



THIS IS YOUR
path to success.

2025-2026 Viewbook

THIS IS YOUR Gulf Coast .

Discover Your Passion at Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College!

At MGCCC, we offer a wide variety of academic and career & technical programs designed to match your interests and help you reach your goals. Whether you're ready to jumpstart your career or planning to transfer to a university, we have a path for you.

Join our vibrant community and take the first step toward a brighter future!

*ARE YOU READY TO TAKE THE NEXT STEPS
TO BECOME AN **MGCCC BULLDOG**?*



GULF COAST *At a Glance*

3,000

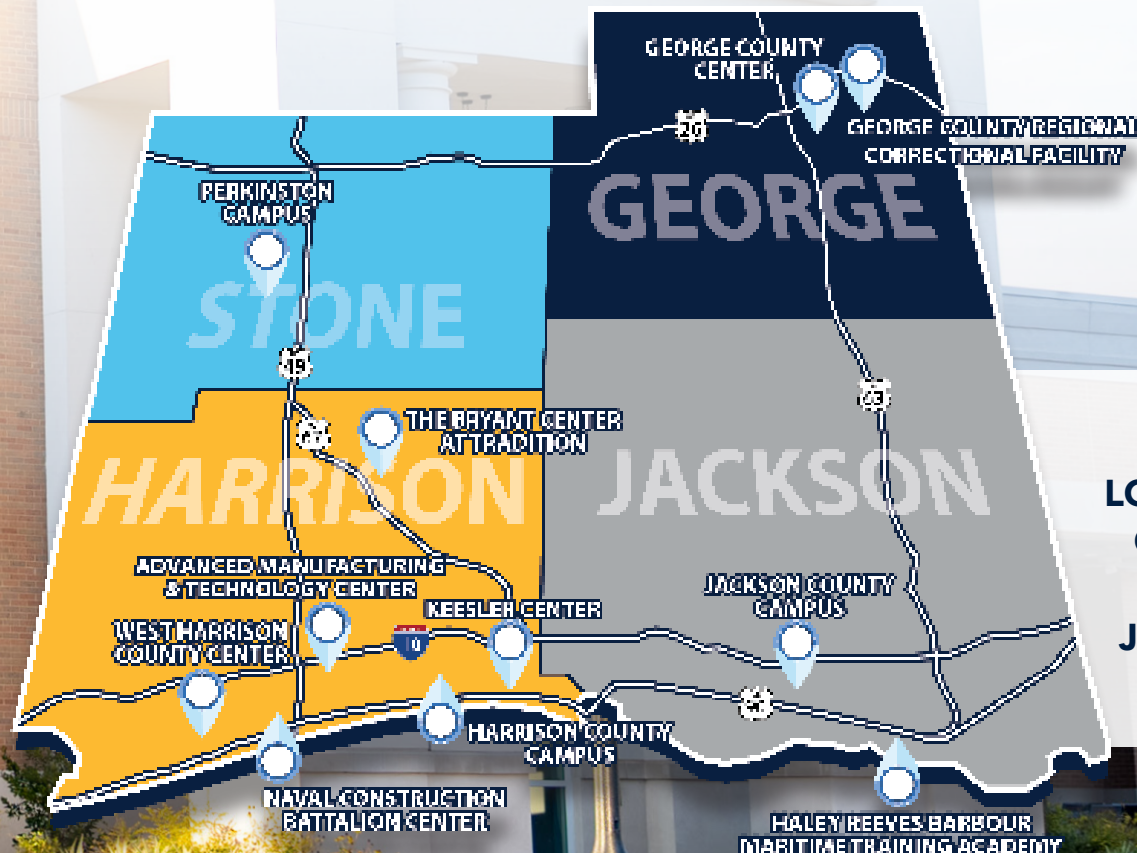
degrees and certificates
awarded in 2024-2025.

\$44M

of financial aid was
disbursed last year.

200+

scholarship opportunities
available to MGCCC
students.



