

A guide to finding the college
of your choice.

New York's 100+ Private Colleges and Universities

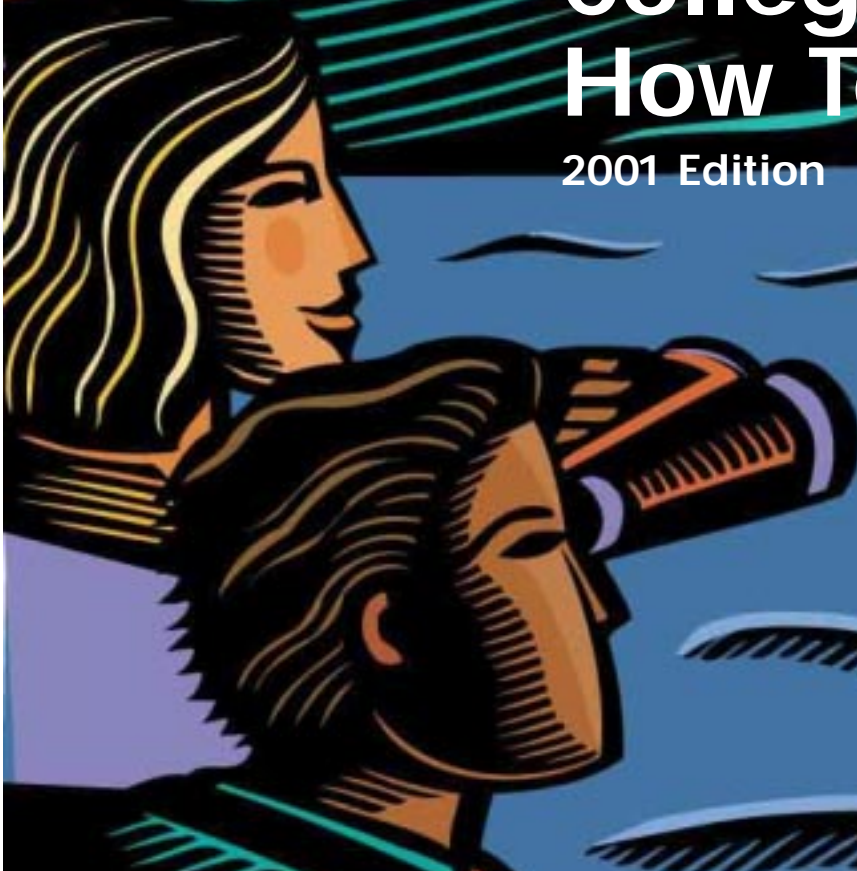
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If you're looking for the college that's right for you, we can help.

Selecting a college can be a tough decision. There are so many things to consider: academic programs, the quality of the college, the value it offers, geographic location, campus life, and, of course, college costs and financial aid. This booklet can guide you through the college selection process by providing the information you need to make an informed decision about your college education.

So where do you begin your college search?

- Start with this guide. If you know what you want to study, go to the Academic Programs file, or use the on-line form at www.nycolleges.org/register.html, which lists bachelor's and associate degree programs offered by private colleges and universities in New York State.
- Use the College Search Worksheet to help you begin to compile a list (your "long list") of colleges based on your interests. Find out more about them. The Locator Map on pages 3-4 pinpoints geographic locations and the Campus Profiles file, or on-line at www.nycolleges.org, gives you basic information about the colleges on your list.
- Attend college fairs. You can speak with college representatives and pick up literature about different colleges.
- For more information about any college in this guide, fill out the Request for College Information form, or use the on-line form at www.nycolleges.org/register.html.

Finding, evaluating, and choosing a college requires planning and information – keep an open mind and you're sure to discover a college that suits your needs.

- In your junior and senior years, visit the colleges that interest you. Before you visit, make an appointment to meet with faculty in your academic interest areas. While you're there, take the official tour, walk around on your own, and talk with students.
- Early on, begin to investigate sources of financial aid. Refer to the inside back cover for ways to get started.
- By fall of your senior year, shorten your college list – usually around five to eight choices.
- If possible, talk to current students or graduates of these colleges. Ask your school counselor and the colleges' admissions counselors for the contact names of students or graduates.
- Now that you've decided on a short list, obtain admissions and financial aid forms. Fill out the forms carefully and *be sure to meet all deadlines*.

Maybe you have a very specific academic interest. Perhaps you're still searching. Either way, there's a New York State private college or university that's right for you.

What to Look for in a College

If you're looking for quality and value, you'll find it at a New York State private college or university.

Fortunately, colleges are as individual as people. Campus environments differ. Academic programs vary. And every college has a distinct personality. The private colleges and universities found in every region of New York State give you wonderful choice. Some are urban. Some are rural. Some are large, some small. But they share common ground: they all offer quality and excellent value for your investment.

Quality. Value. They're important concepts, but what do they mean in practical terms?

With scholarships and other aid money, private colleges are often no more expensive – and sometimes less costly – than state colleges.

Quality.

The quality of your college degree matters. It matters to you and your learning experience, and it matters in the job market. While New York State's private colleges and universities differ in programs, and features, all are high-quality institutions that offer students important benefits. These are some of the features you should consider in a college.

- