuracy. Instructor: Damon Hurbon. (S) \$139** (includes \$50 in fees*)

- **Tue, Thu 6:30–8:30 p.m., Jun 9–25**
XE-641-6641 (6611) Horowitz Arts Center 235

Drawing Techniques: Colored Pencils **👤👤**

Almost everyone has some childhood experience using colored pencils, but how do artists elevate this implement from mere coloring tool to a fine art medium? Learn how to use colored pencils to show blending, value, dimension, and complex color in everything from adult coloring books to original works of art! All levels of experience welcome! Students must purchase course materials at an estimated cost of \$30. Instructor: Kara LaRose. (S) \$139** (includes \$50 in fees*)

- **Wed 7–9 p.m., Jul 8–Aug 5**
XE-215-6492 (6101) Hickory Ridge 154

Easy Weaving: Create a Lap Blanket Using a Pin Loom **👤👤** *NEW!*

Enjoy creating a lap blanket with a pin loom, a weaving technique that can be used to make many other products such as blankets, purses, scarves, wall hangings, and more. Pin loom, needle and one skein of yarn will be provided. Students are welcome to bring yarn from home. ALL LEVELS WELCOME! Instructor: Beverly Polk (S) \$89** (includes \$50 in fees*)

- **Thu 10 a.m.–12 p.m., Jul 9–23**
XE-122-6122 (6628) Ellicott City 50+ Ctr

From Selfie to Self-Expression: Cell Phone and Tablet Photography **👤👤**

Optimize the use of your smart phone camera. Move beyond a quick snapshot to create memorable images as you learn various aspects of digital photography: exposure, focus, panorama, and high dynamic range. Experiment with composition and editing to enhance images. Bring a smart phone (Apple or Android). Instructor: Walter Calahan. \$99** (includes \$50 in fees*)

- **Sat 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m., Jul 11–18**
XE-347-6807 (6102) Horowitz Arts Center 165

Introduction to Oil Painting **👤👤** *NEW!*

Explore the fundamentals of oil painting through time-tested classical methods. This course welcomes adults of all skill levels, from beginners to experienced artists, and focuses on materials, color mixing, composition, and traditional techniques to build confidence, control, and expressive skill in oil paint. Instructor: Damon Hurbon. (S) \$139** (includes \$50 in fees*)

- **Tue, Thu 6:30–8:30 p.m., Jul 7–23**
XE-662-6662 (6624) Horowitz Arts Center 245

Portraits in Cloth **NEW**

Faces are fascinating, and artists have created portraits for millennia. They have used charcoal, graphite, oil paint, watercolor, acrylic and more. In this class, we will use thread and cloth as our media of choice. We will explore the work of contemporary textile portraitists while we develop our own renderings of people and animals, real and imagined. Instructor: Cynthia Gossage. (S) \$139** (includes \$50 in fees*)

■ **Tue 6:30–8:30 p.m., Jun 2–Jul 7**
XE-672-6672 (6615) Hickory Ridge 328

Pottery: Form, Function, and Design

Pottery courses are offered at two levels. Monday class is for beginners. Discover new techniques to shape beautiful creations. Learn about glazing, hand building and advanced decorating methods. This is not a wheel class. Materials fee covers clay, paints, tools, and glazes. Students are responsible for purchasing additional materials, if desired. Class is nine weeks. Enrollment limited, please register early. (S) \$179** (includes \$159 in fees*)

■ **Mon, Wed 5:15–7:15 p.m., Jun 8–Jul 13**
(No class Jun 29 and Jul 1)
XI-655-6316 (6122) Bain 50+ Center



Quick and Easy Fleece Crochet Blankets **NEW**

In this cozy, creativity-focused course, students learn how to transform fleece fabric into beautiful, personalized blankets using decorative crochet edging. After learning foundational techniques in weeks 1–2, students explore a new edging pattern each week, building confidence and creative expression. No prior crochet experience required, though it is helpful. Instructor: Londa Scott Forte. (S) \$89** (includes \$50 in fees*)

■ **Thu 6–7:30 p.m., Jul 23–Aug 13**
XE-372-6732 (7062) Hickory Ridge 328

Sewing: Shorts **NEW**

Learn to sew comfortable, stylish summer shorts from start to finish. Students will follow a basic pattern, practice accurate measuring and cutting, and learn construction techniques including seams, waistbands, and hems. Emphasis is on fit and finishing. Students must bring their own sewing machine. Instructor: June Piper-Brandon. (S) \$119** (includes \$50 in fees*)

