



BEAUFORT

COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Aviation Pathway Courses Intent to Apply & Student Expectations Form

In partnership with the Inner Banks STEM Center (IBX STEM) and Dillon's Aviation, Beaufort County Community College is offering a High School Aviation Academy to Beaufort County students ages 16+ starting Sept. 2024 and again in Feb. 2025 (fall and spring). We are offering two exciting aviation course options:

1. 14-week Private Aircraft Pilot Course consisting of 45 online and 75 in-person hours, for 120 contact hours. Upon successful completion, students will receive a sign-off from a certified flight instructor to take the FAA Private Pilot Knowledge Exam (good for two years).
 - a. *Open to students attending WHS, SHS, NHS, ECHS, WMPCS, and all homeschool and private schools.*

2. A 13-week UAV Operator course consisting of 45 online hours and 56 in-person hours, for 101 contact hours. After successful completion, students will be prepared and encouraged to sit for the Part 107 Remote Pilot Exam.
 - a. *Open to students attending NHS, ECHS, WMPCS, and all homeschool and private schools. Students attending SHS and WHS are NOT eligible.*

Both courses offer a flexible schedule, with self-study online course hours available Monday through Friday and hands-on training on Saturdays at the Inner Banks STEM Center adjacent to Washington-Warren Airport in Washington, NC. This allows students to complete the courses outside of their regular school hours. The in-person Saturday training involves practical sessions with Flight Training Devices, full-motion simulators, or drones. Upon completion, students will receive a 'Certificate of Completion' from the participating online ground school training program, IBX STEM, and BCCC.

The course and all materials will be FREE to the students who are selected to participate. For students needing assistance, transportation to Washington-Warren Airport for Saturday classes is available via BATS.

Student Expectations

Students will need to be motivated with initiative. Students must complete all assigned online study material each week and take the built-in progress tests after each chapter. The in-person Saturday class sessions will be mandatory. Failure to complete online assignments each week or one unexcused absence from a Saturday class will be grounds for dismissal from the course.

To apply for one or both of these programs, please provide the following information:

First and Last Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Are you 16+ years old? ____Yes ____No

Cell Phone Number: _____ Grade in 2024-2025 _____

Preferred method of communication: ____text ____phone calls

Will you need Beaufort Area Transit Services (BATS) transportation to attend the Saturday classes at Washington-Warren Airport? ____yes ____no

For which class or classes would you like to apply?

_____ 14-week Private Aircraft Pilot Course ____Sept 2024 ____Feb 2025

_____ 13-week UAV Operator course ____Sept 2024 ____Feb 2025

School Name: _____

School Counselor's Name: _____

School Counselor's Contact Number: _____

School Counselor's Email Address: _____

Please work with your School Counselor to complete the following documents and attach them to this form. Homeschool and private school students should contact Ben Poulin at BCCC for assistance.

1. Continuing Education Student Registration Form
2. CCP Workforce CE Verification of Eligibility Form
3. A student transcript documenting an unweighted 2.8 GPA OR a letter of recommendation from the high school principal or his/her designee.

Completed packets must be emailed to Ben Poulin, UAS & Industry Training Coordinator at ben.poulin@beaufortccc.edu no later than June 30, 2024. If you have questions, contact Mr. Poulin via email or phone at (252) 940-6408.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____