



Find Yourself Here



MINERAL AREA COLLEGE



**Maybe you know where you're headed.
Maybe you don't know where to start.**

Either way—welcome! MAC is the place for you.

Whether you need training to start your career right away or want to earn credits that will transfer to a university, we'll help you sort out the details and set you on your path.

Because at Mineral Area College, we want to help bridge the gap between who you are and what you can become. When you're here, you can find a future. You can find a community. You can even...

Find Yourself.

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1922

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STUDENT-FACULTY
RATIO

2,440
STUDENTS

**"After working in
healthcare for years,
I was able to achieve
my dream of becoming
an RN because of MAC."**

MANDY V.
Associate Degree Nursing

Student data from Fall semester 2020

Transfer to a University

Prepare for a Career

Associate of Arts (AA)

The Associate of Arts is the most appropriate degree for the majority of transfer students because it parallels the work required in the first two years of a baccalaureate degree at a four-year institution. The AA degree is awarded to students completing the requirements of the academic program with a minimum of 62 credit hours, including 42 hours of general education. Fields of study include:

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| • Art | • Foreign Language | • Physics | • Pre-Law |
| • Biological Sciences | • General Studies | • Political Science | • Pre-Medicine |
| • Business Administration | • History | • Pre-Architecture | • Pre-Pharmacy |
| • Chemistry | • Information Systems | • Pre-Dental | • Pre-Physical Therapy |
| • Communications | • Mathematics | • Pre-Dental Hygiene | • Psychology |
| • Computer Science | • Music | • Pre-Education | • Social Work |
| • Earth Science | • Music Education | • Pre-Engineering | • Sports Management |
| • English | • Physical Education | • Pre-Forestry | |

Associate of Arts in Teaching (AAT)

The Associate of Arts in Teaching degree is awarded to students seeking the first component of a degree in teacher education. Students complete a core of general education courses as well as electives from their major area of study. The AAT is transferable, but students should also work with their transfer institution for additional requirements. Fields of study include:

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| • Art Education | • Elementary Education (1st-6th) | • Physical Education |
| • Early Childhood Education (K-3rd) | • Music Education | • Secondary Education |
| | | • Special Education |

My goal is to get a bachelor's degree. Why should I start at MAC?

By choosing a community college for your first two years of college, you'll save money while earning the credits you need for your four-year degree. Many of our general education courses at MAC have a MOTR number, which guarantees they'll transfer seamlessly to all public and participating independent colleges and universities in Missouri!

"I've saved money by staying close to home my first two years. After MAC, I'm headed to Mizzou for my bachelor's!"

MACEY H.
Associate of Arts



"I got a job in my field right after graduating! MAC gave me the skills and experience that opened doors for me to start my career."

Travis J.
Associate of Applied Science

Associate of Applied Science (AAS)

Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degrees are designed primarily for the student who wishes to seek employment immediately after completing the two-year program. Degree options include:

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| • Automotive Collision Technology ¹ | • Computer Networking–Cyber Security | • Digital Media Technology ¹ | • Heating, AC, Refrigeration Technology ³ |
| • Automotive Technology ¹ | • Construction/Building Technology ¹ | • Electrical Technology ² | • Industrial Maintenance |
| • Business Management | • Criminal Justice–Judicial Administration | • Electrical/Electronics Technology | • Machine Tool Technology ¹ |
| • Business Management–Admin Office | • Criminal Justice–Law Enforcement | • Engineering Technology–Design Drafting | • Medical Lab Technician |
| • Business Management–IT Specialist | • Criminal Justice–Correctional Admin. | • Engineering Technology–Manufacturing | • Paramedic Technology |
| • Child Development | | • Graphic Arts/Printing Technology ¹ | • Physical Therapy Assistant ^{1,4} |
| • Computer Networking | | | • Skilled Trades ⁵ |
| | | | • Welding Technology ¹ |

Certificates

Certificate programs require one year or less of instruction and are designed to give the technical knowledge, manual skills, and general background necessary for achievement in technical and semi-professional employment. Certificate options include:

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| • Automotive Collision Technology ¹ | • Community Paramedic | • Electrical Technology | • Industrial Maintenance |
| • Automotive Technology ¹ | • Computer Networking | • Emergency Medical Technician | • Law Enforcement Academy–1000 Hours |
| • Business Management | • Construction/Building Technology ¹ | • Engineering Technology–Design Drafting | • Logistics Technology |
| • Child Development | • Criminal Justice | • Engineering Technology–Manufacturing | • Machine Tool Technology ¹ |
| • Child Development Associate | • Digital Media Technology ¹ | • Engineering Technology–Manufacturing | • Mobile Hydraulic Mechanic |
| | • Global Studies | • Heating, A/C, Refrigeration Technology ³ | • Paramedic Technology |
| | • Graphic Arts/Printing Technology ¹ | • Industrial Hydraulic Mechanic | • Pneumatic Technician |
| | • Electrical/Electronics Technology | | • Practical Nursing–LPN |
| | | | • Production Technician |
| | | | • Welding Technology ¹ |

Associate of Science (AS)

The Associate of Science Degree (AS) is awarded to students who successfully complete the requirements of the health career programs, such as:

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| • Associate Degree Nursing (RN) | • Respiratory Therapy ^{1,4} |
| • ADN–Advanced Placement | |

¹Degree or Certificate offered in collaboration with one of four area career and technical centers. ²Unitec and Cape Articulated Credit. ³Cape Articulated Credit. ⁴A year of coursework must be completed at the Cape Girardeau Career & Technology Center. ⁵Degree or certificate offered in collaboration with the U.S. Dept. of Labor & Bureau of Apprenticeship. ⁶Certificate of Completion.



Find Connections

From clubs and teams to performances and events, there's so much to do at MAC!

Make the most of your time at MAC by getting involved outside of the classroom. With over 15 student clubs and organizations, you're sure to find a group or two hosting events and activities that interest you!

Come out and cheer on one of our 16 Cardinal athletic teams and be sure to mark your calendar for our annual Homecoming celebration during basketball season. You'll also be able to catch concerts and performances throughout the year in the Fine Arts Theater.

Love the outdoors? It's a short walk from the Quad to enjoy the natural beauty of the Quarry Pond. Grab some friends and play a round of disc golf at our on-campus course—you can even check out a set of discs from our library!

Learn more at MineralArea.edu/student-life.

15+
**CLUBS &
ORGANIZATIONS**

**SIXTEEN
ATHLETIC
TEAMS**



Find Support

Need help finding resources for a paper? Looking for a quiet place to study? Our library is the place to go.

Our staff can help you access a multitude of books, online databases, and articles to complete your research. We even have laptops or Chromebooks available for you to check out!

Struggling with coursework? Unsure about strategies for success in college? Our tutors and staff in the Learning Center give you the support you need to help you excel.

Developing goals, balancing school with other obligations, and preparing for exams are among the many necessary skills you can refine with the help of our tutors and staff.

Looking for a smooth transition after MAC? You'll find numerous resources to help you succeed in choosing a career or planning a college transfer path.

MAC offers career and hiring fairs, career counseling, resume writing assistance, employment services, a work-study program, internships, and partnerships with area employers.



10 COUNTRIES REPRESENTED | 200+ RESIDENTS

Find Your Community

College Park campus housing is just steps away from class, athletic events, concerts, and more! Affordable and convenient, your stay at College Park features:

- **Kitchen & Dining Room:** dishwasher, stove/oven, refrigerator, table and chairs
- **Living Room:** sofa and chair, coffee table, end table
- **Bedroom:** extra long mattress and bed frame, nightstand, desk and chair, chest of drawers
- **Amenities:** swimming pool, computer lab, barbecue pavilion, private mailboxes, parking, clubhouse with big-screen TV, sand volleyball court, laundry facilities, free parking, free Wi-Fi

SEE FOR YOURSELF!

To schedule a housing tour, call (573) 518-1330 or email CollegePark@MineralArea.edu. Scan here for more details on student housing.



Room and Board*

4 bedroom, 2 bathroom: **\$2,600**

- Private bedrooms for 4 residents

2 bedroom, 2 bathroom: **\$2,200**

- Shared bedrooms for 4 residents

*Per person, per semester. Includes 15 meals/week. Pricing subject to change. For the latest information, visit MineralArea.edu.

How many students live on campus?

Each year, 200+ students from all over Missouri, across the US, and around the world find themselves at College Park!



"Living at College Park has been so much fun! It's convenient for class and practices, and it helped me build amazing relationships."

ELIZABETH S.
Associate of Arts

Student data from Spring semester 2021



Let's Get Started

1. Apply to MAC

- ☐ Fill out the free application at MineralArea.edu.

2. Send Transcripts

- ☐ Submit your transcripts—both from your high school and any college(s) you have attended.

3. Send Test Scores

- ☐ Submit your ACT or ACCUPLACER scores. To schedule the ACCUPLACER test, please contact our Assessment Office at (573) 518-2202 or Assessment@MineralArea.edu.

4. Apply for Aid

- ☐ Go to fafsa.gov and complete the FAFSA (school code **002486**). **Priority deadline to apply is April 1.**
- ☐ Submit the MAC Scholarship application at MineralArea.edu. **Priority deadline for scholarships is February 1.**
- ☐ If you're participating in the A+ program, be sure to complete your A+ activation form each semester through your MyMAC account.

5. Apply for Housing

- ☐ If you plan to live in College Park housing, go to MineralArea.edu, click on **College Park** under the **Future Students** tab, and fill out the online housing application under **College Park Forms**.

6. Sign up for C.A.R.D.S. and Enroll in Classes

- ☐ Once accepted to MAC, you'll be invited to sign up for C.A.R.D.S., MAC's online freshman orientation program. During orientation, you'll sign up for classes and learn more about student services, financial aid, billing, housing, and more.

Find Your Future

Scholarships, grants, A+ Program, and more. MAC's Department of Financial Aid is here to help put college within your reach!

The MAC Financial Aid office handles federal, state, institutional, and outside sources of financial aid including: Pell Grant, SEOG, Work Study, Federal Loan/PLUS Loan, Missouri Student Aid Programs, scholarships, WIOA, Vocational Rehab, and more.

Visit MineralArea.edu/Future-Students/Financial-Aid for more information and to apply for scholarships by the priority deadline of February 1.

\$7 MILLION IN FINANCIAL AID AWARDED LAST YEAR | **OVER TWO HUNDRED SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED EACH YEAR**

2021-22 Tuition Rates¹

In-district: \$116/credit hour

Out-of-district: \$161/credit hour

Out-of-state: \$213/credit hour

International: \$225/credit hour

Average Tuition and Fees for 1 Year

MAC \$3,850²

Missouri Public 4-Year \$10,723³

¹Per credit hour, not including fees. Subject to change. Classes in some programs are subject to tiered tuition rates. See website for more details. ²MAC Cost of Attendance Budgets for 2021-22. Rate for in-district, full-time students. ³College Board, "Average 2020-21 In-State Tuition and Fees at 4-Year Institutions."

STAY ON TRACK!

APPLY TO MAC			APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID			SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE (FEB. 1)			FAFSA PRIORITY DEADLINE (APR. 1)			CARDS ORIENTATION & ENROLL IN CLASSES			FALL STARTS
AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG			

APPLY TODAY!
Scan here for more info!





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Campus Housing

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