

EXPANDED OPTIONS PROGRAM

Introduction

Chemeketa looks forward to working with our regional high school partners to provide new options for high school students. Expanded Options, created during the 2005 legislative session, provides high school students eligible under Senate Bill 300 additional opportunities for early entry into post-secondary education. Students who wish to participate in EOP must gain approval from their high school for referral to the program.

Enrollment Eligibility

In order to enroll at Chemeketa Community College as part of the Expanded Options Program, a student must be approved for the program by their high school and:

- Take our placement tests; and
- Fill out an Admission Application/Underage Student Form.

******These processes must be completed by students prior to enrollment in the Expanded Options Program.***

Placement Tests

All EOP students are required to take reading, writing and math skills placement tests. Chemeketa uses COMPASS placement which is a computerized placement test. Placement tests scores are used in advising and placing students into appropriate classes. Students must take placement tests prior to attending an EOP orientation session.

Students will need an appointment for COMPASS testing. Appointments may be scheduled by calling 503-399-6556 to test in Salem or by e-mailing Chemeketa's Testing Center at testing@chemeketa.edu. Students will need photo ID and their social security number (or alternate ID number), and will receive their results as soon as the test (s) are completed. Students wanting to tests at outreach campuses/centers should contact the local campus/center (see information contact list) for appointments at their site.

Deadlines

New EOP students must have all paperwork (completed Application Cover Page, Admission Application/Underage Student Form and Placement Test results) turn in to their high school and forwarded to Chemeketa by the high school representative by the deadline listed a for each term.

Deadlines for receiving paperwork from high school:

- May 19, 2008 – for fall term enrollment
- October 27, 2008 – for winter term enrollment
- February 9, 2009 – for spring term

Registration

Students are encouraged to seek academic advising at Chemeketa prior to registration each term. Strong communication between high school counselors and Chemeketa's Advising and Counseling Department will ensure that students are enrolled in appropriate classes. Academic advising appointments may be arranged by calling the following phone numbers at each Chemeketa location.

- Salem Campus Advising
503-399-5120
- Dallas Center
503-623-5567 or 503-399-5206

Registration for Courses

Expanded Options students who have been accepted may register according to the dates of registration each term. Registration dates for the 2008-2009 academic year are:

- Falls term: TBA
- Winter term: TBA
- Spring term: TBA

Billing and payment procedures

The college will invoice the district for applicable tuition and fees per student per term. The remittance address and due date will be indicated on the invoice.