

Move On When Ready

WHAT'S UP!!

Counselor Workshops May 30-June 2, 2017

Move On When Ready Basics

- Students receive high school and college credit for taking one class.
- Local systems retain their FTE funding, colleges are paid through General Assembly funding by Georgia Student Finance Commission (GSFC), MOWR fiscal agent.
- Students do not have to pay tuition, mandatory fees or books up to 15 semester hours per semester.
- May participate as part or fulltime MOWR students but must maintain fulltime student enrollment status each term.
- Students may participate in summer school up to 15 hours like any other term.
- Each course taken must be recorded with a course title and a grade on the high school transcript whether the student completes the course or not.
- Cannot repeat MOWR courses student has already received high school credit.
- Cannot repeat same MOWR course that has already been taken and passed.
- Some required high school courses may not be available through MOWR.
- Students can be removed from MOWR participation by local systems or colleges for failure to follow guidelines, school rules, policies or program expectations.

Examples Of Avoiding Duplications

08.4700 Marketing Principles

MKTG 1370 Consumer Behavior

08.0A534 DE Business TCSG MKTG 1370

Consumer Behavior

MKTG 1370 Consumer Behavior

26.01200 Biology

BIOL 1111 Biology I

26.0A304 DE Life Sciences TCSG (BIOL I)

BIOL 1111 Biology I

23.05100 Am Lit/Composition

ENGL 2160 Am Literature Survey

23.0A374 DE Eng/Language Arts USG

(ENGL 2160 Am Lit.)

ENGL 2160 Am Literature Survey

WHY SB 132 MOWR?



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Streamlined the 3 programs into one program.

Easier for students, parents, and K-12/higher education personnel to understand, promote, administer, etc.

Established a single program administered by GSFC.
Takes advantage of the online processes built for the Accel program.

Reduced out-of-pocket expenses for students and their families.

Increases access by removing financial barriers.

Expands course options.

Provides students with access to more courses provided through a single course list.

MOWR EARLY GRADUATION OPTION

Earn a high school diploma (SB 2)

- Student must receive credit for all EOCT courses: two English, two math, two science, and two social studies, and the required PE and Health course
 - Note: Course(s) may be taken through MOWR and/or at high school
 - Take EOC exams unless they are exempt exams.
 - Exams count 20% of final grade
- Earn and complete one of the following:
 - Associate degree
 - Technical diploma
 - Two certificate programs within one specific career pathway
- The high school must award a high school diploma

SB 2 OPTION

1. This is an alternative route for acquiring a high school diploma rather than following the traditional four year route.
2. Less high school units are required but an additional approved postsecondary credential is required.
3. Coursework can be done at any time beginning in the ninth grade.
4. Once all requirements are met, student receives high school diploma.
5. High school requirements must be completed in unison with a USG, TCSG or private Georgia college credential.

FOUR TCC AREAS THAT QUALIFY FOR SB 2

***Completion of these depends on entrance point and course availability.

TCSG's technical certificate programs that currently qualify

Computer Programmer

Networking

Welding

Manufacturing

ALONG WITH THE REQUIRED HIGH SCHOOL COURSES, COMPLETE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING TECHNICAL COLLEGE CREDENTIALS:

Any One Associate Degree Program

Any One Diploma Program

Two Technical Certificates of Credit (TCC) from the combinations list below:

Computer Programmer - Either Combo -

MCR1 MOWR C++ Programmer
MOJ1 MOWR Java Programmer

AND MCH1 MOWR C# Programmer
AND MPH1 MOWR PHP Programmer

Manufacturing Combo -

MMM1 MOWR Manufacturing Maintenance Technician AND MMP1 MOWR Manufacturing Production Assistant

Welding - Any Two of the Following -

MB31 MOWR Basic Shielded Arc Welder
MGM1 MOWR Gas Metal Arc Welder
MGT1 MOWR Gas Tungsten Arc Welder
MS71 MOWR Shielded Metal Arc Welding

MF61 MOWR Flux Cored Arc Welder
MGT1 MOWR Gas Tungsten Arc Welder
MGE1 MOWR Gas Tungsten Arc Welding

