







College Works









Welcome STC Scholars

#STCDEScholars











President's Message



Welcome to Savannah
Technical College. You have
made an excellent choice.
We are dedicated to your
success and we're here to
help. Work hard, get involved
and you will have a great
experience here. I look
forward to seeing you on
campus soon.

Dr. Kathy Love, President













Orientation Agenda:

- High School Roll Call
- ✓ Student/Parent Mix & Mingle
- ✓ Dual Enrollment All-Star ★
- GA Futures & DE Funding
- ✓ Student Resources
- Advisement & Registration

























































Dual Enrollment All-Star













So who's gonna pay for this?

#moneymoves











GA Futures & DE Funding

- Dual enrollment courses, textbooks, and mandatory fees are paid for by Georgia Student Finance Commission (GSFC)
 - Additional programmatic fees and academic kits are NOT covered; i.e. Welding, Cosmetology, Barbering kits
- You must complete a new funding application each semester of your attendance at STC.
- Courses that have not been approved by the counselor will not be covered and will result in acquiring a tuition fees balance from STC.











It pays to be smart...



#nowhammies











Impacts to DE Funding...

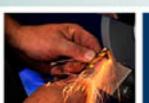
Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)

Students are required to:

- Complete at least 67% of course work attempted in your current program, and
- Maintain minimum grade point average of 2.0 (C average) and
- Complete current program of study within 150%
 maximum timeframe













Tools you can Use...







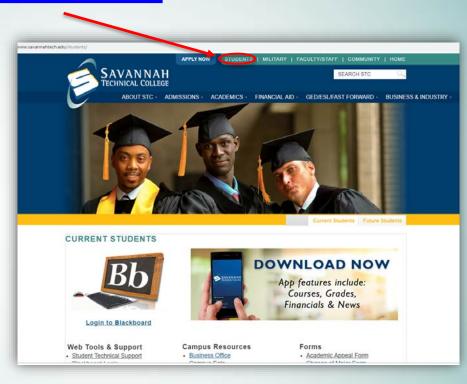




Resources

Check out the **STUDENTS** tab on the STC website.

- Banner
- Blackboard
- Student Email
- Forms
- Resources
- Catalog
- Graduation
 Information













Blackboard 411

Blackboard Assignments
Overview

How to Submit an Assignment















Blackboard FAQs

Frequently Asked Questions About Blackboard











STC Email Information

Follow these directions to obtain and login to your Savannah Technical College (STC) student email:

Obtaining Your Student Email Address:

- 1. Navigate to **Banner Web**.
- 2. Click Enter Secure Area.
- 3.Enter your User Id (Default Id is your student number or SSN#) and PIN (Default PIN is your birthday in the format **MMDDYY** then click the Next.
- 4.Click "Personal Information"
- 5.Click "View Email Address(es)"

To login:

- 1. Go to the STC Email login page: https://login.microsoftonline.com/
- 2. All Savannah Technical College Student emails end with the suffix: @students.savannahtech.edu
- 3. Your initial login to student email will be your birthday in 8 digits (MMDDYYYY).
- 4. You should change your password after your first login to email.











Student Support Services

- Campus Police
- Library
- Career Services
- Special Populations













Campus Police



STCPD: (912) 443-5200

Gwen Goodman Hall Room 2123

Wayne Willcox, Chief of Police

- School Wide Emergency Alerts
- Security Escorts
- Parking Permits











Library

STC has libraries at the Savannah, Liberty, and Effingham campuses.

Services:

- Academic resources, books
- Computers & Free printing
- Private study rooms
- Tutoring: see <u>Library webpage</u> for schedule
- Assistance with Blackboard ask for Jennifer Peters (912) 443-4169











Career Services

- Career Planning
- Resume and Job Search Assistance
 - Career Fairs

For Assistance:

Kelly Morris

Coordinator of Career Services & Student Activities
Office 1143 (Student Affairs)
912-443-5880

kmorris@savannahtech.edu











Special Populations

Who is a Special Populations Student?

- Single Parents
- Displaced Homemakers
- Students with Disabilities
- Students with limited English proficiency
- Students preparing for a non-traditional career field

Services:

- Personal Counseling
- Life Skills Workshops
- Community Resource Referrals











Special Populations: Disabilities

Savannah Technical College's Office of Special Populations offers accommodations and support services.

- A person with a disability is anyone who has a physical, mental, or emotional impairment that substantially limits one or more life activities, including: walking, talking, seeing, hearing, breathing, learning, and working.
- To receive accommodations, students must self disclose.
- Documentation of your disability is required.

Contact: **Melanie Wilder,** Special Populations Coordinator, 912-443-5717, Office 1142 (Student Affairs) or mwilder@savannahtech.edu











I'm the parent... I'm entitled to know your grades!











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Protection of Record FERPA

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) is a Federal law that protects the privacy of student education records. (20 U.S.C. § 1232g; 34 CFR Part 99)

FERPA FORM













Savannah Technical College by Division

- General Studies
- Business & Professional Services
- Health Sciences
- Industrial Technology
- Aviation











ADVISEMENT & REGISTRATION

None of us were born knowing how college works.













ADVISEMENT & REGISTRATION

How Does it Work?

- Student Groups
- Semester system & Advisement dates
- Advisor responsibilities
- Student responsibilities











Advisement & Registration No Harm, No Foul



- Schedule adjustment period
- Possible first 3 days of the term
- All adjustments must be approved by the High School Coordinator











ADVISEMENT & REGISTRATION Withdrawing

- Different than dropping
- Deadline mid-way through the semester
- W grade
- Can affect DE funding and high school graduation requirements
- **BEFORE** withdrawing, consult with your:
 - Parent
 - High School Guidance Counselor
 - High School Coordinator
 - Instructor











Anyone need a textbook?













Textbook Distribution

- Dual enrollment students will pick up textbooks and/or course codes from the STC Bookstore.
- Book distribution will start August 21-23 or September 3-9.
- NO BOOKS WILL BE DISTRUBUTED THE FIRST WEEK OF CLASS
- FINAL DEADLINE for book pick up will be September 9.
- A \$75 charge will post at the student's expense for lost or damaged books.
- Students will need a copy of their schedule and STC ID in order to pick up books.











Questions?













Please join your Division's Representative for a tour of the campus.

Thank you!