■ **Wed 6–9 p.m., Jun 10–24**
XE-472-6173 (6798) Hickory Ridge 328

Sewing: Summer Sundress **NEW**

Learn to sew a cute, comfortable summer dress from start to finish. Students will measure their bodies, select patterns and fabrics, lay out and cut pieces, and sew darts and seams. Build skills and confidence to create a dress you'll want to make again. Students need to bring a sewing machine. Instructor: June Piper-Brandon. (S) \$129** (includes \$50 in fees*)

■ **Wed 6–8 p.m., Jul 7–Aug 5**
XE-267-6267 (6627) Hickory Ridge 328

Three-Dimensional Design **NEW**

This course encourages students to imagine and explore beyond the two-dimensional concepts of length and width on a flat surface. We will introduce new materials to manipulate and create constructions that stand up and can be viewed from all sides. This is a hands-on course, and is not a computer design or CAD course. Instructor: Pat Flaherty. (S) \$119** (includes \$50 in fees*)

■ **Wed 10 a.m.–12 p.m., Jul 8–Aug 12**
XE-737-6737 (6626) Ellicott City 50+ Ctr



ADULT PIANO RETREAT

Calling all intermediate and advanced adult pianists!

- Connect with a community of piano enthusiasts.
- Get fresh ideas in the art of piano playing.
- Be inspired through classes, lessons, and performance.
- Master the keys in a week-long experience at the Music Institute.

June 8–14

See course listing on page 36 for more details.

History & Social Sciences

Discovering Dog DNA 📺 *NEW!*

Discover how DNA is used to study dog ancestry, health, and traits. Learn how the Dog Genome Project advances understanding of inherited conditions in both dogs and humans. Explore applications including veterinary care, responsible breeding, and medical advances. Examine the science behind direct-to-consumer dog DNA tests such as Embark and Wisdom Panel. Instructor: Janice Weinberger. \$129** (includes \$50 in fees*)

■ **Wed 7–9 p.m., Jun 17–Jul 15**
XE-483-6483 (6620)

Online

Literature & Writing

Having Your Say...Finally: An Obituary Workshop 👤👤

Why should you write your own obituary? Because no one knows you better than you do. Only you can truly capture who you are and how you wish to be remembered. You hold the full story—your triumphs, your missteps, and everything in between. Writing your own obituary not only ensures accuracy but also serves as a meaningful resource for future generations researching their family history. It can even double as the memoir you never got around to writing. Instructor: Hazel Domangue. \$55** (includes \$50 in fees*)

■ **Thu 9 a.m.–12 p.m., Aug 6**
XE-307-6105 (6463) Ellicott City 50+ Ctr

■ **Thu 9 a.m.–12 p.m., Aug 20**
XE-307-6100 (6462) East Columbia 50+ Center

Memoir Writing Workshop for Seniors and U.S. Veterans 👤👤

Share important events and memories from your own life in this writing workshop. Brainstorm and capture ideas and vivid details to create an engaging story. Instructor will support students with feedback and editing during the writing process. This class is designed to help students over 50 and veterans find their voice, clarify ideas, and write about inspirational and challenging moments to share with others. Instructor: Hazel Domangue. \$149** (includes \$50 in fees*)


■ **Wed 9 a.m.–12 p.m., Jul 8–Aug 5** (No class Jul 2)
XE-408-6072 (6104) Ellicott City 50+ Ctr

The Fiction Writing Workshop 📺


A solid introduction to the genres, forms, and elements of fiction with an emphasis on writing for the commercial marketplace. Students will learn character, conflict, arc, plot, three-act structure, beats, scenes, setting, dialogue, and more. Students will write a short story for group critique. Instructor: Julie Castillo. \$129 (includes \$85 in fees*)

■ **Tue 9–11:30 a.m., Jul 7–28**
XI-423-6423 (6467)

