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ProTip – Corissa Hayes
College & Career Guide, Kodiak

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Dear Student,

By now you no doubt know that your forward momentum in life relies on an unending series of decisions. One of the biggest decisions you’re facing now is—what next? College & Career Training in Alaska is provided so that no matter how you choose to answer that question—your choice can be a well-informed one.

Continuing your education beyond high school can be a million-dollar decision. To help guide your process, College & Career Training in Alaska includes valuable facts and information about: choosing a program that fits you and your interests, hot jobs and employment in Alaska, free and low-cost financial aid, and diverse education and training opportunities right here in Alaska.

We encourage you to take advantage of the exceptional educational resources Alaska has to offer. ACPE is here to help make your dreams a reality.

Best wishes for success,
Diane Barrans
Executive Director

The average college graduate will earn a million dollars more in their lifetime than someone with only a high school diploma.

— U.S. Census Bureau
American Community Survey Briefs
GETTING STARTED

Compare the real costs of the colleges you are considering by using the Net Price Calculator at collegecost.ed.gov

The “net price” of a college factors in expenses (tuition & fees) and financial aid (grants & scholarships).

Life

After High School

Alaska’s institutions offer highly diverse programs of study designed to meet students’ individual needs as they prepare for future careers and Alaska’s workforce demands.

Four-Year Colleges & Universities grant a broad array of bachelor’s degrees, also called the baccalaureate (Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science). Many also offer vocational certificates, associate and master’s degrees.

➸ University of Alaska
➸ Alaska Pacific University

Community Colleges usually serve city, borough, or region residents. They typically offer vocational certificates and associate degrees and have open admissions and minimal entrance requirements.

➸ Ilisagvik College in Barrow provides postsecondary academic, vocational and technical education training in an environment designed to embrace Iñupiat culture, language, values, and traditions and enable local residents to thrive and succeed.

Vocational Schools & Colleges offer career and technical training in a hands-on environment.

➸ Alaska Vocational Technical Center (AVTEC) in Seward is a public school within the Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, specializing in job training for the Alaska workforce.

➸ Alaska Career College is a private vocational school offering specific courses to meet the requirements of the growing industries in healthcare, business and computer technology.
Applying to

Complete an application for each school you would like to attend. Make note of application deadlines. Be sure to thoroughly complete all requested documentation and meet the deadline. If an essay is required, take the time to make it your best writing, and make sure you ask someone to proof read it for you. Keep a copy of your application and any additional required documents for your records.

OPEN ADMISSIONS

Many colleges and vocational schools have open admission policies. This means that in some cases you may qualify to begin taking classes without being formally admitted to a degree program. However, to ensure you’re on track to a useful degree or credential, and to qualify for financial aid, it’s best to be admitted to a program. Consult each school for specific admissions policies.

GETTING ADMITTED

Institutions have admissions requirements which vary by school. To make an admissions decision, institutions will carefully review the information you provide on your application.

THE BIG PICTURE

Remember – getting admitted is only one step of the process. Work closely with the admissions and financial aid staff at the institution you plan to attend to learn about requirements and deadlines to meet with advisors, enroll for classes, apply for housing, and to apply for financial aid.

Can you complete an associate degree in 2 years? A bachelor’s degree in 4 years?

Yes.

College applications in Alaska can require:

- Personal information
- Educational experience
- High school transcript
- Standardized test scores
- Letters of recommendation
- Extracurricular activities
- Essay

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Consider the whole enrollment process!

**START **

**COLLEGE ENROLLMENT**

- **APPLY FOR ADMISSION**
  Most colleges allow you to apply online or if needed you can ask that an application be sent to you.

- **APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID**
  Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) online at www.fafsa.ed.gov

- **SCHEDULE ASSESSMENT/PLACEMENT TESTS**
  Placement tests are designed to assess your skills. Test results determine if you meet prerequisites for certain courses.

- **PAY**
  Keep track of payment deadlines. If you’re expecting financial aid to cover part of the bill, keep in close contact with your financial office to ensure the funds are delivered. Not meeting the deadline to pay may result in fines, holds on future registration or being dropped from classes.

- **ATTEND ORIENTATION**
  Attending orientation is a great way to learn more about your school, resources available to you, and your campus.

- **REGISTER FOR CLASSES**
  At most colleges registering for classes is a separate process from applying for admission. Find out when registration opens and register early!

- **REQUEST TRANSCRIPTS**
  Send your official final high school transcripts to the colleges you’ve applied to as soon as you graduate.

- **USE YOUR COLLEGE E-MAIL**
  Colleges may communicate with students through their college-affiliated email address. Expect to receive important emails even before your first day of school.

- **FOLLOW UP**
  Follow up with your Academic Advisor, Career or other Counseling Service, and the Financial Aid Office to make sure you are on the right track.

- **ENROLLED IN COLLEGE!**

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**Pro Tip**
Depending on the school, application fee waivers may be available to low-income applicants. If you think you may qualify for a fee waiver, contact the admission office.

– Bryan Rivera
College & Career Specialist, Anchorage
make sure you file the

FAFSA

EVERY YEAR, FILL OUT A FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA) FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (regardless of your family’s income)

Why?
The FAFSA is used to determine your eligibility for federal and state financial aid programs such as the Pell Grant, the Alaska Performance Scholarship, work-study, and lower-cost education loans. It’s also required for many campus-based and private scholarships.

