



MONTGOMERY COLLEGE

# CATHERINE AND ISIAH LEGGETT MATH AND SCIENCE BUILDING TAKOMA PARK/SILVER SPRING CAMPUS

MC needs funds to replace out-of-date classrooms and labs to best serve today's students and build the workforce of tomorrow

**60 YEARS OLD**  
MATH BUILDING  
**42 YEARS OLD**  
SCIENCE BUILDING

**Modern classrooms and labs needed:**  
*All students*—including health science and first responder training—are required to take math and science courses

Project costs: \$95.5 million

**Needed funding: \$9 million for furniture and equipment**  
funded 50% by state and 50% by county

**America's scientists and engineers:**  
50% got their start at a community college  
(source: National Science Foundation)

**Replacement project**  
has been in our facilities master plan since 2004 and in our capital budget since 2007

Takoma Park/Silver Spring Campus is crucial to moving our county forward  
(the data below is from 2018)

**Student community reflects today's Montgomery County**

**85%** students of color

**129**

Countries represented



**Affordability is important**

**46.7%**

TP/SS students who receive financial aid

**41%**

TP/SS students who receive federal Pell Grant  
(financial aid for neediest students)

**\$20,000**

Average household income for federal Pell grant recipients

**Location provides access to opportunity**

**Top feeder high schools:**

- Blake
- Einstein
- Montgomery Blair
- Northwood
- Paint Branch
- Springbrook
- Wheaton

The original campus of Montgomery College