

# College of DuPage







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# Did you know?



- More than 25% of all District 502 high school graduates attend College of DuPage at some point during their college career
- College of DuPage is the largest single-campus community college in Illinois
- This semester, we have approximately 27,000 students enrolled in courses
- Although we have 27,000 students enrolled, our average class size is 19 students per class

# College of DuPage Centers



Addison Center



Carol Stream Center



Naperville Center



Westmont Center

# Affordable Tuition

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## For Residents of District 502

- *\$135 per credit hour (\$102.15 tuition, plus \$32.85 fee)*
- Example: Psychology 1100 (3 credit hours)  
 $\$135 \times 3 \text{ credit hours} = \$405$

If you plan to attend full-time, you must take at least 12 credits per semester (Average full-time load is 15 credits per semester)

**Tuition Cost (for one semester):**  $\$135 \text{ (per credit hour)} \times 15 \text{ (hours)} = \text{\$2,025}$

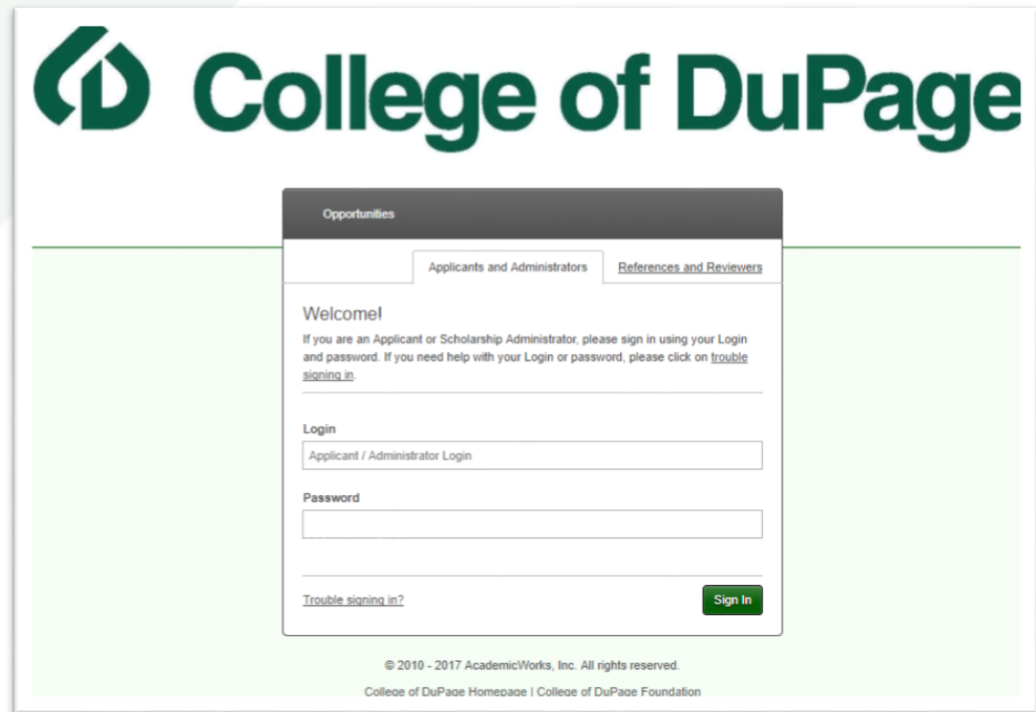
**Tuition Cost (full year):**  $\$2,025 \times 2 \text{ (semesters)} = \text{\$4,050}$

# Tuition Comparison

| College of DuPage               | Public Four-Year University     |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Yearly Tuition: \$4,200         | Yearly Tuition: \$12,550        |
| Housing: Not Available          | Housing: \$9,500                |
| Parking: Free                   | Parking: \$75                   |
| Meals & Other Expenses: \$1,200 | Meals & Other Expenses: \$1,200 |
| <b>TOTAL COST: \$5,400</b>      | <b>TOTAL COST: \$23,325</b>     |

# Applying for COD Scholarships

- Scholarships have a variety of different eligibility qualifications:
  - Need Based
  - Academic Based
  - Ethnicity
  - Field of Study
  - Volunteer Service
- Scholarships are available each semester
- Deadlines to Apply for Scholarships:
  - Fall Term: Due in March (Open in January)
  - Spring Term: Due in November



*To learn more about the scholarships, visit [cod.academicworks.com](http://cod.academicworks.com)*



# Scholars Award Program

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To qualify for one of the scholarships, the applicant must be a 2017-18 Community College District 502 High School Graduate and meet **one** of the below criteria.

**Presidential Scholars Award:** 2 years of full in-district tuition

- 3.8 GPA/4.0 scale or 4.75 GPA/5.0 scale
- 29 ACT or 1350 SAT

**Board of Trustees Scholars Award:** \$2,500 per year

- 3.6 GPA/4.0 scale or 4.5 GPA/5.0 scale
- 27 ACT or 1280 SAT

**Deans Scholars Award:** \$1,000 per year

- 3.5 GPA/4.0 scale or 4.37 GPA /5.0 scale
- 25 ACT or 1200 SAT

**Priority Fall Deadline:** November

**Spring Application Deadline:** April 1<sup>st</sup>\*

\*for Fall 2019 graduates



# Resources for Students

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## High School Admissions

- Help with navigating general admissions and special enrollment programs (health sciences, paralegal studies)
- Appointments available

## Counseling and Advising

- Review general education, degree and certificate requirements, including the transferability of courses
- Support your career exploration and decision-making process and discuss personal concerns that may be interfering with your educational or career success

## Faculty Advisors

- Experts in your educational area of interest
- They teach and have worked in the areas that you are interested in pursuing

# Center for Access and Accommodations

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## Common Accommodations

- Extra time for tests
- Quiet space for test taking
- Use of assistive technology
- Tape-recording classes
- Oral tests instead of written
- Test reader
- Assistance with note taking
- Sign language interpreters

## Not Accommodations

- Tutoring
- Modified curriculum
- Personal Care Assistants
- Extra time to complete homework
- Transportation
- Equipment such as laptops, software, scooter, hearing aids, etc.

*Students with IEP/504 plans are recommended to meet after they apply, SSC 3249 (630) 942-2154*

# **Knowledge for College**

*information for students with IEP/504 plans*

Saturday, April 6, 2019

9:00-11:00 am

630-942-2154





# Early Admissions Program

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Early Admissions program acceptance is determined on a case-by-case basis

To participate as an Early Admissions student, you must meet the following requirements:

- Be under the age of 18 without a high school diploma or GED
- Have a cumulative minimum high school GPA of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale or 3.75 on a 5.0 scale
- Meet all regular prerequisites for the desired course
- Obtain permission from your high school guidance counselor
- Interview with an Admissions Representative and bring any required documents

# Degrees & Certificates



- College of DuPage offers more than 230 degree and certificate programs!
- Our graduates transfer to some of the best colleges and four-year universities across the country
- Start by earning a transfer degree (AA, AS, AES, AFA) and then go on for a bachelor's degree at a four-year institution
- Earn an AAS (associate of applied science) degree in an occupational or technical program (CTE)

# Limited Enrollment Programs



- Students applying to a limited-enrollment, health sciences program will also be required to apply for general admission to College of DuPage
  - When students are ready to complete the Health Sciences Application, there is a \$50 application fee
- Some health sciences programs require attendance at an advising session



# Engineering Pathways Program

- In partnership with University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, students who are accepted into the Engineering Pathways program will have guaranteed acceptance to UIUC after completing 2 years at COD
- Students must achieve a B or higher for all required courses. A minimum 3.5/4.0 GPA is required for transfer to UIUC
- Admission into the program is highly competitive to ensure the students entering the program are the most likely to succeed
- Special scholarships for Engineering Pathways transfer students are available
- Deadline to apply is March 15<sup>th</sup>

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pathways

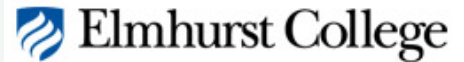


# Transfer Information

- Classes designated (IAI) are part of the Illinois Articulation Initiative
  - [www.itransfer.org](http://www.itransfer.org)
- Nation-wide network for transfer options
  - [www.Transferology.com](http://www.Transferology.com)
- Advisors and counselors are here to help you discover more about all of the transfer options
- College representatives from many universities often visit our campus



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# Current 3+1 Programs



**Benedictine**  
University

- B.A. in Management
- B.S. in Nursing



**Governors State**  
UNIVERSITY

- B.S. in Nursing  
(Online)



**ROOSEVELT**  
UNIVERSITY

- B.S. in Hospitality  
and Tourism  
Management



- B.A. in Criminal/Social  
Justice
- B.S. in Computer Science
- B.A. Education (Elementary,  
Special, Elementary/Special,  
Early Childhood) \*\*



**CONCORDIA**  
UNIVERSITY  
CHICAGO

- B.A. in Healthcare  
Management



**NATIONAL**  
LOUIS  
UNIVERSITY

- B.A. in Human  
Services

*\*\* 3+1 structured a little differently for Education programs*



# 3+1 Program Tuition Costs

| <b>4 years tuition at Benedictine</b> | <b>2 years at COD, 2 years at Benedictine</b> | <b>3+1 Program (Nursing)</b>                |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| \$128,680                             | \$79,025                                      | \$27,335                                    |
| <b>4 years tuition at Concordia</b>   | <b>2 years at COD, 2 years at Concordia</b>   | <b>3+1 Program (Health Care Management)</b> |
| \$119,040                             | \$68,160                                      | \$27,680                                    |
| <b>4 years tuition at Lewis</b>       | <b>2 years at COD, 2 years at Lewis</b>       | <b>3+1 Program (CIS &amp; CIT)</b>          |
| \$103,080                             | \$59,540                                      | \$29,160                                    |

# 2+2 Transfer Programs

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## **Traditional 2+2 Agreement**

Student completes 2 years at COD and the final 2 years at our partner college/university to complete a bachelor's degree

## **Enhanced 2+2 Agreement**

Student completes up to 90 semester credits of coursework (mostly general education courses), and then transfers to complete the remaining credits toward a bachelor's degree at a four-year college/university



**Northern Illinois  
University**

# Get Involved!



Getting involved on-campus will make your COD experience so much better!

- Student Government
- Student Ambassadors
- Phi Theta Kappa
- Student On-Campus Employment

There are more than 60 student clubs and organizations on campus!

- Recreational Clubs
- Honors Program
- Cultural/Ethnic Clubs
- Political/Social Clubs
- Latino Outreach Center
- Center for Student Diversity and Inclusion

# Field Studies & Study Abroad



## Short-Term Field Studies

- Alaska: Hiking
- England: Criminal Justice
- France: Culinary Arts
- Iceland: Earth Science
- Prague/Budapest: Hospitality
- Russia: History
- Wisconsin: Canoeing

## Summer Language Immersion

- Xi'an, China
- San Jose, Costa Rica
- Bordeaux, France
- Berlin, Germany
- Siena, Italy
- Kyoto, Japan
- Madrid, Spain

## Take a Semester Abroad

- Salzburg, Austria
- Canterbury, England
- Carlow, Ireland
- Seville, Spain
- Xi'an, China
- And more...



# Athletics



## Men's NJCAA Division III

- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cross Country
- Football
- Golf
- Soccer
- Tennis
- Track & Field

## Women's NJCAA Division III

- Basketball
- Cross Country
- Soccer
- Softball
- Tennis
- Track & Field
- Volleyball

## VISIT COD!

- High School Information Session
  - Saturday, March 23rd 9:00-11:00 am
  - Wednesday, April 24<sup>th</sup> 4:00-6:00 pm
  - Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup> 9-11:00 am
- OPEN HOUSE
  - Thursday, March 7<sup>th</sup> 6:00-8:00 pm
- TEC Spotlight
  - Tuesday, March 12<sup>th</sup>
- STEM Spotlight
  - Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>

# DATES FOR SPRING 2019

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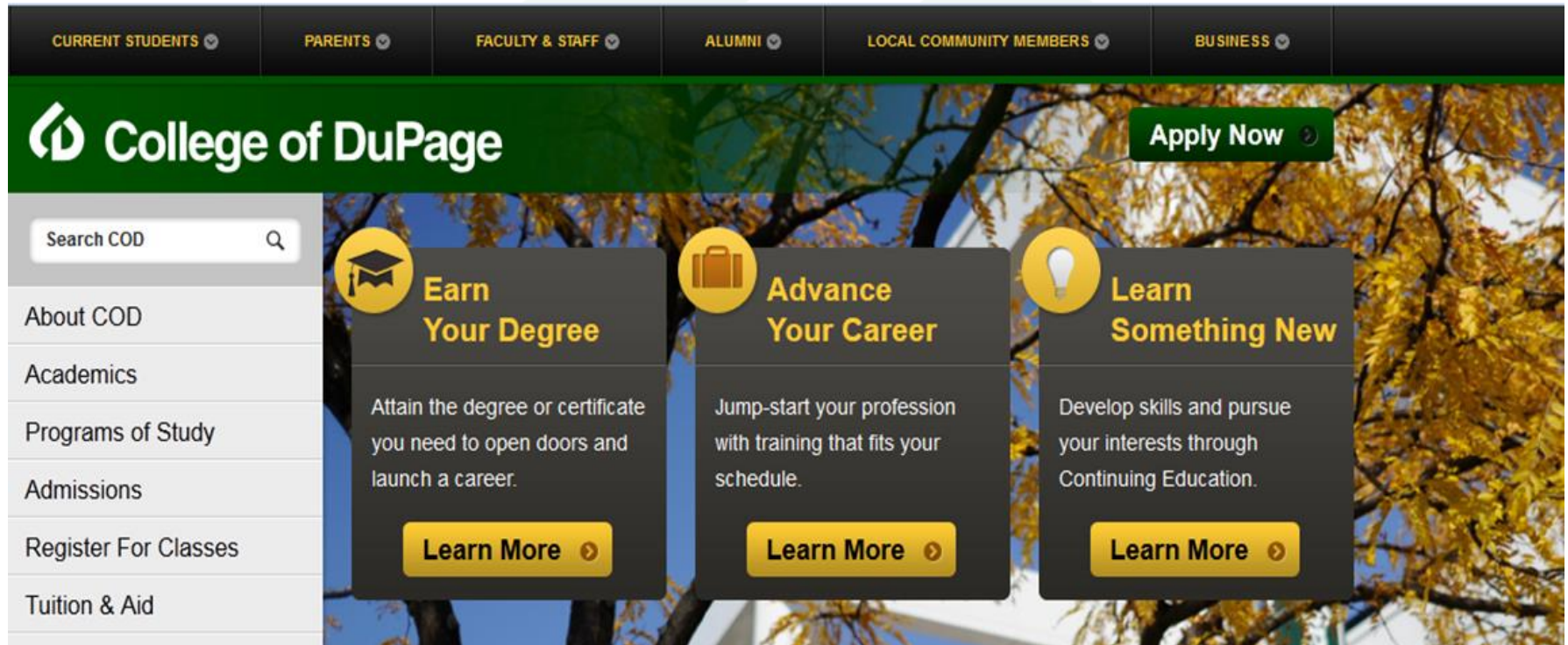
# Getting Started at COD!

| Task                    | Start date   | Suggested dates                     | Deadline  |
|-------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---|
| Apply                   | Any time! The sooner the better.   | January                             | Day classes begin                               |
| Complete Financial Aid  | October 1st of each year   | As early as possible                | At Least 1 month before registering for classes |
| Take Placement Tests    | After accepted   | March/April of Senior Year          | Before registering for classes                  |
| Set up your MyAccess    | After Accepted   | Immediately after acceptance letter | 1 week before classes begin                     |
| Meet with an Advisor    | After placement testing  | April                               | N/A   |
| Register for Classes    | Late April   | EARLY                               | Day before classes begin                        |
| Select a Payment Option | Must be done the day you register for classes or you will be dropped! No exceptions! |                                     |   |



# Apply to College of DuPage!

The most important thing is to apply! To apply, click on the **“Apply Now”** button on the COD website



# Set up your myACCESS Account

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# Take all Necessary Placement Tests

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- Three Required Placement Tests:
  - Reading
  - Writing
  - Math
- What waives a student from taking the Reading & Writing Placement Test:
  - 20 ACT Composite or higher
  - 950 SAT or higher
  - 2.6/4.0 or 3.25/5.0 scale cumulative GPA
- What **MAY** waive a student from taking the ALEKS Math Placement Test:
  - 23 or higher ACT Math subset score
  - No SAT score is applicable for waiving the math placement

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