Then What?
Shortly after submitting the FAFSA, you’ll receive a Student Aid Report (SAR) which will tell you more about what aid you qualify for and your Expected Family Contribution toward your college expenses.

Tip: The FAFSA is a free application and you should not be charged a fee. If a fee is requested, chances are you have logged on to the incorrect web address. Try again at fafsa.ed.gov

Need to Know

- Available on January 1
- If possible, applying online at fafsa.ed.gov is the quickest and easiest way to file – and it is free!
- All federal and most state financial aid requires you file a FAFSA every year.
- State aid – including the Alaska Performance Scholarship and the Alaska Education Grant – requires that you submit a FAFSA.
- Filing your FAFSA early increases your odds of getting financial aid that may have limited availability. Also, if you delay you’ll miss out on aid with early deadlines.

FAFSA Help

College Goal Alaska: Attend an event near you or check out the FAFSA help videos. collegegoalak.org

FAFSA Frenzy: The Frenzy is a series of financial aid workshops and activities that are held in February across the UA system. alaska.edu/fafsafrnzy

Family Financial Aid nights: Many high schools offer family financial aid nights – talk with your advisor to find out more.

The ACPE Success Center: Available at two locations in Anchorage or by phone – the helpful staff are available to work one-on-one with you as you fill out the FAFSA. Call 800-441-2962 (or 907-465-2962 in Juneau).

Don’t wait until after you file your taxes! To meet early financial aid deadlines you can use estimated tax or income information. You can easily update the information later using the automated data retrieval process. The FAFSA is available on January 1st of each year, so file it then or shortly thereafter.

– Jordan Brown
College & Career Guide, Nikiski/Kenai
Financial Aid

How To Apply?
Complete a FAFSA online at www.fafsa.ed.gov or call (800) 4-FED-AID
Contact ACPE - your State Higher Education Agency - at: acpe.alaska.gov
or call (800) 441-2962

NEED TO PAY FOR COLLEGE?
Learn all the steps of the financial aid process and create a personalized list of scholarships, grants and loans. Ask your teacher, school counselor, or career resource advisor about using AKCIS.

NEED HELP STAYING ON TRACK?
Go online to use the Career Plan in AKCIS to track your goals for education and career training and then monitor your progress.

Pay attention to deadlines! Admissions and financial aid deadlines vary from college to college- Make sure you meet them. If you think you will not be eligible for grants or work-study, it is worth filing a FAFSA anyway to ensure you are considered for scholarships such as the APS and that any loans you apply for are those with the lowest interest rates possible.

Pro Tip

yup! AKCIS does that too! and even more
- explore career options
- research colleges & universities
- get help selecting a college major
- improve your job hunting skills

– Cierra Mickens, College & Career Guide, Anchorage
GRANTS

Grants are gift aid, meaning you don’t have to pay them back. Award amounts are generally based on eligibility requirements such as your unmet financial need, and the cost of attending your school.

- **Federal Pell Grant** – Amount varies up to $5,730 for the 2014-15 award year.
- **Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)** – Amount varies between $100 and $4,000 at participating schools.
- **Alaska Education Grant** – Awards range from $500 to $4,000 per academic year for eligible Alaska students attending qualifying institutions in Alaska.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are also gift aid – free money! They may be awarded for academic achievement, talent, skill, community service, leadership, school activities, or your affiliation with a particular club or organization. Scholarships can be awarded by your school or college or by any organization sponsoring the scholarship. Be aware that some online scholarship search services will try to charge you a fee. There is no need to pay a fee as there are several free searches available.

For a free scholarship search try: [www.akcis.org](http://www.akcis.org) or [www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com).

Also – if a scholarship is a multi-year award, make sure you know what academic performance standards you may have to meet to continue to receive the funding year to year.

FEDERAL WORK STUDY

This is part-time, on-campus employment to help students pay for college.

Get up to $4,755 a year!

For Staying on Track

Alaska now offers the APS to Alaska high school graduates who complete a specified rigorous high school curriculum, meet GPA and test score requirements and enroll in participating Alaska institutions. The FAFSA is the application for the APS. Talk to your high school counselor for more information or visit APS.alaska.gov

Meet Andrew - an APS recipient. Watch his story and others online at aps.alaska.gov

aps.alaska.gov

Go Here

To download the APS Checklist

To download the APS Checklist
## Types of Financial Aid

### Loans

Education loans are borrowed money that must be paid back.

### Parent & Family Loans

#### Federal Loans

- **Federal Direct PLUS** – a federal loan parents can take out on behalf of dependent students.

#### Alaska State Loans

- **Alaska Family Education Loan (FEL)** – a state loan, with 0% origination fee, that family members can take out on behalf of dependent or independent students.

### Student Loans

#### Federal Loans

- **Perkins** - Based on need (offered by participating schools)
- **Federal Direct Subsidized Loan (Undergraduate)** - Based on need. The government pays the interest on this loan while in school.
- **Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan (Undergraduate)** - Not based on need. Any student can apply.

For more information on federal loans, go to [studentloans.gov](http://studentloans.gov).

#### Alaska State Loans

- **Alaska Supplemental Education Loan (ASEL)** - Low-cost, 0% origination fee state loan, for students who cannot cover all their education costs through grants, scholarships or federal direct loans.
- **Career-Specific Alaska State Loans**
  - **A.W. Winn Brindle** - Fisheries Loan

For more information on Alaska State loans, go to [acpe.alaska.gov](http://acpe.alaska.gov).