Online



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Music

Adult Piano Retreat: Mastering the Keys 👤👤 *NEW!*

Connect with a community of piano enthusiasts in a specially designed experience for intermediate and advanced pianists. Get fresh ideas in lectures on refining your technique, musical interpretation, and efficient practice habits during this inspirational week that goes beyond the surface to the art of piano playing. Bring solo or duet pieces that you want to develop through individual lessons, rehearsal, and performance. There will be a final recital in Monteabaro Recital Hall on Sunday, June 14. Bring or buy lunch for the one-hour midday break. \$575** (includes \$50 in fees*)

■ **Mon–Fri 9 a.m.–4 p.m., Jun 8–12**
XE-503-1668 (6913) Horowitz Arts Center 150

■ **Sat, Sun 1–3 p.m., Jun 13–14**
XE-503-1668 (6913) Monteabaro Recital Hall

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Wellness & Lifestyle

Advanced T'ai Chi 22

Advanced T'ai Chi is designed for seasoned practitioners seeking to deepen their practice. This class offers a dynamic blend of advanced forms, intricate movements and refined techniques. Students will cultivate their internal strength, enhance balance, and refine the mind-body connection. Instructor: David Foulk. \$89** (includes \$50 in fees*)

- **Sat 10:15–11:15 a.m., Jul 11–Aug 15**
XE-844-6343 (6117) Kahlert Complex 001

American Mah Jongg 22

American Mah Jongg is a fun and challenging four player game that provides great mental stimulation along with positive social interaction. This beginner to intermediate class will cover National Mah Jongg rules and fundamentals of this rummy-like game that is played with tiles rather than cards. American Mah Jongg sets will be available, and a current Mah Jongg card will be provided for each student. Instructor: Bernadette Preston. \$119** (includes \$65 in fees*)

- **Thu 6:30–8:30 p.m., Jun 4–25**
XE-404-6283 (6103) Hickory Ridge 108

Community Yoga 22

Yoga can be accessible to everyone. Learn to develop balance, strength, flexibility, and focus. Weekly classes guide you through beginner poses, methods of meditation, breathwork technique, and how to be more mindful in your day. Students will take with them the knowledge to create a home-based full body practice that may help relieve aches and pains while easing stress and anxiety. All levels welcome. Instructor: Elena Cuomo. \$125** (includes \$50 in fees*)

- **Wed 6:15–7:15 p.m., Jun 10–Jul 22** (No class Jul 1)
XE-414-6748 (6105) Kahlert Complex 001



Qigong 22

This course focuses on gentle movement, posture alignment, breath regulation, and mindful relaxation to restore balance and optimize vital energy (qi). Rooted in traditional Chinese medicine, this practice promotes harmony of mind and body, reduces stress, enhances self-healing, and strengthens overall health and vitality. Instructor: David Foulk. \$89** (includes \$50 in fees*)

- **Fri 9–10 a.m., Jul 10–Aug 14**
XE-435-6530 (6106) Kahlert Complex 001

T'ai Chi 22

Discover t'ai chi, a form of active meditation that promotes calming, centering, and self-control. Instructor David Foulk introduces you to this practice consisting of carefully coordinated, slow, natural movements proven to strengthen your body and mind. When the chi flows in a balanced fashion, you enjoy better physical and emotional health, increased longevity and inner peace. This course is appropriate for beginning and continuing students. \$89** (includes \$50 in fees*)

- **Sat 9–10 a.m., Jul 11–Aug 15**
XE-843-6330 (6116) Kahlert Complex 001



Do you have a unique hobby or expertise you'd love to share?

Consider teaching noncredit classes at HCC! Whether you're a subject matter expert in personal enrichment or have a new course idea, we invite you to join us.

You can also inspire young learners through our Kids on Campus enrichment program.

Get involved today!



Join our team of instructors! PersonalEnrichment@HowardCC.edu

Motorcycle Safety

HCC's Rider School is where campus meets the open road! Our classes are approved by the Maryland Motor Vehicle Administration and are taught by knowledgeable, experienced instructors in a safe environment on the HCC campus.



*Where Campus meets
the Open Road!*

Get in gear with the Rider School at Howard Community College. You'll get:

- Hands-on training from professional riding instructors
- MVA-approved curriculum
- Small class size and individualized training
- Practical and clear lessons in the classroom and outside on the range
- Motorcycles you can ride during classes

All license-earning courses require the completion of a 4- or 5- hour online component before class meets. Students will be required to bring proof of completion to class. You must provide a valid email address when you register in order to receive instructions to access the online module. **If you do not receive instructions one week before your class starts, please call 443-518-4808.**

License-Earning Courses

Successfully completing one of these classes qualifies you for a Maryland Motorcycle (Class M) License. Course content is approved by the Maryland Motor Vehicle Administration (MVA) and meets or exceeds Motorcycle Safety Foundation (MSF) standards. Motorcycles are provided. Students must pass both a written and riding test to successfully complete the course. Written test is available in English only.

