The Gold Card and Why It’s Important . . .

WHAT IS THE GOLD CARD?

It sounds expensive and like a precious document, does it not? Well maybe not quite so glamorous but it is a document the size of a driver’s license, gold in color that you receive that verifies you have met all of your requirements as stipulated in the program needed to begin your professional classes, beginning with your Introductory Block.

HOW DO YOU GET A GOLD CARD?

It is really a simple and quick process, but you MUST have the following:

- 2.75 GPA or higher in the Education Core Classes, totaling 44 hours.
- You must have an ACT score from high school of composite of 21 and all sub scores 18 or higher. All scores must be from the same day of testing and prior to the entrance of college.
- Or if your ACT did not meet the above, then you Must take CORE I AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, especially if you are a transfer student. You may call 1-800-853-6773 and press option 2 to find out more details and schedule a test time.
- There is a mandatory background check.
- You must purchase Tk20 prior to receiving your Gold Card.

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Once you have met the above requirements or gotten an Exception, you must visit Sheri Dann in Owings McQuagge (OMH) 121 A to ensure all has been met and she will issue you your Gold Card

NO EXCEPTIONS are given if your core GPA is below 2.75 requirement or if you do not successfully pass ALL parts of the CORE, if required.