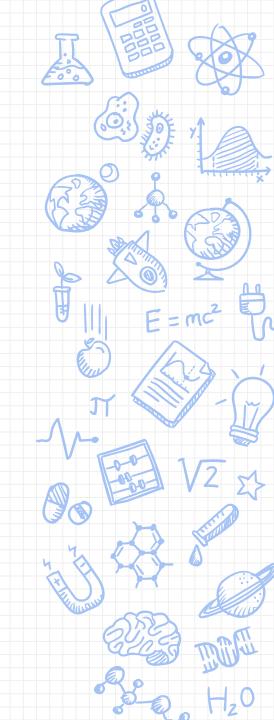


Welcome Morgan County Scholars

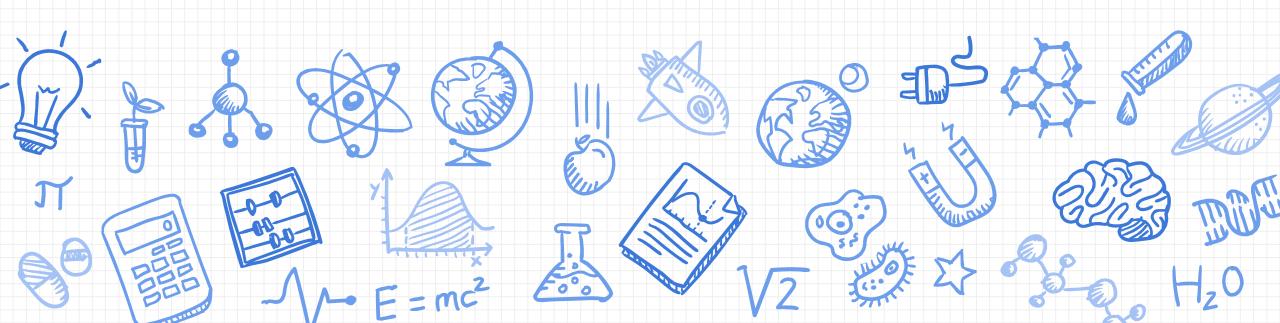


Today's Agenda

- Welcome
- General College Information
- Student Services
- Courses and Payment
- Technology Review



GENERAL INFORMATION



Welcome Desk
Sign in at all times to speak with Admissions,
Student Services, or Financial Aid.
Forms obtained at the Welcome Desk may be returned there as well



Enrollment Management Office

(Admissions, Financial Aid, Registrar, & Student Success)

Monday- Friday 8a-4:30p
By Appointment Only
Check our website for updates to operation schedule post-COVID 19.

Division office hours may vary. Please see the departmental secretary for further information.

Other Campus Locations



Morgan County Campus 109 War Memorial Drive, **Berkeley Springs, WV 25411**

Appears as "TC" on schedule.

Appears as "MO" on schedule.

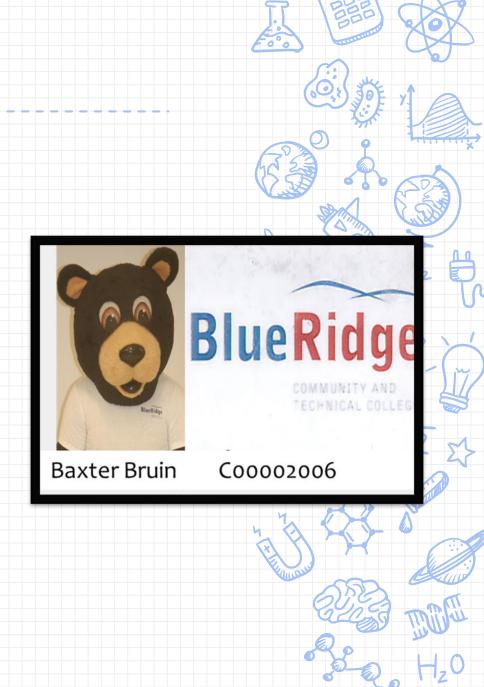




- 1974 Began as CTC Shepherd offering a Nursing Program
- 1992 Community College started in Gardiner Hall at Shepherd University
- 2001 moved to Martinsburg
- 2005 Earned Independent Accreditation
- 2006 Officially Renamed Blue Ridge CTC
- 2012 Moved to New Building
- 2015 Renewed Regional Accreditation Higher Learning Commission

