

Institutions of the UNC System



OUR 17 CAMPUSES

- Virtual Reality Campus Tours:

<https://www.northcarolina.edu/Our-17-Campuses/Virtual-Reality-Campus-Tours>



Current Policies and Regulations

- Minimum Admissions Requirements (MAR)

Student's Age and College Credits	Minimum Admission Requirements for High School Graduates and GED		
	High School GPA	Test Scores	High School Courses
20** years and younger with fewer than 24 transferable credits	2.5 cumulative weighted GPA	SAT of 880 on new or 800 on old version (verbal and math) or ACT composite of 17	See UNC Minimum Course Requirements on page 1
21** years or older	Exempt from minimum High School GPA, test scores and course requirements***		
Any age with 24** or more transferable college credits (does not include AP, IB or credit by exam)	Exempt from minimum High School GPA, test scores and course requirements***		
Active duty service member or veteran with 3** or more years of active duty service	Exempt from minimum High School GPA, test scores and course requirements***		

** - Criteria must be met by the time of enrollment at the UNC institution

*** - Being exempt from these requirements does not guarantee admission. While applicants are not required to meet these GPA, test score and course requirements, institutions will only admit applicants who meet all campus-specific admission requirements.

Minimum Course Requirements

Six course units in language, including:

- four units in English emphasizing grammar, composition, and literature, and
- two units of a language other than English.

Four course units of mathematics, in any of the following combinations:

- common core I, II, III
- algebra I and II, geometry, and one unit beyond algebra II,
- algebra I and II, and two units beyond algebra II, or
- integrated math I, II, and III, and one unit beyond integrated math III.

(The fourth unit of math affects applicants to all institutions except the North Carolina School of the Arts.) It is recommended that prospective students take a mathematics course unit in the twelfth grade.

Three course units in science, including:

- at least one unit in a life or biological science (for example, biology),
- at least one unit in physical science (for example, physical science, chemistry, physics), and
- at least one laboratory course.

Two course units in social studies, including one unit in U.S. history, but an applicant who does not have the unit in U.S. history may be admitted on the condition that at least three semester hours in that subject will be passed by the end of the sophomore year.

AP Credit Policy-700.10.1

- Effective this FALL
- UNC System institutions shall award appropriate credit to undergraduates who have earned a score of **three or higher** on one or more AP exams
- Visit the UNC System Website Code and Policy Manual for more information:
- <https://www.northcarolina.edu/apps/policy/index.php>

We Promise

MAKING COLLEGE MORE AFFORDABLE





Focusing on Affordability

Fixed Tuition Benefit

- Student's tuition remains fixed based on:
 - Program length (8 or 10 semesters)
 - Student classification
 - Must be continuously enrolled
 - Transfer students receive fixed tuition for a prorated time



NC Promise

NC Promise Tuition Plan

- ALL new, returning, and transfer students will pay reduced tuition
- Reduce in-state tuition cost to \$500 per semester and out-of-state tuition to \$2,500 per semester
- No eligibility requirements
- *Room and board costs will not be impacted*

IN-STATE TUITION THAT'S JUST \$500 PER SEMESTER AT THREE UNIVERSITIES

This plan sets undergraduate in-state tuition at just \$500 per semester and out-of-state tuition at just \$2,500 per semester at three UNC System universities. North Carolinians can earn a high-quality education at an affordable cost at Elizabeth City State University, UNC Pembroke, and Western Carolina University.

The plan increases educational access, reduces student debt, and grows the state's economy. These three campuses are geographically diverse and located across the state, ensuring every North Carolinian lives within 150 miles of an NC Promise university.

All students, including those who began their college career before Fall 2018, are eligible. Student fees, including the costs of room and board, are not included.

UNIVERSITIES



ELIZABETH CITY STATE UNIVERSITY

Situated in the northeastern coastal town of Elizabeth City, ECSU offers undergraduate and graduate programs in aviation, behavioral sciences, business and economics, mathematics and computer science, natural sciences, and teaching and administration. We prepare our graduates for leadership, a lifetime of learning, and a legacy of success. Learn more at ecsu.edu.



UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT PEMBROKE

Located in southeastern North Carolina, UNCP offers 41 undergraduate and 17 graduate programs as well as a variety of "pathways to success" at one of the most diverse campuses in the South. UNCP's personalized approach to education means each student is an individual and thrives in a warm and welcoming community. Wherever you want to go, whatever you choose to do, UNC Pembroke will help you get there from here. Learn more at uncp.edu.



WESTERN CAROLINA UNIVERSITY

WCU is the westernmost institution in the UNC System with its main campus located in Cullowhee, 50 miles west of Asheville. Named the Southeast and mid-Atlantic's No. 1 Adventure College for three years running, WCU offers rigorous academic programming that is deeply connected with the mountain region through service learning, research in partnership with industry, and outdoor classroom experiences. Learn more at wcu.edu.

<https://www.northcarolina.edu/prospective-students/nc-promise>

Transfer Resources

TRANSFER STUDENT SUCCESS

We invite community college students, traditional and non-traditional students, and military students to explore course equivalencies, degree programs, financial aid opportunities and other important information that will enable a successful transfer to one of our 16 four-year universities.

Detailed data regarding transfer students can be found on the [UNC Data Dashboard](#).

STUDENT PROFILES:

Choose the student you are most like.



A community college transfer student has either earned an associate degree or taken eligible transfer courses from an NC community college.



A traditional transfer student has attended a non-community college post-secondary institution(s), is 'under' the age of 21 and has not earned a bachelor's degree.



A non-traditional transfer student has attended a non-community college post-secondary institution(s), is 'over' the age of 21, and has not earned a bachelor's degree.



Military transfer students have served in the United States Military and have an 'active duty' or 'veteran' status.

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NC Countdown to College

- October 2019
- College Application Week: **October 21-25**
- Link to colleges waiving application fees:
https://nccountdowntocollege.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/nc_college_application_fees_for_c2c_2019.pdf
- <https://nccountdowntocollege.org/>





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