## MARTIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

# 2022-2023 Career-in-a-Year & MCC Commitment Scholarship

### FAQs for Curriculum Students

### **1.** What are the Career-in-a-Year (CIY) and MCC Commitment (MCCC) Scholarship programs?

The CIY and MCCC programs are last-dollar tuition and fees scholarship programs that ensure students who enrolled in eligible programs and are awarded will have their tuition and eligible fees paid.

All North Carolina residents who pay in-state tuition are eligible to apply for a CIY Scholarship.

All Martin County and Bertie County residents or graduates of a Martin County or Bertie County School or homeschool who graduated in the years 19-20, 20-21, or 21-22 are eligible to apply for a MCCC Scholarship.

#### 2. Are all students required to complete the college admission application?

*Yes. Students are required to complete the college admission application. Visit <u>cfnc.org</u> to apply.* 

### **3.** Are all students required to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)?

Yes. Students are required to complete the FAFSA. Visit <u>studentaid.gov</u> to apply.

#### 4. Are all students required to complete the MCC Scholarship Application?

Yes. Students are required to complete the MCC Scholarship Application. Visit <u>martinec.edu/scholarships</u> to apply.

#### 5. The CIY and MCC Scholarship Applications will be accepted for students enrolling in the 2022 Fall Semester. Will these scholarship opportunities be available to new students starting in 2023 Spring?

Maybe. Students wishing to enroll in a curriculum program are strongly encouraged to enroll in the 2022 Fall semester. Depending on funding availability, CIY and MCCC Scholarships may be available in the 2023 Spring; a decision has not been made.

#### 6. How long do CIY students have to complete their CIY programs using CIY funds?

CIY students have a maximum of 3 semesters (2022 Fall, 2023 Spring, & 2023 Summer) to complete their program. Students must start 2022FA. Some programs require less than 3 semesters to complete. Students may complete a CIY program beyond the one-year timeframe but may need to pay "out of pocket" or seek other scholarships.

### 7. How long do MCCC students have to complete their MCCC programs using MCCC funds?

MCCC students have a maximum of 4 (Fall/Spring/Fall/Spring) semesters to complete their programs. Students must start 2022FA. Some programs require less than 3 semesters to complete. Students may complete a MCCC program beyond the foursemester timeframe but may need to "pay out of pocket" or seek other scholarships.

#### 8. Will these programs cover student fees? If so, which fees?

Yes. Both programs will cover Student Activity Fees, Technology Fees, Science Lab Fees, and Equine Fees.

#### 9. Are transition and co-requisite course tuition costs included?

Yes. All courses must be part of an eligible program.

#### 10. Can a student receive more than one CIY or MCCC Scholarship?

No. Eligible students will receive one CIY or one MCCC Scholarship.

#### **11.** Are books and supplies costs included?

No.

#### 12. Will students receive any "cash-in-hand"? Will students receive a disbursement?

No.

#### 13. Are out-of-state students eligible?

No. To be eligible, students must qualify for the in-state tuition rate.

### 14. May all students apply, even those who have a high expected family contribution (EFC)?

Yes.

#### 15. May returning students apply?

*Returning students who have not previously been awarded a CIY or MCCC Scholarship may apply.* 

### **16.** Must returning students be in good academic standing or maintaining satisfactory academic performance (SAP)?

Students <u>are not required</u> to be in good academic standing or maintaining SAP to be eligible to apply for a CIY Scholarship. Continued eligibility is dependent upon maintaining SAP.

Students <u>are required</u> to be in good academic standing and maintaining SAP to be eligible to apply for a MCCC Scholarship. Continued eligibility is dependent upon maintaining SAP.

#### 17. Are students eligible if they have exceeded their FA lifetime eligibility?

Yes. (CIY) No. (MCCC)

#### 18. Should Career and College Promise (high school) students apply?

No. However, High School students may be eligible for a tuition waiver through the Career and College Promise Program. Students should discuss enrollment opportunities with their high school counselor or with someone in the MCC High School Programs office. For more information call (252) 789-0312 or email <u>ccp@martincc.edu</u>.

### **19.** Are students eligible for CIY or MCCC if they have already received a college credential?

Students are not eligible if they have received a college credential within the last three (3) years.