

# Welcome Counselors & Educators

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Early Enrollment Partnership Breakfast



# Agenda

- I. The Year in Review
- II. Early Enrollment 101
- III. The Admissions Process
- IV. Financial Aid 101
- V. Moving Forward and Ongoing Support
- VI. Questions

# The Year in Review

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# The Year in Review

- **127 total applicants**
  - Average GPA = 3.23
  
- **30 accepted students**



# Accepted Students

- **30 students**
- **24 identify male and 6 identify female**
- **14 school districts**
- **Average GPA = 3.46**

# Early Enrollment 101



# Points of Consideration

- Transportation
- Living on campus
- Athletics
- [IEPs and Accommodations](#) - link to the Accommodations Request form!
- Cost
- College expectations
- Missing class



# The Average Day

- **Block Schedule**
  - 4-5 major courses
    - 4-4.5 hours a day, 5 days a week
  - 2-3 academic courses
    - 50 minutes - 2.5 hours, 1-3 days a week



# The Admissions Process



# Admissions Criteria

- **2.5 GPA**
- **Application**
- **Fee Waiver**
  - Fall 2025 code
  - EE2025
- **Reference forms**
  - [Teacher](#) - Reference form link!
  - [Counselor](#) - Reference form link!



# Additional Criteria

- Within 4 credits of graduation
- Strong attendance



# What can they study?

- Architecture
- Automotive (50)
- Business Administration
- Cabinetmaking and Wood
- Carpentry (50)
- Civil Engineering Construction
- Collision Repair
- Computer Integrated Machining (25)
- Computer Network Systems Administration (50)
- Computer Software Engineering (50)
- Diesel
- Electrical (50)
- Electro-mechanical (50)
- Electronic Engineering
- Engineering CAD
- Graphic Communications and Print
- HVAC-R (50)
- Masonry
- Mechanical engineering (25)
- Metals Fabrication and Welding (50)
- Plumbing
- Residential Remodeling (50)
- Water and Environmental
- Welding (50)



# Application Timeline

- Application opens - Opened September 3!
- Deadline to apply, work the process and complete testing - March 1
- Offers - mid March
- Denials
  - Within 2-3 days of testing
  - Once transcript is received, if below 2.5



# Scenarios: 2.5 GPA or higher

- [Apply](#)
- **Submit supporting materials**
- **Receive notification of testing**
- **Complete test**
- **Monitor email for update**
  - Retest
  - Review
  - Denial
- **Await enrollment decision**

# Scenarios: 2.5 GPA or below



- Apply
- Submit supporting materials
  - Once transcript received... denial communication



# Testing

- College Success
  - Math, reading and writing
- Untimed
- Retest
- Accommodations
- In person



# Enrollment Outcomes



- Denials
  - GPA
  - Test scores
  - Capacity
- Offers
  - Mid March

# Financial Aid 101

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# The Cost

- All students attend at reduced tuition
  - 50% standard tuition
- 2024-2025 Cost
  - \$9,000 standard tuition
    - \$4,500 Early Enroller
  - Meal plans are full price
    - \$3,700 5-Day meal plan
- Some districts contribute to student's overall cost
- 2<sup>nd</sup> year tuition is full price

# Financial Aid



- Students complete a FAFSA to determine eligibility for the Federal Pell Grant, Stevens Grant, Federal Direct Loans and Foundation Scholarships.
- Foundation Scholarship information will be available on our website in February using Scholarship Universe.
- Eligibility for the Pell Grant determines eligibility for Stevens Grant.
  - The Stevens Grant can reduce the cost of tuition and the meal plan, and also provide textbooks and tools.
- Students traditionally should complete the FAFSA between October 1 and May 1 of their junior year, however this year the FAFSA is delayed and will not be available until December 2024/January 2025.
  - They can apply online at <https://studentaid.gov>.
  - Uses 2023 Federal Tax information

# Moving Forward & On-going Support

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# Moving Forward



- In school visits or dual enrollment nights
- [Early enrollment information sessions](#) - Link to info sessions!
  - October 23
  - November 6
  - November 20
  - December 4
- Identifying qualified students
- Proactive efforts and awareness



# On-Going Supports

- Mini orientation
- Monthly group meetings
- Early alert system
- First year orientation

# Agreements and Our K-16 Office



- Dual Enrollment Process for Schools (handouts provided)
- Agreements provided to all partners today:
  - Return with signatures by February 15 to Dr. Melissa Day, [daym@stevenscollege.edu](mailto:daym@stevenscollege.edu) to ensure student application consideration for the following fall.
  - Fully executed copies with the required signature of our Vice President of Academic Affairs will be shared within 2 weeks of receipt.





# Additional Opportunities with K-16

- Mascot Photo Shoots





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- First-Generation College Student Celebration Day





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# Questions/Comments/Concerns