NOTE: Riding is not for everyone, and some participants will not successfully complete the course. MVA rules require that students who do not achieve minimum performance standards cannot continue. MVA policy requires that students enrolled in motorcycle classes attend all class sessions for the entire time period. All classes start promptly. If you are enrolled in a motorcycle class and are late or miss any class sessions, you cannot complete the course and will be dismissed without a refund. No exceptions. Classes are held rain or shine. **Class times may vary.**

**For detailed class descriptions,
pricing, and to register, visit
HowardCC.edu/RiderSchool.**



Absolute Beginner Course

With its smaller classes with more individualized instruction, this course is perfect if you are a little nervous about learning to ride. Instruction consists of a 5-hour online e-course, and two classroom/range sessions.

Basic Rider Course

If you've never ridden a motorcycle, have limited experience, or need a refresher, this is the course for you. You'll focus on safety and road skills during the five-hour online e-course and two classroom/range sessions.

Basic Rider Course 2

This comprehensive license-earning course is designed for the more experienced rider. Use your own properly-registered motorcycle or borrow one of ours. Training consists of a 4-hour online e-course, plus a 1-day classroom/range session.



"We enjoyed the Basic Rider 2 class! The instructors were patient and knowledgeable, making it a great learning experience. Taking the class together as a couple was a fun way to spend time with each other—it felt like a unique kind of date! We highly recommend these classes for both new and experienced riders."

— Heather Gonsalves and ChryslInn Gonsalves

GENERAL INFORMATION

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES:

Requests for accommodations can be made by emailing the Office of Disability Support Services at DisabilitySupport@HowardCC.edu at least three weeks prior to the class start date. All information is kept confidential.

AGE REQUIREMENTS:

Anyone 16 or older may register on a first-come, first-served basis. Students under 16 may take noncredit courses listed for their age group under “Kids on Campus.”

CAMPUS CRIME REPORTS AND REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER INFORMATION:

In compliance with the Campus Sex Crimes Prevention Act, the Jacob Wetterling Crimes Against Children and Sexually Violent Offender Registration Act, the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act, and the Higher Education Opportunity Act of July 2010, Howard Community College (HCC) is required to disclose certain timely and annual information about campus crime, public safety policies and procedures, campus law enforcement policies, emergency response procedures, and registered sex offenders. HCC must publish an annual report by October 1 that contains three years of campus crime statistics and certain public safety policy statements. Howard Community College makes this report available to all students and employees on the college website at HowardCC.edu/PublicSafetyReports.

CAMPUS STORE:

Hours: Monday–Thursday 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m., Friday 8:30 a.m.–2 p.m.
Phone: 443-518-1400. Many textbooks can be ordered online; visit HowardCC.edu/CampusStore.

COURSE PROPOSERS AND TEACHERS:

To apply for adjunct faculty positions, visit HowardCC.edu/Jobs. Applications must be completed online and you can attach materials such as a resume. If you have an idea for a course, email WCCE@HowardCC.edu.

CUSTOM CLASS:

This enrollment option allows you to enroll in credit classes without having to go through the credit admissions process or meet the normal course prerequisites. For more information, visit HowardCC.edu/CustomClass or call 443-518-4659.

EMERGENCY CLOSINGS:

To find out if the college is closed, opening late, or closing early, check the college’s website or call 443-518-1000 for information. If the college opens late or closes early, your class may meet for part of the time depending on when your class is scheduled to begin. The HCC website homepage will be updated with an announcement and will link to additional details, if applicable.

To receive instant email or text message alerts, go to HowardCC.edu/Alert and subscribe to HCC’s Mobile Alert System.

GIFT CERTIFICATES:

Give the gift of learning! The certificates can be for any dollar amount you choose and can be used like a check to pay for course costs at registration. Gift certificates can be purchased at the Cashier’s Office (RCF-200A).

