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MISSION STATEMENT

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STRATEGIC PLAN COMMITMENTS

- 1. Student Success
- 2. Workforce Development & Lifelong Learning
- 3. Building Community Through Outreach & Partnerships
- 4. Institutional Excellence
- 5. Faculty & Staff Support

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ABOUT MCC

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STUDENT SUCCESS

STUDENTS SERVED IN 2021-2022 973

CREDENTIAL-SEEKING STUDENTS 4.4.7

HIGH SCHOOL DUAL ENROLLMENT

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STUDENTS

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MCC REVENUE SOURCES

Miles Community College changes lives in our community through responsible stewardship and financial management. TUITION & FEES

15.2%

23.6%

OTHER

17.9%

11.1%

PROPERTY TAX

32.2%

TOTAL REVENUE: \$12,580,262

GROWING MONTANA'S WORKFORCE

NURSING: MCC's five semester Registered Nursing (RN) program trains nurses throughout Eastern Montana, with multiple clinical facilities located in Miles City, Glendive, Sidney, Billings, Wolf Point, Terry and Forsyth to enhance the student clinical learning experience. The MCC Nursing Program is accredited by the Accreditation Commission of Education in Nursing (ACEN), and is approved by the Montana State Board of Nursing. MCC's 2022 Nursing graduates earned an 86.36% first time pass rate on the NCLEX.

COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE (CDL): The CDL program at MCC is federally registered and allows course completers to be registered under the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) Entry-Level Driver Training (ELDT) mandates. Multiple pathways are available for students seeking their CDL, including a 7-week stand alone course, a 7-week CDL certificate with hazmat endorsement, and a two-semester certificate in Basic Transportation Entrepreneurship. MCC will soon launch a partnership with Sidney High School to deliver the CDL program via dual enrollment for SHS students, with driver training available in Sidney.

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION: With critical teacher shortages significantly impacting rural Montana, MCC has partnered with Dickinson State University (DSU) to offer a pathway for remote completion of a bachelor's degree in elementary education. Students, including those who may already be working as paraprofessionals or with emergency licensure in local school districts, can complete the degree without leaving their home communities. The first graduates of this partnership are employed in Montana school districts this academic year!

CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANT: In September 2022, MCC was awarded a Future at Work Grant for the purpose of delivering high-need, short-term workforce credentials in Montana high schools. MCC has partnered with six schools to provide CNA training for up to 20 high school students, working to address the extreme shortages Montana healthcare facilities and long term care facilities are experiencing.

GRADUATE SUCCESS

MCC awarded 118 degrees for Summer 2021, Fall 2021, and Spring 2022.

Over 150 students completed and passed the CDL course and exam since Fall 2014.

Cumulatively, MCC students will receive an average \$5.50 in higher future income for every \$1 they invest in their education. (EMSI data)

MCC ATHLETICS

Miles Community College is a member of the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) Region XIII and the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association (NIRA).

Intercollegiate teams exist for men's baseball, women's softball, women's volleyball, men's and women's basketball, and men's and women's rodeo.

During 2021-22, MCC had 56 student athletes receive Academic All-American achievements.

ADULT BASIC EDUCATION AND TRAINING ON CAMPUS

Providing a path to a high school equivalency diploma, postsecondary education, and employment, MCC's Adult Education Program and related Bridge to College Program has long been an important part of campus.

During the 2021-22 program year, MCC served 34 students and helped 12 earn their HiSET credential or transition to postsecondary education.

Instruction in English for speakers of other languages is also provided for students and area workers.

NEW PROGRAMS & TRANSFER PATHWAYS

AG EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP

MSU Transfer Pathway

FMT

Pathway to FVCC Paramedicine-Delivered in Miles City

HUMAN & SOCIAL SERVICES

UM Social Work Transfer Pathway-Remote delivery

TECHNICAL STUDIES

CTE programs packaged to meet individual career & workforce needs













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