



PERMISSION TO ENROLL IN THE CAREER & COLLEGE PROMISE PROGRAM

Please initial each item and sign and date on the back indicating your understanding

Career & College Promise is a program that offers eligible high school students the opportunity to take college courses in a structured pathway that leads to a certificate, diploma, or degree as well as to provide training for entry-level jobs. As a college collaboration with your local high school, students and parents must understand the following:

_____ Career and College Promise courses are college courses, taught by college instructors, and regulated by the North Carolina Community College System.

_____ The attendance policy at Bladen Community College is based on regular, punctual, and continuing attendance at all class lecture, laboratory, and shop periods.

_____ Attendance at all class meetings is expected. Late arrivals and/or early departures may count toward total absences in courses.

_____ Students who have not attended at least one class session by the ten (10) percent date of the course will be withdrawn by the instructor as “never attended”.

_____ Students whose absences exceed 20 percent of all schedule contact hours will be withdrawn from the course by the instructor for excessive absences.

_____ Students who do not attend for two consecutive weeks will be withdrawn from the course by the instructor.

_____ Grades earned at Bladen Community College will be reflected on their high school transcript and will be used in calculating their high school GPA.

_____ All grades earned at Bladen Community College will become part of the student’s permanent college transcript and will follow them throughout their college career. If a student applies to another college or university, that school may request a copy of the student’s BCC transcript. Drops and withdrawals will be recorded on their transcript as well. A student attempting to withdraw after the deadline, will receive a ‘WF’.

_____ Students who wish to drop or withdraw from a college course must have the consent of their high school principal or her/his designee.

_____ College courses offered on the high school campus will follow the high school calendar, unless otherwise instructed by the college instructor. Students taking online courses or courses on Bladen Community College’s campus will be required to follow the college’s calendar. BCC’s semesters begins and ends before the high school. Other differences occur due to designated holidays, semester breaks, teachers’ workdays, etc.

_____ Because college courses are academically rigorous, it is recommended that students spend 2-3 hours of study outside of class for each hour spent in a college class.

_____ For every college course, an instructor’s syllabus explaining course assignments and requirements as well as the instructor’s method of grading and attendance will be handed out on the first day of classes (for seated classes) or posted in Moodle for online courses.

_____ Students in college courses are expected to conduct themselves as mature adults and comply with Bladen Community College’s policies and standards of conduct as outlined in the BCC Course Catalog, both of which may be found on the BCC website.

_____ Students who have a concern about their college courses should **first** speak with their instructor. If unable to resolve the issue, students may discuss their concern with BCC College and High School Programs Coordinator. Parents who have questions or concerns should call the high school counselor or principal.

_____ Students who are having difficulty with their college classes are eligible for free tutoring at the Learning Enhancement Center on the Bladen Community College campus. We also offer Upswing, which is a free online tool that provides tutoring 24/7 and the Writing Center, which offers assistance and coaching for written assignments.

_____ To maintain eligibility students must: Continue progressing toward high school graduation; Maintain at least a 2.0 GPA in their college courses (after 2 courses)

_____ Once a student is no longer actively enrolled in high school, they are no longer eligible for participation in the Career & College Promise program.

_____ High school students are enrolled into the CCP Pathway which has a specified number of classes as listed in the CCP Brochure. Pathway completion does not equal degree completion.

_____ Once students complete their pathway, there are at least 10 additional classes they must complete in order to complete the requirements of the degree.

I confirm that I have read and understand all of the considerations listed above.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____