Community College (2 Year schools) Enrollment Information for Students

*** ANYONE can attend Community College – no GPA Requirements ***

STEP 1: Applying to Colorado Community Colleges

PREPARING BEFORE YOU APPLY
The application process is done online and is fairly simple, but you do need some specific parent information prior to applying.

> **SUPER IMPORTANT - READ CAREFULLY!!!** To complete the application, this is the information you will need to gather from your parents before you complete the on-line application.
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> 1. Your Social Security Number
> 2. Your Driver's license number and date of issue or State Identification number if you have one.
> 3. You will be filling out information on **one of your parents** so you need to bring this info:
>   a. Date parent moved to Colorado _____
>   b. Has he/she been employed more than one year? Yes or no
>   c. Has he/she registered to vote? Yes or no
>   d. Did your parent file CO taxes this year? Yes or no
>   e. Did your parent file CO taxes last year? Yes or no
>   f. Driver's license number, state of issue and date of issue or renewal _____
>   g. Did your parents have a motor vehicle registered in Colorado? Yes or no
>   h. What was the date of registration - month and year? _____

COLLEGE WEBSITES – You will create a User ID (or login) and a Password. Write this down!
Red Rocks: http://www.rrcc.edu/admis/
Community College of Denver: www.ccd.edu
Arapahoe Community College: www.arapahoe.edu
Northeastern Junior College: www.njc.edu
Or
Other community college application

User ID: _____
Password: _____

At the end of the application process you will be issued an "S number" or student number. This is your Community College student number.

PLEASE WRITE THIS DOWN: My S# is _____

STEP 2: Community Colleges use placement testing (if you do not meet ACT score requirements) for appropriate placement in classes. Register with Community College Testing Center for test date(s).

STEP 3: Upon completion of your application the Community College will contact you about orientation and course registration. **Check your email for this information and log in to your portal account with the id and password you created.**

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College and University (4 Year schools) Enrollment Information for Students

*** Students must meet ADMISSION REQUIRMENTS of GPA and ACT scores;*
*You must be accepted by the college/university ***

- Apply early or by December 1 for best chance of admission and scholarships.

- To Apply:

  Go to college/university website. ALL COLLEGE APPLICATIONS ARE DONE ONLINE.

  - Use GOOGLE to search for school name; or
  - Log in to NAVIANCE (Go to "colleges" tab, then click on "college lookup." You can search by name, state, etc.

  Hint: Do not use COMMON APP unless a school specifically asks for it, or you are applying to many highly selective (ivy league) schools.

- Words/vocabulary to "look for:"
  * ADMISSIONS   * UNDERGRADUATE (4 year program)   *APPLICATIONS
           * FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN   *CREATE ACCOUNT/LOGIN

- You will create an account or login for most schools, write down this information. Schools will communicate with you through their portal.

  > **Log In Information:**
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  > School: _____ User ID: _____ Password: _____
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  > School: _____ User ID: _____ Password: _____
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  > School: _____ User ID: _____ Password: _____
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  > School: _____ User ID: _____ Password: _____

- **AFTER** you have completed the applications, REQUEST TRANSCRIPTS and an APPLICATION FEE WAIVER (if free/reduced lunch) in the Counseling Office.

- **New: Beginning OCTOBER 1, 2016** – Apply for Federal Financial AID using the free application. www.fafsa.gov

  Apply for financial aid even if you have not received confirmation of acceptance from schools, or have completed all applications. You will need your 2015 tax information.

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