

Post-Secondary Opportunities Information

POST-SECONDARY OPPORTUNITIES

- Concurrent college credits provide a seamless pathway to an Associate in Applied Science (AAS) in Fire Science, an Associate in Applied Science (Paramedicine), and a Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) in Public Safety Administration at Maricopa County Community College District campuses.
- Bachelor's in Emergency Management (BS) at Northern Arizona University (NAU)
<https://nau.edu/statewide-campuses/90-30-degree-completion-programs/>
- ASU Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) Degree options

COURSES AND CREDITS

Paradise Valley Community College Concurrent Enrollment Credits

Sem. 1

- EMT 101 CPR/Basic Cardiac Life Support (0.5 credits) [**Prerequisite for EMC 104 and Prerequisite for "FIRE ACADEMY"**]
- EMT 104 Basic Emergency Medical Technology (10 credits) [**Prerequisite for "FIRE ACADEMY and PARAMEDICINE"**]
- EMT 104 AB Applied Practical Studies for Emergency Medical Technology (.5 credit)
- EMT 104 LL Emergency Medical Technology Practicum (2 credits)

Students must pass 1st-semester courses as a prerequisite to 2nd-semester coursework

Sem. 2

- PME 190 Intro to ECG Rhythm Analysis and Interpretation (3 credits)
- PME 191 Intro to Pharmacology (3 credits)

The Americans with Disabilities Act requires institutions of higher education to provide reasonable accommodations to those with documented disabilities, provided an undue hardship is not created. It is the student's responsibility to inform the Disability Resource Services (DRS) Office directly of his or her need for accommodation(s) each time he or she registers for a new course. All accommodations and academic adjustments are course and semester-specific and do not carry over from semester to semester or course to course.

Southwest campus students: Mesa Community College Prior Learning Assessment (PLA) Credits are available to EMT students.

American Heart Association (AHA) CPR/AED Adult/Child/Infant AZ Dept. of Health Services Emergency Medical Technician

- = EMT 101 Basic Cardiac Life Support/CPR Healthcare Providers (.5 credits)
- = EMT 104 Emergency Medical Technology (10 credits)
- = EMT 104AB Applied Practical Studies for EMT (.5 credits)
- = EMT 104LL EMT Practicum (2 credits)

Completing the West-MEC EMT Program and the industry certifications listed above will grant up to 13 college credits, at no cost, upon application, acceptance, and enrollment into related Mesa Community College programs.

Southwest Campus EMT students: Columbia Southern University offers three elective college credits toward an online bachelor's degree in paramedicine to students who complete the EMT program and pass the National Registry exam. [Columbia Southern University Programs](#)

COLLEGE TUITION INFORMATION

- West-MEC pays the college tuition (in-state tuition only; out-of-state students are responsible for the difference between in-state and out-of-state tuition) for students accepted to the EMT program.
 - \$15 registration fee and laboratory fees (**PAID BY WEST-MEC**)
- Cost based upon meeting Maricopa residency and U.S. citizen/legal residency criteria. Must complete the "Maricopa Community Colleges Student Declaration of Citizenship or Status" form. Visit www.maricopa.edu/residency
- Courses taken under concurrent enrollment may impact federal financial aid eligibility. To obtain additional information, students are encouraged to inquire with the college or university where they intend to enroll.



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ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

- Students withdrawing from the West-MEC program may receive college credit based on the number of completed courses.
- In a post-secondary setting, students are responsible for learning the policies of the institution to ensure that credits transfer to fulfill specific degree requirements. Visit www.aztransfer.com for Arizona colleges and universities.
- The Maricopa County Community College District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age in its programs or activities. For Title IX/504 concerns, call the following number to reach the appointed coordinator: (480) 731-8499.



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