

FORT MILL INSTRUCTIONAL SITE

Start: July 2026

Finish: June 2027

Budget: \$0

Actual YTD: \$0



Launchpad

An Early
Childhood
Laboratory
School



Ascend

A Dual
Enrollment
Academy



Altitude

A Nexus for
Advanced and
Continuing
Education

RISK/MITIGATION

The provost is working directly with the president, peers on cabinet, the Town of Fort Mill leadership and others to ensure success. Failure to secure state funding to upfit facilities could delay this project. Failure to secure faculty interest in participating in this project could delay implementation. The provost is working with the deans to mitigate these risks and communicate these opportunities directly to the faculty as well.

Q1 OBJECTIVES(YEAR 3)

- Finalize the floor plans for the upfit for the first and second floors of the Fort Mill facility.
- Sign formal partnership agreement or contract with the Town of Fort Mill to codify financial relationship.
- Finalize a detailed upfront investment and operational budget.
- Start upfit on first floor which will house the Ascend and Altitude operations.
- Launch web portal to gather pop-up class and other programming concepts from faculty.
- Investigate SACSCOC approval processes and reporting needed to establish an off-campus instructional site.
- Launch search for counseling clinic director (on Rock Hill campus) who will help lead the transition to the Fort Mill site.

Status:

Lead: Sebastian van Delden

Pillars: Excel, Educate, Engage

Date: 07/28/2026

DESCRIPTION

The Fort Mill

instructional site will be home to a three-pronged initiative that brings a comprehensive higher education solution to the nearby community.