Computer Information Systems - Any One from Columns A AND one from Column B -

A MO21 MOWR Adv. CompTIA A+ Certified Tech Preparation
MC51 MOWR CompTIA A+ Certified Preparation
MPF1 MOWR Preparation for A+ Certificate

B MOH1 MOWR Help Desk Specialist
MO11 MOWR Microsoft Network Administrator
MO41 MOWR Cisco Certified Entry Network Tech
MO51 MOWR Cisco Network Specialist
MO61 MOWR Computer Forensic & Investigation Specialist
MO71 MOWR Database Administrator
MO31 MOWR Linux/UNIX System Administrator
MON1 MOWR Network Technician

CHANGES OCCURRING DURING 2017

- Only degree level MOWR core courses can receive the .5 weight and meet the academic rigor course categories of the HOPE/Zell Scholarship
- EOC testing changes became effective beginning with the Winter 2016 EOC administration that opened Monday, November 28, 2016.
- EOC tests allowed exemption by MOWR-American Literature & Composition, Physical Science, US History, and Economics.

MOWR EOC TESTING CHANGES DURING 2017

Required of All Students	Allowed Exemption by MOWR
Ninth Grade Literature & Composition	American Literature & Composition
Coordinate Algebra or Algebra I	Physical Science
Analytic Geometry* or Geometry*	US History
Biology	Economics

Any questions related to this action, please contact Melissa Fincher (404) 651-9405; mfincher@doe.k12.ga.us or Tony Eitel (404) 656-0478; acitel@doe.k12.ga.us.

CLARIFICATIONS FROM 2017

- Book funds will be paid to the Eligible Postsecondary Institution, and should be made available for the provision of books, for students participating in the MOWR Program.
 - a. Institutions must provide textbooks required for courses taken through the MOWR Program at no cost to the student. If the course textbook and/or course homework delivery method is provided online or online materials are used in lieu of a physical textbook, the institution must provide the access code at no cost to the student.
 - b. Any unused book allowance funds are to be retained by the Eligible Postsecondary Institution for overall MOWR book costs, and not refunded to individual students.

2018 CLARIFICATIONS

- A student must be admitted and classified as a MOWR student by an Eligible Postsecondary Institution.
- A MOWR student may enroll at two or more (2) Eligible Postsecondary Institutions during a single term.
 - a. The MOWR application must be completed for each participating Eligible Postsecondary Institution.
 - b. Coursework from each Eligible Postsecondary Institution must be listed on the student's high school transcript.
 - c. For a student who is enrolled at two or more Eligible Postsecondary Institutions during a single term, the student shall receive MOWR funds for Tuition, Mandatory fees and the Book Allowance at each Eligible Postsecondary Institution.

NEW MOWR LEGISLATION PASSED

- SB 211—Prohibits local systems from excluding MOWR students from Valedictorian or Salutatorian determination. Became effective May, 2017.

Exception: This does not apply to a student who moves into a school system after their sophomore year and does not take any courses on site at the participating high school.

- SB 186--High school graduates that received a high school diploma by earning a technical diploma or two approved technical certificates (the alternative graduation option provided for in Senate Bill 2 in 2016) may qualify to receive the HOPE Grant for the first 30 semester hours of an associate degree at a Technical College System of Georgia institution.

NEW CHANGES FOR 2018

- An Eligible High School and an Eligible Postsecondary Institution shall maintain accurate records, books, documents and other evidence concerning the MOWR Program, including, but not limited to, individual student files for whichever is longer:
 - a. Three years after the academic year the student participated or Award Year in which the aid was awarded; or
 - b. For such other period as required by an applicable statute, rule, or regulation; or
 - c. Such other time as requested in writing by GSFC.

NEW 2018 CHANGES

- Students who score at or above the Proficient Learner level on Ga Milestones assessment in ELA can use that score in place of ACCUPLACER ELA score beginning Summer 2017.
- Health and PE classes will no longer be available for MOWR students at TCSG's colleges after Spring 2017.
- Beginning Fall 2017, USG colleges will only allow fulltime MOWR students to enroll in PE classes. This does not apply to Health courses at USG.