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**UA College Savings Plan**

The UA College Savings Plan makes it simple to save your PFD for school each year when you apply online for the annual dividend. Better yet, your money has the potential to grow and any earnings are tax free if used for qualified expenses.

Save in Alaska, study anywhere.

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(907) 474-5671
ua-collegesavingsplan@alaska.edu
facebook.com/AK529
The University of Alaska offers students who are in the top 10% of their class (as designated by their high school) an $11,000 scholarship.

UA Scholars:
- May receive the award in conjunction with other forms of aid including the Alaska Performance Scholarship
- Are designated by their high school at the end of their junior year

If you need additional loan funds beyond the amount available through the federal direct loans, research your lender options to find the lowest interest rates and costs.

– Emily Knight  
College & Career Guide, Soldotna

If you think you may be eligible, consult the veterans services coordinator or financial aid office at your institution for more information.

ADDITIONAL SOURCES OF AID

- College & other personal savings
- Community and corporate grants and scholarships
- Service programs such as AmeriCorps, ROTC
- Employer-sponsored tuition assistance programs
- Veterans Benefits*

*There are state and federal student assistance opportunities for military veterans or, in some circumstances, their dependents. If you think you may be eligible, consult the veterans services coordinator or financial aid office at your institution for more information.

UA Scholars Program
shaping Alaska’s future

Receive $1,375 per semester for EIGHT semesters of study at any UA school!

Think you may be eligible for the scholarship?  
Contact your school counselor today!

Scholars Program  
P.O. Box 755120  
Fairbanks, AK 99775

(907) 474-5105  
1-877-257-2465

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A college education can lead to a higher-paying career over a lifetime, but college can be expensive. As you begin planning for this million-dollar decision, make sure you are prepared. Minimize your education debt by looking for ways to reduce your related expenses. Here are some tips to avoid getting in over your head.

Create a Budget

Identify your income, list your expenses, compare resources with expenses, and make adjustments.

Keep Costs as Low as Possible

In high school, research all your options for free money from grants and scholarships, and do what you can to qualify for them. If possible, take Advanced Placement classes and exams and earn college credit at a fraction of the cost. If you're thinking of attending in another state, look into student exchange programs that would allow you to pay in-state or reduced nonresident tuition.

Once you're getting ready to start college, work with an advisor to make sure you take the right classes – and enough classes – to graduate on schedule.

Make sure you meet all financial aid deadlines. File the FAFSA every year, beginning soon after January your senior year of high school. If you borrow money, use the federal Direct Loan first – then compare your other federal and state loan options to fill in any gaps.

Know the Right Amount to Borrow

Use tools available to you, such as AKCIS at www.akcis.org, to start planning for your future career. Research income potential and employment outlook by field. Your monthly student loan payments should not exceed 8-10% of your monthly salary. Use online calculators to estimate your payment amount at www.finaid.org.

Keep Loan Costs Low

Take out only the loan amounts necessary to meet the costs of your education. Use subsidized federal loans first, if you qualify. Do your research on unsubsidized loans, and check out the State of Alaska's low-cost, no-fee loan options. Understand the difference between fixed and variable interest rates – and what credit-based pricing is; and research the repayment options available on different loans before you borrow.

Getting Done on Time

Most colleges consider 12 credits per semester full-time. But do the math – a bachelor's degree requires at least 120 credits. If you take only 12 credits per semester, it will take 5 or more years to graduate. If you want to graduate on time, you need to take an average of at least 15 credit hours per semester.

Understand Credit

The measure of a consumer's credit quality is called a FICO score. It can range from 300 to 850 – higher is better. Your credit score is based on your history of obtaining and repaying credit, so many high school students who haven't used credit may not have a good credit score. Using a credit card for purchases and then making regular payments on time creates positive credit. But be careful, always maxing out your credit card or paying late can hurt you.

Watch the videos! acpe.alaska.gov/moneysmarts
## Alaska’s Top Jobs

### $$$$$
**MORE THAN $72,060 ANNUALLY**
($34.64 HOURLY)

- Lawyers
- Sales Managers
- Accountants & Auditors
- Probation Officers & Correctional Treatment Specialists

### $$$
**$54,675 - $72,060 ANNUALLY**
($26.28 - $34.64 HOURLY)

- Middle School Teachers
- Secondary School Teachers

## Requires a Bachelor’s Degree or Above

**BUSINESS/OTHER**
- Education Administrators, Elementary & Secondary School
- Elementary School Teachers

**EDUCATION**
- Elementary School Teachers
- Secondary School Teachers

**HEALTH CARE**
- Family and General Practitioners
- Medical and Health Services Managers
- Pharmacists
- Physical Therapists
- Physician Assistants

**TECHNICAL**
- Airline Pilots, Copilots & Flight Engineers
- Civil Engineers
- Computer & Information Systems Managers
- Network & Computer Systems Administrators

## Requires an Associate Degree or Vocational Training

**HEALTH CARE**
- Dental Hygienists
- Massage Therapists
- Registered Nurses

**TECHNICAL/OTHER**
- Police & Patrol Officers

**TECHNICAL**
- Emergency Medical Technicians & Paramedics
- Radiologic Technologists

**OTHER**
- Carpenters
- Electricians
- Plumbers, Pipefitters & Steamfitters
- Operating Engineers & Construction Equipment Operators

The Top Jobs list considers more than just earnings, such as projected growth in jobs and openings. For a complete list of Alaska’s Top Jobs, go to labor.alaska.gov

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**Source:** Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section (Alaska Economic Trends, October 2012)

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**Pro Tip**

– Jesse Manchester,
College & Career Guide, North Pole
Learn & Earn – Apprenticeships

One of the oldest methods of career training is apprenticeship.