Student ID

- Security within campus buildings
- ✓ Student ID number
- ✓ Discounts on tickets, community events, and businesses throughout the community

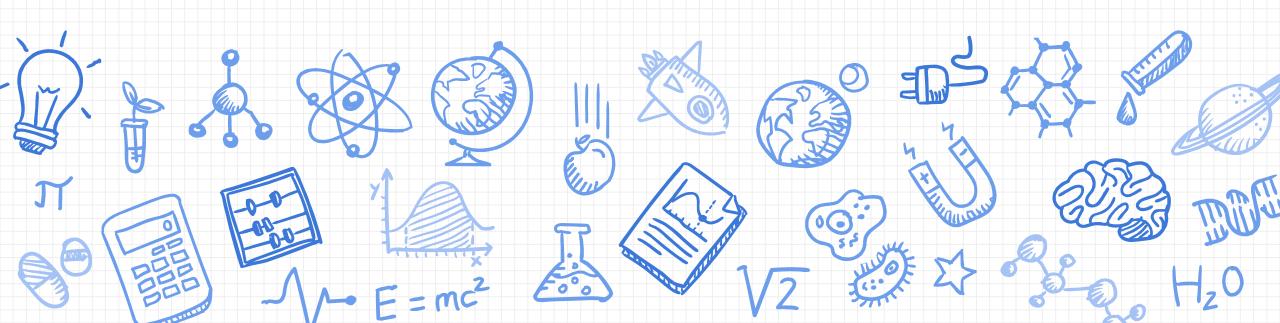


Campus Parking Permit



- ✓ Parking permits are required for faculty, staff, and students.
- ✓ There is no cost to obtain a parking permit.
- ✓ This assists Security in identifying vehicles and to contact the appropriate person if something happens to the vehicle, etc.
- ✓ Please return the completed form to the
 Security Office to receive your parking permit.
- ✓ You may request additional parking permits if you have more than one vehicle.

STUDENT SERVICES



Disability Services

Examples of accommodations:

- Extended test / assignment time
- Interpreting services
- Isolation during test
- Use of calculator
- Note taking assistance
- Test reading
- Priority seating

Documentation:

- IEP/504 Plan/Psychological Medical Evaluation
- Must be less than 5 years old
- An exception may be made on a case-by-case basis
- Must explain the nature of the disability and the functional limitations which the disability imposes
- This is **self-reporting** and anyone who believes he/she may have a disability should see Alexis Dixon in the Student Success Office

Alexis Dixon

Disability Services Coord.

Ext. 2117

adixon@ blueridgectc.edu





Our College supports students' mental health and wellness. We contract with East Ridge Health Systems, a local community mental health facility. This partnership helps students with mental illness and adjustment issues to live productive lives and to succeed academically. This program allows the student to be seen up to three times by a therapist. In the event of a mental health crisis after hours, the 24hour hotline is available to everyone at 304-263-8954.

For more information, please contact: Alexis Dixon at 304-260-4380 Ext. 21117 or The 844-HELP4WV call line can also provide services to those battling behavioral health struggles, such as suicide and depression.

BRCTC Resources

Alexis Dixon:

304-260-4380 ext. 2117

After hours: East Ridge 304-263-8954

Online: Ulifeline www.ulifeline.org/brctc

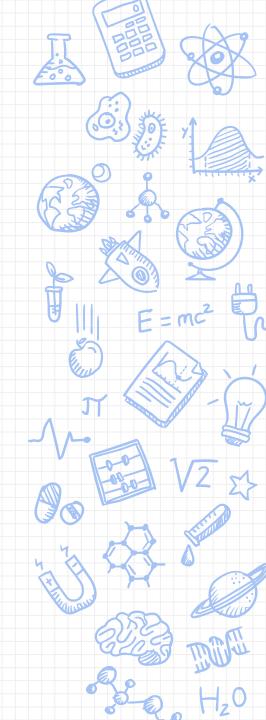
DID YOU KNOW?

Suicide is the second leading cause of death in college students

BRCTC Faculty and staff have a duty to warn

What is Title IX?

