

Student Commitment Statement

I will make a commitment to my academic success and myself:

- To **attend** class:
 - I understand the importance of attending classes regularly, to be on time and stay until the end of class. This includes all modes of instruction; online, face-to-face and hybrid.
 - I understand that I must follow the academic calendar specified by the college. This includes the start and end dates of the semester, holidays and exam dates.
- To **participate**:
 - I commit to actively participate in class as this is very important to my learning experience and to my classmates.
 - I understand that I must respect others and avoid cellphone use or other disruptive behaviors.
 - I will actively use my HCC email and Canvas account regularly to communicate with college personnel.
- To **prepare** for class and **study**:
 - I will ensure that I read the course syllabus, I am prepared with all study materials and study independently to get ready for each class as required for the class.
 - I will complete all assignments on time, demonstrate organization, time management, a strong work ethic and a willingness to learn.
 - I also understand that my classes may require several hours of independent studying per week.
- To be **successful**:
 - I will go to the instructor with any questions or concerns about the class to ensure my success in class and to follow college policy.
 - I will use other campus resources, such as tutoring, Library and Center for Learning Resources (<https://www.hccs.edu/support-services>) to support my studies.
 - I understand that plagiarism and cheating are unethical and will submit work that is properly documented and solely mine. I will follow Student Code of Conduct guidelines.
- To be **positive**:
 - I understand that I will be in a college environment where the class rigor may challenge me; I will remain positive and understand that this is a necessary part of learning.
 - I commit to strive to embrace difficulty with optimism.

I understand that I can only succeed through hard work and will take the initiative in my education. Because I want to succeed in this program, I will apply the above commitment as the support to my success. I understand that the ultimate responsibility for succeeding is in my control. I 100% commit.

Please print this form for your records.

Name (print) _____ Signature _____

HCC ID _____ Date _____