FOUNDATION FOR MUSKEGON COMMUNITY COLLEGE
A BRIDGE TO HIGHER EDUCATION
Since 1926, Muskegon Community College has provided one of the most accessible pathways to higher education and a better quality of life for people in West Michigan. The College has grown and adapted to become one of the top-ranking community colleges in the state and is recognized as an innovative leader in post-secondary education, career preparation and technical skills training.
A Bridge to Higher Education

Our world is changing at an ever-increasing rate. So are the needs of the College and its students. As public funding for education continues to decline, our community’s role becomes more vital than ever in building endowment capacity to help students achieve their goals. Their success is our success. The Foundation for Muskegon Community College provides the vehicle by which community members can connect with the College to help build that bridge.

Sturrus Technology Center

The Foundation for Muskegon Community College helped fund the construction of the new Sturrus Technology Center in downtown Muskegon.

The Center offers technical training in a variety of skilled trades such as welding and mechatronics.

It is one of the community’s most important links between the region’s workforce shortage and those who seek a fulfilling career that does not require a four-year degree.
Support a More Direct Path to Educational Achievement

The Foundation for Muskegon Community College is the most direct way to support those who want to improve their lives through higher education, but who also face real, often unforeseen obstacles along the way. Because we have the flexibility to use Foundation funds to address a variety of needs, your contribution helps break down educational barriers that are as diverse as the people who face them. Regardless of the size of your gift or how you want it to be used — tuition scholarships, facility improvements, faculty support, technology, or Greatest Needs endowment — we will work with you to direct your gift in a manner that is most meaningful to you.

Health and Wellness Center

The Foundation, working in partnership with Mercy Health Partners and Grand Valley State University, contributed to the completion of the new on-campus Health and Wellness Center that also incorporates Physical Education and Recreation departments. The Health training program includes a community clinic that provides students the opportunity to experience the delivery of basic health care services to residents of nearby neighborhoods.

The Health and Wellness Center is home to a state-of-the-art health simulation center for students in Respiratory Therapy, Nursing, and Medical Assistant programs where students learn and work together in applied technology scenarios. The facility’s overall goal is to enhance the health, wellness and education of MCC students as well as the greater community.
Become a Bridge Builder

The Foundation welcomes gifts of any size and for any purpose, and you may choose to support an immediate need or our endowment fund, which will positively impact the College for generations to come. You may also elect to become a member of our President's Club with a cumulative annual gift of $500 or more. President's Club members are recognized in the Muskegon Community College annual report. The Legacy Society recognizes those who include the College in their will or estate plan either through a bequest or other planned gift such as a trust or annuity agreement. A named scholarship fund can be established with a contribution of $5,000 or more.

Student Support Services

As public funding for education has decreased, it is more important than ever to understand the true obstacles students face on their post-secondary journey. Issues away from school are often what prevent them from completing their education or training.

The Foundation helped establish the MCC on-campus student food pantry, just one example of how addressing critical and basic student needs is part of our mission to assure that students attain their educational goals.
The Foundation for Muskegon Community College is building a bridge for those who seek a better tomorrow through education and training today.

Please consider donating to the Foundation or College fund of your choice at: www.muskegoncc.edu/foundation or charge by phone at 231.777.0571

Donations can also be mailed to:
FMCC, 221 S. Quarterline Rd., Room 2109, Muskegon, MI 49442

Please contact us with questions at: foundation@muskegoncc.edu

The Foundation for Muskegon Community College was established in 1981 as a 501c3, tax-exempt organization created for the explicit purpose of raising funds and building endowment in support of Muskegon Community College.