Marion Technical College Student Orientation



Student Services & Student Fees

- **Career Advisors**
- **Applications**
- **Testing**
- When Life Interferes With School
- Registrar
- Paying for classes/services

School Safety

- Parking
- Fire Drills
- Lock In Place

Financial Aid Basics

- MTC Financial Aid Office Room 69
- **▶** Financial Aid office hours
 - Monday Thursday 8:00am to 6:00pm
 - **▶** Friday 8:00am to 3:00pm
- If you have questions, please visit the Financial Aid office to discuss your aid package.
- ► Financial Aid communicates with students by email & phone. Please be sure your information in FOCUS is correct.
- Title IV students earn their grant payments based on attendance.
- MTC is a Clock Hour school. Your attendance is critical to your success!

Financial Aid Aid and Scholarships Available

- ► Title IV Federal Pell Grant
- ► OSFA (Florida State Aid)
- Department of Veteran Affairs
- Vocational Rehab
- MTC Financial Aid
- ► CareerSource: Citrus Levy Marion
- Mike Rowe Works

Satisfactory Academic Progress SAP

- All students must maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)
- MTC SAP Policy basics:
 - Grades maintain a 2.0 GPA or program specific GPA (whichever is higher)
 - Attendance maintain 90% minimum
 - ► Pace Complete your program on time

Expectations In Your Program

- **▶ Student Responsibilities**
- **▶ Drug Free Schools and Communities Act**
- Children on Campus
- **▶ Student Handbook**
- ► Academic Integrity
- **Academic Probation**
- Acceptable Dress
- **▶** Badge Cost for Replacement \$5.35

Protecting Your Private Information

- **FERPA**
- **HIPAA**
- ► Senate Bill 524

https://offender.fdle.state.fl.us/

1-888-357-7332

Student Grievances

- **► Institution's Catalog on website**
- > Student Handbook on website
- ► "Failure on the part of the student to observe the time limits for initiation and/or follow-up on a complaint or grievance will automatically result in the complaint or grievance being considered abandoned."

FOCUS

- ► Accessing Your Information in FOCUS
 - Marion.FocusSchoolSoftware.com
 - Login: Student ID Number
 - Password: 8 Digit Birthday (05031999)
 - **Website:**
 - MarionTC.edu has a link for FOCUS

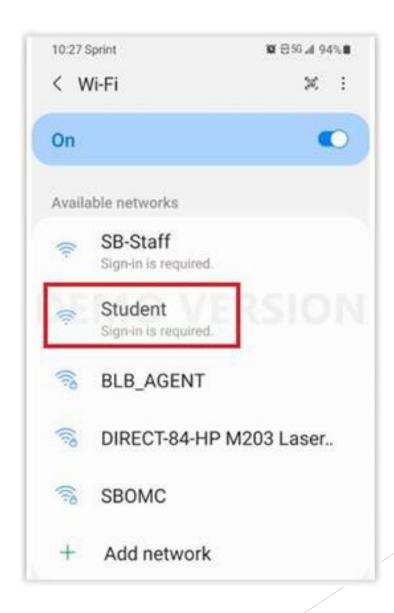
Email and Microsoft Office 365

- ► Student Emails and Office 365 Applications
 - ► Web Address: https://www.office.com
 - ► Login: firstname.lastname@mariontc.edu
 - **Example:** Sarah.Smith@mariontc.edu

See Karen Drew in Student Services for Help with Email Password

Accessing Student Wi-Fi on Campus:

1. Students will search for available Wi-Fi networks and choose the Student (Red box)



2. It will open to a District Student Wireless login page:

- 3. The student's credentials currently are as follows:
 - Login: FOCUS StudentID (e.g. 811226)
 - Password: Office 365 E-mail Password

 (e.g. goofy19)



Note: If students do not have the necessary credentials, they will need to contact their teacher who will call Student Services (Karen Drew) and get class roster containing this information

Student & College Activities



Student Ambassador Program



National Technical Honors Society (NTHS)

See Jeanine Johnson



Graduation

- ▶ Must meet all program requirements in order to graduate.
- ► Application for graduation Apps will be given to each program/student & must be submitted by Sept. 30th if you choose to participate in graduation. You must submit an application to be able to participate.
- ▶ Ordering cap and gown –Must order by Sept. 30th for the Winter Graduation
- ► https://highschool.herffjones.com/secom/home
 - ► Search "Marion Technical College Ocala"
 - Click Shop Grad products
- Winter & Spring Graduation Winter Graduation –
 December 14th, 2022. Spring Graduation TBD

If you have any questions that are not answered in this orientation, please visit Student Services!



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