**MGCCC HAS 11
LOCATIONS IN ITS FOUR-
COUNTY DISTRICT OF
GEORGE, HARRISON,
JACKSON, AND STONE
COUNTIES.**

ADMISSIONS TIMELINE

MGCCC.EDU/APPLY

SEPTEMBER

Admissions Application Opens

OCTOBER

Apply for Financial Aid

Spring Housing Application Opens

NOVEMBER

Register for Spring Orientation

DECEMBER

Orientation for Spring Classes

Spring Residence Hall Room Selection

JANUARY

Spring Classes Begin

FEBRUARY

Fall Housing Application Opens

MARCH

Register for Early Orientation

APRIL

Scholars Orientation and Commitment Weeks

Submit ACT Scores to be Recognized at Awards Day

Priority Deadline for Foundation Scholarships Application

MAY

Fall Residence Hall Room Selection

JUNE & JULY

Orientation for Fall Classes

Summer Classes Begin

AUGUST

Fall Classes Begin





THIS IS YOUR *tomorrow* .

HIGHLIGHTS

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STUDENT LIFE

**60+ CLUBS, STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS,
HONOR SOCIETIES, AND MORE!**

College is a time for exploration—and at MGCCC, it's a time to thrive. We inspire excellence by fostering lifelong learning, meaningful friendships, and a strong sense of community. Our dynamic, innovative learning environment goes beyond the classroom. With 12 athletic teams, more than 60 student clubs across our campuses, and a full calendar of student life activities, there's always something exciting happening. At MGCCC, every week brings new opportunities to connect, grow, and discover something amazing.



ATHLETICS & BAND OF GOLD

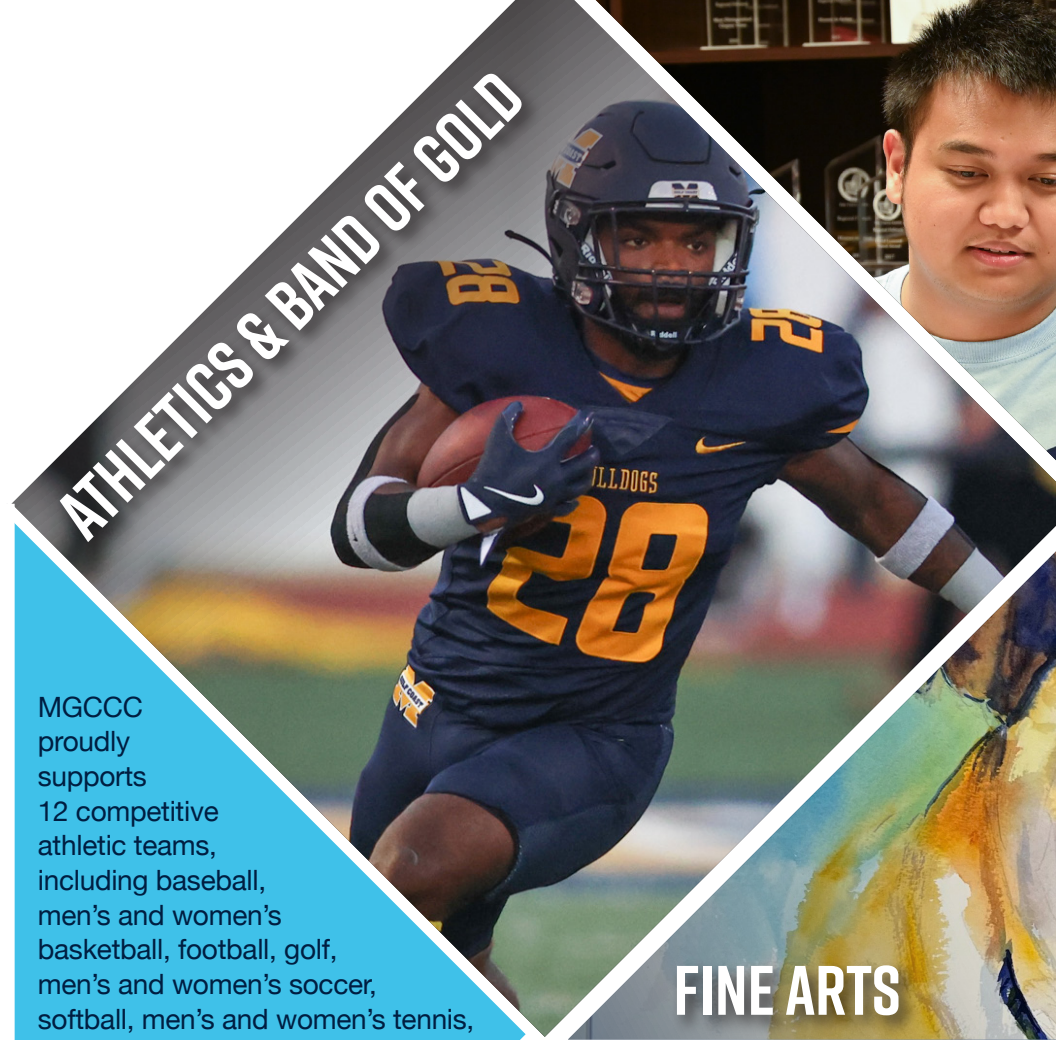
MGCCC proudly supports 12 competitive athletic teams, including baseball, men's and women's basketball, football, golf, men's and women's soccer, softball, men's and women's tennis, women's volleyball, and eSports.

