

Come Home to Discounted Rates

Richmond Community College is offering a discount on summer classes for university students coming home for the summer break.

University students who enroll in a class, or classes, during the 2022 Summer Semester at RichmondCC will get a "Homecoming Special" on tuition and fees for classes. For example:

- Cost of 3 credit hour class: \$199 (normal price: \$253)
- Cost of 4 credit hour course: \$275 (normal price: \$329)
- Cost of 5 credit hour course: \$350 (normal price: \$405)

Students must apply as a special credit student in order to receive the Homecoming Special.

RichmondCC Offers Homecoming Special on Summer Classes for University Students



Students will be responsible for the cost of books for each class they take.

If a student plans on using financial aid to pay for classes, he or she will need to contact the Financial Aid Office at (910) 410-1723. "We hope the Homecoming Special will encourage university students to take advantage of the many transferable classes we offer during the summer," said Dr. Hal Shuler, who is over the College Foundation that is providing the funding for the initiative. "While many of these classes are offered online, our instructors are still hands-on with each student. Unlike the university setting, RichmondCC provides an individualized learning environment with small, personal classes."

A list of classes being offered this summer at RichmondCC can be found on page 2.

"If a class you need is not available, we want you to contact us because you may not be alone. If we have enough demand for a particular transfer class, we will create it," Shuler said.

For more information about the Homecoming Special or other scholarships available for summer students, please contact Financial Aid at (910) 410-1723.



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Apprenticeships Expanding *You Can Earn While You Learn*

Richmond Senior High School students Eduardo Mendez Guerrero and Ahmad Shelton are both getting paid to learn. They recently signed on as apprentices with Eduardo working at Volumetric Building Companies and Ahmad at Superior Cranes. They also will be attending Richmond Community College to supplement their training.

The N.C. Community College System was recently allocated \$2 million dollars to grow its ApprenticeshipNC program. Apprentices are individuals who receive on-the-job learning from a company or business while also receiving job-related education from a community college or trade organization. They can be current high school students, recent graduates, experienced workers or military veterans.

Apprentices are like regular employees when they are hired by a company. They receive a salary and benefits, such as health insurance and paid time off. Most companies will also cover tuition costs for a



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YELLOW = ONLINE OPTIONS AVAILABLE • BLUE = EVENING OPTIONS AVAILABLE

ACCOUNTING

ACC-120 Prin. Of Financial Accounting ACC-121 Prin. Of Managerial Accounting ACC-150 Accounting Software Appl. ACC-225 Cost Accounting

AIR CONDITIONING/HVACR AHR-120 HVACR Maintenance

AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE ASL-111 Elementary ASL I

ART <mark>ART-111 Art Appreciation</mark> ART-171 Digital Design I

ART-240 Painting I
ASTRONOMY

ASTRONOMY AST-111 Descriptive Astronomy

BIOLOGY BIO-110 Principles of Biology BIO-111 General Biology I BIO-165 Anatomy and Physiology I BIO-166 Anatomy and Physiology II BIO-275 Microbiology

BLUEPRINT READING BPR-111 Print Reading

BUSINESS BUS-110 Introduction to Business BUS-125 Personal Finance BUS-139 Entrepreneurship I

COLLEGE SUCCESS ACA-122 College Transfer Success

COMMUNICATIONS COM-231 Public Speaking

COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY CIS-110 Introduction to Computers CIS-115 Intro to Prog & Logic CTS-289 System Support Project NET-125 Introduction to Networks

CRIMINAL JUSTICE CJC-111 Introduction to Criminal Justice CJC-112 Criminology

CYBER SECURITY SEC-110 Security Concepts DRAFTING/DESIGN <mark>DFT-151 CAD I</mark> <mark>DFT-153 CAD III</mark>

DIALYSIS TECHNOLOGY DIA-103 Ethical/Legal Issues in Dialysis DIA-104 Care-Complex Renal Client

ECONOMICS ECO-251 Prin. Of Microeconomics ECO-252 Prin. Of Macroeconomics

EDUCATION EDU-145 Child Development II EDU-235 School Age Development & Progr. EDU-275 Effective Teacher Training

ELECTRICAL ELC-128 Introduction to PLC ELC-131 Circuit Analysis I

ELECTRIC UTILITY SUBSTATION

EUS-130 Electric Utility Print Reading EUS-210 Large High Voltage Power Transf. I EUS-220 High Voltage Power Circuit Breakers EUS-240 Substation Ancillary Systems

ELECTRONICS ELN-231 Industrial Controls

EMERGENCY SCIENCE EMS-220 Cardiology II EMS-221 EMS Clinical Practicum II

ENGLISH ENG-111 Writing and Inquiry ENG-112 Writing/Research in the Disc ENG-231 American Literature I

