

TOP 5 REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD APPLY

To the 10,000 Small Businesses Program at Houston Community College

1. ***You'll learn from the experts.***
Take a practical hands-on business course and acquire useful business skills such as contract negotiation, finance, and people management. Curriculum designed by Babson College, a leader in entrepreneurship education.
2. ***You'll invest in yourself.***
Learn to identify opportunities, develop your leadership and maximize your business operations.
3. ***You'll get customized business assistance.***
Receive one-on-one business advising and create your own customized business growth plan.
4. ***You'll make connections.***
Learn from and with other small business owners in a collaborative setting with years of collective business experience.
5. ***You'll be poised to grow your business.***
Business owners selected for the program will receive a scholarship, which covers all tuition and program materials.

All Accepted Applicants participate at no cost.

To be considered for the program, applicants must be the primary owner or co-owner of a business that generally meets the following criteria:

- Business revenues between \$150,000 and \$4 million in the most recent fiscal year
- At least four employees (including yourself)
- Business has been in operation for at least two years
- The potential and desire to grow and create jobs in the community

Register for a No-cost Small Business Workshop or [Information Session](#) or [APPLY TODAY](#).

- Pathways to Revenue Growth for Small Business Owners
 - July 24, Tuesday, Bethel's Place Empowerment Center at 12660 Sandpiper, Houston TX 77035, 5:30p – 6:45pm
- Grow Your Business Today
 - July 26, Thursday, HCC Spring Branch Campus-The Eagle Room #115, 1010 W. Sam Houston Pkwy. N. Houston, TX 77043, 10:00a-12:00p
- Grow Your Business Today
 - July 30, Monday, HCC Spring Branch Campus-The Eagle Room #115, 1010 W. Sam Houston Pkwy. N. Houston, TX 77043, 1:00pm-3:00p

[Watch this video and meet some of our Alumni](#)

Need help with your application? Application Clinics: Thursdays, 9:00am-11:30am HCC Spring Branch, Commons, 1010 W Sam Houston Pkwy N., 77043



Everything your small business needs to grow is here.

[APPLY TODAY](#)

Applications are now being accepted for our Fall 2012 Class.

Extended Fall Application Deadline - July 30, 2012

To learn more visit our website at

www.hccs.edu/10ksb

or contact us at 713-718-8348 or 10ksb@hccs.edu

Fall 2012 Class Schedules - Please note we are offering the program at two locations. *Dates may be subject to change. Application deadline for the Fall Classes is July 30, 2012.*

HCC Northwest Cohort 5 – Fall 2012 (1050 W. Sam Houston Pkwy. N-Houston, TX 77043)

HCC Southeast Cohort 5 – Fall 2012 (6815 Rustic St. Houston, TX 77087)

Module / Clinic / Event	Date	Time
Orientation/Mod 1A	Wednesday, October 3, 2012	8:00am - 6:00pm
Mod 1B	Friday, October 5, 2012	8:30am - 5:30pm
Fin. Stat. Workshop #1	Wednesday, October 10, 2012	5:30pm - 8:30pm
Mod 2	Saturday, October 13, 2012	8:30am - 5:30pm
Fin. Stat. Workshop #2	Wednesday, October 17, 2012	5:30pm - 8:30pm
Mod 3	Saturday, October 20, 2012	8:30am - 5:30pm
Mod 4	Friday, November 2, 2012	8:30am - 5:30pm
Mod 5	Saturday, November 3, 2012	8:30am - 5:30pm
Negotiations Clinic	Wednesday, November 7, 2012	5:30pm - 8:30pm
HR & Legal Clinic	Tuesday, November 13, 2012	5:30pm - 8:30pm
Mod 6	Friday, November 16, 2012	8:30am - 5:30pm
Mod 7 (Operations)	Saturday, November 17, 2012	8:30am - 5:30pm
Mod 8 (Bankable)(Combined)	Friday, November 30, 2012	8:30am - 5:30pm
Mod 9A	Friday, December 14, 2012	8:30am - 5:30pm
Mod 9B	Saturday, December 15, 2012	8:30am - 5:30pm