



Get a head start on college with MHCC Middle College at Springwater Trail High

What is Middle College?

The MHCC Middle College program allows 11th & 12th grade high school students to take college classes [up to a full-time (12 credit) college course load] at MHCC during Fall, Winter and Spring Terms to earn dual-credit towards their high school diploma and desired college certificate/degree. Through this program, students have the opportunity to get a significant head start on college and career exploration in a supportive, cohort-oriented environment while continuing to make progress towards the high school diploma requirements of their home high school. Middle College students earn dual-credit that is applied both to their home high school's transcript and their MHCC college transcript

Where does it take place?

Currently, the Middle College program and all classes are held at the MHCC Gresham Campus. The students have access to the multitude of resources and opportunities that MHCC offers by attending classes on campus full-time.

What does it cost?

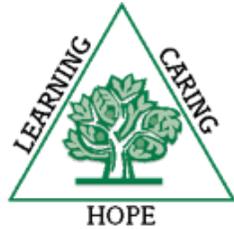
The sponsoring school district pays for tuition, fees and books up to 12 credits or a specified dollar amount (i.e., currently \$1320 per term plus a maximum of \$250 per term for books) as well as a service fee per student per year for specialized student support services. There are no costs to students unless they choose to enroll in more than 12 credits or have book costs that exceed the stipend.

What are the steps?

- Students Attending Gresham High & Sam Barlow High are referred by their high school counselors to Springwater Trail counseling department.
- The school counselor contacts Linda Centurion, Springwater Trail High School counselor for a meeting with student and parent. 530-216-4611- centurion@gresham.k12.or.us
- Complete an application to the program (obtained from Linda Centurion at Springwater)
- Apply for general admission to MHCC to create an ID number
- Take the College Placement Test on campus (or at your high school, if available)
- Meet the Middle College Advisor at MHCC

Contact information

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The student and guardian(s) understand and agree to follow all STHS Middle College expectations including:

1. Student and Guardian are responsible for transportation to and from MHCC.
2. If a student is taking courses at both MHCC and STHS, it is the responsibility of the student and guardian to find transportation to and from STHS and MHCC.
3. In order to participate in Middle College, **each student and their parents are required to attend a New Middle College Orientation night- either 5/18 at 5:30pm in the Town and Gown or 6/1 at 5:30pm in the Town and Gown**
4. In order to participate in Middle College, **each student must complete the required HD100A Middle College Success course scheduled to run from 7/25-8/27 on Mondays and Wednesdays**, during the summer session. More information regarding this class will be available during the orientation. You are required to earn a C or above in this class to continue with the Middle College program.
5. If course books and supplies exceed the stipend, I agree to pay the difference of the costs associated with completing the course(s).
6. To remain in good standing, students must earn a letter grade of "C" or better in all MHCC courses. Failure to maintain these grades can result in a return to STHS full-time the following term.
7. Student agrees to follow monthly STHS cohort meeting schedule and attend all check in meetings at STHS throughout the year (see schedule).

Parent signature

Student signature