

STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES

Basic Skills Plus Career Pathway Requests

**Request**

The State Board is requested to approve new career pathways at 10 community colleges. Colleges provide documentation that the new career pathways align with local workforce demand. Students enrolled in the pathways receive instruction and training that are designed to lead to earning industry recognized credentials and employment. College and Career Readiness staff work with curriculum and continuing education staff in conducting reviews of the proposed career pathways to ensure alignment with approved programs of study and program requirements. Colleges may begin enrolling students upon receipt of notice of State Board Approval.

Basic Skills Plus programs are offered with the goal of providing employability skills, job-specific occupational and technical skills, and basic skills instruction to students who are enrolled at the adult secondary education level. In addition, colleges integrate existing courses and services into the career pathways. These may include career readiness, student support, and developmental education instruction as students pursue their high school diploma or a high school equivalency diploma. Colleges may waive the tuition and registration fees associated with this instruction for eligible students. Career Pathways may be offered through curriculum (CU) or continuing education (CE).

**Colleges Requesting Basic Skills Plus Career Pathways**

Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College:

Accounting C25100 (CU)  
Computer Information Technology (PC Installation and Maintenance) C25260 (CU)  
Computer Information Technology (Microcomputer Application) C25260 (CU)  
Electronic Health Records (CE)

Edgecombe Community College:

Automotive Systems Technology C60160 (CU)  
Certified Production Technician (CE)  
Emergency Medical Technician (CE)

Fayetteville Technical Community College:

Comprehensive Training and Competency Program for Direct Care Workers-  
PHCAST (CE)

Johnston Community College:  
Plumbing (CE)

Mayland Community College:  
Welding (CE)  
Health Sciences (CE)

Mitchell Community College:  
Bio Process Technician (CE)  
Welding and Mechanized Cutting (CE)

Southeastern Community College:  
Certified Production Technician (CE)

Vance-Granville Community College  
Automotive Systems Technology C60160 (CU)  
Early Childhood Education C55220 (CU)

Western Piedmont Community College:  
Building Construction Technology C35140 (CU)

Wilkes Community College:  
Early Childhood Education C55220 (CU)  
Nurse Aide I (CE)

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