

HCC's STEMM Technical Middle College (STMC) is Now Accepting Applications for the Fall 2019 Class!

Priority Deadline – March 1, 2019

Regular Deadline – May 1, 2019

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STMC Admission Criteria

Be a rising 11th or 12th grade student

Have an interest in and an aptitude for STEM

Have a high school cumulative GPA of 3.75 or higher

Have completed 14 or more credits required for earning a high school diploma

Review the expectations for STEMM Technical Middle College (STMC)

Complete the full application packet

Steps for applying to the STMC Program

Step 1—obtain an application packet at your high school counselor's office, in the Admissions Office at HCC, or print the application packet from the STMC website at

<http://www.hagerstowncc.edu/admissions/middle-college>. Review the application packet and the student-parent-school-HCC contract (this is part of the application).

Step 2—if you have not attended an STMC Information Session, plan to do so now. Information Sessions are held several times each month and are listed on the STMC website.

Step 3—apply to HCC online at www.hagerstowncc.edu/admissions this will generate a letter of acceptance from the college with your student ID number. Your student ID will be used to for many purposes on campus.

Step 4—complete the application forms in the packet as well as the separate HCC ESSENCE Form—this must be completed and signed by student, parent/guardian, counselor, and principal. All information must be filled in and all signatures obtained for the application to be considered complete.

Step 5— Follow the instructions carefully using the checklist on page 6. Include copies of the supporting documents listed. Have your high school counselor complete a recommendation form, submit an official high school transcript, your most recent grade report, and SAT/ACT/PARCC/AP scores. Ask a high school teacher to complete and submit a recommendation form.

If you are planning to take the AP test in May make sure to send an “official” copy of your results from the College Board to HCC to be included for college credit.

Step 6—complete your enrollment essay using the criteria on Page 6. Include the essay in your packet.

Step 7—include IEP or 504 paperwork, if applicable.

Step 8—all requested documents must be completed (including obtaining your high school principal's signature) by March 1, 2019 for priority consideration or by May 1, 2019 for regular decision.

A limited number of applications may be considered after that date.

Step 9—please submit your completed application to Teresa Thorn, STMC Coordinator, located in the Learning Resource Center, Room 262.

Additional Information: *Once Applications are received they will be reviewed and scored to determine admission into the STMC fall cohort. Students will be notified by letter of acceptance through the mail and will be asked to accept their seat by a certain date, submit a \$50.00 deposit to hold their seat (If the student receives Free or Reduced Meals (FARM) in WCPS—this fee does not apply), and make an appointment to schedule their fall classes.*

Students can be:

- 1. “Accepted” – accepted students complete an acceptance form, submit \$50 to hold their seat and make an appointment to develop their fall schedule.*
- 2. “Denied”—students may be denied based on GPA, college-readiness, or not meeting the minimal requirements for admission.*

Questions? Call 240-500-2483 or send an email to tlthorn@hagerstowncc.edu