- ✓ Title IX is a portion of the Education Amendments of 1972, Public Law No. 92-318, 86 Stat. 235 (June 23, 1972) that states:
- ✓ "No person in the United States shall, on the basis of sex, be excluded from participation in, be denied benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any education program or activity receiving federal assistance."
- Sexual Harassment and Sexual Assault are forms of discrimination, therefore all reports of sexual harassment/assault fall under Title IX
- ✓ The College has a duty to promptly respond to complaints of sexual harassment and sexual violence in a way that limits its effects and prevents its recurrence.



Sexual Assault is an act of interpersonal violence that occurs at alarming numbers on college campuses. Victims can be male, female, transgender, heterosexual, homosexual, bisexual, or any other sexual orientation. Sexual assault includes unwanted sexual intercourse, unwanted sexual intrusion, or any form of touching within persons without the consent of that person.

Title IX Definitions

Stalking is threatening behaviors that one person exhibits towards another without physical contact being present. These actions can make a person feel unsafe in their environment.

Relationship/Domestic
Violence is violence between
two people in a relationship.
There are several different
kinds of violence: emotional,
physical, sexual, etc. The
abuse is about the abuser
gaining and maintaining
power over the other and
can be present in long-term
and dating relationships.

Sexual Harassment is recognized as a form of Sexual Misconduct that creates an unhealthy learning environment.

Sexual Harassment is when one person uses sexual words, gestures, looks, or touches that may make another person feel uncomfortable or unsafe.

How to Report a Title IX Violation

If you feel that you or someone you know has been a victim under Title IX, tell a campus employee or contact the campus Title IX Coordinator Ms. Ann Paull Office 2300

(304)-260-4380 ext. 2126

apaull@ blueridgectc.edu

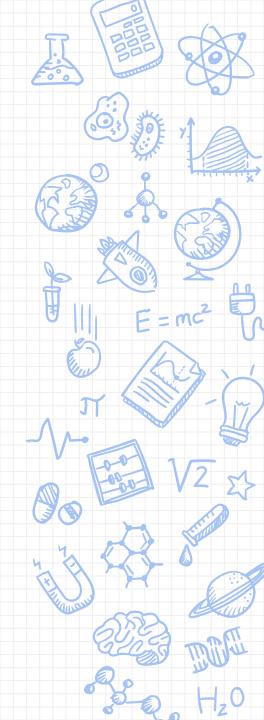
Tutoring and Assistance

VIRTUAL TUTORING

- Peer tutors help students to develop the competencies and confidence necessary for academic success.
- Virtual tutoring services available.
 Online tutoring available through Blackboard.

Online: Brainfuse

- Homework Help: Interact with live tutors in math, science, nursing, etc.
- Skills-building: choose statealigned lessons and get realtime help
- 24 Hour Writing Lab: submit essays and other forms of writing for constructive feedback
- Homework Send Questions:
 Submit homework questions for expert guidance
- Foreign Language/ SpanishSpeaking Support

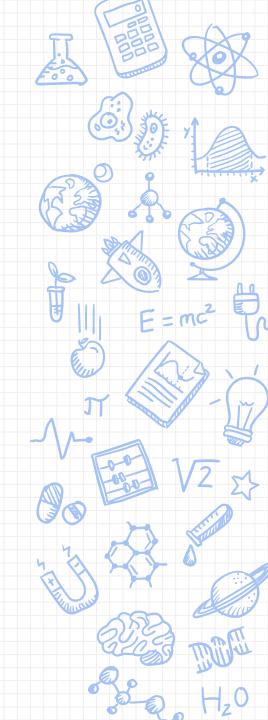


Research & Reference Support

✓ Research & Reference Support is located in Room 2200

- ✓ Students may email elearn@blueridgectc.edu with questions regarding Research and Reference Support.
- ✓ EBSCO Host: Online Library offered on our Website

✓ Print and e-resources available at the Berkeley County Public Libraries (with a free library card)