HISTORY HIS-131 American History I HIS-132 American History II

HUMAN SERVICES HSE-220 Case Management HSE-225 Health Problems & Prevention

HUMANITIES HUM-115 Critical Thinking

MACHINING MAC-151 Machining Calculations MEC-142 Physical Metallurgy

VIEW CLASS DAYS, TIMES AND LOCATION



MATH

MAT-143 Quantitative Literacy MAT-152 Statistical Methods I MAT-171 Precalculus Algebra MAT-172 Precalculus Trigonometry MAT-271 Calculus I

MEDICAL ASSISTING MED-121 Medical Terminology I MED-122 Medical Terminology II MED-140 Exam Room Procedures I

MUSIC MUS-110 Music Appreciation MUS-112 Introduction to Jazz MUS-210 History of Rock Music

NURSING NUR-103 Practical Nursing III NUR-113 Family Health Concepts

OFFICE ADMINISTRATION OST-131 Keyboarding

PHILOSOPHY PHI-215 Philosophical Issues PHI-240 Introduction to Ethics

PHYSICAL EDUCATION PED-110 Fit and Well for Life

PSYCHOLOGY PSY-150 General Psychology PSY-241 Developmental Psychology

RELIGION REL-110 World Religions REL-212 Intro to New Testament

SOCIOLOGY SOC-210 Introduction to Sociology SOC-240 Social Psychology

SPANISH SPA-111 Elementary Spanish I SPA-112 Elementary Spanish II SPA-211 Intermediate Spanish I SPA-212 Intermediate Spanish II

WELDING WLD-132 GTAW (TIG) Plate/Pipe WLD-151 Fabrication I



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student's educational training. It is a valuable "earn-as-you-learn" program.

"The apprenticeship program is an excellent opportunity for both the company and the individual," said Director of Career & Transfer Services Patsy Stanley. "The company is developing a skilled employee who meets workforce needs, and the individual is getting sought-after skills to launch a career."

In addition to Volumetric and Superior Cranes, RichmondCC has apprenticeship partnerships with Plastek, Perdue Farms, and Carolina Hearts.

The Plastek apprenticeship



Richmond Senior High School student Ahmad Shelton has signed on as an apprentice with Superior Crane. The apprenticeship program will also pay for Ahmad's education at Richmond Community College.

provides career training for mechatronics technicians, who are responsible for building, repairing and providing regular maintenance of industrial automation and assembly equipment. The Perdue apprenticeship prepares students to become industrial maintenance technicians. Perdue has openings for six apprentices, but the company will accept anywhere from 10 to 15 if the demand is there. Apprentices will start at \$16/hour, with the potential to make up to \$20 to \$22/hour.

The Carolina Hearts apprenticeship prepares students to work in the healthcare field. Upon completion of the apprenticeship, students will have a Nursing Assistant I certification along with several hours of experience.

Supporting the growth of North Carolina's economy, ApprenticeshipNC has doubled in the past four years and served nearly 17,000 North Carolinians in fiscal year 2021. For information about becoming an apprentice or creating an apprenticeship program with RichmondCC, call the Career & Transfer Center at (910) 410-1700 or visit www.richmondcc. edu/apprenticeships.



Join us to learn about our programs and services at Richmond Community College.

SHORT-TERM WORKFORCE TRAINING

Electric Lineworker - \$499 - Hamlet Campus

This class prepares students to work as linemen in the preparation and repair of rural electrical utility services. Includes several industry standard certifications. (\$1,390 value)

Cybersecurity Training - \$99 - Hamlet & Scotland County Campus

This 14-week hybrid course will prepare students to earn certifications in CompTIA Network+ and CompTIA Security+ credentialing exams, as well as for a career in Cybersecurity. (\$1,500 value)

Maintenance Mechanic - \$50 - Scotland County Campus

Get hands-on training to be an industrial mechanic capable of working in a variety of manufacturing settings maintaining and repairing mechanical equipment, electrical motor controls, and other systems. (\$180 value)

NCCER Construction Academy

- Intro to Construction \$180
- Residential Wiring \$180
- Solar Energy Systems Technology \$70

Introduction to Painting - \$125 - Scotland County Campus - Do something fun this summer!

Small Engine Repair - \$125 - Hamlet Campus - No experience required.

Nursing Assistant I - \$75 - Scotland County Campus - Day, evening and hybrid classes available.

Nursing Assistant I Refresher - \$125 - Hamlet Campus - 5-week class

Notary Public - \$70 - Offered monthly - One-day class

Pilot (Escort) Vehicle Operator - \$70 - Hamlet Campus - One-day class

Forklift Operator Training - \$70 - Hamlet Campus - One-day class

Auto Dealers' License Renewal - \$70 - Hamlet Campus - One-day class

Pilot (Escort) Vehicle Operator - \$70 - Hamlet Campus - One-day class

Electrical CEUs - \$70 - Hamlet Campus - Offered monthly; approved through NCBEEC

Truck Driver Training - \$999 - Scotland County Campus - Coming soon!