An apprentice starts working from day one with a combination of on-the-job training and technical instruction. Apprenticeable occupations in Alaska encompass oil and gas, construction, forestry, healthcare, transportation, mining, and other industries. Some occupations cross multiple industries. After completing an apprenticeship program, which can range from one to six years depending on the industry, individuals receive an industry-issued credential that certifies occupational proficiency.

If you would like more information about participation in an apprenticeship program or opportunity contact the Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Office of Apprenticeship: (877) 724-2539 apprenticeship@alaska.gov www.jobs.alaska.gov
## WHERE TO GET TRAINING
for Alaska’s High Demand Jobs

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**Photo by Hans Klodt**
Top 10 Things Employers Look for in New Graduates

While you may think that choosing the “right” major is key to getting a good job, your long-term professional success will depend far more on acquiring the right skills for a rapidly changing workplace.

№ 1 The ability to work well in teams — especially with people different from yourself

№ 2 An understanding of science and technology and how these subjects are used in real-world settings

№ 3 The ability to write & speak well

№ 4 The ability to think clearly about complex problems

№ 5 The ability to analyze a problem to develop workable solutions

№ 6 An understanding of global context in which work is now done

№ 7 The ability to be creative & innovative in solving problems

№ 8 The ability to apply knowledge & skills in new settings

№ 9 The ability to understand numbers & statistics

№ 10 A strong sense of ethics & integrity


Do you have your résumé yet? Consider: part-time work, volunteering, school activities, and special skills. Use the résumé builder available free in your AKCIS portfolio at akcis.org to create a résumé now that can also grow with your future experience!

– Krystal Garrison, AKCIS Training Specialist, Anchorage
Alaska Bible College
248 E Elmwood Ave, Palmer 99645
www.akbible.edu

Alaska Bible College is situated in the amazing town of Palmer which is surrounded by towering mountain peaks, majestic glaciers, and salmon infested rivers. Since our class sizes are small, individualized attention and classroom discussions are highly encouraged and beneficial. At Alaska Bible College, we focus on teaching and applying the Bible while building relationships within the student body and our community. Although the academic standards are high here, the overall atmosphere is casual and there is unmatched opportunity to refresh and rejuvenate within the wilds of Alaska during down time. “Explore His word, follow His steps!”

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES: $9,300
PER CREDIT TUITION: $375
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 50
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 5:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: Yes
ROOM & BOARD: $5,400
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor's
FINANCIAL AID: Available

CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 745-3201
Toll Free: 1 (800) 478-7884
info@akbible.edu

IMPORTANT DEADLINES
FINANCIAL AID: July 1
ADMISSIONS: August 1

Alaska Career College
1415 E. Tudor Road, Anchorage 99507
www.alaskacareercollege.edu

Employers are looking for the best. Alaska Career College continues to successfully meet this need by preparing students for the workforce with diligent and committed staff and instructors. Founded in 1985 (Career Academy), ACC focuses on growth industries strategic to the economy of Alaska (health, nursing, aviation, business, accounting, computer technology).

ACC students are inspired to look above the minimum expectations to graduate, by maximizing their talents. At Alaska Career College it is not just about investing in your education, but also in yourself.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (program based): $7,000 - $23,000
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 600
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 15:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Diploma, Associate
FINANCIAL AID: Available
FINANCIAL AID DEADLINE: Continuous
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 563-7575
Toll Free: 1 (800) 770-7575
admissions@alaskacareercollege.edu
Hours: Mon-Fri 8a - 6p
Alaska Christian College

35109 Royal Place, Soldotna 99669
www.AlaskaCC.edu

Alaska Christian College (ACC) is an Alaska-Native focused, Christ-centered institution that encourages all students to reach excellence in character, and service. The students and staff form a safe, supportive community in which students are introduced to the college experience and grow in all areas of life: intellectual, emotional, social, physical, and spiritual. The friendships and relationships formed at ACC will last a lifetime. ACC offers associate degrees and is accredited by the Association of Biblical Higher Education. Last year 100% of students received financial aid.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $7,694
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $312
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 60
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 12:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: Yes
ROOM & BOARD: $10,500
DEGREES OFFERED: Associate Degree in Paraprofessional Education & Christian Ministry
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 394-2126
FINANCIAL AID DEADLINE: Continuous
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

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Alaska Pacific University

4101 University Drive, Anchorage 99508
www.alaskapacific.edu

Look to Alaska Pacific University for high-quality education and personal attention in every course. APU provides Alaskan students with unique learning opportunities that you will not find anywhere else in Alaska or the Lower 48. Travel courses, small class size, the Eco League, local internships, field courses and amazing post-graduate employment rates are only a few of the benefits of attending Alaska Pacific University. Discover Active Learning! Additional scholarships are available for Alaska high school graduates.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES: $15,000 - $29,700
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $445
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 600
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 7:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: Yes
ROOM & BOARD: $4,300 (avg)
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Master’s, Doctoral
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 564-8341
FINANCIAL AID DEADLINE: Continuous
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 564-8248
Toll Free: 1(800) ALASKA-U
admissions@alaskapacific.edu
Hours: Mon-Fri 8a - 5p
AVTEC - Alaska’s Institute of Technology