HOLIDAYS:

The college will be closed May 25 for Memorial Day, June 19 for Juneteenth, July 3 and 4 for Independence Day, and August 17 for HCC Professional Development Day.

IDENTIFICATION CARDS:

Workforce, Career, and Community Education students are encouraged to obtain a college identification card. Students only enrolled in personal enrichment and youth courses are not eligible. To obtain an ID card, bring proof of enrollment and a valid photo ID to the Department of Public Safety in the RCF Building.
HowardCC.edu/ParkingPass.

OTHER SERVICES:

In collaboration with Howard County Government, Howard Community College, and the Regional Transportation Agency (RTA), HCC students ride free. Information regarding this program is available at the HCC Welcome Center for students to enjoy free rides anytime and anywhere. RTA Routes and Schedules: TransitRTA.com/Routes.

OUTSTANDING BALANCE:

Students are responsible for following HCC financial policies regarding outstanding balances including returned checks, denied credit cards, and any other nonpayment of tuition. Students who do not pay all course charges may be sent to a collections agency and will be responsible for additional fees as well as the original charges. They will not receive certificates and are ineligible to continue at HCC. Fee charges can be found at HowardCC.edu/PayForCollege.

PARKING:

- **HCC Main Campus:** Parking is free and available in any of the lots with signs designating “Students” and in either of the parking garages. No sticker or special permit is necessary. Please observe the posted signs and do not park in the lots designated for faculty or staff or along any of the curbs painted red, as your vehicle may be ticketed or towed. Handicapped parking is conveniently located throughout campus.
- **High Schools & Senior Centers:** You may park in any unrestricted lots. Parking is free.
- **Maryland Innovation Center:** Parking is free. Please observe the signs for appropriate spaces to use.

GENERAL INFORMATION

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES:

Students enrolled at Howard Community College must abide by campus policies and procedures which can be found in the College Catalogue (HowardCC.SmartCatalogiq.com) and the Student Handbook (HowardCC.edu/StudentHandbook).

RECORD REQUEST:

If you want a record of the noncredit courses you have taken, you will need to submit a Record Request Form. Visit HowardCC.edu/WCCEInfo and click on “Continuing Education Records” for the request form. Information on all courses taken on or after July 1, 2003 will be included.

REFUNDS AND CANCELLATION:

Course withdrawal and request for a refund may be made online at HowardCC.edu/WCCEInfo. Refund amount, if any, will depend on the course and request date.

The college reserves the right to cancel courses or make changes due to insufficient enrollment or unforeseen circumstances. In these events, students will be notified. A 100% refund will be issued for any course the college cancels.

TEXTBOOKS (T) AND SUPPLIES (S):

A “(T)” or an “(S)” following a course description indicates a required or suggested textbook (T) or supplies (S). Textbooks are available in the HCC Campus Store and should be purchased before class. Instructors will provide students with a list of supplies at the first class meeting. For refunds, textbooks must be returned within the first week of class. Textbooks for courses running less than one week are not returnable. A receipt is required for all refunds.

TUITION & FEES:

Tuition must be paid in full at time of registration. Included in the total course cost is a \$50 registration fee.

- Out-of-county Maryland residents pay additional \$10 per course.
- Out-of-state residents pay additional \$20 per course.

TUITION WAIVERS:

Tuition is waived for Maryland residents 60 years of age or older for eligible courses. The waiver applies to tuition only, not fees. Eligible students pay all courses fees. Courses with “XE” designations are not eligible for tuition waiver.

Tuition waivers for students with disabilities are available for some noncredit, workforce development and life skills courses. Eligible courses are listed at HowardCC.edu/SSI

UPDATING YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION:

To officially change your name, address, or contact information, submit a Change of Information Form online, available at HowardCC.edu/WCCEInfo. Proof of residency may be required for address changes. Please note that returning student’s personal information does not get updated during the online registration process, so a change of information form is necessary.

WCCE CONTACT INFO:

WORKFORCE, CAREER, AND
COMMUNITY EDUCATION
Hickory Ridge Building, Room 100
*(next to West Garage, on the southwest corner of
the HCC main campus)*
10901 Little Patuxent Parkway
Columbia, MD 21044
Email: WCCE@HowardCC.edu
Phone: 443-518-1700



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UPCOMING HCC EVENTS



Vino Scholastico May 1

Raise a Glass. Raise a Scholarship!

