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Adult Education

H. Council Trenholm State Technical College is a major center for adult education. Classes are available for persons who dropped out of school before graduating or who are working below a high school level. Interested individuals must be at least sixteen years of age and not enrolled in a secondary school. The program offers an opportunity to upgrade basic skills in English, math, and/or reading. Participants in the program range from non-readers to those preparing to take the GED test for high school equivalency. Persons interested in the adult education program may pick up an application for enrollment in the Student Services Office at either campus. The Trenholm Campus offers day classes Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. and evening classes Monday through Thursday from 5:00 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. For additional information, contact the Trenholm Campus at (334) 420-4417.

G E D

H. Council Trenholm State Technical College is a GED State Test Center. The GED Test is administered twice monthly. The cost of the test is \$30 (cash). Two forms of identification are required: a picture I.D. Card and a Social Security Card. The minimum age to take the GED Test is 18. However, the GED Test may be taken if a person is 17 years of age and has been out of high school for twelve consecutive months. AN APPOINTMENT IS REQUIRED TO TAKE THE GED TEST. To schedule your test date, contact the Trenholm Campus at (334) 420-4332.

Continuing Education Students

Individuals who wish to attend Continuing Education courses will not be required to submit transcripts of academic records from high school and/or college/university's attended. Continuing Education courses are non-credit and may not be applied toward a regular degree or diploma program. For more information on Continuing Education courses contact the Adult Education Division (334) 420-4348.

Testing Services

The following testing services are available at H. Council Trenholm State Technical College. Please call the numbers listed below for additional information.

Commercial Driver's License Road Test	420-4410
Certified Electronic Technician (CET)	420-4374
Automotive Service Excellence (ASE)	420-4302
EPA Refrigerant Recovery Exam	420-4361
COMPASS Assessment	420-4349 or 420-4350 Building J - Patterson Campus 420-4328 Building C - Trenholm Campus
ISA Certified Control Systems Technician (CCST) Exam	420-4302
Certified Nursing Assisting Examination	420-4431 Trenholm Campus

Tech Prep

H. Councill Trenholm State Technical College supports and participates in Tech Prep, a cooperative effort between secondary and postsecondary education. Tech Prep is a planned process that allows high school students who have achieved competency in a technical program of study to receive college credit for those skills. High school students should contact their counselor or Jerry Joyce on the Patterson Campus at (334) 420-4290 or Angela Sharpe on the Trenholm Campus at (334) 420-4334.

Student Support Services

The Student Support Services Program is funded by a grant from the U.S. Department of Education and is designed to enhance students' chances for success. The services provided for eligible students are: academic advisement; personal counseling, assistance with completing financial aid applications, seminars on personal and social issues, instruction in reading, writing, studying skills, mathematics, and other subjects necessary for success beyond high school, and activities designed to acquaint students participating in the project with the range of career options available to them.

The program staff provides career guidance and job search skills information. Tutorial assistance is also available to project participants. For Student Support Services contact the Patterson Campus at (334) 420-4276 or the Trenholm Campus at (334) 420-4328.

Educational Talent Search Program

The Educational Talent Search Program, funded by the U. S. Department of Education, is designed for the student to complete high school, enroll in college, or get their GED. The program provides a variety of services including career planning, college assessment, tutoring services, ACT/SAT preparation, admission assistance, financial aid planning, counseling, college campus visits and business/industry tours. For assistance, contact the Patterson Campus at (334) 420-4281 or the Trenholm Campus at (334) 420-4330.

Fathers Work Program

The Fathers Work Program assists eligible non-custodial parents in obtaining and retaining employment. The general purpose of the program is to ensure that participants have the financial resources, earned through employment, to adequately take care of their family responsibilities, including child support and family financial obligations. For assistance contact the Trenholm Campus at (334) 420-4337.

Training for Business & Industry

Training for Business and Industry (TBI) assists businesses and industries, on a cost-sharing basis, by providing needs-based assessment services to identify training needs and by offering customized courses, workshops or seminars that meet their employees' specific needs. This specialized training may be conducted at the business/industry facility or on campus at a time that is convenient to employees. For further information contact our TBI Coordinator at (334) 420-4394.

