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Bowling Green State University

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Bowling Green State University's 20,000 students come from 50 states and 70 countries to learn, grow and design their personal and professional lives with the help of their BGSU support team. We're the perfect size — large enough for research, scholarships, internships and study abroad, but small enough that our students know their professors and classmates. Our students pick from more than 200 majors and program as they enjoy the security of our Falcon Tuition Guarantee to lock in their cost for all four years. Since we know that college is an investment, we offer scholarships that are renewable and automatic with awards that range from \$1,000 to full tuition. Students also enjoy our robust campus life with Division 1 athletic, Greek Life, competitive club sports and opportunities to design your academic and career path with internships that lead to jobs upon graduation. In fact, 97 percent of our graduates report their employed, in graduate school or starting their own business within six months of walking across that stage.

Stand out with than 200 majors and programs at BGSU, including:

- Marine biology
- One-of-a-kind Resort and Attraction Management degree
- Forensic science program with crime lab on campus
- Architecture
- Education
- Nursing
- Digital arts
- Mechatronics
- Cyber security
- Aviation — airport is located on campus
- Software engineering

Learn more at bgsu.edu/majors

Visit BGSU and try on life as a Falcon! There's no better way to decide if a college is the right fit than to visit and explore. We offer a variety of visit experiences — personalized visits to daily tours to large events — designed to ensure you can do just that. Register at visit.bgsu.edu

Fast Facts:

- Scholarships for first-year students range from \$1,000 to full tuition with the minimum requirement being a 3.0 high school GPA and 20 ACT or 1040 SAT.
- No. 1 public university in the Midwest for student satisfaction. ~ Wall Street Journal
- Nestled in one of America's best college towns, BGSU is 30 minutes south of Toledo, easily accessible from the highway. Our Huron campus is near the shores of Lake Erie, near Cedar Point.
- 50+ competitive club sport opportunities that are often compared to Division 3 level athletics. Opportunities to regularly practice, travel and compete.
- America's No. 3 public university for teaching quality. ~ Wall Street Journal
- 9:1 student-to-faculty/staff ratio
- More than 225 graduate degree programs, including accelerated bachelor's to master's programs.
- Honors College opportunity with full-tuition scholarships available every year.
- Admission opportunities available to students who don't meet minimum admissions requirements through a well-established Pathway Program.
- Well-established residential community with housing opportunities that range from traditional to suite style.
- Ranked one of the safest campuses in the United States.

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Defiance College

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Welcome!!! Academic programs in more than 40 areas of study prepare students to be a success in the job market. Working closely with professors to develop professional skills, students put classroom knowledge to the test in the real world with hands-on experiences combine theory and practice.

*A challenging academic environment at **Defiance College** is enhanced by undergraduate research, creative expression, and real-world professional experience. A rich classroom environment based in the liberal arts is the centerpiece from which students form connections and discover new ways of viewing and exploring the world.*

Defiance College has the following Degree offering & On-line classes may be available:

Majors (*also available as a minor):

Accounting—Forensic Accounting
Biology—Field Biology; Molecular Biology; Restoration Ecology
Business Administration* (4+1 MBA Option)—Accounting; Entrepreneurship; Finance; Management; Marketing
Clinical Laboratory Science
Communication Studies*
Computer Science*
Criminal Justice*
Cyber-Forensics*
Education—Early Childhood (age 3 – grade 5); Middle Childhood (grades 4 – 9); Adolescent to Young Adult (grades 7 – 12); Multi-Age: Intervention Specialist mild to Moderate (K – 12); Early Childhood Generalist Endorsement (grades 4 – 5); Middle Childhood Generalist Endorsement (grades 4 – 6)
English*
Environmental Science
Exercise Science*--Fitness, Strength, & Conditioning; Pre-Professional
Forensic Science
Graphic Design*
History*
Mathematics*
Ministry Studies*
Molecular Biology
Nursing—1+2+1; RN-to-BSN
Pre-Professional Programs
Pre-Health Studies—Pre-Medicine; Pre-Dentistry; Pre-Optometry; Pre-Veterinary Science
Pre-Law
Pre-Ministry Studies
Psychology*
Religious Studies*
Restoration Ecology
Self-Designed Major
Social Work
Sport Management*
App Development
Autism studies
Cybersecurity
Economics
Geographics Information Systems
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Music
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Indiana Tech is a career-focused, relationship-based university. We prepare students for active participation, career advancement, and leadership in the global 21st century society. Our most popular programs are **engineering, computer science, business, and criminal justice**. Indiana Tech is a private, four-year university and our main campus is located in Fort Wayne, IN.

Indiana Tech is affordable. Thanks to generous merit scholarships, grants and other financial aid programs, nearly 95% of our students receive substantial assistance in paying for college.