The Perkinston Campus is also home to the co-ed Bulldog Cheer Team, the Dance Team, and The Band of Gold.

Reflections offers a unique opportunity to get involved, build leadership skills, and form lifelong friendships. As official student ambassadors, members represent Gulf Coast at recruitment events and help share what makes MGCCC special.

FINE ARTS

REFLECTIONS TEAM





PHI THETA KAPPA HONOR SOCIETY

Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) is an international honor society that celebrates the academic excellence of community college students. At MGCCC, students who complete at least 12 hours of college coursework with a GPA of 3.25 or higher are invited to join. Membership not only recognizes your achievement—it can also open the door to valuable transfer scholarships and leadership opportunities.



Across all our campuses, MGCCC offers a wide range of performing and visual arts programs to help you express yourself and develop your talents. From choir, theatre, and dance to painting, sculpture, and literary publishing, there's something for every artist to explore and enjoy.



STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

**ABBY WELBORN,
FRESHMAN
JACKSON COUNTY CAMPUS**

Abigail “Abby” Welborn is a first-year student in the Radiologic Technology program at the Jackson County Campus and the proud recipient of the Bradley Emmett Bustin Scholarship through the MGCCC Foundation.

Now thriving in her clinical rotations, Abby is excited about her future as a Registered Radiologic Technologist. She plans to earn her associate degree, achieve ARRT certification, and further her knowledge by exploring advanced imaging technology.

In addition to her academic and career goals, Abby is deeply grateful for the support she’s received. “I’m so thankful for the opportunities MGCCC and the Bradley Emmett Bustin Scholarship have given me,” she says. “They’ve brought me closer to achieving my dream of a fulfilling career and a better quality of life.”



MORE TO EXPLORE

MGCCC: Affordable Education. Unlimited Possibilities.

Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College offers more than just a degree—it offers life-changing opportunities. From hands-on learning to unforgettable campus experiences, explore all the ways you can grow, succeed, and make the most of your Bulldog journey. Check out—and check off—the adventures that await at MGCCC!

mgccc.edu/student-life



THE *bulldog* BUCKET LIST

There's a lot to do at each of our locations and the surrounding communities. Consider this the beginning of your Bulldog Bucket List!

- Meet Mac the Bulldog
- Go to a University Night football game
- Attend a student event at the bell tower
- Participate in a campus 5k
- Take a selfie with MGCCC's President, Dr. Mary S. Graham
- Join a student organization
- Climb the rock wall and kayak at the Estuarine Education Center
- Workout at the campus fitness center
- Study in the Learning Resources Center
- Attend an event at the iMPAC
- Eat crawfish at Lagniappe Day or Fais Do-Do
- Join an intramural sports team
- Attend an event hosted by Campus Activities Board
- Admire art in the Fine Arts Building



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experience.



CAMPUS LIVING

(PERKINSTON CAMPUS ONLY)

HOUSING & MEAL PLAN
\$2,615 - \$2,965 per semester

The Perkinson Campus offers five men's and three women's residence halls. Students can choose between a 5-day or a 7-day meal plan to best fit their schedule and needs.

Learn more about Housing or becoming a Resident Assistant at mgccc.edu/housing.



THIS IS YOUR *home*

Discover Your Home Away from Home at the Perkinson Campus!

Experience the convenience and community of on-campus living with MGCCC Student Housing. When you live on the Perkinson Campus, you're just steps away from classrooms, the Learning Lab, dining halls, meeting spaces, and everything campus life has to offer.

Stay connected, get involved, and make the most of your college experience—right where it all happens.



STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

**CALEB SALES ABAC,
SOPHOMORE
PERKINSON CAMPUS**

The Reflections Team Scholarship has been a game-changer for Caleb, covering his tuition and residence hall fees. Caleb gives campus tours to prospective students, sharing his experiences and helping them envision their futures at MGCCC. “Giving tours is one of my favorite things,” Caleb said. “I love talking with high schoolers and showing them around. Their excitement about college life and the residence halls is contagious, and it’s awesome to feel like I’m helping them take the next step.”

SCHOOLS & PROGRAMS

At MGCCC, our Schools organize programs of study into focused areas, helping you navigate your path toward a certificate, diploma, or degree. Each School includes related academic, career & technical, and health sciences programs designed to align with your interests and career goals.



CHOOSE YOUR DIRECTION

Scan the QR Code to discover hundreds of academic and career/technical programs offered at MGCCC.

mgccc.edu/schools



TAKE COURSES YOUR WAY

COURSE DELIVERY FORMATS

IN-PERSON



Students attend class at an MGCCC location during scheduled days and times.

ONLINE



Online courses are 100% virtual, with no required campus component, using the Canvas learning management system. All online courses require at least one proctored exam and the weekly submission of assignments.

HYBRID



Students attend a combination of in-person (on scheduled days and times) and online (on your own time) as determined by the instructor.

LIVE



Students are at liberty to attend 1) in-person or 2) join remotely during scheduled days and times via video conferencing. Instructor may require proctored exams.

CHOICE



Students are at liberty to CHOOSE to: attend 1) in-person, 2) in real-time via video conferencing, or 3) by completing work online. The instructor may require proctored exams.



MORE TO EXPLORE

Choosing a career path or major can be a difficult decision, but MGCCC's Career Coach assessment and our Enrollment Services Specialists can help make it easier.

mgccc.edu/career

NUMBERS TO KNOW

\$18M

GRANT FUNDS SECURED BY MGCCC
IN 2024-2025

861

STUDENTS CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN MGCCC
NURSING AND HEALTH PROFESSIONS PROGRAMS

14+

MAJOR INDUSTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS
PARTNERED WITH MGCCC IN SUPPORT OF
STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES



NOT SURE WHAT TO PURSUE?

Scan the QR code to discover
programs and career options
by location.

SEE WHERE MGCCC GRADUATES HAVE PUT THEIR DEGREE TO WORK.

76%

MGCCC STUDENTS UNDER THE AGE OF 21
TRANSFERRED TO A FOUR YEAR
UNIVERSITY TO FURTHER THEIR EDUCATION.

3.27

AVERAGE UNIVERSITY GPA OF MGCCC
STUDENTS WHO HAVE TRANSFERRED TO A
FOUR YEAR INSTITUTION.

WORKFORCE PARTNER SPOTLIGHT

CHEVRON
INGALLS SHIPBUILDING
KEESLER FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

MISSISSIPPI POWER
SINGING RIVER HEALTH SYSTEM
BOLLINGER SHIPYARDS
AND MORE!

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT



SHARDAE HOWARD,
MGCCC GRADUATE
JACKSON COUNTY CAMPUS

Shardae Howard, an MGCCC alumna, received a degree in Process Operations Technology. Today, Shardae works at Chevron in Pascagoula, MS. She chose MGCCC not only for its academic programs but also for the outstanding facilities and resources the college offered. Her advice to current students is to use the resources offered on campus. "The college offers so much help to students. They have tutors and teachers who will spend extra time to ensure students are living up to their full potential."



THIS IS YOUR
opportunity.



PAYING FOR COLLEGE

Term	In-State Tuition	Out-of-State Fee
Fall or Spring (15-21 credit hours)	\$1,800	\$500
Fall or Spring (1-14 credit hours)	\$180 (per credit hour)	\$50 (per credit hour)
Summer (15-21 credit hours)	\$1,800	\$500
Summer (1-14 credit hours)	\$180 (per credit hour)	\$50 (per credit hour)

Tuition and Fees are subject to change.

FINANCIAL AID & PAYMENT PLANS

FEDERAL SCHOOL CODE: 002417

MGCCC administers federal, state, institutional, and outside financial aid in the form of grants, scholarships, work programs, and loans.

We're pleased to offer convenient payment plans to help you manage your college expenses. Enrolling in a payment plan early means lower monthly payments and more time to pay your balance. Set up automatic drafts from your bank account, pay online, or visit one of our Business Offices—whatever works best for you. And the best part? It's completely FREE to sign up!

