

Faculty Academic Advisors

Promoting retention awareness is a high priority at RMCC

RMCC recognizes that the first-year of college may well be the most important year of college.

RMCC's First-Year Statement

RMCC affirms that the quality of the first-year experience is central to the achievement of its mission and lays the foundation upon which learning at the community college level is built. RMCC's mission, vision, and governing values commit the college to serving the needs of all learners. Providing a quality first-year experience is essential to the continued success of these learners.



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RMCC values its students

WHY RMCC?

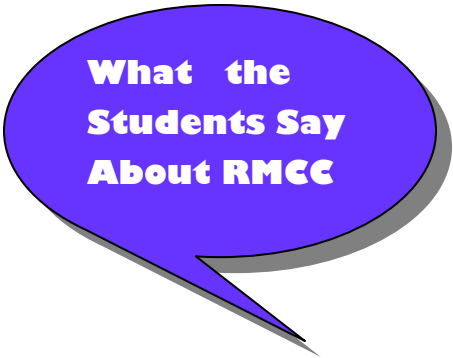
.Because It Makes Sense

At RMCC, it is all about YOU!



RMCC...where *your* future begins!

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What the Students Say About RMCC

"It helped me get used to people and being in a classroom. I gave me an idea of what a bigger college would be like."

"The instructors here are very accessible and are willing to help you when necessary."

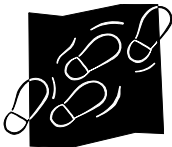
"They helped me schedule and pick out classes that will transfer and go toward my degree."

"It helped me get used to the college experience and helped me with the nervousness of college."

"Financial Aid was very helpful in providing me with the information I needed."

"Rich Mountain Community College has prepared me for living and succeeding at a four-year institution."

"Great teachers, great helpers, and great students."



Data show that RMCC students succeed when they transfer to four-year institutions.

"The enrollment process was easy. The staff and students helped me learn the layout of the campus very quickly, and my teachers told me from the beginning what they expected out of me in the course, so I knew what I had to do."

Student comments from 2007 FOE self-study.

Dollars and Cents: RMCC has the lowest tuition rates and fees in the state. Full-time (15 hrs), in-county tuition and fees = \$810 (does not include lab, CST, or activity fees).



Numerous transfer scholarships: Transfer scholarships are available to students for most universities in Arkansas.

Student Safety: Because the safety of our students is a major concern of the administration and staff of RMCC, numerous precautions are taken to ensure a safe campus. In compliance with the Campus Security Act of 1990, RMCC posts and distributes its crime statistics. Of the nine criminal offences colleges are required to report, RMCC has had no incidents to report.

Six major degree programs: Associate of Arts, Associate of General Studies, Associate of Arts in Teaching, Associate of Applied Science, Associate of Applied Science in General Technology, Technical Certificates.

State of the art computer facilities:

Two computer lab classrooms, one Apple Macintosh and one Windows, are replaced bi-yearly. Our cutting edge technology and computer facilities exceed the facilities at neighboring 4-year institutions.

St. John Library: Over 10,000 volumes in circulation, a wide selection of journals and periodicals, interlibrary loan, and numerous library databases.

Drug Prevention Program: A large collection of drug awareness and drug prevention materials is available to students.

Student are More Than A Number

The teacher-student ratio at RMCC is 14:1. Classes taught by experienced instructors not by graduate students

Federally funded TRIO programs

EOC: A free service to qualified youth and adults that provides information and help with financial aid and college admissions.

SSS: Provides free services to qualified students in the form of advising, counseling, professional tutoring, college skills development, and transfer advising.

RMCC: The college with a personal touch.

Established as a comprehensive community college in 1983, Rich Mountain Community College exists to provide all citizens of the Ouachita Mountain Region with exemplary educational and enrichment opportunities to improve the quality of life and standard of living.

Rich Mountain Community College
Mission Statement

RMCC IS FULLY ACCREDITED BY THE HIGHER LEARNING COMMISSION OF NORTH CENTRAL ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS.

"A MODEL RURAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE."
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