Areas of Study (Check with Counselor regarding Masters programs, online and evening programs):

Associates:

Accounting
Business Administration – Management
Criminal Justice
Digital Graphics & Design
General Studies
Network Management
Recreation Management
Web Design

Bachelors:

Biology – Pre-Med/Pre-Vet Medicine
Biology – Molecular & Environmental
Biomedical Engineering
Business Administration – Entrepreneurial Studies
Business Administration – Financial Services
Business Administration – Human Resources
Business Administration – Management
Child Development
Communication – Broadcasting/Journalism
Communication – Public Relations
Communication – Sports Media
Computer Engineering
Computer Science
Criminal Justice
Computer Justice – Crime Analysis
Criminal Justice -- Administration
Cybersecurity
Digital Graphics & Design
Electrical Engineering
Exercise Science – Pre-Professional
Exercise Science – Strength and Conditioning
Fitness and Recreation
Forensic Science
General Studies
Health Science
Human Services
Industrial & Manufacturing Engineering
Information Systems
Marketing
Mechanical Engineering
Mechanical Engineering Technology
Network Engineering
Psychology
Pre-Law
Recreation Management
Sports Management
Software Engineering
Software Engineering – Gaming
Software Engineering – Systems
Web Development

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Ivy Tech's mission is to give its students a place to learn, live and work in a diverse and globally competitive environment by delivering professional, technical, transfer and lifelong education. Through its affordable, open access education and training programs, **Ivy Tech** enhances the development of its students and then strengthens the economy and community, no matter where the student is from.

Ivy Tech is the most common type of two-year community college but **Ivy Tech** sets itself apart from other colleges by offering a wide range of education programs so its students can reach their goals of obtaining either an Associate degree or certificate. Our students use their training/education to head into the workforce as soon as possible, filling their community's most in-demand, high-paying jobs. Other students at **Ivy Tech** choose to further their education by transferring their credits on to a four-year college or university to achieve a masters or bachelor's degree. By taking this next step, **Ivy Tech** will save them up to \$10,000 when pursuing their higher education goals. We can't speak for every community college, but at there are several reasons why your tuition cost would be about half the cost of anybody else's. One is that the state helps to support us, because we train so much of its workforce and a lot of big companies also donate to **Ivy Tech** in exchange for us supplying them with skilled workers. Our costs stay low, and our grads get jobs!

We are so excited about your interest in attending **Ivy Tech Community College**. With more than 150 programs of study, 1,000 online classes, we truly have something for everyone. Admission Counselors are glad to help you take the first steps in enrolling. Complete directions for free application to **Ivy Tech**; please go to our web site.

The Programs offered by **Ivy Tech** are as follows:

*Accounting *Addiction Studies *Advanced Automation & Robotics Technology *Advanced Manufacturing *Agriculture
*Apprenticeship *Automotive Technology *Aviation Maintenance Technology *Aviation Manufacturing
*Aviation Technology-Flight *Aviation Technology Management *Baking & Pastry Arts *Biotechnology
*Building Construction Management *Building Construction Technology *Business Administration *Computers
*Business Operations, Applications, & Technology *Certified Nursing Assistant *Chemical Technology
*Computer Science *Criminal Justice *Culinary Arts *Cyber Security *Database Mgmt. & Administration
*Dementia Care *Dental Assisting *Dental Hygiene *Design Technology *Diagnostic Medical Sonography
*Early Childhood Education *Education *Electrical Engineering Technology *Electronics & Computer Technology
*Elementary Education *Emergency Medical Technician *Energy Technology *Engineering Technology
*Entrepreneurship *Environmental Design *Fine Arts *Fire Science *General Education *General Studies
*Healthcare Specialist *Health Information Technology *Heating, Ventilating & Air Conditioning *Home Health Aide
*Homeland Security/Public Safety *Hospitality Administration *Human Services *Imaging Sciences
*Industrial Technology *Informatics *Information Technology *Information Technology Support *Interior Design
*Kinesiology & Exercise Science *Legal Studies *Liberal Arts *Library Technical Assistant *Machine Tool Technology
*Maintenance Technician Mechanical *Maintenance Technician Electrical *Manufacturing Production & Operations
*Mechanical Engineering Technology *Medical Assisting *Medical Laboratory Technology *Mortuary Science
*Nanotechnology *Network Infrastructure *Network Penetration *Nursing-RN *Office Administration
*Optometric Technology *Paralegal Studies *Paramedic Science *Physical Therapist Assistant *Practical Nursing (LPN)
*Precision Agriculture Equipment Technology *Pre-Engineering *Professional Communication *Public Safety
*Qualified Medication Aide *Radiation Therapy *Radiologic Technology *Respiratory Care *Server Administration
*Software Development *Special Education *Statewide Transfer General Education Core *Supply Chain Mgmt./Logistics
*Surgery Technology *Therapeutic Massage *Visual Communications *Welding

So begin your educational journey with **Ivy Tech Community College Northeast**, by contacting the Admissions Office or emailing us on our website today!

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Northwest State Community College

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Northwest State Community College (NSCC) is a public two-year college that is accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. This accreditation allows the College to offer degree and certificate programs in the fields of:

Arts & Sciences
Business & Public Services
Science, Technology, Engineering Technologies, Math (STEM) & Industrial Technologies
Nursing & Allied Health

NSCC also offers non-credit classes on over 300 subjects. These courses are offered through Custom Training Solutions, a division of Northwest State Community College.

At NSCC, a college education can provide you with skills that will serve you for the rest of your life whether you are a recent high school graduate, an adult returning to school, or planning to transfer to another college or university. Northwest State offers unlimited opportunities for you to advance your career and find success both in the classroom and in life.

NSCC's mission is: To serve by providing access to excellent and affordable education, training, and services that will improve the lives of individuals and strengthen communities. Our Vision is: To be an innovative leader in education and training, a first-choice institution that empowers individuals and communities to achieve a sustainable quality of life.

The core Values of NSCC are:

Integrity – We believe that honesty, respect, and accountability are the basis of building trust.

Learning - We believe that the acquisition and application of knowledge is the key to success, and to that end, we provide access to greater opportunities through education, training and services.

People – We believe in the power of teamwork, bringing people of diverse backgrounds and communities together to excel in your educational needs.

The following is a compilation of the degrees and certificates you can attain at NSCC:

Art & Sciences (all designed to transfer into various Bachelor Degree Programs)—Associates of Arts; Visual Communication-Graphic Design; Associate of Science; Transfer Module

Business & Public Services Associate Degrees—Accounting; Agribusiness (pending); Agronomy; Banking & Finance; Business Management; Criminal Justice; Entrepreneurship; Human Resource Management; Human Services; Law Enforcement (academy option); Logistics & Supply Chain Management; Marketing; Medical Support; Office Administration; Pre-Business Administration; Pre-Kindergarten

Certificates—Accounting Assistant; Logistics & Supply Chain Management; Office Assistant; Real Estate

Short-Term Certificate—Law Enforcement Academy

Nursing & Allied Health Associate Degrees—LPN to RN Advanced Standing; Medical Assisting; Registered Nursing (RN) Certificates; Practical Nursing (PN); Phlebotomy Technician

NW Ohio Allied Health Consortium—Health Information Technician (Coding & Reimbursement; Clinical Health Informatics); Medical Laboratory Technician; Occupational Therapy Assistant; Radiographic Imaging; Respiratory Care Practitioner

STEM & Industrial Technology Associate Degrees—CAD/CAM; Computer Programming; Computer Science Engineering Technology; Cybersecurity & Network Administration; Electrical Engineering Technology; Electro-Mechanical Engineering Technology; Industrial Technology; Maintenance Tech/Mechatronics; Mechanical Engineering Technology; Plastics; Project Management

Technology Certificates—Computer Aided Design; Computer Technician; Cybersecurity; HVAC-R (Climate Control); Industrial Electrical; Industrial Maintenance; Machining; Millwright; Plastics Manufacturing; Programmable Controller (PLC); Quality Control

Short-Term Technical Certificates—CNC Operations; Cybersecurity; IT Specialist; Industrial Welding; Industrial Automation Maintenance; Manufacturing Foundations

Please visit our Website for complete listings of all Degrees offered in our Programs.

Schedule a visit with a NCSS Admissions Representative. Financial Aid may be available to you to offset the cost of tuition.

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Ohio State University (Lima Campus)

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Welcome to the **Ohio State University (OSU) at Lima!** The Ohio State University at Lima develops leaders and provides access to the resources and strength of the state's top university. Ohio State Lima students earn their degrees from the No. 1 public university in the state, leveraging a Big 10 quality education with the affordability of a regional campus. OSU is ranked No. 17 among the nation's public universities and those students who come to OSU Lima find a campus that is a unique blend of a Big 10 research university and a small liberal arts college. Class sizes are small and individual attention is the norm!

Where would you like your Ohio State University at Lima experience to take you? The following Programs are listed below:

Associate of Arts Degree (Can be the first two years of a Bachelor's degree or a stand-alone degree)

Bachelor Degrees (Offers 13, four-year Bachelor's Degree programs & provides access to the 200+ OSU majors to transfer to OSU Columbus or another college or university)

4 year Programs at OSU Lima: *Biology *Business Management *Education; Child & Youth Studies; Early Childhood; Middle Childhood *Engineering Technology *English *Health Science *History *Psychology *Social Work *Theatre *Zoology

Minors

*Biology *Business *Classics *Creative Writing *Education *English *History *Music *Psychology
*Substance Misuse and Addiction *Theatre *Zoology

Academy

The Academy is The Ohio State University's College Credit Plus program. A partnership between Ohio State Lima, high schools, students & their family, the Academy program allows talented students to enroll in coursework while still in high school.

There are a lot of reasons why a student might choose to begin one of the 200+ majors at the Lima campus. Below are just a few:

1. The OSU Lima campus is a wonderful place to be! Aside from being a beautiful campus, OSU Lima combines the resources of the No. 1 public university in the state with the personalization and charm of a small campus.
2. Dedicated, caring professors and an abundance of student activities allows for plenty of opportunities to get involved in and out of the classroom.
3. Some students would like to start at a smaller campus and get used to college life before making the move to Columbus. OSU's Lima advising team can help map out that path, starting in Lima and transitioning, when ready, to Columbus.
4. Others are undecided about what they want to study so they choose to "test the waters" before committing to the move.
5. Some students start at a regional campus to save money by taking general education classes in Lima and then move to Columbus for the major-specific coursework.
6. And still others have friend and family ties to the Lima area and don't want to be away for 4 or more years.

The list goes on.....yet the underlying theme remains – there are a variety of pathways to earn your Ohio State degree! Go to our OSU website or contact our Admissions office at your first available opportunity!

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Purdue University, Fort Wayne (PFW) knows you're one of a kind! As it happens, so are we! **PFW** is the most comprehensive university in northeast Indiana. **Purdue University** – with the personalized attention and hands-on opportunities of a smaller campus.

Our Mission at **PFW** is to provide local access to globally recognized baccalaureate and graduate programs that drive the intellectual, social, economic, and cultural advancement of our students and our region.

The Colleges and Schools contained within **PFW** are as follows and Degrees within each may be found online or by contacting Admissions:

- College of Liberal Arts
- College of Science
- College of Engineering, Technology, and Computer Science
- College of Visual and Performing Arts
- Richard T. Doermer School of Business
- School of Education

Our Vision is that **PFW** will be the university of choice for the citizens of northeast Indiana and beyond. It will be recognized for a transformative learning environment characterized by intensive mentoring, excellence in faculty scholarship and knowledge creation, integration of life and work experiences, and community engagement.

At **PFW**, we understand what it takes to be unique! Every facet of the **PFW** experience has been crafted with the diversity of our students' needs and interests in mind, so that we can support your individualized pursuit of whatever matters most.

PFW offers the following Programs:

Undergraduate Programs

Bachelor's degrees; associate degrees; certificates; minors; transfer programs

Online Programs

Online courses, minors, certificates; bachelor's degrees and master's degrees

Graduate Programs

Master's degrees; certificates

PFW combines challenging academics with a focus on student success across more than 200 **Purdue University** degree programs, taught by over 300 full-time faculty staff. Our students, comprised of diverse ages, races, and nationalities, pursue their education on our beautiful 680-acre campus.

Students can qualify for a variety of aid, including loans, scholarships, grants and work study. These funds come from the federal, state, university and private sources. **PFW** is committed to providing scholarships and aid to students who have strong academic potential. Residents of Paulding County qualify for Indiana In-State tuition through the Indiana-Ohio Reciprocity Agreement. By submitting your FAFSA and listing **PFW's** school code of 001828, you automatically are considered for a wide variety of financial aid opportunities. For more information about scholarship opportunities, including additional eligibility requirements, visit pfw.edu/scholarships.

Think of the Office of Admissions as the first friends you'll make on campus. We know that no two journeys are the same. Especially yours! We're here to help guide you through your next big journey – College! Reach out to us and let's talk about where you want to go, and how **PFW** can help your get there. We can answer questions about how to apply, how to get help paying for school, which majors might be right for you, and so much more! Visit us online at pfw.edu/admissions.

Your next big adventure is about to begin! As you weigh your college options, consider these facts: **Purdue University Fort Wayne (PFW)** combines valuable degrees at lower costs, a vibrant student life and a lot of campus pride, and opportunities to connect hands-on in your field of study. Every journey is different. Be prepared for yours! Welcome to **PFW**, the place where individuals thrive.

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Rhodes State College

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Rhodes State College is a public, state-assisted institution of higher learning which is chartered to provide degree granting career education programs, non-credit workforce development, and consulting for business and industry. **Rhodes State** prepares students for entry into careers, develops the regional workforce through credit and non-credit occupational training, and offers curricular programs that prepare students for transfer completion baccalaureate programs at selected colleges and universities.

The following are Degrees, Programs, and Certificates that may be obtained at Rhodes State College:

*Accounting *Accounting Clerk Certificate *Activity Directing Certificate
*Advanced EMT Certificate *Advanced Manufacturing Technology *Allied Health Profession to Paramedic Certification
*American Sign Language Certificate *Associate of Arts Degree *Associate of Science Degree
*Association of Technical Studies *Banking Certificate *Basic Emergency Medical Services
*Basic Peace Officer Academy – OPOTC Certificate *Business Administration *Business Administration Certificate
*Business Management *Business Management Certificate
*Computer Numerical Control Certificate *Concrete Technology
*Cyber Security Certificate *Dental Hygiene *Digital Media Technology *Digital Media Technology Certificate
*Electronic Engineering Technology *Emergency Medical Services
*Entrepreneurship Certificate *Human Resource *Human Resource Management Certificate *Human Service
*Law Enforcement *LPN to ADN Transition Program *Manufacturing Engineering Technology *Marketing
*Marketing Certificate *Mechanical Engineering Technology *Medical Assisting
*Medical Coding Certificate *Microcontrollers Certificate *Minor Maintenance Certificate *Network Security
*Nurse Assistant Certificate *Nursing *Occupational Therapy Assistant
*Paramedic Certificate *Pharmacy Technician Certificate *Phlebotomy Certificate *Physical Therapist Assistant
*Practical Nursing Certificate *Pre-Gaming Design Certificate Programmable Controllers Certificate
*Radiographic Imaging (Radiography) *Real Estate License Certificate *Respiratory Care
*Sleep Technologist Certificate *Social Media Certificate *Tax Preparer Certificate *Team Leadership Certificate
*Troubleshooting Certificate *Veterinary Technology (Consortium with Colby Community College, Colby, KS
*Video & Graphic Specialist Certificate *Web Programming/Computer Programming
*Web Programming/Computer Programming Certificate

Through the West Central Ohio Manufacturing Consortium (WCOMC), **Rhodes State College** also offers Certifications for manufacturing skills known as Pathway Basic, Pathway Intermediate (Electrical, Environmental-Health-Safety, Computer Numerical Control (CNC) Machining, Programmable Logic Controllers (PLC) and Robotics & Operations Excellence) and Pathway Advanced which offers an Associate's or Bachelor's degree in a manufacturing discipline. Students who successfully complete the Basic course create a resume, and complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for financial assistance eligibility and are guaranteed a referral for a job interview with WCOMC member companies.

Are you ready to take the first step toward your future? Starting college is a big step and we here at Admissions are here to help you every step of the way! Students of all ages, backgrounds, and academic abilities are welcome at **Rhodes State** and we have education options that will meet your needs. If you want a certificate, an Associate's degree, or an advanced degree from another college or university, and also the option of earning college credit while in high school, **Rhodes State** is a smart higher education option. So schedule a tour of **Rhodes State** and meet with a guidance counselor at your convenience!

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The Salon Professional Academy

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The Salon Professional Academy of Fort Wayne is a nationwide beauty school producing elite graduates ready to ignite the industry and elevate the profession through successful careers. **TSPA** develops the entire student with great technical ability, business and marketing training, and the guest handling skills that is high demand by top salons & spas.

The Salon Professional Academy beauty school programs focus on career training and prepare you to land your first job in the beauty industry. Our expert faculty is beauty industry professionals who had once been in the same shoes as you.

COSMOTOLOGY

At **TSPA** we know that a career in cosmetology is not just about a haircut or passing the state board exam; it's about innovation in hair color and techniques, basic skin and nail care, knowledge of business strategies, and training in guest services. By partnering with **REDKEN**, our cosmetology program will not only prepare you for the state board exam, but more importantly, for a long-term career in the industry.

- ❖ You will receive hands-on training with innovative and advanced, **Redken**-infused styling, cutting and coloring techniques.
- ❖ You will practice and fine-tune your skills in a premium salon environment using professional products from **Redken 5th Avenue NYC**.
- ❖ Use business and marketing skills to grow your personal brand and increase your earning potential.
- ❖ We utilize modern technology for both learning and guest relations; including the integration of mobile devices and social media for the modern salon pro.

ESTHETICS

Our esthetics beauty school program teaches you the latest techniques to purify, balance and renew the skin, as well as the artistry of make-up application. We're proud to be offering a curriculum infused with the latest technical training from the industry leader in skincare.

- ❖ Learn specialized techniques and theoretical utilizing Dermalogica's unique Face Mapping skin analysis system and state-of-the-art equipment.
- ❖ Train in the artistry of make-up application to help you enhance your guest's experience and overall results.
- ❖ Critical business and communications skills for a well-rounded education
- ❖ Job placement in top salons and spas prior to graduation

INSTRUCTOR TRAINING

Take your career a step further by sharing your passion and experience with future professionals. Our educator training program provides the education and technical skills you need to not only help students shape their own success, but more importantly, prepare you for a long-term career in the industry.

- *Preparatory Training
- *Class Attendance
- *Methods of keeping records
- *Conducting Theory Classes
- *Conducting Practical Classes

SCHOLARSHIPS

The Salon Professional Academy understands the challenges students can face when it comes to financing your career investment. To assist with the cost of education, **TSPA** offers a variety of scholarship opportunities and grant (s) for those who qualify. Explore the individual options below, and then fill out the quick form to get the process started. Our admissions representative will contact you and provide a personalized experience as you navigate your way through the application process.

ADDITIONAL REDKEN SUPPORT

- ❖ To date, **Redken** has supplied **TSPA** with hundreds of thousands of scholarship dollars
- ❖ Sponsors the annual **SPEC National Student Competition**
- ❖ Provides ongoing education for both students and educators at each individual academy
- ❖ Opens professional channels for employment opportunities at thousands of **Redken** salons

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University of Findlay

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University of Findlay for

The Mission of the **University of Findlay** is to equip our students meaningful lives and productive careers. The **University of Findlay** education based on science, art and technology. The reason we are different is that experiential learning in all of our academic programs – including internships, research, service projects and study abroad opportunities. we offer

For “First Time Freshmen” (High School Students), **UF** cultivates the potential within each student through academic excellence, transformative experiences and a supportive community that is grounded in Christian faith. Our broad mix of strong programs is important to you because you can come to **UF** and begin gaining experience in your chosen major your first semester, or you can take a little time to explore and find a career path that, perhaps, you didn’t know was an option. Our graduates are in demand because experiential learning is foundational at Findlay.

The following Certificates, Associate Degrees & Minors and Graduate and Professional Programs are available:

Non-Degree Programs – Will help students prepare for college, develop new skills, or pursue a personal interest. You can choose to receive course credit or audit the classes you take, depending on how you plan to use the credits.

Undergraduate Non-Degree Programs (Certificates)

*Diagnostic Medical Sonography *Echocardiography *English as an International Language *Gender Studies
*Gerontology *Information Assurance *Nuclear Medicine Technology
*Positron Emission Tomography/Computed Tomography Technology *Vascular Sonography

Associate Degrees

*Accounting *Computer Science *Diagnostic Medical Sonography *Echocardiography
*English as an International Language (Certificate) *Equestrian Studies-English Riding Emphasis
*Equestrian Studies-Western Riding Emphasis *Financial Management *Human Resource Management
*Management Information Systems *Nuclear Medicine Technology *Personal Training
*Positron Emission Tomography/Computed Tomography Technology *Sales/Retail Management
*Small Business/Entrepreneurship *Vascular Sonography

Minors

*Accounting *Art *Art History *Biology *Business Administration *Business Economics
*Business Information Assurance Management *Business Management *Chemistry *Computer Science
*Coaching *Criminal Justice *Digital Media *Economics *English *English Equestrian Riding
*Entrepreneurship *Environmental, Safety & Occupational Health Management *Equestrian Studies
*Finance *Forensic Science *Gender Studies *Gerontology *Graphic Design *History
*Human Resource Management *Information Processing *International Business
*International/Intercultural Studies *Interpersonal Communication *Japanese *Law & the Liberal Arts
*Marketing *Mathematics *Musical Arts *Operations & Logistics *Philosophy *Philosophy/Applied Ethics
*Photography *Political Science *Psychology *Public Administration *Religious Studies
*Second Language Education *Sociology *Spanish *Sport & Event Management *Theatre *Writing

Graduate & Professional Programs

*Doctor of Education *Doctor of Pharmacy *Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) *Master of Athletic Training
*Master of Arts in Rhetoric & Writing *Master of Arts in Teaching English to Other Languages & Bilingual Education
*Master of Arts in Education (Principal & Superintendent License) *Master of Business of Business Administration
*Master of Occupational Therapy *Master of Physician Asst. *Master of Science in Applied Security & Analytics
*Master of Science in Environmental, Safety & Health Management *Master of Science in Health Informatics

We at the **University of Findlay** are ready to help you! Reach out to us and make a smooth transition from high school to college!

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University of Northwestern Ohio

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Founded in 1920, the University of Northwestern Ohio is an entrepreneurial, not-for-profit, university located in Lima, Ohio, situated on 200 acres. In 2020 UNOH celebrated its 100th anniversary of educating students from around the world. There are five colleges within the university: College of Applied Technologies, College of Business, College of Health Professions, College of Occupational Professions, and the Graduate College. The University is known worldwide as a leader in the Automotive, Diesel, and High Performance industries. UNOH also offers world class degree programs in Business, Health, Marketing, Information Technology, Robotics, and many other fields of study. UNOH is a co-ed campus and has taught students from all 50 states and 69 countries, and currently has nearly 4,000 students enrolled from 50 states and 36 countries. At UNOH there is no out-of-state tuition. UNOH awards Master's, Bachelor, Associate, and Diploma programs to more than 1,000 students each year at graduation. The University of Northwestern Ohio also offers a variety of athletics including Men's & Women's Basketball, Tennis, Golf, Bowling, and Soccer, Women's Volleyball, Men's Baseball, Women's Softball, and six Co-Ed Motorsports teams. For more information, visit www.unoh.edu

The following is a listing of each College with the Majors and Degree Programs available:

COLLEGE OF APPLIED TECHNOLOGIES

Bachelor Degree - *Automotive Technology Supervision

Associate Degrees - *Agricultural Equipment Technology *Automotive/Diesel Technology (Medium/Heavy Duty)

*Automotive Technology *Automotive/High Performance Technology *Diesel Technology (Medium/Heavy Duty)

*Diesel Technology – Light Duty *Robotics & Automation Technology *Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Technology *High Performance Motorsports

Diploma Programs - *Agricultural Equipment Technician *Alternate Fuels Technician- Automotive & Diesel

*Automotive/Diesel Technician (Medium/Heavy Duty) *Automotive Technician *Automotive/High

Performance Technician *Diesel Technician (Medium/Heavy Duty) *Heating, Ventilation, Air

Conditioning & Refrigeration Technician*High Performance Technician

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Bachelor Degrees - *Accounting *Accounting - CPA - 5-year track *Forensic Accounting *Business Administration

*Agribusiness Management Option *Automotive Management/Automotive Aftermarket Option *Marketing Option

*Marketing *Specialized Studies

Associate Degrees - *Accounting *Business Administration *Marketing *Specialized Studies

COLLEGE OF OCCUPATIONAL PROFESSIONS

Bachelor Degrees - *Sport Marketing and Management * Specialized Studies

Associate Degrees - *Agribusiness Marketing/Management Technology *IT-Digital Forensics *Legal Assisting

*Automotive Management *IT-Digital Multimedia Design *IT-Network Security *IT-System Administration *Legal

Assisting *Office Management *Special Studies *Sport Marketing & Management *Travel & Hotel Management

COLLEGE OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS

Bachelor Degree - *Healthcare Administration

Associate Degrees - *Health Information Technology *Medical Assistant Technology *Medical Office Management

