

# Welcome to the Coastal Carolina University/ Horry-Georgetown Technical College Bridge Program!



# What is the Bridge Program?

- The Bridge program is a joint venture between our two institutions that is designed to help each participant succeed academically in his/her first year at Horry-Georgetown Technical College and then transfer to Coastal Carolina University.



# What is the goal of the Bridge Program?

- The goal of the Bridge program is to allow students the opportunity to improve their academic skills prior to entering the university setting.



# How do I get to Coastal Carolina University?

- You need to earn:
  - 21 transferable credits AND
  - 2.5 GPA.
- You will also need to complete paperwork with the Bridge Transition Coordinator, Michele Varga, prior to the end of the fall semester.
  - An e-mail and Facebook announcement will be sent to you when this needs to be done.)



# What classes will I be taking?

- Your schedule will be prepared by an advisor at Horry-Georgetown Technical College.
- In general, students will be taking English, math, history, computer applications, etc.



# Will my classes transfer to Coastal Carolina University?

- Some students will need to take skill building or developmental courses. These courses do not transfer.
  - ENG 031, 032, 100
  - RDG 031, 032, 100
  - MAT 031, 032, 155, 101, 102



# Will my classes transfer to Coastal Carolina University?

- If you are required to take these courses they must be completed prior to taking some college level courses.
  - This may extend the time you will need to stay at Horry-Georgetown Technical College.
  - If you need to take additional coursework in the summer or in subsequent semesters prior to transferring to Coastal Carolina University you will need to secure housing off campus during that time frame.



Will my classes transfer to  
Coastal Carolina University?

**YES!**

(Except for developmental  
coursework.)

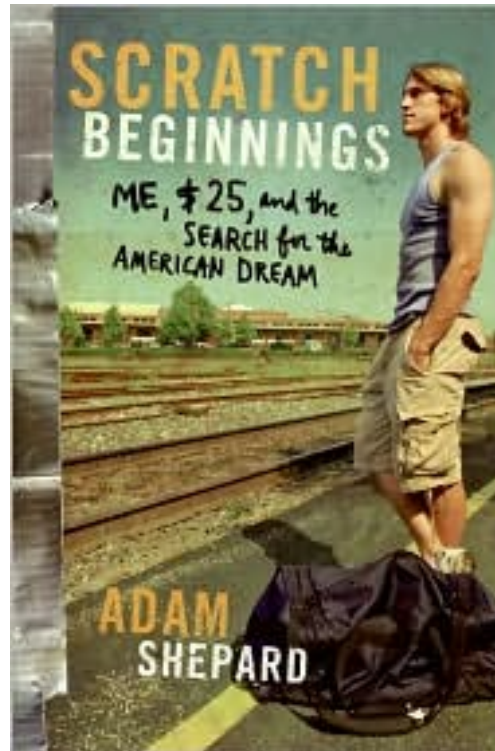


# Now what?

- Begin preparation for the fall semester by purchasing the BIG READ book!
  - What is the BIG READ?
  - The BIG READ is a book that ALL incoming Coastal Carolina University freshmen read. The purpose is to unite all freshmen through an enjoyable, shared learning experience.
    - Not only will you read the book and discuss it in your COL 105 class, but the theme will be carried throughout your first year activities!



# What is this year's BIG READ?



# Questions?

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