Changes Continued

- Pursuant to OCGA §20-2-157(c) public and private schools are now required to upload annual electronic transcript data of all underclass high school students (9-11 grades) to the Georgia Student Finance (GSFC) calculations.
<https://gsfc.georgia.gov/dear-colleague-letters-and-updates-fy-2015>
- Deadline to upload 2016-2017 transcript data for 9th, 10th and 11th graders is June 30th.
- Underclass transcript data through STARS, of the previous Academic Year, must be uploaded by final deadline of September 30. If not, in February 2018 when the Summer and Fall 2018 MOWR application process opens, the high school will not be able to access their student's MOWR applications until the transcript data is uploaded.

NEW MOWR LENGTH OF ELIGIBILITY

1. Length of MOWR eligibility is four years and calculated based on the *9th Grade Start Date* and concludes at the end of the spring term of the 12th grade or graduation, whichever occurs first. Regulation Section 1605.
 - a. For the purposes of calculating length of MOWR eligibility, a student's 12th grade year concludes at the end of the spring term after four years of the student's high school enrollment beginning in the 9th grade.
2. A student who, began pursuing a documented Alternative Graduation Option (Senate Bill 2), on or before beginning the 11th grade, is eligible to participate in MOWR while continuing on the plan until high school graduation. The student must maintain all other eligibility requirements.

NEW LENGTH OF TIME FOR IEP OR 504 STUDENTS

3. A student with a documented Individual Education Plan (IEP) or 504 Plan that includes extended enrollment beyond the typical four (4) years is eligible to participate in the MOWR Program while following the IEP or 504 Plan. The student must maintain all other eligibility requirements.
 - a. The student must submit a Length of Eligibility Extension Request Form to GSFC and allow for the release of the IEP or 504 Plan to GSFC upon request to the high school.
4. GSFC retains the right to limit or deny participation in the event of inappropriate extended enrollment or program use.

EXCEPTIONS TO FOUR YEAR LIMIT

- Currently an extension of length of eligibility is only available for students:
 - Documented IEP or 504 Plan with an extended enrollment in high school
 - Begin pursuing an SB2 Alternative Graduation Option on or before beginning the 11th grade and need an extended enrollment in high school to complete under SB2
- Student must submit a MOWR Eligibility Extension Request form to GSFC for approval
 - Form will be available on GAfutures and STARS in the MOWR section by July 1
 - Must be validated by high school official (case manager or counselor)
 - Submit form to sas@gsfc.org

COMING

SOON!

MOWR Eligibility

- Revised online and paper MOWR application
 - Will include 9th Grade Start Date question to be completed by high school official and used to calculate the four year Length of Eligibility
- High school notices:
 - Approval of MOWR Eligibility Extension request by email to the official that signed the request form
 - When accessing a student's MOWR application, counselor will be notified on screen of eligibility expiration

USG-GENERAL DISABILITY DOCUMENTATION

1. All eligibility and accommodation decisions will be made on a case-by-case basis and will be informed by an interactive process.
2. Notably, the criteria of the general and specific guidelines need not be met via a single stand-alone psychological, psychoeducational, or neuropsychological report. Institutions will consider all documentation, data, and information provided as potential evidence of a disability and need for accommodation.
3. Documentation is used to determine eligibility for disability services, as well as to inform accommodation decision-making.
4. Institutions of the University System of Georgia require documentation from a qualified evaluator that attests to the presence of a disabling condition as defined by the ADA.

USG-ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE: DISABILITY SERVICES

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http://www.usg.edu/academic_partnerships_accreditation/committees/view/disability_service_providers

Administrative Committee: Disability Services

(Last Modified January 4, 2017)

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Special Assistance



- > To Stay in School
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For Special Populations

The Technical College System of Georgia provides equal access to all program activities and provides assurance of nondiscrimination for all special-population students in admissions, programs/training and all activities.

Special populations (as defined by the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Act of 2006) include: [List of Special Populations Coordinators](#). If you are a student and also one of the special populations defined below, contact the Special Populations Coordinator at the college you are considering.

