

MATC Pre-College On-line Courses

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High School On-Line Courses!

Milwaukee Area Technical College has been home to an Adult High School since 1932. Fully-accredited, the high school offers credit recovery courses to local students during our evening and summer sessions, and to students from all over the world via our on-line diploma program each semester and during summers as well. Our affordable courses are written and delivered by certified faculty who specialize in working with at-risk students.

English Courses: Language Arts Communication 1 & 2, Multi-Cultural Literature, Communication via the Media

Math Courses: Algebra 1A & 1B, Computer Math Applications

Science Courses: General Science 1 & 2, Biology 1 & 2, Chemistry 1 & 2

History & Social Studies: American History 1 & 2, American Government, Psychology, Sociology, Personal Economics, Civic Literacy

Occupational & Other: Career Preparation & Exploration, Keyboard, Keypad & Windows, Health for Adults, GED/HSED Preparation

Highlights & Benefits:

- Courses written and delivered by certified faculty (nothing “canned”)
- MATC’s Adult High School has been NCA accredited since the 1930’s
- Courses cost less than \$50 and few require purchased texts

To See Current Schedule:

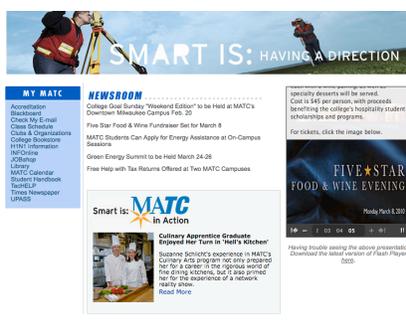
- Go to INFOOnline from MATC.edu
- Click on “search for classes”
- Select term from pull down menu
- Click on “on-line course search”
- Select “Adult High School” from academic level pull down menu
- Click “submit” - receive list of classes and slots available
- Click on course title for description & cost



To Qualify: Students must be at least 16 years of age and full-time within their district - not home-schooled, home-bound or expelled.

To Register: Students and counselors should select courses together using INFOnline making sure classes are offered and have space available. A completed MATC registration form is then faxed with a letter of permission from the school. Either the letter says the school district will sponsor the student, or the registration form has a parent/guardian's credit card information to expedite registration. Both documents faxed simultaneously to Kevin Mulvenna, 414-297-8154.

Timeline: Registration for both the summer and fall semester begins in April. Registration for January begins in November. Watch INFOnline for exact dates. While we allow registration well into the semester (provided there is room in a course), there is a definite start and end date to each term. Students should be mindful that MATC's end date is earlier than that of their regular school. Also, once a course



begins, a student needs the written permission of the instructor to enter the course. Students can work day or night, but they must keep up with the course.

Credits & Transcripts: MATC's Adult High School awards a full credit for completion of most courses, but requires over forty for graduation. Typically, schools requiring twenty some credits for graduation, award one-half credit for MATC's full credit. MATC does not mail grades to students. Grade reports and unofficial transcripts are available via INFOnline. Official transcripts can be ordered following the directions available by calling 414-297-6416.

Full diploma or GED/HSED: Once 18, students can enter our Adult High School or begin GED/HSED preparation. A student planning to graduate from the Adult High School needs to have previous transcripts evaluated to determine if it's possible to complete the remaining course work on-line. While we do offer several GED/HSED courses on-line through the Pre-College Education Division, all GED



testing must be done in person at an approved testing center. Please call or write for more information regarding these options.

Our Advantage: MATC's Adult High School was founded in 1932, is fully accredited by the North Central Association and is just like any regular high school. Our instructors are not only certified by Wisconsin's Department of Public Instruction, but the Wisconsin Technical College System as well. Our teachers write their own curriculum relying on state standards and do not use "pre-canned" course materials or cartridges. All work is submitted to, and evaluated by, the instructor. Finally, and most importantly to many, our fees are incredibly reasonable given other "virtual" school options.

KEVIN MULVENNA is an Adult High School faculty member teaching history and social studies in addition to being the Instructional Chair for Pre-College on-line courses. His web site, <http://ecampus.matc.edu/mulvennk>, answers more questions, has forms for registration and videos that explain the program.