ONLINE DEGREES

Master Degree- *Business Administration (MBA)

Bachelor Degrees - *Accounting *Accounting (CPA Track) *Business Administration *Forensic Accounting

*Automotive Management *Business Administration with Agribusiness Management Option *Business

Administration with Marketing Option *Healthcare Administration *Marketing *Specialized Studies

Associate Degrees - *Accounting *Agribusiness Marketing/Management Technology *Business Administration

*Health Information Technology *Legal Assisting *Marketing *Medical Office Management *Specialized Studies

*Sport Marketing and Management *Travel and Hotel Management

GRADUATE COLLEGE

MBA - Business Administration

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University of Saint Francis

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UNIVERSITY of
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Located in Fort Wayne, Indiana, the **University of Saint Francis** is a private, Catholic university enrolling 2,300 students in majors ranging from the liberal arts, to the creative arts, to the health sciences. At the **University of Saint Francis** students find small class sizes, personal attention from faculty, and freedom to explore their interests and options. The majority of students are from the Midwest, although students from other regions of the U.S. and foreign countries also enroll at the **University of Saint Francis**.

Our mission is rooted in the Catholic and Franciscan traditions of Faith and Reason, the **University of Saint Francis** engages a diverse community in learning, leadership, and service.

At **University of Saint Francis**, you will experience Franciscan values that encourage us to:

- ❖ Reverence the unique dignity of each person
- ❖ Encourage a trustful, prayerful community of learners
- ❖ Serve one another, society, and the Church
- ❖ Foster peace and justice
- ❖ Respect creation

The **University of Saint Francis** offers Associate, Bachelor's and Master Degrees. Whether you want to major in Nursing, Art, Teaching, Psychology, or Accounting, we have something for you. If you are undecided about what you want, you can receive a true liberal arts education, which gives you options, so you can try different courses until you find something you like.

A sampling of the Programs and Degrees can be found below. For the full catalogs, please go to our website.

Academic Programs –

* Behavioral & Social Sciences
* Business
* Communication
* Creative Arts
* English
* Nursing
* Kinesiology & Nutrition
* Pre-Professional Studies
* Social Work

* Biology
* Chemistry
* Computer Science
* Education
* General Education
* Honors Program
* Physical Therapist Assistant Studies
* Radiologic Technology
* Surgical Technology

Campus Life –

The **University of Saint Francis** also has a lot to offer students outside the classroom. There are four residence halls on campus which include free laundry, cable, wi-fi, parking and study rooms, and three campus dining facilities with diverse menus. You will never be bored at the **University of Saint Francis**! There are 40 clubs and organizations, 16 athletic teams (NAIA), nine intramural athletic teams, and a variety of weekly activities and student engagement opportunities. Everyone fits at the **University of Saint Francis**!

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University of Toledo

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The **University of Toledo** is a nationally recognized public, research university in northwest Ohio. **University of Toledo** enrolls just over 20,000 students from 46 states and 82 foreign countries. We offer 15 division 1 sports and over 400 plus clubs and organizations that provide for an exciting life. Academically we boast a 20-to-1 student to teacher ratio with an average class size of 31 students. At **UToledo** enjoy a personalized academic experience with a focus on experiential learning that includes hands on learning opportunities, study abroad, internship, and co-op experience. Our students choose from over 170 different majors and 200 plus programs of study.

The **University of Toledo** is one of 14 state universities in Ohio. It was established in 1872 and became a member of the state university system in 1967. The **University of Toledo** and the Medical University of Ohio merged July 2006 to form the third-largest public university operating budget in the state.

Main Campus features nine modern residence halls, a gothic bell tower, a Student Recreation Center, a state-of-the-art classroom center in one of our original buildings, Memorial Field House, opened fall 2008, a football stadium and new Savage Hall basketball and athletic complex, which opened fall 2008. Health Science Campus is home to graduate health programs and the **UToledo** Medical Center, a Level 1 trauma center, offering innovative treatments for strokes and cancer found nowhere else in the state.

Colleges – We're among just 27 public universities in the country that offer so much at the undergraduate and graduate levels. We offer more than 300 undergraduate, graduate and professional programs. Some of our nationally ranked programs include business, engineering, law and occupational therapy.

- [Arts and Letters](#)
- [Business and Innovation](#)
- [Education](#)
- [Engineering](#)
- [Graduate Studies](#)
- [Health and Human Services](#)
- [Honors](#)
- [Law](#)
- [Medicine and Life Sciences](#)
- [Natural Sciences and Mathematics](#)
- [Nursing](#)
- [Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences](#)
- [University College](#)

We also offer:

- Part-time and full-time options of study
- Day and evening classes
- Online programs at the Associate, Bachelors, Graduate and Doctoral levels

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Vantage Career Center

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Vantage Career Center provides authentic, student-focused, career technical training that prepares **high school students and adults** for employment and further education.

By dedicating ourselves to continuous improvement, **Vantage Career Center** will be a leader in career technical education. Students will be motivated to pursue a quality education that prepares them for the workforce and continued education.

