WALKING TOUR
CENTRAL OREGON COMMUNITY COLLEGE
ABOUT COCC

Central Oregon Community College, founded in 1949 as Oregon’s first community college, provides a wide range of services and learning opportunities for the citizens of the COCC District and for students from throughout the state and around the country.

The College’s 200-acre main campus is located on the western edge of Bend, a city known for its natural beauty and its proximity to diverse recreational opportunities.

On the cover:
COC’s Science Center (see page 17)

1. BOYLE EDUCATION CENTER

Boyle Education Center is home to many of COCC’s student services. Admission and Records, Registration and Financial Aid, and other departments share what is known as the Boyle Mall. Just outside of the Mall you’ll find the Information Office where you can purchase campus event tickets, pick up your ID card, get your parking permit and learn the latest about what’s happening on campus. The inside stairs lead to the offices of the President and the College Foundation. Classrooms and offices are located in the hallway.

To continue the tour, head out the north end of the building, take the stairs to your right to College Way, and walk left to Ponderosa Hall.
2. **PONDEROSA HALL**

Ponderosa houses many of COCC’s career and technical education programs, such as Automotive, Fire Science, Forestry and Emergency Medical Services.

*Feel free to have a look around or continue up College Way to Mazama Gym.*

3. **MAZAMA GYM**

Mazama Gym is dedicated to the physical health of COCC’s student population. Head inside to see the gym (open hours are available daily for volleyball and basketball), and the Health and Human Performance department. Go down the stairs directly in front of you to find the weight room and fitness center, complete with a climbing wall and locker rooms. Follow the hallway north and walk out the back entrance of Mazama. Outside you’ll find the tennis courts and track.

*To see one of COCC’s newest buildings, home to our Culinary program, head down the paved path to the south of the track or skip to #5.*
4. JUNGERS CULINARY CENTER

(This will add approximately 30 minutes to your tour.)

Continue down the paved path north of the tennis courts for about 1/4 mile to one of the newest buildings on COCC’s campus. The Jungers Culinary Center is home to the Cascade Culinary Institute for students pursuing degrees in Culinary Arts or Baking and Pastry Arts. As you walk in the south entrance, you’ll see Elevation Restaurant to your right. Elevation is our student-operated restaurant that serves as the capstone internship course for those close to degree completion. As you walk down the hallway you’ll find three instructional kitchens, a demonstration theatre and student locker facilities.

*Return up the path and proceed to the building to the north of Mazama Gym, the Campus Center.*
5. CAMPUS CENTER

The Campus Center is home to ASCOCC (Student Government), student clubs, the Broadside student newspaper, COCC’s Multicultural Center, Native American and Latino student programs and the Offices of Student Life. The building also houses a dining hall, coffee shop, big-screen TV room and game room equipped with pool, foosball and video games. Wille Hall, an attached 3,600-square-foot room, is used for college groups’ vocal and instrumental rehearsals and is also a small venue for performances, lectures and other events.

Once outside of the Campus Center proceed to the north, past the COCC track, to the Barber Library.
6. ROBERT L. BARBER LIBRARY

Barber Library is a facility designed to meet the advanced educational needs of COCC and OSU-Cascades. Walk through the front doors into the rotunda, where student and community exhibits are often held. The library is the perfect place for research and study with a wonderful in-house collection and access to materials from 9,000 libraries nationwide. Check out the library’s lower level. Here you will find the CAP Center, which assists students with Career Services, Academic Advising and Personal Counseling, and the Tutoring and Testing Center (free tutoring is available to all COCC students). Return upstairs and turn left and you’ll discover one of our computer labs.

Proceed outside to College Way. Cascades Hall is located across the street to your left.
7. CASCADES HALL

Cascades Hall is home to one of the most innovative partnerships in education. OSU-Cascades offers more than 20 bachelor’s and master’s degree programs. As you enter the common area, you’ll find classrooms and a computer lab to your left. Take the stairs to the second floor where you’ll find additional classrooms and the OSU-Cascades Information Office.

*Exit out the back door and turn right toward Newberry Hall, which houses the Campus Bookstore.*
8. NEWBERRY HALL/BOOKSTORE

In addition to the Bookstore, Newberry Hall is home to the Human Resources office as well as some Fiscal Services offices, including the Chief Financial Officer.

When you exit, walk across the driveway to the south into the entrance of the Health Careers Center.
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9. HEALTH CAREERS CENTER

Opened in Fall 2012, the Health Careers Center houses COCC’s Career and Technical Education health programs. On each of the Center’s three floors, you’ll find labs that mimic real-world work environments and innovative spaces designed specifically for student learning. Dental Assisting and Massage programs share the first floor. You’ll find Medical Assistant, Pharmacy Tech and Veterinary Tech on the second floor, with Nursing on the third floor.

On the second floor, take the exit on the east side of the building toward Pioneer Hall.
10. PIONEER HALL

The building immediately up the hill from the Bookstore is Pioneer Hall. Take the sidewalk leading to the lower-level entrance. Head up the stairs and turn to your immediate right, bringing you to another top-of-the-line student computer lab complete with free student Internet and email accounts. Across the hall from the computer lab are the offices of the Health Information Technology and Computer Information Systems departments. Turn left and walk down the hall to Hitchcock Auditorium, a facility for concerts, lectures, presentations, recitals, film festivals and more.

Go outside through the doors next to Hitchcock, head straight across Loop Road and follow the sidewalk between the two buildings. In front of you and to the right is Metolius.

11. METOLIUS HALL

The upper level of this building houses the offices of the Vice President for Instruction and Instructional Deans, and a general classroom. The lower level is home to Fiscal Services.

As you walk south, you’ll see one of the newest buildings on campus, the Science Center.
12. SCIENCE CENTER

This is where you’ll find some of COCC’s most popular classes—anatomy and physiology, microbiology, physics, chemistry, geology and more. Opened in 2012, the Science Center was designed for collaborative learning with innovative lab classrooms, flexible breakout spaces, group study areas and plenty of hallway chalkboards to foster learning. Be sure to take in some of most stunning views from campus from the second floor.

Exit the building from the door you entered. You’ll see Des Chutes Hall immediately in front of you.
13. DES CHUTES HALL

Des Chutes Hall houses classrooms and faculty offices for COCC’s Humanities Department.

*The sidewalk will lead you into The Quad.*

14. THE QUAD, JEFFERSON, MODOC AND OCHOCO

This outdoor area is a good place to take a break or to meet friends. A coffee cart offers beverages as well as a bagel and soup menu. On your left is Modoc and Ochoco; on the right is Jefferson.

*Continue to follow the sidewalk straight up the hill and on your left you’ll find Ochoco (classrooms and faculty offices).*
JEFFERSON

One of the original buildings on campus, Jefferson houses the Developmental Studies program and faculty offices for Humanities faculty.

*Continue up the hill through the Quad to Grandview.*

MODOC

Along with classrooms, you’ll find faculty offices for Humanities, Social Science and World Languages & Cultures departments in Modoc.

OCHOCO

This building houses classrooms and faculty offices.
15. GRANDVIEW

Grandview houses the Food Service’s breakfast area, Aviation, Business and Math Departments’ offices, several classrooms and the S.M.A.R.T. Lab.

To tour Juniper Residence Hall, go through the front doors of Grandview to the top of the campus. Otherwise skip to #17.

16. JUNIPER HALL

Looking for the ultimate Bend address? You’ve found it! Standing above Grandview is Juniper Hall, our on-campus residence hall. Offering students double and triple room accommodations and a complete meal package, Juniper Hall has everything a student could ask for—a computer lab, ping-pong and pool tables, big-screen TV, laundry facilities—and a fantastic staff and classes within minutes of your door. Drop-in tours of Juniper Hall are typically available. Check in at the student housing office in Juniper if you’re interested in learning more about on-campus housing.

Backtrack through Grandview toward The Quad. As you descend from Grandview, follow the sidewalk on your extreme left to Pence/Pinckney Center.
17. PENCE/PINCKNEY CENTER

This complex is the center for fine and performing arts on campus. When you enter Pence, to your immediate right is the Pinckney Center, an adaptable performing arts center capable of housing drama, dance and music performances. Next to the Center is the Pinckney Art Gallery, featuring exhibits of artwork by students, faculty members and selected artists. Pence houses the Fine and Performing Arts department offices, art classrooms, music practice rooms and individual instruction areas. The art classrooms include areas for sculpture and pottery, drawing, painting and metal craft. Take the stairs to the lower level of Pence where you’ll find additional offices and the photography darkroom.

Proceed through the hall on the left and exit out the door at the end of the hall. Follow the stairs down through the parking lots to return to Boyle Education Center.
Getting Started

1. APPLY

All new students, including transfer or those returning after an absence of one year or more, are required to complete a COCC application. All new students (those who have never taken credit classes at COCC) must submit a $25 nonrefundable application fee at the time of application.

Apply now
www.cocc.edu/apply
541.383.7500

2. PLACEMENT TEST

Placement information is required for all students taking credit classes. You must be admitted prior to taking the placement test. Tests take about two hours. (visit www.cocc.edu/placement for exemptions)

Make your Reservation
www.cocc.edu/placement
541.383.7200

3. ADVISING

All certificate- or degree-seeking students who have completed the above steps should make a reservation for advising. More information is available on COCC’s Getting Started web page.

Make your Reservation
www.cocc.edu/getting-started
541.383.7200

4. REGISTRATION

Students can register online or in person at any COCC Campus once steps 1 through 3 are completed.

More information available
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