Blue Ridge Bruin Bookstore

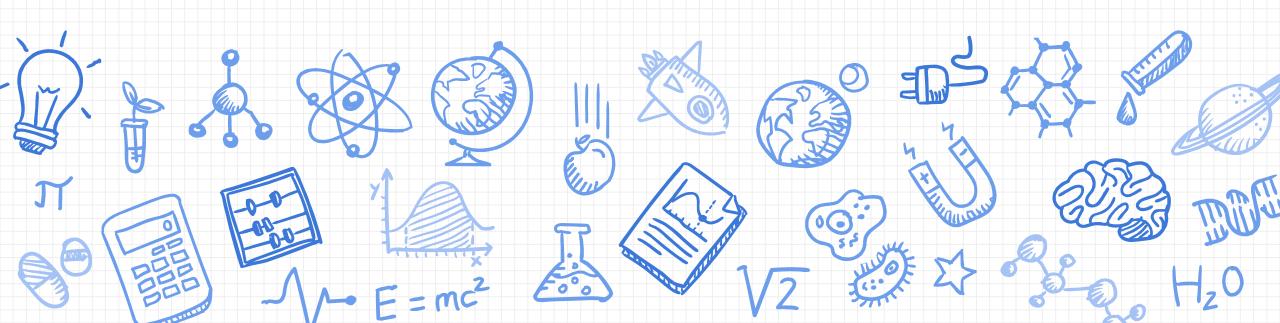


Bookstore locations at Headquarters and Tech Center Campuses

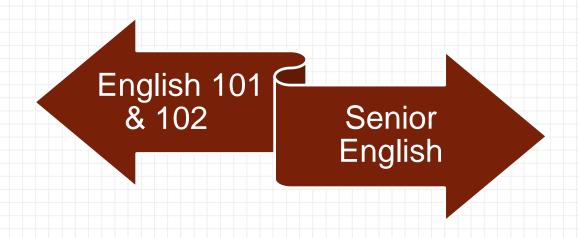
Text book must be mailed to home.



COURSES & PAYMENT



Dual Enrollment



College English in place of English 12.

Passing English 101/102 to Graduate.

Communicating with Guidance Office.

Other dual enrollment coursework.



Course Transferability

Request Transcript Online

Official transcript requests can be requested through the BR website.

WV CORE Transfer Agreement

Ensures transfer to WV Public Institution as equivalent course.

Out of State/Private Institutions

Students MUST contact institution to confirm transferability.

Course Meeting Schedule

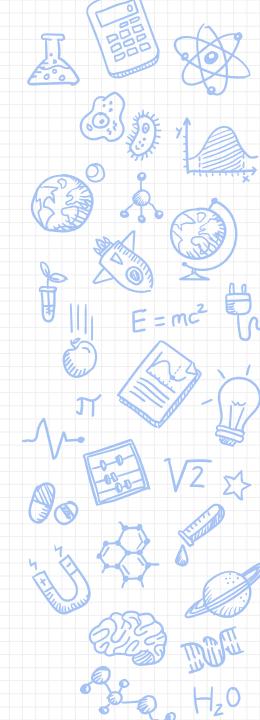
College in the High School Calendar

Follows Board of Education Calendar.

Both schools must be open for class to meet.

Extracurricular activities accommodated with guidance confirmation.

Inclement Weather & course cancellation.



Safety & Inclement Weather

Campus Safety and Security

E2Campus: Emergency Text Messaging system

Communication of safety concerns and issues, including weather, dismissals, and lockdowns

Weather:

- 3 Hour Delay
- BRCTC Closed
- Early Dismissal

Check all local radio stations and NBC 25 www.blueridgectc.edu: Most up to date

Sign up by texting:
AlertMe
to 79516

Student Expectations

- ✓ Be responsible
- ✓ Be respectful
- ✓ Attend class
- ✓ Do the work
- ✓ Ask for help
- Read the student handbook
- Respect others and their property
- ✓ Adult classes=Adult behavior

Required Study Time

Sample Schedule:

