

Before Class Begins

You MUST Log in to the POD

The POD is Alvin Community College's centralized portal that connects you to everything ACC.

In the ACC POD you can:

- access your ACC email and Office 365
- access Blackboard
- review and order your college transcript
- access student resources like the Learning Lab FREE tutoring and much more!



Before you begin, you will need your ACC acceptance email or letter, and you will need access to the email inbox that was used on your Apply Texas application.

Follow these instructions to set up your account:

1. Go to www.alvincollege.edu
2. Click on The POD at the top of the screen
3. Click on Forgot Password
4. Enter your ACC Access ID number, found in your acceptance email and letter
5. Enter the email address you used on your Apply Texas application
6. ACC will send an message to this email with a temporary password and a link to reset it
7. If you do not receive an email with a temporary password then call the ACC IT Help Desk, and they will give you a temporary password
8. NEXT on a laptop or desktop, log into the POD and click on the ACC Email.
9. On another device (phone) download the Microsoft Authenticator app.
10. Open the Microsoft Authenticator app on your phone and click next on your computer. Instructions will tell you to add Work or Student account and then SCAN QR CODE from your phone to add account.
11. After your scan the QR code you will click next on the computer and a number will appear.
12. Enter the authentication number it gives you. Click Done and your ACC email inbox will open.

You can now log into the POD, ACC email, and Blackboard!

For assistance logging in or setting your password, please call
the ACC IT Help Desk at 281-756-3544, between 8am - 5pm.