Join us for an elegant evening of fine wines, tasty selections from area restaurants and delectable desserts. The general tasting features premium wine, beer and spirits.

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5K Challenge Race October 4

Take The Challenge.

Participate with community leaders, corporations, and business partners to advance workplace wellness. Proceeds support HCC Athletics, scholarships, and the Fueling Dragons fund, helping students stay strong and on track.

THE PRESIDENT'S



The President's Gala December 5

Join us for an unforgettable evening celebrating the opening of the Cathy and Danny Bell Workforce Development & Trades Center. Guests will enjoy dinner, dancing, and the Dragon Awards ceremony, honoring those who make a lasting impact on Howard Community College and our students.



Help us raise funds for student scholarships.

HowardCC.edu/Events

REGISTER NOW BY CHOOSING 1 OF 4 EASY OPTIONS:



Option 1: ONLINE (HowardCC.edu/WCCEReg)

Register and pay online—get immediate confirmation. Visit HowardCC.edu/WCCEReg. International students and new students who qualify for a 60+ tuition waiver must register for the first time by fax, mail-in, or walk-in.



Option 2: FAX

Fax your registration form with credit card payment to our secure fax line: 443-518-4333. Payment is due at time of registration, so credit card information must be included on your registration form. Please allow two business days for processing.



Option 3: IN PERSON

Visit the Registration Office in the Student Services Building, Room RCF-233. Hours: 8:45 a.m.–6 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 8:45 a.m.–5 p.m. Fridays.



Option 4: MAIL

Complete the registration form and enclose credit card information OR a check payable to Howard Community College (include your name, address, and home phone), and mail to: Howard Community College, 10901 Little Patuxent Parkway, Columbia, MD 21044-3197, ATTN: Lock Box Cashier HR-300. Please allow enough time for the mail to reach us before class starts.

Tuition must be paid in full at time of registration.



Have questions about registration?

Call 443-518-4825 Mon.–Fri., 8:30 a.m.–5 p.m.

Registration Information for Mindedge Learning and UGotClass



HOW TO REGISTER

Step 1: Complete our noncredit registration form, located at the end of this publication, and fax or mail it to HCC along with your payment (see the back of this publication for mail and fax information). Please write “MindEdge” under the course number and remember to include your email address.

Step 2: Receive your login information from us by email on the course start date.



HOW TO REGISTER

Step 1: Complete our noncredit registration form and fax or mail it to HCC along with your payment (see the back of this publication for mail and fax information). Please write “UGotClass Online” under the course number and remember to include your email address.

Step 2: Receive your login information from us by email close to the course start date.

For a complete list of courses, descriptions, and prices, visit:

UGOTCLASS: YouGotClass.org/Catalog.cfm/HowardCC

For more information, call 443-518-1660 or email TrainingSolutions@HowardCC.edu.

NONCREDIT REGISTRATION FORM

SIGN UP FOR A CLASS

PLEASE PRINT NEATLY. NOTE that we do not accept registrations by email.
 FAX: 443-518-4333. Mail to: Howard Community College, ATTN: Lock Box Cashier
 HR-300, 10901 Little Patuxent Parkway, Columbia, MD 21044-3197



General Information

HCC Student ID#: _____ Date of Birth (required): ____ / ____ / ____

First Name: _____ Middle Initial: _____ Last Name: _____

Chosen Name: _____

Address: (Street) _____ Apt/Unit: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ County: _____

I have lived at this address for at least three months

Gender: Male Female

Home Phone: _____ TDD

Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

- Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin? Yes No
- What is your race? Select one or more of the following categories:
 - American Indian or Alaska Native Asian
 - Black or African American White
 - Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

(For race definitions, visit HowardCC.edu/CategoryDefinitions)

My information has changed since my last registration: Name Address Phone Email

I have previously taken a class at HCC.

I am a Maryland resident age 60 and older and qualify for a tuition waiver. Not applicable to XE courses or fees.

Course Registration

COURSE NO. (SAMPLE) XE-155 6105	TITLE	START DATE	TUITION + FEES

Out-of-county Maryland residents add \$10 per course.

Residents outside Maryland add \$20 per course.

SENIORS (Maryland residents ages 60 and older only): Pay all fees listed in the course description.
 Exception: For XE courses, pay the full amount listed at the end of the course description.

