

Timeline to Enroll

Private & Homeschool Guide - Fall Start

Eligibility Information

All high school juniors and seniors can apply to most WCTC programs by way of the Excelerate option. Students must be able to satisfy any program-specific admission requirements. Excelerate does not include funding or dual credit. Private and homeschooled students are required to self-pay for all courses. Please check with your school, resident public school district or other virtual learning institutions regarding alternative funding opportunities. Should you receive financial support from any of these institutions, please reach out to our office.

CHOOSE: October - January

Choose your program

- Review your desired program's web page, found at wctc.edu/programs.
- Review program application deadlines.
- Make sure the program can be started in spring.
- Understand the program's estimated costs and how this may apply to you.

Apply to your program

- Complete all admission steps under "How to Apply" on your program's web page.

Gain access to your myWCTC email account

- Monitor this email account regularly to ensure that you don't miss important information about your classes.

PREPARE: February

Prepare for registration

- Find out when New Student Registration begins at wctc.edu/registration.
- Look up options for each first semester course you would like to take at wctc.edu/course-search.
 - » Each course may have multiple offerings (sections) with various schedules and delivery methods.
 - » Find course sections that will not conflict with your high school, extracurricular and personal schedule.
 - » Be sure to work with your high school guidance counselor throughout this process. They can help you build a WCTC schedule that works with your high school schedule and satisfies your graduation requirements.



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REGISTER: Late-April

- Register for your spring semester courses
 - As a program-admitted student, you are eligible to participate in New Program Student Registration, which begins in late-April.
 - Students pursuing high demand programs like Cosmetology, Master Aesthetician, Nail Technician, and Dental Assistant are strongly advised to register right away at 7 a.m. on the first day of priority registration. Seats fill quickly.

GET READY! May - August

- Prepare for fall semester
 - Once enrolled in courses, prepare for the fall semester by:
 - » Continuing to monitor your WCTC email account on a regular basis.
 - » Getting your required textbooks.
 - » Familiarizing yourself with our online learning platform Canvas.

