

# Top 10 Benefits

## The QEP will provide many benefits including:

1. A Career Coach assessment to help students assess interests and find a matching program at ACC
2. A Pathways Success Coach (PSC) to assist students with choosing a career path, testing, and other steps in the enrollment process
3. A dedicated Staff Pathways Advisor (SPA) specific to a career path to assist students throughout the college experience
4. Help with academic difficulties, graduation requirements, and career exploration
5. Pathway Faculty Mentors (PFM) to serve as academic and professional resources
6. Exciting activities like career conferences, lunch and learns, guest speaker lectures, or success seminars that align with each career pathway
7. In-person, email, or virtual assistance at every step of the ACC experience
8. A relevant degree plan to help students graduate on time
9. Expert guidance enabling seamless transfers to other colleges and universities to further education
10. Career Services support to assist with creating resumes, job searching, improving interview skills, and more

## For more information:

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## SUCCESS THROUGH ENGAGED ADVISING



ALVIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
QUALITY ENHANCEMENT PLAN

## **WHAT** is the Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP)?

ACC's QEP, Success through Engaged Advising (SEA), targets advising to improve student success.

SEA focuses on students:

- Choosing a path
- Continuing on a path
- Completing a path

## **WHY** has the QEP been created?

The QEP has been created to improve the quality of the student advising experience. It will aid students in choosing a career path, continuing successfully, and completing the path by obtaining a degree or certificate.

## **WHEN** will the QEP begin?

The new advising process begins Fall 2020 for all new incoming students.

## **HOW** will the QEP help me as a student?

The QEP will aid you by providing regular advising and faculty mentorship in your chosen career pathway.

## Getting **STARTED**



### Choose Your Path

1. Take a Career Coach assessment
2. Meet with a Pathways Success Coach (if required)
3. Choose a Career Pathway



### Continue Your Path

1. Initial meeting with a Staff Pathways Advisor (SPA)
2. Complete an educational plan, register for classes, meet Pathway Faculty Mentor (PFM), and attend career conferences, seminars and other events
3. Meet with an assigned SPA after the completion of 15, 30, & 45 credits



### Complete Your Path

1. Meet with an assigned SPA and/or Pathways Faculty Mentor (PFM) when there are 15 or fewer credit hours remaining towards a degree
2. Apply for graduation
3. Celebrate success and begin preparations to continue education or embark upon a new career



## Meet **YOUR** Advising Team

### Pathways Success Coach (PSC)

The PSC start students' journey by conducting a Career Coach assessment to help determine interests and skills. They help students find a matching program at ACC, assist with admissions, and get students started on a chosen path.

### Staff Pathways Advisor (SPA)

The SPA is a professional staff academic advisor with expertise in the specific majors and goals withing a pathway. SPAs help students complete an educational plan and provide guidance in the progress along a career path.

### Pathways Faculty Mentor (PFM)

The PFM is a faculty member within a career pathway who will serve as a success resource. PFM's will provide Pathways Mentorship Experiences such as career conferences, lunch and learn sessions, or seminars to guide students to achieve success during and after their ACC experience.