English 3 credits

Math..... 3 credits

FYE ····· 3 credits

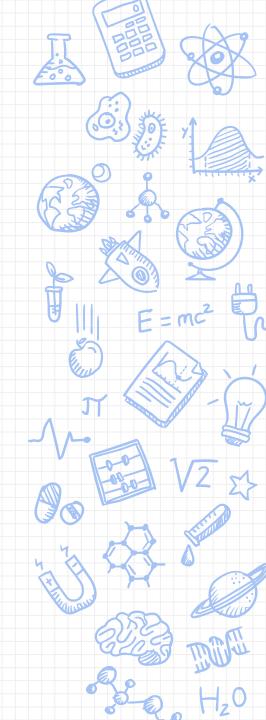
CAS 111 ····..... 3 credits

Total ····· 12 credits

12 credits x 2 hours = 24 hours per week

12 credits x 3 hours = 36 hours per week

24-36 hours study time outside of class



Registration

Fall Schedule

- English 101
- Sociology 203
- Math 100

Spring Schedule

- English 102
- Psychology 203
- Math 101

- Automatic Spring Registration.
- Course Schedule, day/time, remains the same.
- Courses OUTSIDE of the College in the High School Program do NOT offer automatic enrollment.
- Dropping VS Withdrawal



Tuition & Payment Deadlines

Courses in program are offered at NO COST to Morgan
County Residents
Textbooks Provided by BRCTC Foundation

HS Tuition Rate

\$25 per credit hour

- X Online courses assessed additional \$25 per credit hour fee
- X Technology, Science and other courses may have additional lab fees associated with the course.

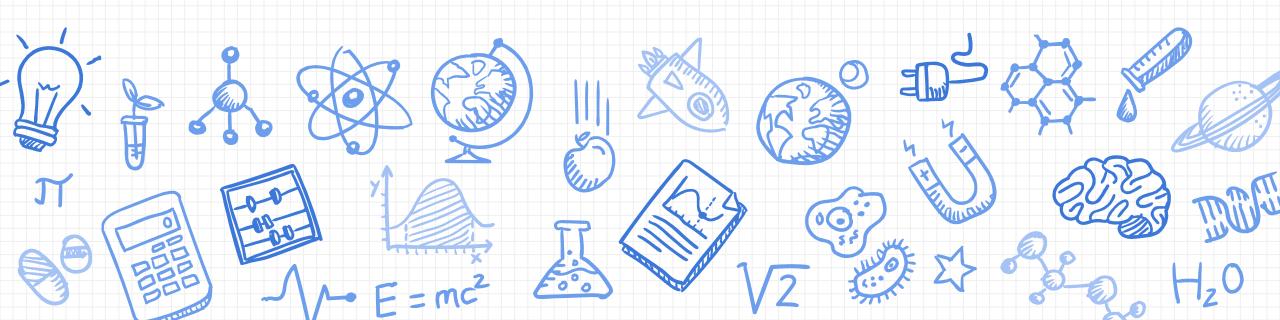
Fall:

60% Payment Due by Thursday, August 13, 2020

40% Payment Due by Friday, September 18, 2020

Payments Accepted through Cashier's Office and BRIDGE

TECHNOLOGY



Types of Technology

BRIDGE

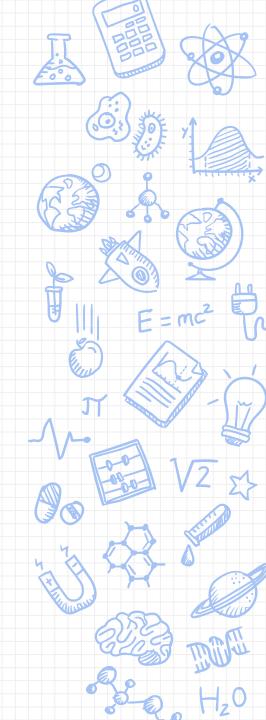
- Access to records, DegreeWorks, course registration
- Log on with your C-number & default password is six-digit date of birth

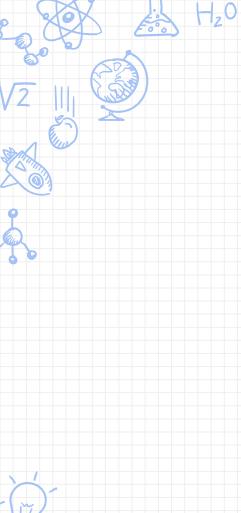
Student Email:

- Students can now forward to iPhone, smart phone, or another email account
- o username@my.blueridgectc.edu
- Username and password can be found on BRIDGE

Blackboard:

- System to log on to online course material
- Username found on BRIDGE
- Password is 6 digit Birthdate





Blue Ridge CONTACT:

Cassidy Gant

High School Enrollment Specialist cgant@blueridgectc.edu 304.260.4380 ext 2113

Text: 304-398-6718





