
METROPOLITAN COLLEGE

PARENT AND SUPPORT SYSTEMS RESOURCES

Parents and other student support systems are important to the success of every Metropolitan College (MC) student. We hope these resources will help you support your MC student as they pursue their education and work third shift at UPS.

To utilize the resources listed below, log on to the Metropolitan College website at www.metro-college.com.

SIGN UP FOR MONTHLY PROGRAM UPDATES

Prospective and current MC families may sign up to receive monthly updates regarding important deadlines and program information to support your MC student and ensure their success.

Log on to our website and select [MC Program Updates](#) to submit your contact information.

LEARN ABOUT THE MC AGREEMENT AND THE MYMC PAGE

Do you want to know more about the Metropolitan College agreement your student signs each semester? Do you want to learn more about how we stay connected to our MC students and notify them of important dates and policies? You can review the 20-minute module all MC students complete during their MC on-line orientation, the Student Transition Program.

Log on to our website and select **Get Started** on the navigation bar. Then select **Tips for Family and Support System** to view the [MyMC page and the MC Agreement Module](#).

CALCULATE OUT OF POCKET EXPENSES

All MC students are required to file a FAFSA each academic year. Once you receive notice of your financial aid awards (i.e. KEES, grants, loans, etc.), you can utilize our interactive tool to estimate your student's out of pocket expenses.

Log on to our website and select **Get Started** on the navigation bar. Then select [FAFSA Tips](#) on the left side. Scroll down to the bottom of the page and select **Interactive MC Financial Aid Worksheet (Excel)**.

REVIEW TIPS FOR MC STUDENT SUCCESS

After more than 20 years of experience, we have compiled a list of helpful tips for families and friends of MC students to provide them with ideas on how they can best support their student as they work third shift while attending school.

Log on to our website and select **Get Started** on the navigation bar. Then select [Tips for Family and Support Systems](#).

UNDERSTAND FERPA

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (often referred to as FERPA, or the Buckley Amendment) states that no one will have access to a student's education records without the written consent of the student. If MC families and friends have questions, we encourage you to speak with your MC student first. If they are not able to answer your questions, encourage your student to contact our offices and ask them to share this information with you. You may also contact our office for answers to general questions regarding MC policies and procedures.