COMMUNITY COLLEGE ADVANTAGE

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WHY COMMUNITY COLLEGE?

• What are some of the reasons a two-year degree may be a good fit for a student?
• What are some of the factors to consider when choosing a community college?
APPLYING TO COMMUNITY COLLEGE
APPLYING

• What is the deadline to apply to community college?

• How does a student apply? Online? Common App?

• Are there additional required elements for admission (i.e. high school transcript, essay, test scores, application fee)?

• If a student took Running Start, eStart, or Early College coursework in high school, will those credits count towards a CC degree?
ACADEMIC SUPPORT

• What types of supports are available to students? Is there an additional cost?
• Is there a career center on campus to help students with internships, resume building, and the job search?
TRANSFER TO 4-YEAR

• If a student wishes to continue their education after receiving their associate degree, are there advisors to help with this process?

• What is Dual Admission?

• What are transfer/articulation agreements?

• Will all of a student’s credits transfer?
  o [nhtransfer.org](http://nhtransfer.org)
FINANCIAL AID
FINANCIAL AID PROCESS

• Which form(s) will a student need to complete? Who can help?

• When are the application deadlines?

• Does a student need to be full-time to receive aid?

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<td>$6,450 – Based on 30 credits</td>
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SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

• Can a student use outside scholarships to help pay for college?

• Where can a student find scholarship information?

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDENTS ENTERING:

• Certificate, license or other industry-recognized credential
• Two-year or associate degree program
• Four-year or bachelor’s degree program

NEW HAMPSHIRE CHARITABLE FOUNDATION
SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

• Which grants might a student applying to community college qualify for?

• If a student transfers to a 4-year institution from a CC, am they eligible for any institutional aid?
  • Transfer agreements
  • Granite Guarantee

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STUDENT LIFE
COLLEGE LIFE

• What types of clubs, sports, and organizations can a student join on a community college campus?

• Are there opportunities to travel while enrolled?

• What are some of the cultural, entertainment, and recreational activities offered on campus?

• Can a student live on campus?

• What are the food options?
QUESTIONS?

If you would like additional assistance, please visit our website!

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THANK YOU!

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