

ENROLLMENT AGREEMENT

Montgomery College

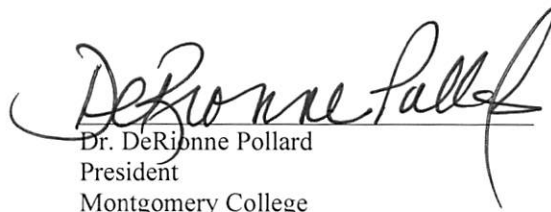
and

Hood College

Entered into this 6th day of June, 2017.
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Dr. Andrea Chapdelaine
President
Hood College



Dr. DeRionne Pollard
President
Montgomery College

This agreement is effective with new school admits beginning in fall, 2017.

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Montgomery College (MC), a community college in Montgomery County, Maryland, and Hood College (Hood), a four-year college in Frederick, MD agree to the following Enrollment Agreement.

PURPOSE OF AGREEMENT

This Enrollment Agreement will set expectations for administrators, faculty and staff at both institutions and foster a working relationship between the parties.

ADMINISTRATIVE PRINCIPLES

Under this Enrollment Agreement, MC students who have a cumulative 2.0 GPA or higher will:

1. Receive guaranteed admission to Hood.
2. Be considered for transfer scholarships if they are eligible. MC students will be eligible for a renewable (number of semesters determined at time of admission) transfer merit scholarship based on full-time enrollment upon transfer:

Scholarship Name	Amount	Minimum GPA for Scholarship Consideration
Leaders' Scholarship	40% of tuition	3.50
Trailblazer Scholarship	33% of tuition	3.00
Recognition Award	25% of tuition	2.50

3. Have the ability to interview on-campus at Hood to increase their merit scholarship. MC students not already eligible for the Leaders' Scholarship may be considered for an increase to their transfer merit scholarship amount, based on an on-campus interview.
4. Have access to an Academic Success Counselor who will work with MC students through the admission process and during their first year at Hood as both an academic and non-academic resource.
5. MC students who transfer to Hood and enroll on a full-time basis will be awarded a special MC Scholar Scholarship in the amount of \$500 per semester.
6. MC students who have achieved membership in Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society will receive a \$1,000 per semester scholarship.
7. Students are eligible for one, or all, of the above scholarships.

The following general principles guide the operation of this Enrollment Agreement:

1. The pathway is designed for graduates of the A.A., A.S., or A.A.T. degrees at MC. A maximum of 62 credit hours from MC will be allowed towards fulfillment of the 124 credit hours required for baccalaureate completion at Hood.
2. Hood will determine the applicability of course work taken at other postsecondary institutions.
3. Hood will promote the completion of the associate degree by encouraging students to earn their associate prior to transfer. Students who transfer prior to earning their associate degree will be encouraged to complete their associate through a reverse transfer program.
4. This agreement is for the purposes of transfer credit only, and does not address nor guarantee any expectations of institutional or degree admissions requirements, financial aid and scholarship eligibility unless otherwise noted.
5. Hood will establish a mechanism to provide information on the academic progress of the MC student enrolled as a result of this agreement.
6. This agreement becomes effective on the date set forth on the first page of this document. One semester, or six months' notice, must be provided in writing should either party wish to terminate the agreement.
7. The agreement will be reviewed every five years.
8. MC and Hood will abide by all State of Maryland and Federal Regulations and Laws, including FERPA policies and practices.
9. The office of record for institutional partnership agreements at Hood is the Office of the President. The office of record for agreements at MC is the Office of the Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs.