



# COAHOMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Welcome to our Campus!!!

Online Orientation Guide



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## ORIENTATION

This Online Orientation is designed specifically for the first-time freshman or transfer student. Our goal is to provide information to ease the transition into college life and introduce the college's goals, mission, policies, admission requirements, and programs of study.

The Division of Student Engagement and a committee made up of a select group of matriculating sophomore college students and faculty and staff representatives assist the entering Freshman and Transfer students in becoming acquainted with institutional administrators, faculty, staff, and campus programs and services. Orientation materials are provided to all entering freshmen. Entrance examinations, campus tours, social events, fees, lecture-discussion meetings, and registration, are some of the activities conducted during the period. Contents of the college's catalog and Student Handbook are also presented during the Summer Orientation.

An orientation class is conducted for one semester as a part of the regular college curriculum. College rules, regulations, and policies are reviewed along with other activities designed to help freshmen adjust to college. Student handbooks and college catalogs are distributed and reviewed.

**Note:** An on-campus orientation containing paralleled material can be attended by potential students (onsite and offsite) of Coahoma Community College during the summer under the auspice of the Division of Student Engagement. This link is designed for the specific purpose of providing material to interested potential students that could not attend the on- campus orientation activities.



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## History of the College

Coahoma County Agricultural High School was established in 1924 becoming the first agricultural high school in Mississippi for Negroes under the existing "separate but equal" doctrine. The junior college curriculum was added in 1949, and the name of the institution was changed to Coahoma Junior College and Agricultural High School.

During the first two years (1949-1950), the junior college program was conducted by one full-time college director/teacher and a sufficient number of part-time teachers from the high school division. A full-time dean and college faculty were employed in the third year of operation. During the first year of operation (1949), Coahoma Junior College was supported entirely by county funds. In 1950, Coahoma Junior College became the first educational institution for Negroes to be included in Mississippi's system of public junior colleges and to be eligible to share in funds appropriated by the Mississippi Legislature for the support of public junior colleges. Other counties also began to support the junior college, including Bolivar, Quitman and Sunflower.

In 1965, Coahoma Junior College opened its doors to all students regardless of race, color, sex, national origin, or disability.

During its history, Coahoma Community College and Agricultural High School has been headed by eight superintendents and four presidents: M. L. Strange, 1924-25; J. M. Mosley, 1924-29; J. W. Addison, 1929-37; J. B. Wright, 1937-45; B. F. McLaurin, 1945-66; J. E. Miller, 1966-79; McKinley C. Martin, 1980-92; and the incumbent Vivian M. Presley, 1992 to June 2013. With her appointment as superintendent/president on January 6, 1992, Dr. Vivian Presley became the first female to head Coahoma Community College and Agricultural High School and the first woman to head a community/junior college in the state of Mississippi. Dr. Valmadge Towner was named Coahoma Community College's fifth president to join an esteemed group of college leaders, July 2013.

With the approval of the Board of Trustees of Coahoma Junior College and the State Board for Community and Junior Colleges, Coahoma Junior College's name was changed to Coahoma Community College, effective July 1, 1989.

In the spring of 1995, after many years of not having an official district, a bill was introduced to and passed by the Mississippi Legislature and signed by the Governor Kirk Fordice giving Coahoma Community College a district. Effective July 1, 1995, the Coahoma Community College district became Bolivar, Coahoma, Quitman, Tallahatchie, and Tunica Counties.



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## Office of the President *At Your Service*

Welcome to the Coahoma Community College and Agricultural High School website. We are at your service! Explore our resources, programs and opportunities. Find out how CCC can make you, your community, family, or business stronger and wiser (and maybe even happier)!

We are located and deeply rooted in the heart of the Mississippi Delta in Clarksdale, Mississippi. Our rich history and location includes Highway 61 (*named Blues Highway because it runs through the Delta where the blues was born*) and crosses Highway 49 in Clarksdale. This famous crossroads is where, according to legend, Robert Johnson supposedly sold his soul to the Devil in exchange for mastery of the blues.

We won't make you sell your soul to the devil at Coahoma Community College but we give you an outstanding educational experience where you will make lifelong friends. Our faculty and staff stand ready to assist you along your educational path.

We are at your service,

*Dr. Valmadge Towner*



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## Student Engagement

When I speak with parents of first year Coahoma Community College students, and ask them what they believe a college education means, they inevitably tell me that it is a combination of academic challenge and personal growth. They go on to say that the out-of-the-classroom experiences are critically important in the development of a young adult, and they express to me their hopes that the Coahoma Community College family will provide an expansive extra- and co-curriculum for their sons and daughters.

The staff, who populates the Division of Student Engagement which includes Tutorial Services, Career Services, the Counseling Center, Health Services, Campus Safety, New Student Orientation, Housing, Intramural Sports and Student Activities, work closely with the Coahoma faculty to provide our students with a learning environment rich with opportunity. At Coahoma, we focus on the growth and development of all facets of the individual; in addition to academic challenges, we believe that meeting new people, joining clubs and organizations, competing on an intercollegiate team, working on a community service project, and discovering new interests are important components of one's collegiate education.

As a member of the Coahoma Community College family, our students can expect that:

Their presence is valued.

They will be encouraged to become full participants in the life of the Coahoma campus, and their active involvement will serve to increase their connections to the college community and enhance their fun.

Their lives will be enriched by the relationships that they form with their faculty members, their academic advisors, members of the staff, and their peers –  
**OUR STUDENTS COUNT AT CCC!**

Similarly, by virtue of being the parent of a Coahoma Tiger you will become a member of the extended Tiger community and you will be important to us.

You will be invited to attend our summer New Student Orientation, which includes a Parents' Orientation program, and you will be encouraged to join us for football, basketball, baseball, track, softball, band and choir concerts as well as in October for the wonderful Homecoming Activities and again in Spring for our activities then. In short, you are always welcome!

I invite you to explore the links to the left of this page, where you will find the means of learning more about the various services and programs coordinated by those of us in the Student Engagement Division. I look forward to meeting you in the near future, and to welcoming you to our CCC Tiger Family.

Sincerely,

Karen Done,  
Director of Student Engagement



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# COAHOMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## Dean of Health Sciences

Greetings from the Division of Health Sciences!

Our programs are located at the Coahoma Community College Allied Health Training Center, 901 Ohio Street in Clarksdale, MS. We would love to talk to you about career options in health care. According to the US Department of Labor "Healthcare will generate 3.2 million new wage and salary jobs between 2008 and 2018, more than any other industry, largely in response to rapid growth in the elderly population. Ten of the twenty fastest growing occupations are related to healthcare. Many job openings should arise in all healthcare employment settings as a result of employment growth and the need to replace workers who retire or leave their jobs for other reasons."

If you have a good understanding of math, science, and English, enjoy working with people, and want to make a difference in their lives, a career in health care may be just right for you. We invite you to check out our programs of study on the CCC website and in the online college catalog or call for additional information.

- Associate Degree Nursing (662) 621-4210
- Respiratory Care (662) 621-4159
- Polysomnography (662) 621-4830
- Practical Nursing (662) 621-4687
- Paramedic (662) 621-4210
- EMT (662) 621-4210
- Phlebotomy & EKG (662) 621-4159
- Nursing Assistant (662) 621-4687

Please contact us if we can be of assistance to you as you plan your career at Coahoma Community College.

Dr. Chequitia Dixon







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## Dean of Career-Technical Education

On behalf of the faculty and staff, it is my sincere pleasure to welcome you to Coahoma Community College and the Career-Technical Division. You made a great choice to undertake your college education here. Although you will learn a lot in the next two years, this is just the beginning of what we hope will be an enriching life of learning as you live out your calling. The first year of college marks a major transition whether you are entering right out of high school or a break from formal education. If you are feeling nervous, scared, overwhelmed, lost or completely befuddled, you are not alone. Coahoma is the place to discover who you are and to discover your career path whether you are attending college to earn a degree or certificate, to prepare to transfer to a four institution, to update job skills or train for a new career, or to expand your interest. Everyone at CCC is committed to your success not just as a first year student, but also as someone who wants to get the most socially and academically from your time at CCC.

We are looking forward to meeting you this fall as you begin your future here at CCC.

Congratulations, you are in college and the brink of a whole new stage in your life. As you will come to hear so many times, the possibilities ahead of you are endless, so make sure you take all advantages that are before you. Your college experience will be what you make of it. You will get no more out of it than you are willing to put into it.

I look forward to getting to know you in the fall.

Dr. Larry Webster,  
Dean of Career-Technical Education



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# COAHOMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## Dean of Academic Affairs

Greetings and Welcome to Coahoma Community College,

Thank you for choosing Coahoma Community College! I am excited to meet you and eager to serve you. The Division of Academic Affairs offers a variety of educational programs that will prepare you for a very promising and rewarding future. We provide quality instruction and support services to ensure academic success. Our faculty and staff are always available to assist you individually and educationally. I am delighted you chose Coahoma Community College. You made the right choice and the only choice! Welcome to Coahoma Community College, home of the Tigers!

Sincerely,

Dr. Rolonda Brown,  
Dean of Academic Affairs



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# COAHOMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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## About CCC

The ninety-nine acre campus lies in an agrarian setting along Clarksdale-Friars Point Road near the Mississippi River, which forms the western boundary of Coahoma County. Bordered on the east by a quiet and picturesque lake, the school site is conducive to wholesome recreation as well as to serious study.

### Location

Coahoma Community College, located in Coahoma County, Mississippi, about four miles north of the city of Clarksdale, is easily accessible from four major highways: U.S. 61, U.S. 49, Miss. 6, and Miss. 1.

### Accreditation

Coahoma Community College is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools to award the Associate of Arts degree, the Associate of Applied Science degree, and certificates in career education. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of Coahoma Community College.



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# Off Campus Locations

**The Robert G. "Brick" Mason Health Sciences**  
901 Ohio Ave,  
Clarksdale, MS 38614

**The Ned Gathwright Workforce Development**  
510 Sunbelt Dr.  
Clarksdale, MS 38614



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## Non Discrimination

Coahoma Community College is an equal opportunity institution in accordance with civil rights and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, or other factors prohibited by law in any of its educational programs, activities and employment opportunities. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the non-discrimination policies:

Taneshia Turner, Director of Human Resources/Coordinator for 504/ADA, Title IX Compliance Officer, Office #A100, Vivian M. Presley Administration Building, 3240 Friars Point Road, Clarksdale, Mississippi 38614, Phone: (662)621-4853, Email:

[tyoung@coahomacc.edu](mailto:tyoung@coahomacc.edu).



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## President and Executive Officers

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# COAHOMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## Mission Statement and Goals

### MISSION STATEMENT

Coahoma Community College is an accredited public comprehensive institution of higher learning committed to providing accessible, affordable, diverse, and quality educational programs and services.

### COAHOMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE GOALS

Provide academic transfer programs that parallel with the first two years of college/university programs.

Provide career and technical education programs that prepare students to enter the job market or transfer to a college or university.

Meet the needs of area businesses and industries by providing workforce training programs.

Empower students with the necessary tools to maximize their potential by providing a network of support services and activities.

Utilize emerging instructional technology by providing innovative learning opportunities for students.

Address community and economic development needs within the service area by developing and sustaining partnerships with public and private agencies.

Initiate new programs or complement existing programs by securing and sustaining federal, state, and local funding.

Support cultural enrichment programs and activities.

Ensure institutional effectiveness by planning, assessing, and evaluating all activities and programs.



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## Compliance Policies

Coahoma Community College embraces the philosophy that students be provided the opportunities for learning experiences such as fundamental courses, counseling and tutorial assistance that will help individual student to succeed in achieving their educational goals. The institution utilizes an array of assessment instruments to determine the strengths and needs of students, for the purpose of focusing on the selection of the most appropriate program options to assure student success. Coahoma Community College has an “open admissions” policy consistent with the mission statement of the institution and all related laws, which allows students at multiple levels of academic experience and achievement to obtain a quality education through this institution.



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## Facilities

The J. W. ADDISON ADMINISTRATION BUILDING was originally constructed in 1963 and enlarged in 1969. This building served as the center for the administrative activities of the campus until 2011. It currently houses the offices of the Dean for Academic Affairs, Educational Outreach and other administrative offices for the Division of Academic Affairs. It is named in honor of J. W. Addison, a former superintendent of Coahoma Agricultural High School.

The ZEE A. BARRON STUDENT UNION was constructed in 1975. It is named in honor of one of the school's former organizers, Zee A. Barron. The Student Union houses many diverse offices and activity centers. This facility provides offices for Director of Enrollment Management and Student Engagement, the Assistant Director of Enrollment Management and Student Engagement, the Coordinator of Student Activities, Student Government Association, and the Coordinator of Housing. In addition, this facility provides space for a student lounge, the campus cafeteria/grill, meeting rooms (including the Magnolia Room), the faculty dining area, and the Tigers' gameroom.

THE BLACKBURN ANNEX is named in honor of a former director of the Division of Vocational and Technical Education, Samuel Blackburn. This building houses the institution's maintenance department and high school automotive mechanic shop.

THE ROSIE BROWN SANDY BAYOU BUILDING was originally constructed on the campus as a county elementary school and was considered part of the Coahoma Community College and Agricultural High School Complex. Because of declining enrollment, the school was closed. In 1976, the college purchased the facility to be used as a classroom building. This building was dedicated in memory of one of its most outstanding teachers and administrators, Rosie Brown. The building is currently used by the college and Coahoma Agricultural High School.

THE CAIN VOCATIONAL BUILDING was named in honor of two dedicated instructors, Joseph and Hettie Cain. The facility houses high school building trades, and a technology classroom. The building was renovated in 1991.

THE CONSUELLA CARTER MUSIC HALL, constructed in 1967, is named in honor of Consuella Carter, a former band director and music instructor at Coahoma Community College. This building houses the Band Director's office, a classroom, a rehearsal hall, and storage space.





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**THE CHRISTINE J. CURRY HALL** was constructed in 1965 as a business building. An addition was made in 1969. It houses the Business and Computer Information Systems Department and the Health, Physical Education and Recreation Department. It is named in honor of Christine J. Curry, a long-time department head of the Business Department.

**THE DICKERSON-JOHNSON LIBRARY AND LEARNING RESOURCES CENTER** is named in honor of the institution's first librarian, Ethel V. Dickerson, and Lillian Rogers Johnson, a former organizer of the College. The Library occupies the second and third floors of the building with the Reference Section and computer lab on the second floor and the General Collection, Main Reading Room, Black Heritage Collection Media Center residing on the third floor.

**THE LEE FLOWERS CAREER/TECHNICAL BUILDING**, originally constructed in 1962, is named in honor of Lee Flowers, a deceased instructor in the building trades. It originally housed classrooms, shops, and laboratories for brick masonry. After the building sustained heavy damages from a tornado in 1984, it was completely renovated in 1985 to a two-story structure. The first floor currently houses the Barbering & Cosmetology Programs. The second floor houses Business and Office Systems Technology and Child Care Technology Programs.

**THE FRIENDS RESIDENCE HALL**, a three-story facility, was constructed in 1983. It provides housing for 122 male students and includes lounges, lobbies, and kitchenettes. The building was renovated in 2006.

**THE B. F. MCLAURIN VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL CENTER**, constructed in 1969, is named in honor of the school's first president, B. F. McLaurin. This building houses facilities for Hotel Restaurant Management Technology, Industrial Maintenance Technology, Residential Carpentry, Welding Technology, and various offices including the offices of the Vice President and Dean of Career-Technical Education.

**THE SEZZIE MCLAURIN RESIDENCE HALL**, constructed during the 1983-84 school year, was named in honor of the deceased wife of the first president. This two-story building provides housing for 52 female students. It also includes lounges, lobbies, and kitchenettes.

**THE JAMES E. MILLER STADIUM**, constructed in 1979, is named in honor of the second president, James E. Miller. This stadium, which is home field of the Coahoma Community College Tigers, has a seating capacity of 2,500. The James E. Miller Stadium was completely renovated during the 1997-98 academic school year with the addition of a new 1,678 square foot entrance building that provides space for ticket sales, concession, and restroom facilities.

**THE MARION M. REID GYMNASIUM**, constructed in 1960, is named in honor of a deceased faculty member and registrar, Marion M. Reid. This facility is used for athletic activities, assemblies, and classroom instruction. It was renovated in 1986, 1989, and 2007.





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**THE TRUSTEE CENTER FOR PHYSICAL OPERATIONS**, constructed in 1985, is named in honor of all present and past members of the Board of Trustees. It houses Shipping and Receiving, Physical Plant, and a busshop.

**THE MARY G. WHITESIDE ACADEMIC HALL**, constructed in 1958, is named in honor of Mary G. Whiteside, a deceased faculty member who was also a registrar and academic dean. This building has had ten renovations over the years and currently houses the academic departments of Social Sciences, Education and Psychology; English and Foreign Language; and Math and Science and the Whiteside Hall Lecture Room.

**THE IRMA GAMBRELL CHILD CARE CENTER** is named in honor of Irma Gambrell, a long-time employee and loyal supporter of the college. The facility was originally constructed to house vocational programs for the high school. After the building sustained heavy damages from a tornado in 1984, it was completely renovated in 1988 to house the Child Care Training Center.

**THE BARRON-MILLER CENTER FOR FINE ARTS**, originally constructed in 1965 as a small gymnasium for the high school, was named in honor of the school's first full-time music director and the second president. When originally constructed, the facility was used for physical education classes, small assemblies, and basketball practice. The facility was renovated in 1990-1991 to be used primarily by Coahoma Community College as a facility for art classes, performing arts, and small assemblies. The two-story building houses the Henry Dorsey Studio, the Thomas A. Richardson Studio, the Georgia A. Lewis Theater, the Eddie Mae Jackson Drama Laboratory, and the Miriam Green Writer and Artist Laboratory.

**THE MARVIN F. SIGMON JR. CAREER/TECHNICAL BUILDING**, constructed in 1978, was named in honor of Marvin Sigmon, Jr., who served on the Board of Trustees for Coahoma Community College and Agricultural High School for more than 30 years and as president of the Board of Trustees for a number of years. The facility houses the Career-Technical offices, Collision Repair Technology, and Culinary Arts.

**The NED GATHWRIGHT WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT CENTER** was originally built in 1992 and expanded in 1997. The facility was renamed in honor of alumnus, former instructor and board member in 2015. The facility is located in the Coahoma County Industrial Park on Highway 49S. The Center houses Customized Training for Business and Industry, Workforce Training and Adult Basic Education/GED classes.

**THE PINNACLE** was constructed in 1992-1993. This modern 34,474 square foot facility houses four classrooms, several offices, athletic dressing rooms, a permanent stage area, and an arena floor area for sporting events. The arena seats more than 4,000, houses a press box that doubles as a control and sound booth, and a video-taping area. The building is also used for cultural events for the College and the community.

**THE PRESIDENT'S HOME**, constructed in 1997, is located on the south end of the campus east of Friars Point Road. It is a beautiful one-story frame building with 4,252 square feet of living space.



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**THE GEORGE W. MOORE RESIDENCE HALL**, constructed in 2002, is a modern two-story men's dormitory. It houses 120 students and is handicap accessible. This building was named in honor of the late George W. Moore, a former college instructor and administrator.

**THE GEORGE A. GREEN ATHLETIC FIELD HOUSE**, constructed in 2002, is named in honor and in memory of the late former football coach, George A. Green. This modern facility has two dressing rooms, a state-of-the-art weight room, a meeting room, three offices, a reception area, and a laundryroom.

**FRANK W. GAMBRELL, JR. STUDENT AFFAIRS MULTI-COMPLEX BUILDING**, constructed in 2003, is a state-of-the-art facility that houses, student health services, student laundry, student mail, and the Fitness and Wellness Center.

**THE ROBERT G. "BRICK" MASON HEALTH SCIENCES BUILDING**, constructed in 2007, is a 26,000 square-foot facility that houses the Respiratory Care, the Practical Nursing, the Associate Degree in Nursing, Polysomnography Certificate and Associate Degree Programs, Paramedic Certificate and Associate Degree Programs and other short-term health care training programs. This building is located off-campus at 901 Ohio St. Clarksdale, MS 38614.

**EDDIE C. SMITH SPORTSPLEX**, constructed in 2005, is named in honor of a dedicated science instructor and public servant, Eddie C. Smith. The facility is located in the southeast corner of the campus. This beautiful facility was constructed to meet state and national design requirements. It consists of a baseball field, a softball field, and an indoor facility that provides approximately 875 square feet for concessions, restrooms, sports activity announcements, and storage.

**CHARLES F. REID SPONSORED PROGRAMS BUILDING**, constructed in 1960, was originally used as a female dormitory and was referred to as the —Women's Dormitory. In the early nineties, the name was changed to —TINY TIGERS|| and the building was used as a day care center. In 2004, the building was renamed —Sponsored Programs. In 2008, the name was expanded in order to honor a former dean of academics, Mr. Charles F. Reid. Currently, this building houses sponsored programs and other programs/activities when space is available.

**THE MCKINLEY C. MARTIN RESIDENCE HALL**, constructed in 2014, is a modern two-story women's dormitory. It houses 56 students and is handicap accessible. It offers suite-style living in an apartment style. The building was named in honor of the 3rd President of the College, Dr. McKinley C. Martin.



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## General Admissions Requirements

Coahoma Community College has an "open admissions" policy. However, admissions to the college does not guarantee admissions to a specified program of study in the Health Sciences. We offer a wide variety of Programs of Study in associate degrees and certificates. There is no Application Fee. CCC does not assess a fee to submit an application.

The following four (4) requirements are general admissions requirements and must be completed by all students desiring admission to Coahoma Community College:

1. ADMISSIONS APPLICATION
2. OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS
3. ACT SCORES (if under the age of 21 years old)
4. PHOTOCOPY OF SOCIAL SECURITY CARD

COMPLETE FAFSA APPLICATION



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## Requirements

The following four (4) requirements are general admissions requirements and must be completed by all students desiring admission to Coahoma Community College:

### 1. APPLICATION

Each applicant is required to submit a completed application for admission. This application can be obtained by contacting the Office of Admissions and Records or by clicking [here](#).

### 2. TRANSCRIPTS

A first-time entering student seeking admission to the college should provide an official transcript bearing the principal's/registrar's signature, date of graduation (if applicable) and the schoolseal.

Students who have passed the General Education Test must submit an official transcript of the General Education Diploma (GED) scores. To request an official GED Transcript, click [here](#).

Students who have attended other institutions of higher learning must submit official college and/or military transcripts from ALL institutions attended.

### 3. ACT SCORES

Students seeking admission to the academic and technical programs are required to take the American College Test (ACT) and request that the results be sent to the Office of Admissions and Records. The ACT Code for Coahoma Community College is 002401.

A student cannot be admitted to an academic or technical program unless the ACT scores are on file in the Admissions and Records Office. First-time enrolled students 21 years of age and older are not required to take the ACT unless they are planning to enter into a specific program that requires it, such as the Practical Nursing, Respiratory Care and the Associate Degree Nursing Programs.

### 4. SOCIAL SECURITY CARD

Each applicant is required to submit a copy of his/her signed social security card.

For additional information, please click [here](#):

<http://www.coahomacc.edu/admissions-financial-aid/admissions/general-admissions/index>





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## Financial Aid

Welcome to the Office of Financial Aid. It is our pleasure to help you explore every option available to help fund your educational pursuits and achieve your educational goals. This site was designed to answer all of your financial aid questions and concerns, but if you need further assistance please contact our Financial Aid Office at, (662) 621-4200 or via email [financialaid@coahomacc.edu](mailto:financialaid@coahomacc.edu).

Click here to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Remember to use Coahoma Community College (002401) as one of the ten colleges of interest.



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## Programs of Study

Coahoma Community College offers its students more than 55 university parallel degree programs, eight Health Science programs and 15 Career and Technical Education programs.

Classes are offered online, in the classroom and at extension sites within our five-county service area of Bolivar, Coahoma, Tallahatchie, Tunica and Quitman counties.

<http://www.coahomacc.edu/programs-of-study/index>



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## Campus Safety

The Department of Campus Safety on the campus of Coahoma Community College is an entity of the institution that provides the first line of defense for students, faculty and staff for on and off-campus buildings and sites. The department's overall goal is to provide an environment that is safe, less threatening, and conducive to teaching and learning. Full-time and part-time certified State of Mississippi police officers are housed within the department under the direct leadership of the Campus Police and Fire Chief. The department also houses a full-time dispatcher.

Campus police, under circumstances punishable by law, have the authority to arrest a subject for disorderly conduct unbecoming to the policies and procedures of the institution and/or the law as prescribed by the State of Mississippi.

The Department of Safety can be contacted in all cases of an emergencies at (662) 621-4175 (office) and (662) 902-9465. The department is located in the Dickerson-Johnson Library (1st floor). Officers are on duty 24 hours a day, seven days a week. The Director of Campus Safety is Charles Jones and Lead Officer is George Brown.





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## Campus Housing

Coahoma Community College affords the privilege for eligible students to reside in campus residence halls. First preference is given to students who are Pell Grant Packaged as residents of the State of Mississippi that have means to pay for the room and board fees. Residence Hall occupants' files are to be completed in the Office of Financial Aid before placement. The college has the right to refuse occupancy to any person who might pose a potential threat to the campus community. Any person who has been convicted of any criminal act will be considered for housing at the discretion of the Director of Campus Safety and the Director of Student Engagement. The college has four (4) residence halls which are in operation for occupancy. They are: George W. Moore Hall (Co-Ed); Friends Hall (Male); McLaurin Hall (Female) and McKinley C. Martin Hall (Female).

The Coordinator of Housing is Mrs. Dian Thomas

<http://www.coahomacc.edu/student-life/services/housing/index>



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## Athletics

Coahoma Community College is a member of the MACJC and has teams in six NJCAA Sports which participate in divisions I and II. We offer varsity sports which include Football, Men's Basketball, Women's Basketball, Softball, Baseball, Field and Track, and Cheerleading.

Student-Athletes must satisfy requirements of the institution, MACJC and NJCAA to be eligible for athletic participation.

The student-athlete must complete a minimum of 15 semester hours with a 2.0 GPA per semester.

<http://www.coahomasports.com/>



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## Student Engagement

Student Engagement is a state and federally supported entity of the institution providing financial affordability, safe environment, housing accessibility, health and nutrition awareness and services, job readiness, physical fitness, life preparedness, social aptitude, and personal growth skills for all students enrolled.

We seek to serve as a support base for all institutional areas providing academic, career and technical, institutional effectiveness, and workforce development enhancement programs to increase the optimal development of a student's matriculation to graduation.

<http://www.coahomacc.edu/student-life/index>



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## Additional Student Resources

<http://www.coahomacc.edu/student-life/support-services/counseling/index>

<http://www.coahomacc.edu/student-life/support-services/career-services/index>

<http://www.coahomacc.edu/student-life/support-services/tutorial-services/index>



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