TOTAL

SIGN AND DATE

Signature _____ Date _____

I certify that the above information is true and correct, and I request the enrollment change(s) indicated above.

All charges due to Howard Community College (HCC) must be paid in full at time of registration. Students who are actively enrolled in the Tuition Payment Plan or have financial aid, military Tuition Assistance, veterans' education benefits, third party sponsors, and/or tuition waivers may be able to defer that portion of their balance. If the student's full balance is not covered by these other sources for any reason, the student is responsible for the balance due. Past due balances are subject to collection and fees up to 25% of the original balance. Students whose accounts are delinquent will not be permitted to register for the next term. HCC may require payment in the form of certified funds, such as cash, money order, credit card, or a cashier's check.

FOR FAX OR MAIL-IN: Please note that we do not accept registrations by email. This form will not be processed if submitted by email.

(check one) Visa Mastercard AmEx Discover

Card#: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Cardholder's Name (Please print legibly): _____ Signature: _____

CLASSROOM LOCATIONS

Classroom locations are posted the day class meets in the lobby of the Hickory Ridge building, and online at Howardcc.edu/ClassLocator.

Community College of Baltimore County (CCBC)
 Catonsville Campus: 800 S. Rolling Road, Catonsville, MD
 Hunt Valley Center: 11101 McCormick Road, Baltimore, MD

Ellicott City 50+ Center
 9411 Frederick Road, Ellicott City

Florence Bain 50+ Senior Center (Bain 50+ Center)
 5470 Ruth Keeton Way, Columbia

Hickory Ridge Building
 10901 Little Patuxent Parkway, Columbia
 (next to the West Garage, on the southwest corner of the HCC main campus)

Howard Community College (HCC) Main Campus
 10901 Little Patuxent Pkwy., Columbia, MD

Training & Development Solutions at Maryland Innovation Center
 6751 Columbia Gateway Drive, Columbia

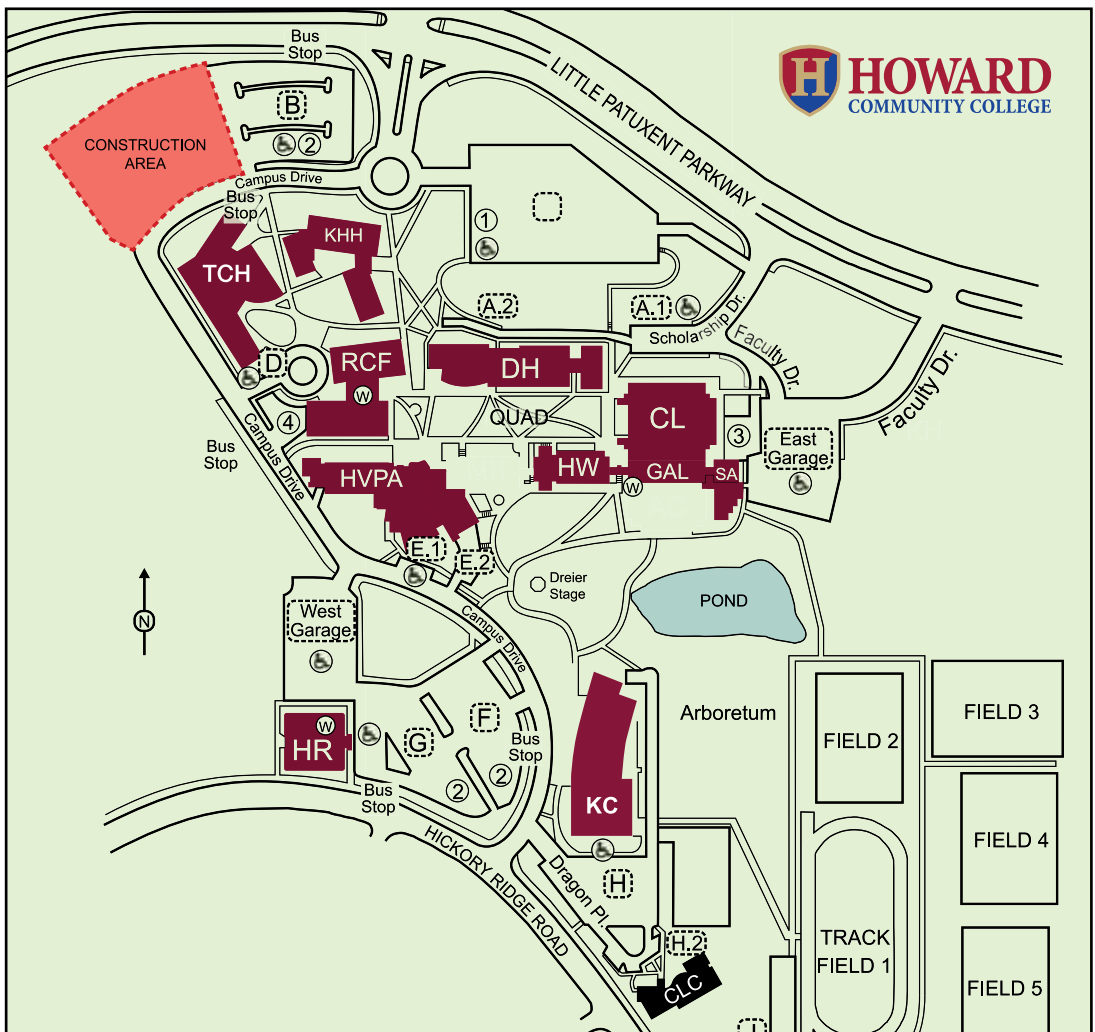
Please note that HCC is a smoke-free, tobacco-free campus.