P.O. Box 889, Seward 99664
www.avtec.edu

AVTEC - Alaska’s Institute of Technology offers industry-specific programs in occupations relating to Alaska’s expanding and unique economy. AVTEC is a division of the Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development and responds to the needs of Alaska with industry-approved certifications and/or licenses. Placing 93% of its graduates in jobs, AVTEC works with more than 200 business partners around the state. AVTEC is a friendly and caring school, dedicated to helping all students achieve the highest level of technical knowledge and workplace skills. All training programs are less than one year!

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (program based): $1,320 - $5,000
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 1,500
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 15:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: Seward Campus Only
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 224-6157
FINANCIAL AID DEADLINE: Continuous
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

Central Texas College

Anchorage & Fairbanks
www.ctcd.edu

Central Texas College is a community college which began in Killeen, Texas in 1965. Central Texas College is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools to award associate degrees and certificates of completion. It serves military and civilian personnel throughout the world and has an open-door admission policy. Programs vary from location to location.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (program based): $4,800 - $5,760
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $160 - $185
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 600
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 2:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Associate
FINANCIAL AID: Available
FINANCIAL AID DEADLINE: Continuous
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

CONTACT INFORMATION
Fort Richardson and Elmendorf AFB – (907) 428-1317
Fort Wainwright – (907) 356-3863
areadirector.alasks@ctcd.edu
Charter College
2221 E. Northern Lights Blvd, Suite 120, Anchorage 99508
721 W. Parks Highway, Wasilla 99654
www.CharterCollege.edu

Charter College offers certificate, associate and bachelor’s degree programs as well as a Master’s in Business Administration (MBA). Programs in healthcare include an Associate Degree in Nursing. Certificate programs in business, the legal field, criminal justice, information technology, HVAC and welding are also available. We strive to provide students with a career-focused education that is relevant in today’s workspace, technology and focus. Classes are offered online or in a blended setting with students attending lab two days a week and completing the rest of their work online.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (program based): $13,500 - $58,850
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 11:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Master’s
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 277-1000
FINANCIAL AID DEADLINE: Continuous
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

CONTACT INFORMATION
Wasilla - (907) 352-1000
Anchorage - (907) 277-1000
Community@CharterCollege.edu
Hours: Mon-Fri 9a - 5p

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University

The leaders of tomorrow are studying with Embry-Riddle today! Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University is the world’s premier institution for aviation and aerospace higher education. What we do best is teach the science, practice, and business of the world of aviation and aerospace. For more than 30 years, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University – Worldwide has been serving the needs of adult students by delivering courses and degree programs online, through web video conferencing in the classroom or at home, and in the classroom through a network of more than 150 locations around the world. We make it easier for you to achieve your goals. Now you can get a top-notch Embry-Riddle education right here in Alaska. We offer bachelor’s and master’s programs specializing in Management, Aviation Safety, Logistics and Occupational Safety & Health. All academic programs at Embry-Riddle are approved for veterans’ educational benefits and are accompanied by personalized academic advisement.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (program based): $8,100 - $8,400
PER CREDIT TUITION: $270-$560
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 15:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Associate, Bachelor’s, Master’s, Doctoral
FINANCIAL AID: Available
EMAIL: wwfinaid@erau.edu
FINANCIAL AID DEADLINE: Continuous
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 753-9367 or (907) 333-1311
anchorage@erau.edu
Ilisagvik College
P.O. Box 749, Barrow 99723
www.ilisagvik.edu

Located within the heart of the beautiful North Slope, Ilisagvik College is Alaska’s only Tribal College, and is the state’s only accredited, Alaska Native-controlled higher education institution. Every program we offer at the college not only models our Iñupiat traditions, values, and culture, but also has substantial career and employment opportunities in the Arctic as well as elsewhere in Alaska. We serve students at our campus in Barrow and via distance delivery.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES: $6,270
PER CREDIT TUITION: $100
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 1,741
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 6:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: Yes
ROOM & BOARD: $19,000
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 852-1708 or (907) 852-1709
Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30a - 5p
FINANCIAL AID DEADLINE: Continuous
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

Wayland Baptist University
7801 East 32nd Ave, Anchorage 99504-4084
www.wbu.edu/colleges-in-anchorage

“Wayland Really Cares.” This is evident in everything at Wayland, where students enjoy an academically challenging, learning-focused and distinctively Christian environment that eagerly welcomes people of all faiths and beliefs. Successful learning is built on relationships, and at Wayland, instructors know their students by name.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (program based): $9,100 - $12,000
PER CREDIT TUITION: $260 - $300
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 600
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 15:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Master’s
FINANCIAL AID: Available
FINANCIAL AID DEADLINE: Continuous

CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 333-2277
Hours: Mon-Thu 10a - 6p; Fri 10a - 2p

IMPORTANT DEADLINE
ADMISSIONS: August 15
Located in the heart of Alaska’s largest city is the state’s largest postsecondary institution, the University of Alaska Anchorage. The campus is nestled in the middle of a greenbelt, surrounded by lakes, ponds and wildlife, and is connected to a city-wide trail system perfect for students’ active lifestyles.

**ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $5,569**

**PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $174**

**STUDENT BODY SIZE: 17,332**

**STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 14:1**

**ON CAMPUS HOUSING: Yes**

**ROOM & BOARD: $11,179**

**DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Master’s, Doctoral, Occupational Endorsement**

**FINANCIAL AID: Available**

**CALL: (907) 786-1480**

**ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous**

**E-MAIL: financial.aid@uaa.alaska.edu**

**IMPORTANT DEADLINE**

**PRIORITY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION: February 15**

**VIRTUAL TOUR**

[curric.uaa.alaska.edu/admissions/vt](curric.uaa.alaska.edu/admissions/vt)

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

(907) 786-1480

enroll@uaa.alaska.edu

Hours: Mon-Thu 8a - 6p; Fri 8a - 5p
As part of the UA system, Kenai Peninsula College (KPC) is able to offer its students the best of both worlds—the feel of a small college with the resources of a larger university. Small enough to connect with professors yet large enough to help you evolve into who you want to be. With two campuses, two extension sites and a large variety of high-quality, award winning online courses, KPC has a place for you! Now offering a new, 92-bed residence hall and Career and Technical Education Center at the Kenai River Campus in Soldotna.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $5,844
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $174
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 2,850
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 14:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: Yes (Kenai Campus)
ROOM & BOARD: $6,400
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Occupational Endorsement
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 262-0300 or (877) 262-0330
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

Kodiak College invites you to explore an exciting array of educational options, from transfer degrees to technical training and personal enrichment courses. Kodiak College is a public, two-year campus of the University of Alaska Anchorage, situated in the Gulf of Alaska on the second largest island in the United States. Our unique coastal environment and culturally diverse community offer a wide variety of opportunities both in and out of the classroom.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $6,788
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $153
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 1,015
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 15:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Occupational Endorsement
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 486-1214
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous
UAA Matanuska-Susitna College

P.O. Box 2889 | 8295 E. College Drive, Palmer, AK 99645
www.matsu.alaska.edu

Experience the unique benefits of learning within a small campus environment: accessible, tenured faculty and friendly, dedicated staff make Mat-Su College the perfect place to discover and develop your potential. Matanuska-Susitna College is a community campus of the University of Alaska Anchorage located on a 950-acre site on Trunk Road between Palmer and Wasilla. MSC offers an array of career and technical degree programs as well as the general education classes you’ll need to start a bachelor’s degree.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $5,569
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $174
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 1,800
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 16:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Occupational Endorsement
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 745-9746
EMAIL: financial.aid@matsu.alaska.edu
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 745-9746
info@matsu.alaska.edu
Hours: Mon-Thu 8a - 6p; Fri 9a - 5p

IMPORTANT DEADLINE
PRIORITY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION: February 15

UAA Prince William Sound Community College

P.O. Box 97 | 303 Lowe Street, Valdez 99686
www.pwsc.edu

Prince William Sound Community college is located in Valdez, Alaska, with extension centers in the Copper Basin Region and Cordova. We are in the midst of multiple rivers with famous Alaska salmon runs, towering mountains showing glaciers and waterfalls and scenic oceanfront views. With more than 300 inches of snow each year, we are a natural playground for winter enthusiasts, and we loan the skis and snowshoes for free. We have high-tech classrooms, and many courses are offered online. Our classes are easily transferable within the University of Alaska system and universities across the nation.

PWSCC offers degrees in a variety of programs. Two signature programs include: Outdoor Leadership AAS emphasizing Adventure filmmaking, Adventure Tourism or Expedition Specialist. The Millwright AAS provides technical skills for high-demand jobs, and unique internship connections with Alaskan employers.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $4,560
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $152
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 1,000
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 12:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: Yes
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Occupational Endorsement
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 834-1600
EMAIL: studentservices@pwsc.edu
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

CONTACT INFORMATION
Call: (907) 262-0300 or (907) 262-0311
Email: admissions@pwsc.edu
Hours: Mon-Fri 8a - 5p
UAF is Alaska’s top teaching and research university and the state’s leading PhD-granting institution, located in a classroom and lab as big as Alaska itself. With a network of community campuses throughout the state, UAF gives students the education they want and need—where they live and work.

Annual Tuition & Fees:
- (resident) $6,314

Per Credit Tuition:
- (resident) $174

Student Body Size: 6,360

Student/Teacher Ratio: 10:1

On Campus Housing: Yes

Room & Board: $8,722

Degrees Offered:
- Certificate,
- Associate,
- Bachelor’s,
- Master’s,
- Doctoral,
- Occupational Endorsement

Financial Aid: Available

Call: (907) 474-7256 or (888) 474-7256

Admissions Deadline: Continuous

Contact Information
- (907) 474-7500 or (800) 478-1823
- admissions@uaf.edu
- Hours: Mon-Fri 8a - 5p

Contact Information
- (907) 474-7500 or (800) 478-1823
- admissions@uaf.edu
- Hours: Mon-Fri 8a - 5p

