Take Control of Your Future...

Hillsborough Community College

HCC Locations

- Brandon Campus
  10414 E. Columbus Drive
  813.253.7802 (TDD) 253.7658

- Dale Mabry Campus
  Tampa Bay Blvd. at Dale Mabry Highway
  813.253.7202 (TDD) 253.7303

- Plant City Campus
  1206 North Park Road
  813.253.7302 (TDD) 757.2166

- SouthShore Center
  551 24th St. NE
  Ruskin, FL 33570-5101
  813.259.6100

- Ybor City Campus
  2112 N. 15th Street
  813.253.7602 (TDD) 253.7788

- HCC District Offices
  39 Columbia Drive
  Davis Island
  813.253.7000 (TDD) 253.7774

- HCC-MacDill Center
  8102 Condor Street
  813.840.0015 (TDD) 757.2166

Toll-Free Number
1.866.253.7077

Financial Aid

- Financial aid is available in the form of scholarships, loans, grants, work-study programs, and on-campus employment. Students must apply each academic year. Call any financial aid office for details. The HCC Foundation, Inc. also offers a variety of scholarships. Deadlines vary.

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Applying for Admission

Become an HCC Student in Four Easy Steps

Step 1. Admissions
- Submit your application online at www.hccfl.edu. Submit official high school transcript or GED scores as well as transcripts from all postsecondary schools you have attended.

Step 2. Financial Aid
- Complete the financial aid forms, including the FAFSA, as early as possible. Enroll in TIPS (Tuition installment plan) to manage tuition and fees not covered by financial aid.

Step 3. Academic Assessment
- Take the College Placement Test (CPT) or submit ACT/SAT/LOEP scores to determine appropriate coursework. Meet with a campus advisor.

Step 4. Orientation Session and Registration
- Attend a required orientation session available at each campus. Research your academic options using the college catalog and advising guides. Register for courses through the website (www.hccfl.edu) or individual campus locations.

New Student Check List:

- Meet with advisor
- Fill out FAFSA form for financial aid
- Register and pay for classes
- Attend orientation
- Buy books at one of the campus bookstores or online
- Sign up for Hawk Alert
- Check out Hawks Landing

Student Housing

Hawks Landing apartments are located at the Dale Mabry Campus of HCC in Tampa, FL. The apartment community offers a great value, a convenient location, a living and learning atmosphere, and most importantly, fun! Our units are fully furnished with individual leases – perfect for HCC students. Residents also enjoy a swimming pool, a game room, a fitness center, and a computer lab; and every bedroom is wired for high-speed internet.

Sign up today and see why our residents love living at Hawks Landing!

Hillsborough Community College is an equal access/equal opportunity employer that makes employment and educational-related decisions without regard to race, color, gender, religion, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation, veteran status or any other trait that is or may be prohibited by law.

Accreditation

Hillsborough Community College is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097, telephone 404-679-4501) to award associate degrees, diplomas and certificates.

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Hillsborough Community College awards an associate in science (AS) degree, an associate in applied science (AAS) degree, and an associate in arts (AA) degree. The AA degree is designed for those students whose primary educational goal is to transfer to a four-year college or university. Meanwhile, the AS degree provides students with additional options because your coursework prepares you for both employment in high-skilled, high-wage jobs and the possibility of transferring to a four-year university. See the HCC catalog at www.hccfl.edu for specific program information.

Associate in Arts Degree

University Transfer Program

The AA degree is designed primarily to meet the requirements for a student to transfer to the upper division level of a college or university to continue to work toward a bachelor’s degree. Students should refer to the HCC catalog for information about specific requirements for the AA degree. The catalog is available on HCC’s website at www.hccfl.edu.

HCC prepares students for hundreds of possible transfers to four-year institutions. HCC also offers continuing education programs designed to help you earn a two-year degree or professional certification or prepare you to transfer to a four-year college or university. However, some individual AAS courses are eligible for transfer.

Associate in Science Degree

If you decide to pursue a four-year degree, you may be able to transfer some or all of the AS courses taken at HCC to public universities. Most public universities now accept several AS degrees for transfer including hospitality and tourism management, computer engineering, electronics engineering, nursing, business administration, radiography, and criminal justice. In addition, agreements exist between HCC and various public and private senior institutions for many other AS degree programs such as sign language interpretation, legal assisting, computer science, and early childhood management. See the HCC catalog at www.hccfl.edu for details.

The following degrees are offered in these program areas:

- Architectural Design and Construction
- Business
- Early Childhood Education
- Environmental Science
- Health Sciences
- Hospitality and Culinary Arts
- Information Technology
- Media Arts Technology
- Manufacturing and Engineering
- Public Service
- Veterinary Technology

Academic Programs

Hillsborough Community College serves as the ideal gateway through which you can pursue your educational goals. Begin your college experience here! Receive specialized training for career advancement! Obtain skills that will allow you to transition into a new profession!

General Information

Founded in 1968 as part of Florida’s 28-member community college system, HCC continues to further education and develop leaders. Over 43,000 students take advantage of HCC’s vast course offerings each year at Tampa, Brandon, Plant City, Ybor City, MacDill Air Force Base, and Ruskin. HCC offers hundreds of courses and programs designed to help you earn a two-year degree or professional certification or prepare you to transfer to a four-year institution. HCC also offers continuing education for working professionals, developmental education for those who need remedial or refresher courses, and English as a Second Language courses. HCC’s Corporate Training Center supports the local business community by providing customized training options, individualized business training, and leadership courses.

Associate in Applied Science Degree

The AAS degree is for students who wish to obtain technical expertise within a particular occupation or profession. It is designed to prepare you for career entry or job advancement. The AAS degree does not generally transfer to a four-year college or university. However, some indiviudal AAS courses are eligible for transfer.

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Applied Technology Diploma (ATD)

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- AS/AAS Dietetic Technician
- AS/AAS Hospitality and Tourism Management
- AS/AAS Restaurant Management

Information Technology
- AS/AAS Computer Engineering Technology
- AS/AAS Computer Information Administration
- AS/AAS Computer Programming
- AS/AAS Database Technology
- AS/AAS Information Technology Security
- AS/AAS Internet Services Technology

Manufacturing and Engineering
- AS/AAS Electronics Engineering Technology

Media Arts Technology
- AS/AAS Digital Media/Multimedia Technology
- AS/AAS Digital Television and Media Production

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- AS/AAS Fire Science Technology
- AS/AAS Paralegal/Legal Assisting

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