Vantage Career Center High School is a school open to any eleventh or twelfth grade student living within the thirteen participating school districts. The thirteen schools served are Antwerp, Continental, Crestview, Delphos Jefferson, Delphos St. Johns, Ft. Jennings, Kalida, Lincoln view, Ottoville, Parkway, Paulding, Van Wert and Wayne Trace. Students looking for a challenge, wanting more, or ready to excel will acquire the expertise, confidence, and work ethic for tomorrow's top careers and professions. Instructors with valuable work experience in their field engage students by teaching technical and academic skills for high demand careers. Early Placement and College Credit Plus are actively encouraged, along with keeping an active role at your home school through extra curricular activities. Programs feature nationally recognized curriculum taught by industry experts using advanced technology and state of the art equipment.

The following programs are available to high school Junior and Seniors:

- Ag and Industrial Power Technology
- Auto Collision Repair
- Auto Technology
- Carpentry
- Construction Equipment Technology
- Cosmetology
- Criminal Justice
- Culinary Arts
- Early Childhood Education
- Electricity
- Health Technology
- Industrial Mechanics
- Interactive Media
- Medical Office Management
- Network Systems
- Sports Exercise Therapy
- Precision Machining
- Welding

Vantage Career Center Adult Education offers training to adults who are in the workforce and wish to advance their position through customized training opportunities, continued education, or are in search of new employment. The Vantage Adult Education can respond quickly to the needs of business and industry by providing training and business consultation services to companies in order to assist with meeting our area workforce goals. Training programs offered at Vantage Career Center Adult Education include:

State Tested Nursing Assistant; Licensed Practical Nursing; Medical Assistant; Emergency Medical Technician; Firefighter Training; Class A CDL; Police Academy; Welding; Industrial Automation Maintenance; CNC Machining & Welding; Aspire GED & Adult Diploma; Various Online Classes

Financial Aid is available for students, including scholarships, grants and loans. For enrollment information, please contact the Vantage Adult Education Enrollment Coordinator Maria Diltz at (419) 238-5411 Ext. 2118

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Assisting both employers and job seekers is what we do best at the **Paulding County OhioMeansJobs Center**. We can connect employers with employees, complete applicant testing, as well as helping employers with incumbent worker training. We're here to maximize employment potential for Paulding County businesses and employees, and thereby strengthen our whole community. The local **OhioMeansJobs** center provides the following services to job seekers:

- **Resource Lab** – The resource lab has computers with internet access, a copy machine, a fax machine and job search and training provider information.
- **Job Readiness** – Tutorials and/or workshops are available on topics such as how to write a resume, how to conduct an effective interview well, use of assessment tools to determine your skill level, behavior traits, and suggested career pathway.
- **Job Leads** – Go www.defiancepauldingjfs.com to self-register for job leads, or stop by your local **OhioMeansJobs** center to review the boards with local postings.
- **Employment Specialists** are available to assist job seekers who qualify for further assistance such as training grants or supportive services.

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The **Paulding County 4-H Program**, along with the Paulding County Agriculture and Natural Resources Program and the Paulding County Family and Consumer Sciences Program offer numerous programming opportunities for the youth and adults of Paulding County to learn about an extensive range of topics backed by the knowledge and resources of The Ohio State University. One focus area of the Paulding County OSU Extension Office is to introduce youth and young adults to exploring careers and interests to help our consumers find more than just a "job". More specifically, the 4-H program offers more than 200 projects in the areas of Animal Sciences, Clothing and Textile Science, Communication, Creative and Leisure Arts, Food and Nutrition, Healthy Living, Home Living, Leadership and Citizenship, Natural Resources, STEM, and Workforce Development.

The Paulding County OSU Extension Office encourages all Paulding County citizens to explore what we have to offer. Specifically, youth ages 19 and younger who have an interest in finding out what 4-H has to offer can contact Michael Schweinsberg utilizing the information listed here to learn more about what 4-H can do for you and how participating in 4-H will help with future life success.

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STEM

Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics

Paulding County Area Foundation

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The **Paulding County Area Foundation** is a Not-For-Profit organization that was formed on February 2, 1982. Its official purpose is to receive, distribute and accept gifts to be administered exclusively for charitable purposes, primarily in and for the benefit of the people of Paulding County.

The **Paulding County Area Foundation** is recognized as the primary philanthropic organization for tax deductible giving, at all levels, allowing individuals and groups to fund endowments providing grants for the benefit of Paulding County today, and for future generations. The **Foundation** has been approved as a 501(C3) organization.

Area students should contact their Guidance Counselors to check on the availability of various scholarships that the **Paulding County Area Foundation** administers: or contact **Paulding County Area Foundation**.

The following Scholarships are available for area students:

- ❖ Bob Brandt Scholarship
- ❖ Brian E. Myers Scholarship
- ❖ Tammy Gibson Memorial
- ❖ Vantage Career Center Advanced Energy Scholarship / EDP Renewables / Horizon Wind Scholarship
- ❖ Robbie Seffernick Scholarship
- ❖ Hey Buddy Scholarship
- ❖ Virginia Paulus-Iler Scholarship
- ❖ Dianne L. Cooper – Bobcat Community Service Award
- ❖ Deb Haney Memorial Scholarship- New & Renewal
- ❖ Anonymous Donor

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