IMPORTANT DEADLINE

Priority Scholarship Application: February 15

University of Alaska Fairbanks

P.O. Box 757480 | Fairbanks 99775 | www.uaf.edu

University of Alaska Fairbanks

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UAF Bristol Bay Campus

P.O. Box 1070, Dillingham 99576
www.uaf.edu/bbc

Obtaining a good education doesn’t have to mean leaving home. UAF’s Bristol Bay Campus helps students achieve their dreams, from earning a certificate or degree to enhancing their job skills. Many classes are offered via distance delivery in the evenings, so students who work can still get the education they want. Our student services department is here for advising and assisting with financial aid. Many sources of funding are available.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $5,310
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $174
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 707
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 27:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Master’s, Occupational Endorsement
FINANCIAL AID: Available
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 842-5109 or Toll Free: (800) 478-5109
Email: bbcinfo@uaf.edu
Hours: Mon-Fri 8a - 5p (Mon-Thur until 8 p.m. Sept 6 - May 14)

LEARNING CENTERS:
King Salmon: (907) 246-4292
Togiak: (907) 493-5938
New Stuyahok: (907) 693-3080

UAF Chukchi Campus

P.O. Box 297, Kotzebue 99752
www.uaf.edu/chukchi

Thanks to state-of-the-art technology, students dedicated to their communities can pursue one of the many certificates or degrees through UAF’s Chukchi Campus. CC is specifically equipped to serve residents of the Northwest Arctic who aspire to a career in the region and want to get an education without having to leave home.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $5,310
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $174
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 346
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 27:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Master’s, Occupational Endorsement
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 442-3400
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 442-3400 or (800) 478-3402
Hours: Mon- Fri 8a - 5p

IMPORTANT DEADLINE
PRIORITY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION: February 15
UAF Community & Technical College

P.O. Box 758040, Fairbanks 99775
www.ctc.uaf.edu

UAF’s Community and Technical College offers more than 40 one- and two-year programs designed to improve job skills and employment options, all in a friendly environment with personalized support services. Many classes are offered in the evenings, on weekends or online to accommodate students with families or full-time jobs.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $6,314
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $174
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 3,340
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 14:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Occupational Endorsement
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 455-2800 or (877) 882-8827
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

UAF Interior-Aleutians Campus

P.O. Box 756720, Fairbanks 99775
www.uaf.edu/iac

UAF’s Interior-Aleutians Campus integrates lifelong education with rural and Alaska Native communities, cultures and ways of life. I-AC brings the university to people who cannot attend classes in Fairbanks, focusing on the specific needs of each community. From preparing students for college to offering certificates and associate and bachelor’s degrees, I-AC is committed to students’ success, wherever they are.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $5,310
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $174
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 509
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 11:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Occupational Endorsement
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 474-6493 or (888) 474-5207 opt 1 ext 4
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 455-2800 or (877) 882-8827
Email: uaf-ctc@alaska.edu
Hours: Mon- Fri 8a - 5p

IMPORTANT DEADLINE
PRIORITY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION: February 15

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UAF Kuskokwim Campus

P.O. Box 368, Bethel 99559
www.bethel.uaf.edu

UAF’s Kuskokwim Campus (KuC) is in Bethel, Alaska, the hub of the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. You can study surrounded by the rich cultural heritage of Yup’ik, Cup’ik and Athabascan villages. The largest of UAF’s rural campuses, KuC offers on-campus and distance courses, residential life, general and unique academic support programs, and people dedicated to making your success our success. KuC opened a learning center in 2013 in Hooper Bay to serve residents of that region.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $5,310
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $174
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 477
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 8:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: Yes
ROOM & BOARD: $12,500
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Master’s, Occupational Endorsement
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 543-4563
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 543-4562
castockdale@alaska.edu
Hours: Mon- Fri 8a - 5p

IMPORTANT DEADLINE
PRIORITY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION: February 15

UAF Northwest Campus

P.O. Box 400, Nome 99762
www.nwc.uaf.edu

For more than three decades, UAF’s Northwest Campus has been helping residents of the Bering Strait region reach their education and workforce training goals without having to move away from home. Whether pursuing a degree, mastering job skills or learning for the joy of it, students expand their horizons at Northwest Campus.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $5,310
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $174
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 304
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 18:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Master’s, Occupational Endorsement
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (800) 478-2202 ext 8416
ADMISSIONS DEADLINE: Continuous

CONTACT INFORMATION
(800) 478-2202 ext 8416
nwc.info@alaska.edu
Hours: Mon- Fri 8a - 5p
The University of Alaska Southeast Juneau campus is set between fresh water Auke Lake and salt water Auke Bay in the Tongass National Forest. A brand new residence hall completes a vibrant campus community. UAS’ four schools are committed to providing opportunities for students to reach their academic, personal and career goals. Students in the School of Arts and Sciences receive a personalized education amidst amazing natural beauty in the humanities, social sciences or natural sciences. Undergraduates in the sciences can study glaciers on the Juneau Ice Field or whales in their natural habitat of the Inside Passage. The School of Education is known for its undergraduate and graduate programs; students can earn a Master of Arts in Teaching degree in one year. The School of Management offers degrees in Accounting, Business, and Public Administration. Career Education includes programs in health sciences, construction, diesel, fisheries and mining technology.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $5,901
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $174
ANNUAL ROOM & BOARD: $10,310
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 3,644
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 12:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: Yes
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Master’s, Occupational Endorsement
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 796-6255

CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 796-6100
Toll Free: (877) 465-4827
admissions@uas.alaska.edu
Hours: Mon-Thu 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

IMPORTANT DEADLINES
PRIORITY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION: February 15
ADMISSIONS: August 1
UAS Ketchikan

2600 7th Ave, Ketchikan 99901
www.ketch.alaska.edu

UAS Ketchikan focuses on liberal arts education and technical training to meet the needs of Alaskan employers. We are the only campus in the state to offer a Bachelor of Liberal Arts and a Bachelor of Arts in Social Science through e-Learning coursework. Our experienced faculty provides students with personalized attention, unique learning experiences and individualized undergraduate research opportunities. Students can choose from a variety of degree concentrations including history, psychology, sociology and anthropology, among others.

