

APPLICATION FOR GRADUATION

Schenectady County Community College
78 Washington Avenue
Schenectady, New York 12305

Complete items 1-7 below and submit this form and the attached survey to the Registrar's Office, Room 212 Elston Hall or fax it to the office at 518.381.1493.

1. Name _____
(Print your name *exactly* as you want it to appear on your diploma/certificate)
2. SCCC ID Number _____ Telephone _____
home cell or work
3. Current Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____
4. Address degree/certificate should be mailed if different from above (this will be in July 2012):

5. Circle appropriate degree: A.A. A.S. A.A.S. A.O.S. Certificate
Name of Program: _____
6. Date of Completion: August 2011 December 2011 May 2012
7. Signature _____ Date _____

Please print clearly so we can contact you with any questions.

If you are planning to attend Commencement next May 24, please visit the Campus Store website regarding ordering your cap and gown.

FOR OFFICE USE

Audit attached and checked _____ Initial _____ Date _____ 600/ACF approved? _____

Initial _____ First Review _____

External transcript needed? _____

Initial _____ Final Audit _____

External transcript received? _____

If degree requirements will be met in **August 2012** and student meets Academic Code requirements (within 6 credits and registered), is the student **attending the ceremony**? _____

Substitution? _____

Other: _____

(Name – **Please Print Legibly!**) _____

(Program Major at SCCC) _____

(Email address – **Please Print Legibly!**) _____

Your survey responses will provide us with important information to improve the services we offer to SCCC students. The information you provide will be **strictly confidential** and will not become a part of your personal record at SCCC in any way.

Please respond to the following items regarding your goals and overall satisfaction with SCCC:

1. What was your **primary** educational goal when you first enrolled at SCCC (Check only one)?

- a. Transfer to another SUNY college after earning a degree/certificate at SCCC.
- b. Transfer to a non-SUNY college after earning a degree/certificate at SCCC.
- c. Transfer to a SUNY college without earning a degree/certificate at SCCC.
- d. Transfer to a non-SUNY college without earning a degree/certificate at SCCC.
- e. Earn a degree/certificate at SCCC with plans for employment.
- f. Enroll in course work to learn or upgrade job skills (not seeking a degree or certificate).
- g. Enroll in course work for personal enrichment or enjoyment (not seeking a degree or certificate).
- h. Enroll in course work to obtain a High School General Equivalency Diploma (GED).
- i. Uncertain.
- j. Other: _____

2a. Did you change this goal while attending SCCC?

- a. **Yes**, my goal changed to (write letter from Question 1) _____
- b. **No**.

2b. As of your upcoming graduation, will you have **achieved** your SCCC educational goal? Yes No
If No, please explain _____

3. While attending SCCC, were you primarily full or part-time? Full-time Part-time

4. If you could start college over again, would you still enroll at SCCC? Yes No
If No, please explain _____

5. Would you recommend attending SCCC to your friends and relatives? Yes No
If No, please explain _____

6. If you are planning to attend a college, university, or training program to continue your education, please fill in the name of the institution you are **most likely** to attend: _____

Your **most likely** major course of study: _____

What is the highest academic degree you expect to earn: _____

7. If you are starting a full-time career after SCCC graduation, where will you be employed? _____

Please indicate your level of agreement for each of the following items.

Circle one response for each statement

| <u>Agree</u> | Strongly <u>Agree</u> | <u>Disagree</u> | Strongly <u>Disagree</u> |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| 8. I was satisfied with the education I received at SCCC | 4 | 3 | 2 1 |
| 9. I was satisfied with my degree/certificate program | 4 | 3 | 2 1 |
| 10. I would recommend <i>my SCCC program of study</i> to someone who has an educational goal similar to mine | 4 | 3 | 2 1 |
| 11. Through my experiences at SCCC, I developed a commitment to lifelong learning | 4 | 3 | 2 1 |
| 12. Necessary support services were available to me at SCCC (library, advisement, tutoring, counseling, learning centers, career planning, job placement, etc) | 4 | 3 | 2 1 |
| 13. I was satisfied with the social, cultural and athletic activities available at SCCC (clubs, plays, recitals, speakers, sports teams, etc) | 4 | 3 | 2 1 |

THIS SURVEY CONTINUES ON THE OTHER SIDE.

Please indicate your level of agreement regarding abilities you acquired or enhanced through your experiences at Schenectady County Community College. Circle one response to each statement.

| | <u>Strongly Agree</u> | <u>Agree</u> | <u>Disagree</u> | <u>Strongly Disagree</u> | <u>Not Applicable</u> |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| 14. I was satisfied with the following academic support services | | | | | |
| a. Learning Center | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | NA |
| b. Math Lab | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | NA |
| c. Language Lab | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | NA |
| d. Accounting/CIS Lab | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | NA |
| e. TRIO | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | NA |
| 15. I was pleased with the day selection of courses offered in my program. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | NA |
| 16. I was pleased with the evening and online course selections offered in my program. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | NA |
| 17. I feel that ANGEL enhanced the teaching and learning environment. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | NA |
| 18. I felt that faculty were accessible. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | |
| 19. I was satisfied with the Library and its resources. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | |
| 20. I feel that my academic program has prepared me well for entering the workforce or continuing my education. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | |
| 21. I was satisfied with the technology and equipment that supported my academic program. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | |
| 22. I was satisfied with the course registration process. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | |
| 23. I feel the College served the needs of a diverse population. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | |

Please indicate (circle your answer) whether or not you needed help in each of the following areas while attending SCCC. Then indicate to the right how much your need was met during your time here.

| <u>I needed assistance...</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>Yes (if Yes →)</u> | <u>How well that assistance met my needs</u> | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|----------------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| | | | <u>Fully</u> | <u>Somewhat</u> | <u>Not at all</u> |
| 24. With orientation to the College. | No | Yes (if Yes →) | Fully | Somewhat | Not at all |
| 25. With advisement for registration. | No | Yes (if Yes →) | Fully | Somewhat | Not at all |
| 26. With financial aid. | No | Yes (if Yes →) | Fully | Somewhat | Not at all |
| 27. In coping with academic difficulties. | No | Yes (if Yes →) | Fully | Somewhat | Not at all |
| 28. With career planning. | No | Yes (if Yes →) | Fully | Somewhat | Not at all |
| 29. With transfer planning. | No | Yes (if Yes →) | Fully | Somewhat | Not at all |
| 30. With personal issues. | No | Yes (if Yes →) | Fully | Somewhat | Not at all |
| 31. Developing skills for employment. | No | Yes (if Yes →) | Fully | Somewhat | Not at all |
| 32. With the job search process. | No | Yes (if Yes →) | Fully | Somewhat | Not at all |
| 33. Becoming involved in college life and activities. | No | Yes (if Yes →) | Fully | Somewhat | Not at all |

In the space below, add any additional comments that you would like us to know about your SCCC experiences. Please elaborate where you disagreed with survey statements. If necessary, use an additional page to continue your comments. **Please indicate which items you are commenting on.**

Thank you for completing this survey!