Special populations includes:

- 1) Individuals with disabilities - If you think you may need disability services when you attend college, please contact the [Disability Services Coordinator](#) at the college you are considering on the attached list.
- 2) Individuals from economically disadvantaged families, including foster children

Click on this link and it will lead to Required Documentation



TCSG-MOWR DISABILITY CONTACTS

https://tcsgeu/all_documents/DIR_Disability_Services.pdf

https://tcsgeu/special_needs.php

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Criteria for Learning Disabilities



- > To Stay in School
- > For High School Students
- > For International Students
- > For Special Populations
- > For Americans with Disabilities (ADA)

Whom to Contact

All disabilities that affect learning and/or require a physical alteration will require documentation that verifies the disability, clarifies the areas of learning affected, and states the accommodations recommended as appropriate.

Special Needs & Disability Services

PARTICIPATING MOWR SCHOOLS

- 22 Technical college institutions
- 22 Private college institutions
- 29 USG public institutions
- 439 public high schools
- 202 private high schools
- 862 home study entities

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Summary of Changes

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- [University of North Georgia Military Scholarship](#)
- [University of North Georgia ROTC Grant](#)
- [University of North Georgia ROTC Grant for Future Officers](#)
- [Zell Miller Grant](#)
- [Zell Miller Scholarship](#)

Move on When Ready Program

REGULATIONS – 1600.

2017 - 2018 Award Year

Effective Date – July 1, 2017

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The screenshot shows the GAfutures homepage. At the top left is the logo "GAfutures Explore. Plan. Succeed." with navigation links for "Create an Account", "Sign In", and "Help". Below the logo is a horizontal menu with icons for "HOPE & State Aid Programs", "Federal Aid & Scholarships", "College Planning", "Career Exploration", "Resources", "About Us", and "My GAfutures". The main content area features a large "HOPE Programs" banner with a photo of a graduate and a "Learn more" button. To the right are three smaller articles: "Get Financially Fit For College", "Start the College Conversation Now", and "College STEM Courses". Below these are two sections: "AWARD RECIPIENTS: THEIR STORIES" with a photo of a student and a "Move On When Ready" article, and "NEWS YOU CAN USE" with a "Trending" tab and a list of links including "2017-2018 Award Amounts", "GAfutures Quick Guides and FAQs", "State Financial Aid Applications", "Move On When Ready", and "Go Back, Move Ahead". A red arrow points to the "Move On When Ready" link in the news section.

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Link to home page

The screenshot shows the "Move On When Ready" page on GAfutures. The top navigation bar includes "GAfutures Explore. Plan. Succeed." and links for "Create an Account", "Sign In", and "Help". Below is a secondary menu with icons for "State Aid Applications", "HOPE & State Aid Programs", "Federal Aid & Scholarships", "College Planning", "Career Exploration", "Resources", "About Us", and "My GAfutures". The main content area has a blue header "Move On When Ready" and a breadcrumb trail: "Home / HOPE & State Aid Programs / State Scholarships and Grants / Move On When Ready". Below this is a section titled "STATE SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS" with a horizontal menu of links: "Georgia Tuition Equalization Grant", "Move On When Ready", "REACH Georgia", "Georgia's HERO", "Public Safety Memorial Grant", and "UNG ROTC Grant". A "Print" button is located to the right. On the left is a sidebar with links: "Eligibility", "Award Amounts", "Eligible Colleges and Universities", "Course Directory", and "Application Procedure and Deadline". A red arrow points to the "Course Directory" link in the sidebar.

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Course Directory

Dual credit enrollment hours taken at a postsecondary institution and paid for by MOWR are not counted as attempted-hours, nor are the hours included in the combined paid-hours limit.

Note: Check periodically for updates to the [MOWR Course Directory](#).

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- Award Amounts
- Eligible Colleges and Universities
- Course Directory
- Application Procedure and Deadline
- Frequently Asked Questions
- Participation Agreement
- Transportation Grant

MOWR Program

Approved High School Courses and College Equivalents

Note: Check periodically for updates to the approved courses.

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Optional Course Title Search

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LAST MINUTE UPDATES



How Did We Do?

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