UAS Ketchikan’s Maritime Technical Training Center offers a full complement of U.S. Coast Guard-approved courses designed for mariners working on vessels like fishing and charter boats, Alaska Marine Highway ferries, tug boats and even cruise ships. The campus recently launched a new U.S. Coast Guard-approved program for students interested in working in marine engine departments or shore side service industries like shipyards and barge lines. New students can start their careers and seasoned mariners can upgrade and expand their licenses at the Maritime Technical Training Center utilizing state-of-the-art, hands-on training simulators and equipment.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $5,901
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $174
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 800
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 9:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Master’s, Occupational Endorsement
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 228-4511

CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 228-4511
Toll Free: (877) 550-6177
ketch.info@uas.alaska.edu
Hours: Mon-Fri 8a - 5p

UAS Sitka

1332 Seward Ave, Sitka 99835
www.uas.alaska.edu/sitka

The Sitka Campus of the University of Alaska Southeast enjoys a spectacular setting in one of the most beautiful and quaint cities in all of Alaska. Four out of five Sitka Campus students, however, rarely set foot on campus … they are scattered across Alaska and around the world, studying online. Many are Native Alaskans in remote villages, Alaska residents on military deployments or simply living in towns or cities across the state.

The Sitka Campus faculty, working with its award-winning staff of instructional designers, prepares and delivers online courses that help engage students in their chosen career. The campus ships microscopes, headsets and lab supplies so that e-Learning students can enjoy the same hands-on experience they would get in a classroom.

The Sitka Campus has long been known for its science, health and arts instruction. Increasingly, it is also known statewide for e-Learning programs in law enforcement and fisheries technology. Law enforcement students learn investigation techniques, Alaska criminal law, and communication skills to help them “think like a police officer.” Fisheries technology students partner with their community campuses to gain hands-on experience and complete local internships in Alaska’s largest industry.

ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (resident): $5,950
PER CREDIT TUITION (resident): $174
STUDENT BODY SIZE: 875
STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO: 14:1
ON CAMPUS HOUSING: No
DEGREES OFFERED: Certificate, Associate, Bachelor’s, Master’s, Occupational Endorsement
FINANCIAL AID: Available
CALL: (907) 747-7717

CONTACT INFORMATION
(907) 747-7717
Toll Free: (800) 478-6653
student.info@uas.alaska.edu
Hours: Mon-Thu 8a - 9p
Fri 8a - 5p; Sat 10a - 2p

IMPORTANT DEADLINES
PRIORITY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION: February 15
ADMISSIONS: August 1
The Alaska College & Career Advising Corps (ACAC), an ACPE program funded through the federal College Access Challenge Grant Program, places recent college graduates into target high schools where they provide classroom presentations, group workshops and one-to-one advising aimed at increasing the number of Alaska students who enroll in and complete college or career training.

For more information contact Greg Monrad, ACAC Program Manager, at greg.monrad@alaska.gov

ACAC Guides can be found in the following schools:

- Bartlett High (Anchorage)
- Bethel High
- East High (Anchorage)
- Kenai Central High
- Kodiak High (also serves Akhiok, Chiniak, Karluk, Larsen Bay, Old Harbor, Ouzinkie & Port Lions)
- Lathrop High (Fairbanks)
- Nikiski High
- North Pole High
- Service High (Anchorage)
- Seward High
- Soldotna High
- University Center–UAA One Stop
  3800 Old Seward Hwy, Anchorage
  Dimond Mall (Second floor near the movie theaters)
  800 E. Dimond Blvd., Ste. 200, Anchorage
  University Center–UAA One Stop
  3800 Old Seward Hwy, Anchorage

**Senior Year College/Career Checklist**

**FALL**
- Prepare for your final SAT &/or ACT.
- Narrow your list of schools.
- Research the application requirements & deadlines for scholarships for each of the schools you are interested in.
- Start admission & scholarship applications.
- Get letters of recommendation.
- Write application essays.
- Research scholarships & grants.

**WINTER**
- Contact colleges to ensure your application is complete.
- Fill out the FAFSA as soon after January 1st as possible and before February 15.
- Get assistance from the ACPE Success Center or the College & Career Guide at your School.

**SPRING**
- Watch for admission acceptance letters - they may come as an email.
- Compare financial aid offers before making your decision.

Need some help with the college & career process?

CONTACT US!
GETTING YOU SET FOR COLLEGE OR TRAINING IS WHAT WE DO.

Career Exploration
Career Training Research
Financial Aid Applications
Scholarship Searches
College Enrollment Coaching

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