TO SIGN UP FOR CLASSES: Call (910) 410-1706.

A Better Future Awaits High School Completers

Richmond Community College wants to help people without a high school diploma "Finish for Your Future."

Earn your high school credentials FOR FREE and increase your earning potential. Classes are offered at both the Hamlet and Scotland County Campus.

This initiative includes up to \$1,000 in scholarship money for students who complete the Adult High School Diploma or High School Equivalency program and continue on at RichmondCC for further education or career training.

www.richmondcc.edu/finish (910) 410-1771 | (910) 410-1831





















Not a resident of N.C.? Not a problem!

Richmond Community College is waiving out-of-state tuition rates for qualified students who live outside of North Carolina to earn their degree from RichmondCC.

Out-of-state students who have an unweighted high school GPA of 3.3 or higher will pay RichmondCC's low cost in-state tuition rates through a new scholarship called the Pee Dee Special.

"We welcome our neighboring South Carolina residents to take advantage of our affordable tuition rates and the unique programs we have at RichmondCC such as Electric Utility Substation & Relay Technology, Cybersecurity, Mechatronics, Emergency Medical Science, Dialysis Technology and many others," said Dr. Dale McInnis, College president. "Not only are we inviting South Carolina students, but we hope students from all over the country will apply for the Pee Dee Special. Our Substation program has drawn students from Virginia, Tennessee, and Indiana. Also we have more degree programs that are offered 100 percent online."

RichmondCC's in-state tuition rate is only \$76 per credit hour. In-state tuition rates for South Carolina technical colleges are over \$100 more per credit hour. Plus, out-of-county rates also apply at South Carolina technical colleges. Southwest Virginia Community College, which has the lowest tuition rates in Virginia, charges \$156 per credit hour for in-state students.

"North Carolina has one of the least expensive community college tuition rates for in-state students. At RichmondCC, we also do not charge an application fee," McInnis said. "The Pee Dee Special is our way of opening up more options for students facing college decisions and reducing the burden of college debt."

To apply for the Pee Dee Special, visit RichmondCC's website and begin the free application process: www.richmondcc.edu/ admissions. The deadline to complete the application and submit all required documents is July 1. A limited number of scholarships will be awarded, so apply early. For more information, call Student Services at (910) 410-1700.

APPLYING TO RICHMONDCC IS EASY AND FREE!

1. Complete the Online Residency Application.

2. Complete the Online Admissions Application.

3. Apply for Financial Aid & Scholarships.

4. Send in Your Official Transcripts.





APRIL 2, 2022 | 6:30 TO 10 P.M. | COLE AUDITORIUM

- Honoring Dr. Tommy Jarrell Former Richmond County Health Director/Richmond Community College Foundation's Distinguished Citizen of the Year
- Annual fundraiser to support more access to college programs for the hardworking people of this region
- Cocktails, heavy hors d'oeuvres, entertainment provided by DJ David Graham, semi-formal attire
- Admission: \$50 single ticket | \$100 couple's tickets

Tickets and sponsorships can be purchased online at www.richmondcc.edu/gala2022.



Corporate Sponsorships Available!

Learn Something **Fun** This Year!

We have personal enrichment classes such as painting, sculpting, piano, guitar and American Sign Language. Call (910) 410-1706.





March 10 from 6 to 8 p.m. -Basics of Bookkeeping (ONLINE)

Learn how to properly record financial transactions for your business. If you're a new business owner or need a refresher on the basics of accounting, this seminar is designed for you.

March 17 from 6 to 8 p.m. - Your Small Business Taxes (ONLINE)

Gain a solid understanding of taxes required for small business owners and develop the best tax strategy for your business. This seminar is important for both new and experienced business owners.

March 21-22 - Design a WIX Website for Your Business for

How to Register

To register for one or more of these free seminars, contact Small Business Center Director Butch Farrah at (910) 410-1687 or wofarrah@richmondcc.edu.

www.richmondcc.edu/smallbusiness-center



Beginners (ONLINE)

This is a four-part seminar that will guide you through the process of creating a website for your small business.

Part 1: March 21 from 3 to 5 p.m. To get started, you will explore the WIX platform and review website fundamentals. Part 2: March 21 from 5:30

to 7:30 p.m. You will be able to practice with an instructor-guided activity to learn the ins and outs of how WIX ADI works. You will learn how to add and change text, pictures, videos, headers, footers, add links, add and delete pages and manage design elements on the template.

