



Dear Neighbors,

Public schools and higher education institutions have been severely challenged by the COVID-19 pandemic to find innovative ways to provide instruction and do so in safe environments. Houston Community College has been no exception.

Early on, the college adapted most of its traditional college courses to online learning formats. Consequently, HCC students today have more ways to learn than ever before.

- **Flex Campus:** Students enroll in classes and have the choice to attend either online or in person at the scheduled dates and times

- **Lab-Based Courses:** HCC's skills-based, hands-on lab courses host fewer students per section to enable social distancing
- **Online Anytime:** Students take classes online at any time. These are traditional online classes, and students never come to campus
- **Online on a Schedule:** Students take classes online at scheduled class time they select when enrolling, and never come to campus

The college follows Centers for Disease Control and Prevention guidelines to keep students protected as much as possible from COVID-19. Students are screened upon arrival, including a temperature check. HCC facilities are stringently cleaned and sanitized throughout the day. Social distancing is maintained.

With precautions such as these in place—and with the availability of numerous online or hybrid courses—students can return to their college studies with confidence this spring. Already registration is underway for classes that begin January 19.

If a certificate or degree at HCC is in your career plans, why not take your first step at HCC this spring? Here is a list of helpful resources to get you started:

Register and enroll: hccs.edu/now

Learn about financing college: hccs.edu/financial-aid and hccs.edu/foundation

Learn how to obtain a free or reduced cost computer or WIFI: hccs.edu/techhelp

Learn what we're doing to limit the spread of COVID-19: hccs.edu/covid-19

Discover childcare options for students: hccs.edu/childcare

Explore career and job placement services: hccs.edu/careerhub

Research small business support: hccs.edu/oei

I encourage you to explore the many resources of Houston Community College! Get started today!

In service,

Cynthia Lenton-Gary, Ph.D.
 HCC Board of Trustees
 District VII



Trustee Dr. Cynthia Lenton-Gary, touring Stafford campus

Programs

HCC Stafford Campus Programs

- ▶ Machining Technology
- ▶ Manufacturing Engineering Technology

HCC Missouri City Campus Programs

- ▶ American Sign Language (ASL)
- ▶ Emergency Medical Services (EMS)
- ▶ Beginning Spanish

Level 1 Certificate

- ▶ HVAC Technician
- ▶ Electrical Helper
- ▶ Welding
- ▶ Logistics

Continuing Education

- ▶ Certified Production Technician
- ▶ Drone Technology
- ▶ Air Conditioning Technician
- ▶ Electrical Technician
- ▶ Carpentry

- ▶ Free Online Short-term Workshops for All Ages on Microsoft Programs
- ▶ Free Online Workshops for Seniors 50+ in Basic Digital Technology

Resources

- ▶ Financial Aid
- ▶ Virtual Lobby Linking Enrollment
- ▶ Advising and Payment Arrangements Services
- ▶ Career and Job Readiness Training
- ▶ Resume Assistance
- ▶ Online Job Applications Assistance

Contact us

- ▶ HCC Stafford Campus
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- ▶ HCC Missouri City Campus
1600 Texas Parkway, Missouri City, TX 77489 - 713.718.2900
- ▶ HCC Southwest Career Services
sw.careerservices@hccs.edu
713.718.2019 - hccs.edu/careerhub
- ▶ HCC Advanced Manufacturing COE
713.718.7757 - hccs.edu/manufacturing
- ▶ Free Community Learning Programs
713.718.5350 - hccs.edu/communitylearning

College your Way

A safe, flexible, totally affordable college experience.



From Accounting to Welding, check the Level one certificate programs available at HCC

Spring 2021 is just around the corner!

Regular registration opens **November 2**

Classes begin in our safe learning environment **January 19**

Earn 3 semester hours in 3 weeks

Spring 2021 mini session classes begin **December 12**

For more information, visit **hccs.edu**
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