Workforce Student Checklist

Now that you completed the Workforce intake application, follow the steps below:

Steps for All New Students

O Complete the TCC College admissions application <u>www.tacomacc.edu/costs-admission/admission-process/</u>

✓ After submitting your application, you will receive an email on your next steps within 3 business days.

O Complete the New Student Orientation (NSO) https://www.tacomacc.edu/costs-admission/admission-process/new_student_orientation

- ✓ After completing the NSO, you will receive an email with next steps, Academic Advisor contact information and resources guide.
- ✓ Set up your TCC account https://www.tacomacc.edu/costs-admission/admission-process/tcc-accounts
- ✓ Complete placement testing and/or get prior college transcript reviewed
 - Placement testing: https://www.tacomacc.edu/costs-admission/admission-process/course_placement/placement_testing
 - Transcript review: <u>www.tacomacc.edu/costs-admission/admission-process/course_placement/transcript_review</u>
- ✓ Make an appointment with your Academic Advisor <u>www.tacomacc.edu/academics</u> <u>advising</u>
- ✓ Enroll in classes https://www.tacomacc.edu/academics-programs/academic-support/enrollmentservices/enrollment/enroll_in_classes

Please connect with Entry Services **entryservices@tacomacc.edu** if you need assistance with the steps above or stop by Welcome Center in building 8.

• Explore TCC resources for students at https://www.tacomacc.edu/help/im-a-current-student

Steps to Establish Workforce Program Eligibility

• Provide documentation for Worker Retraining:

Documents can be submitted to tccworkforce@tacomacc.edu or to your navigator

- Unemployment Insurance check stub or go to www.secure.esd.wa.gov
- Divorce/Separation/ death decree; Displaced Homemaker attestation form
- DD214 if honorably discharged from military service
- Documentation of state licensed business closure
- O Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at

www.studentaid.gov/fafsa

- ✓ Free chatbot for FAFSA help www.getfafsahelp.org/CB.
- ✓ TCC school code: 003796 <u>www.tacomacc.edu/costs-admission/financial-aid/</u>

O If appropriate, apply for Basic Food assistance at www.washingtonconnection.org (877-501-2233) and indicate you want to be on BFET at TCC in the comment box; or call 2-1-1

O Schedule an appointment with your navigator to complete a quarterly funding request form by the tuition due date: https://www.tacomacc.edu/costs-admission/tuition-payment/

Your Workforce Funding navigator will provide you with Quarter Request for Funding form after you have enrolled for your classes.

Business, Paralegal, Technology Pathways: Adam Meyers <u>Click here for an appointment with Adam</u> Healthcare Pathways: Chanry Yann <u>Click here to schedule an appointment with Chanry</u>

Education & Human Services Pathways: Angie Christoph Click here for an appointment with Angie Transitional Studies Pathways: Thi Huynh Click here for an appointment with Thi Transfer/BAS Programs Pwint KoKo Click here to a phone appointment with Pwint

• Check your student email account regularly for critical messages from your Workforce navigator re: tuition payments, bookstore accounts, etc.

Steps for Students Receiving Unemployment Insurance (UI) Benefits

In order to complete the Commissioner Approved Training (CAT)/Training Benefits (TB) application for Employment Security:

O Complete a full education plan with academic advisor

www.tacomacc.edu/academics advising

- Enroll for the next quarter classes
- Options for completing CAT/TB application:
 - ✓ Download and print the paper application (this makes it easier to work through application with the navigator):

https://esdorchardstorage.blob.core.windows.net/esdwa/Default/ESDWAGOV/jobs-and-training/ESD-training-benefit-application.pdf

- ✓ Use the online application through your SAW account; if you choose this, please be sure to make an appointment with your navigator prior to starting the application
- O Use navigator's online Bookings to schedule a CAT/TB phone appointment with them, or email tccworkforce@tacomacc.edu to request an appointment for CAT/TB
- Fax/mail or submit (online) the CAT/TB Application as directed
- O Do your weekly job search until your Training Benefits application has been approved.

Steps to Take After the Quarter Starts

- Check your student email regularly
- O Accept Canvas invitation to the Workforce Community Canvas
- Meet with your academic advisor <u>www.tacomacc.edu/academics advising</u> or faculty advisor to make an Education Plan.
- O To request continued Workforce funding next quarter
 - ✓ Enroll in classes
- ✓ Complete the quarterly funding request form by the tuition due date The Funding Request form will be available in Workforce Community Canvas.