Part 3: March 22 from 3 to 5 p.m. You will develop a framework for creating your own website using WIX ADI. This practice session is pivotal to having longterm success in learning how to update and maintain your small business's website.

Part 4: March 22 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. You will have instructor-guided assistance with setting up a solid, attractive website for your small business.

March 29 from 3 to 5 p.m. - Setup Your Small Business Website to be Found on the Internet (ONLINE)

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You will learn the fundamentals of what needs to be included in a website to attract the traffic that you need and how to convert visitors to paying customers.

March 29 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. - Drive More Customers to Your Small Business Website (ONLINE)

You will learn how to drive traffic to your website from other online sources such as social media, videos, online directories, digital marketing campaigns, advertising, blogs, and through an optimized online presence.





COLE AUDITORIUM RICHMOND COMMUNITY COLLEGE 1042 W. HAMLET AVE., HAMLET, NC 28345 (910) 410-1691 WWW.RICHMONDCC.EDU



Currently

RichmondCC is registering students for summer classes. Call (910) 410-1700 to speak to a counselor or visit the Hamlet or Scotland County Campus.

March 16

Business After 5 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Hamlet Campus. In collaboration with the Richmond County Chamber of Commerce.

March 22

Resume Writing Workshop from 12 to 2 p.m. at the Hamlet and the Scotland County Campus, presented by the Career and Transfer Center.

March 23

Virtual Interviewing Techniques from 12 to 1 p.m. at the Hamlet and the Scotland County Campus, presented by the Career and Transfer Center.

March 24

• Morning Mingle from 8 to 8:45 a.m. at the Honeycutt Center on the Scotland County Campus. Topic is "Hiring Post COVID." Light refreshments will be served.

• "The Greatest Piano Men" at 7:30 p.m. at the Cole Auditorium, Hamlet Campus. Tickets are \$32-\$47. Contact the Cole Box Office at (910) 410-1691.

March 25

SEarCH Blood Drive from 1:30 to 6:30 p.m. at the Covington Street Building on the Scotland County Campus. Visit redcrossblood.org and enter the 28352 zip code or sponsor code "Scotland" to make an appointment.

March 28

Dress Etiquette Workshop from 12 to

RichmondCC **CONNECTS** Local College. Big Impact.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

1 p.m. at the Hamlet Campus, presented by the Career & Transfer Center.

March 30

Mock Interviews & Professional Appreciation Workshop from 12 to 1 p.m. at the Hamlet Campus and the Scotland County Campus, presented by the Career and Transfer Center.

March 31

Power Your World Career Fair from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Cole Auditorium, Hamlet Campus. Presented by the Career and Transfer Center.

April 2

RichmondCC Foundation Gala from 6:30 to 10 p.m. at the Cole Auditorium, Hamlet Campus. Tickets are \$50 per person; sponsor packages available. Call (910) 410-1807 or visit www.richmondcc.edu/gala2022.

April 5

Open House from 4 to 6:30 p.m. at the Hamlet Campus. Meet one-on-

one with instructors, learn about all college programs and services.

April 11

Electric Lineworker Exhibition from 9 to 10 a.m. at the Lineworker Yard on the Hamlet Campus.

April 12

• Registration opens for the 2022 Fall Semester. Current students need to meet with their advisor. New students must complete a free application. Call (910) 410-1700 or visit www. richmondcc.edu/admissions.

• Electric Lineworker Graduation at 9 a.m. at the Cole Auditorium, Hamlet Campus.

• Career Expo from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Scotland County Campus, presented by the Career and Transfer Center.

April 18-22

Spring break for curriculum college students.

Apply Now for Scholarships!

Richmond Community College has more than 100 annual scholarships provided by gifts of donors and bene-

factors to the RCC Foundation. FAFSA completion is required for RichmondCC scholarships. If you have ques-



tions about any of our scholarships, call the Financial Aid Office at (910) 410-1726.

Apply Online!

www.richmondcc.edu/scholarships

May 3

Morning Mingle from 8 to 8:45 a.m. at the Robinette Building. Topic is "Keeping Up with Gen Z." Light refreshments will be served.

May 10

Graduation Fair for the graduating Class of 2022 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Cole Auditorium, Hamlet Campus.

May 11

Graduation Fair for the graduating Class of 2022 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Scotland County Campus.

May 20

Graduation for the Class of 2022 at the Cole Auditorium. Call (910) 410-1700 for ceremony times.

May 24

2022 Summer Semester begins.

Do You Have Kids in High School?

Make sure you know all the options high school students have at Richmond Community College!

Free COLLEGE classes.
 Earn TRANSFERABLE college credits.
 Learn TRADE SKILLS for a high wage career.
 Get a JUMPSTART on life beyond high school.



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