**Mission Statement**

The mission of Northwest Mississippi Community College is to provide the students of its eleven-county district and beyond with opportunities for obtaining affordable quality education to meet their diverse needs. The comprehensive community and technical college offers students educational experiences through traditional campus-based and distance learning opportunities. Northwest is committed to achieving the following goals: to promote excellence in educational programs; to maintain quality educational support services; to continue responsive administrative processes; to ensure efficient use of financial and physical resources; and to assure institutional effectiveness.

Northwest Mississippi Community College meets the educational, employment, career, cultural, and special needs of its students and the community through the offering of:

1. Academic and career technical curricula leading to certificates, diplomas, and associate degrees;
2. University-parallel courses and programs meeting requirements of the first two years of a baccalaureate degree;
3. Workforce Development Training designed to meet current and future workforce needs in business and industry;
4. A comprehensive program of remedial and developmental education;
5. Continuing education and service programs for the community;
6. Student support through tutoring, guidance, counseling, career information and placement; and,
7. Services including library services, cultural and enrichment opportunities, information technology services, and extracurricular activities for students and the community.