BUILDING CODES

- ACAcademic Commons
- CL.....James Clark Jr. Library Hall
- CLCChildren's Learning Center
- DH.....Mary Ellen Duncan Hall for English, Languages & Business
- GALDwight A. Burrill Galleria
- HR.....Hickory Ridge Building
- HVPAPeter & Elizabeth Horowitz Visual and Performing Arts Center
- KCThe Kahlert Foundation Complex
- KHHKathleen Hetherington Hall
(formerly Health Sciences Building)
- MHPatrick & Jill McCuan Hall
- HWHoward Hall
- RCFThe Rouse Company Foundation Student Services Hall
- SAStudent Activities Building
- TCHThomas P. Clement Hall
(formerly Science, Engineering & Technology Building)

PARKING CODES

- Lots are lettered as shown on map*
- ♿.....Accessible Parking
 - ⓂWelcome Center
 - 1.....Drop Off / Pick Up
 - 2.....Employees Only - Yellow Striped
 - 3.....Main Receiving
 - 4.....Food Services and Bookstore Deliveries
- Bus Stop - Regional Transit Authority (RTA)
 Howard Transit 401 and 404 routes



Learn, Earn, and Grow with Apprenticeships



HCC equips apprentices with specialized skills through classroom learning and paid training, partnering with local businesses to meet workforce needs.

Don't just dream about your future—take action with HCC's apprenticeship programs and “earn while you learn.”

Registered apprenticeship programs at HCC:



Accounting Specialist



Biomedical Equipment Technology



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Electrical



Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration (HVACR)



Hospitality Management



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Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)



Plumbing



Surgical Technician

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Discover new possibilities with HCC's community education programs, where lifelong learning and endless opportunities are yours to explore!



Kids on Campus

Learn and build confidence with skills to last a lifetime in STEM, creative arts, test prep & study skills, culinary arts, and more!



Motorcycle Safety: The Rider School

Move into high gear and chase the open road! Earn your Maryland motorcycle license through the Rider School training program—perfect for both new and seasoned riders.



Inclusive Learning Programs

College Opportunities for Real-Life Engagement (CORE)

Thrive through learning opportunities! Create pathways for adults with developmental disabilities, matching individual interests and needs with career and educational goals.



Personal Enrichment

Grow by unlocking your creativity, immersing yourself in history and culture, building lasting financial confidence, embracing new languages, and elevating your well-being through the empowering journey of lifelong learning.



The Music Institute

Create your own musical experience! Whether you're starting or advancing your musical studies, our courses, ensembles, and lessons are available for all ages, to challenge the mind and feed the soul.

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For four decades, Kids on Campus (KOC) has sparked curiosity, inspired creativity, and brought smiles to more than 100,000 students.

From STEM and sports to culinary arts, creative expression, and test prep, KOC offers hundreds of exciting classes for students ages 6 to 17—all designed to challenge young minds, build confidence, and create lasting memories.

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