NOTE:

According to State Board Policy;

All new/readmission students

must provide one primary form of documentation for admission to Alabama community colleges. All international students must provide an acceptable visa.

Registration for classses will not be allowed until the Admissions Office has received appropriate documentation. Documentation must be submitted in person to the Admissions or Dual Enrollment office

-OR-

a copy, along with the signature page, may be emailed to admissions@calhoun.edu

What if I have more questions?

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INFO GUIDE

for Students & Parents



THE ANSWERS TO YOUR QUESTIONS ABOUT OUR EMT PROGRAM FOR HIGH SCHOOL DUAL ENROLLMENT STUDENTS

What is the role of an Emergency Medical Technician?

EMS (Emergency Medical Services) are a critical part of your community's healthcare system. Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT's) provide medical assistance in everyday emergencies, large-scale incidents and natural disasters, alike. EMT's have the knowledge and skills to provide basic life support to all patients whether the problem is trauma, cardiac, or medical.

When and where are the Dual Enrollment EMT classes offered?

During 2019-20, Calhoun is offering Dual Enrollment EMT programs at the Limestone County Career Technical Center, on Calhoun's Huntsville campus, and at Decatur Fire and Rescue.

The Limestone County Career Center EMT program will meet Monday through Friday; programs at Decatur Fire and Rescue and Calhoun's Huntsville campus will meet on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.

What is the cost of participating in Dual Enrollment EMT at Calhoun?

The Calhoun Dual Enrollment EMT program is eligible for scholarship funding through the Calhoun Community College Workforce Development grant. The grant currently covers tuition, fees, and cost of the textbook and some required supplies. The level of funding for each year's program is determined by the availability and the scope of the Workforce Development grant.

Who is eligible for the Dual Enrollment EMT program?

Dual Enrollment EMT is open to high school seniors who have a GPA of 3.0 or higher, a minimum reading score of 18 on the ACT or 480 on the SAT, and prior approval by their high school counselor and principal or home school director. Admission to the program is competitive, based on several criteria. To view the program application, please visit: calhoun.edu/DE-EMT

What courses are included in the Dual Enrollment EMT program?

Dual Enrollment EMT is a certificate program that includes EMS 100, Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation I; EMS 118, Emergency Medical Technician; and EMS 119, Emergency Medical Technician Clinical. The Dual Enrollment EMT program is year-long; students begin the program at the start of the fall semester in August and finish in May of the following spring semester.



Does the student receive both high school and college credit?

Students who successfully complete the program earn 11 hours of college credit and are eligible to apply to take the National Registry Examination for Emergency Medical Technicians.

Students also receive elective, career-technical high school credit for completion of the program. Consult your counselor to determine the credit your high school or home school will award.

What are the benefits of Dual Enrollment EMT?

In addition to preparing successful students for national EMT licensure, the certification often gives students increased status when applying to nursing schools, medical schools and other professional healthcare programs.

Dual Enrollment EMT gives students experience, while still in high school, in real-world medical and emergency situations and can provide valuable insight for future education and career decisions.

What will I learn in the Dual Enrollment EMT program?

In addition to challenging classroom instruction, students will participate in scheduled, clinical experiences through area emergency response agencies and local hospitals. Concepts covered will include EMS preparatory, airway maintenance, patient assessment, management of trauma patients, management of medical patients, treating infants and children and various EMS operations.