

# COLLEGE NOW

At Medgar Evers College, CUNY

## Program Overview

College Now, is a free collaborative program of the City University of New York (CUNY) and the New York City Department of Education which aims to promote college awareness and strengthen academic preparation in order to expand students' capacity for a successful transition to college.

Students have the opportunity to earn college credits through an array of offered courses at Medgar Evers College. Other classes improve reading, writing, and math skills that are tested on the ELA and Math regents. We also offer workshops and a summer program that challenge the analytical and critical thinking capability of students. Courses and workshops are offered throughout the semester (Fall, Spring, and Summer).

### Minimum Eligibility Requirements:

- Most classes require that you must be a **Junior** or **Senior** in high school

COURSES OFFERED	ENG 112 HIST 201 SOC 101 ENTE 201	BIO 101
CREDITS	3	3
Minimum Regents Score OR	ELA 75+	ELA 75+ / Living Environment 75+
Subject GPA (Class Score)	English 80+	75+
Minimum Overall GPA Requirement	75+	75+

To submit **COMPLETED** Applications, please send emails to [collegenow@mec.cuny.edu](mailto:collegenow@mec.cuny.edu)

***PLEASE DO NOT EMAIL YOUR SSNs separately, in the body of email!***

**A CURRENT TRANSCRIPTS AND REPORT CARDS MUST ACCOMPANY ALL APPLICATIONS!**  
In some cases, we may request your Immunization Records.

NOTE: Students who **FAILED** or received **NO CREDIT** in a prior CN course will be considered after careful review of their record.



For questions or concerns, please contact The MEC College Now Office at [collegenow@mec.cuny.edu](mailto:collegenow@mec.cuny.edu)

Course	Course Name	Credits	Day(s)	Current Start Time	COURSE DESCRIPTION
<b>BIO 101</b>	Basic Biology  <i>(Online - Synchronous)</i>	3	T/TH	4:55 pm 6:30 pm	An introductory course intended to acquaint students with the nature and purpose of science, modern biological concepts of life, and the knowledge and importance of interactions among themselves, other living organisms on the planet, and the environment.
<b>ENGL 112</b>	College Composition I  <i>(IN-PERSON)</i>  <i>At Medgar Evers College</i>	3	M/W	4:00 pm 6:14 pm	This composition course emphasizes the various types of critical and expository writing students will need in the content area courses they will take throughout their college careers.
<b>ENTE 201</b>	Introduction to Entrepreneurship  <i>(IN-PERSON)</i>  <i>At Medgar Evers College</i>	3	M/W	3:29 pm 5:00 pm	This survey course focuses on understanding principles, concepts, and theories of entrepreneurship. Students will explore actions that successful entrepreneurs take to develop new businesses. Students will examine the basic language of entrepreneurship that key resource providers use in deciding which entrepreneurs to support. In this course, emphasis will be placed on guiding students through unique challenges and opportunities typically found in highly urban cities and among entrepreneurs in disenfranchised communities. Topics explored will be: ethnic enclaves, gentrification, housing, incarceration, regulation, crime, addiction, various “deserts” such as banking or food <i>deserts</i> and other similar public policy and administration topics. Students will also explore ways they can address these unique opportunities through business, while positioning themselves to meet corresponding challenges. This course is suited for College Now students.
<b>HIST 201</b>	African American History and Culture  <i>(Online - Synchronous)</i>	3	M/W	4:00 pm 5:31 pm	This course is a topical examination of themes relevant to the history and culture of the African American population in the Western hemisphere with particular reference to gender and socio-economic class relations. Topics will include African origins, African American intellectual thought, slavery, the Civil Rights and Black Power movements, the struggle for human rights, the Harlem Renaissance and the Black Arts movement of the 1960's and 1970's, United States foreign policy in Africa and the Caribbean, and contemporary ethnicity in African American life and culture.
<b>SOC 101</b>	Introduction to Sociology  <i>(Online - Synchronous)</i>	3	M/W	4:00 pm 5:31 pm	This course will familiarize the student with the basic concepts in sociology and develop his/her appreciation of the nature and scope of the discipline. Emphasis will be centered on the critical importance of human interaction, inter-and intro group relations, cultural relativity, the process of socialization, race, caste and class stratification, and on sex, age, and other bases of differentiation. The structure of social organizations and of institutions and the nature of power, authority and status as well as the problem of social change will be analyzed.

## FALL 2023 College Now Offering & Course Descriptions

- ❖ FALL APPLICATION CURRENTLY AVAILABLE
- ❖ APPLICATION DEADLINE IS THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2023
- ❖ FALL CLASSES BEGIN MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2023



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