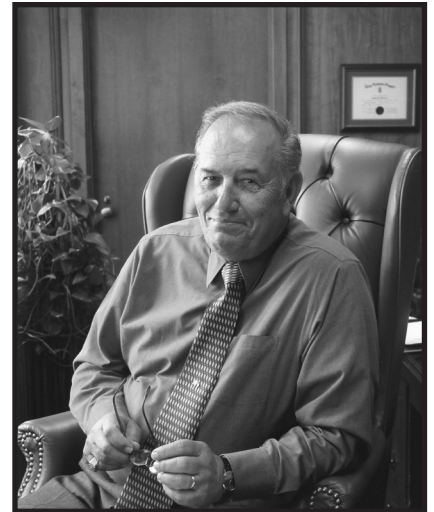


Chancellor's Message

Welcome to Central Texas College! We are honored that you have chosen us to start or continue your education. You have enrolled in a worldwide educational institution with dedicated staff and faculty, offering programs on the cutting edge of technology and a proud Texas heritage.

You are in good company-- our students continue to make impressive strides in their educational pursuits as evidenced by our Forensics (speech) team earning numerous honors at tournaments across the state; the Students in Free Enterprise (SIFE) team earning another regional championship and finishing among the top in national competition; and our aviation flight team which consistently finishes near the top in regional and national competitions. These success stories are not only a tribute to the students but to the quality of their sponsors and faculty.



Our dual credit partnership program with area high schools is growing by leaps and bounds, offering unprecedented access to college classes at each high school campus. We also introduced our Fast Track program for high school students, providing assistance on each campus through every step of the admissions process to ensure acceptance to CTC upon graduation. Additionally we continue to add articulation agreements with four-year institutions providing expanded opportunities for students to transition seamlessly to a four-year university while guaranteeing transferability of credits.

Farther from home, as the military's global presence expands, we keep pace by establishing on-base college programs in deployed locations, most recently including Camp Lemonier in Djibouti, Africa. This is but another in a long list of locations in Europe, the Pacific Far East and military installations in the continental United States that we have continued to serve for three decades.

As instructional technology continues to evolve, we keep pace by expanding alternatives to the traditional classroom format. We not only offer classes online, but also through hand-held devices such as Personal Pocket Computers (PPCs/PDAs) and iPods. This accessibility is especially valuable for deployed military students. Our goal is to meet your needs by providing quality teaching in an accessible learning environment.

Thank you,

James R. Anderson, Ph. D.
Chancellor