For a complete list of fees, cost of attendance, financial aid, scholarships, and payment options, scan the QR code.

mgccc.edu/paying-for-college



ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP

ACT Composite Score	29 and Above Valedictorian or Salutatorian	25-28	21-24	18-20
Award Amount (Per semester)	\$1,800	\$1,350	\$900	\$450
Percentage of Tuition	100%	75%	50%	25%
MGCCC Grade Point Average	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.5

NOTE: Superscores will not be used to award Academic Excellence Scholarships. Must show proof via official high school transcript. Students with an ACT Composite Score of 29+ or Valedictorian/Salutatorian designation are also eligible for a Residential Scholarship.

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE RESIDENTIAL SCHOLARSHIP *PERKINSTON CAMPUS ONLY

ACT Composite Score	29 and Above
Room Award Amount	\$1,500 MAX per semester
Board Award Amount	\$1,365 MAX per semester
MGCCC Grade Point Average	3.5

NEW CENTURY SKILLS SCHOLARSHIP

- ✓ Mississippi high school graduate and first-time student/entering freshman
- ✓ Completed two-year CTE or vocational program in high school **OR** placed 1st, 2nd, or 3rd in a state or national student organization competition recognized by the Mississippi Department of Education
- ✓ 3.0 or higher GPA

Master Scholar 3.5 - 4.0 GPA: Full Tuition / Expert Scholar 3.0 - 3.49 GPA: Half Tuition

NOTE: See full list of eligible student organizations at: www.mdek12.org/CTE/SO

The New Century Skills Scholarship is not stackable with the Academic Excellence Scholarship, but may stack with all other scholarships.



FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

These scholarships are made available through generous gifts from alumni, individuals, corporations, and organizations who determine the eligibility criteria. Students can submit one online Foundation Scholarships Application to apply for 150+ different scholarship opportunities!

Students may receive multiple Foundation Scholarships, and they may be stackable with other institutional scholarships.

For more information,
please visit:
mgccc.edu/foundation

HOW TO APPLY:

The Admissions Application opens September 1.
mgccc.edu/apply

1. Complete the **FREE** MGCCC Admissions Application online at **mgccc.edu/apply**.
2. Send your **final official high school transcript** upon your graduation.
3. Submit your **test scores** (ACT or ACCUPLACER).
4. Attend **Orientation** or visit an Enrollment Services Center.
5. **Register** for classes!

NEED HELP OR HAVE QUESTIONS?

Connect with your College Recruiters!
recruiting@mgccc.edu | 601.928.6384





THIS IS YOUR

family .

LOCATIONS



Perkinston Campus

51 Main St.
Perkinston, MS 39573



Jackson County Campus

2300 Hwy. 90
Gautier, MS 39553



Harrison County Campus

2226 Switzer Rd.
Gulfport, MS 39507



**The Bryant Center
at Tradition**

19330 Hwy. 67
Biloxi, MS 39532



**Advanced Manufacturing
& Technology Center**

10298 Express Dr.
Gulfport, MS 39503



George County Center

11203 Old Hwy. 63
Lucedale, MS 39452



**Haley Reeves Barbour
Maritime Training Academy**

1000 Jerry St. Pe' Hwy.
Pascagoula, MS 39568



West Harrison County Center

21500 B. St.
Long Beach, MS 39560



Keesler Center

Sablich Center, Rm 219
500 Fisher St.
Biloxi, MS 39534



**Naval Construction
Battalion Center**

Building 304, Suite 402, Office #5
3190 John Paul Jones Ave.
Gulfport, MS 39501

**George County Regional
Correctional Facility**

154 Industrial Park Rd
Lucedale, MS 39452



Schedule a tour at:
mgccc.edu/visit

For information about Admissions,
Financial Aid, Military Services, and more, please visit:
www.mgccc.edu

In compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 of the Higher Education Act, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and other applicable Federal and State Acts, the Board of Trustees of the Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College (MGCCC) hereby adopts a policy assuring that no one shall, on the grounds of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, pregnancy, age or qualified disability be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination in any program or activity of the College, including in admission and employment. Acts of lawful discrimination, harassment, and retaliation will not be tolerated at Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College.

MGCCC is an Equal Opportunity Employer and welcomes students and employees without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, sex, pregnancy, age, or qualified disability.

Compliance with section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Americans with Disabilities Act, Title II of the Age Discrimination Act, and Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 are coordinated by the Compliance Officer, Perkinston Campus, P. O. Box 609, Perkinston, Mississippi 39573, telephone number 601- 528-8735, email address compliance@mgccc.edu.