

# GTCHS College Registration Spring 2017



### Overview

All students, grades 10 through 12, interested in taking a college course at GTC in the spring must complete registration. This newsletter serves as a guide for students and parents in completing college paperwork. Please review all information and all important dates and deadlines. Any questions should be directed to Ms. Burrow, Ms. Latimer, or Ms. Beaver in the GTCHS School Counseling Department.

# Compass

New student registration must include appropriate Compass scores. ACT Compass is a computerized assessment to determine student placement in college level courses. Placement indicators are as follows:

Compass Reading Compass Writing	82 > 70 >	English 101 Placement	Can take courses with an ENG 101 Pre-requisite.
Compass Math	College Algebra > 26	Math 109 or 110	See a Counselor for assistance in selecting a Math course

Deadline to take Compass is **Friday, September 23, 2016**. See a counselor for a testing pass. Score reports dated September 24 or later will not be accepted for Spring 2017 registration.

# Registration

Spring 2017 registration paperwork will be available beginning Monday, September 19, 2016. GTC registration forms can be found:

- GTCHS School Website <u>www.gtchsguidance.weebly.com</u>
- GTCHS School Counseling White Board Bldg. 119
- GTCHS MPR

Students will need to print and complete all Early College paperwork. Please follow all directions. Incomplete paperwork will be returned.

Deadline for Spring 2017 registration is **Friday, October 7, 2017 by 3:00 PM** to Ms. Beaver, Ms. Burrow, or Ms. Latimer.

# Academic Advising

Students can schedule a time to meet with a counselor to plan out college coursework. Please visit the GTCHS School Counseling website to schedule an appointment a counselor.

Counselors are available for Academic Advising September 19 - October 6, 2016 by appointment only.

\*\*Note: Students should not miss an academic class. Please sign up during a College Seminar, Open Period, Advisory, or Lunch.

## Meeting the Requirements for Early College

Students should meet all of the following:

- Grades 80 or higher in high school and college courses.
- Appropriate COMPASS scores.
- Completed registration paperwork turned in by the October 7, 2016 deadline.

**Special Notes:** Students taking HIS 201 as their US History course for high school graduation, will need to enroll in HIS 202 in the Spring 2017 semester. Upon completion of HIS 202, students will take the South Carolina End of Course Examination in US History. The EOC will count 20% or the students final grade in HIS 202. This will complete the SC graduation requirement.

### GTCHS - Spring 2017 College Registration Timeline

### **Compass Testing**

Deadline September 23 by 3:00 PM

Academic Advising

September 19 -October 6

### GTC Course Schedule Goes Live

September 19 at 5:00 PM

Early College Paperwork <u>Available</u>

September 19, 2016

Spring 2017 Registration Paperwork Due

October 7, 2016 by 3 PM NO EXCEPTIONS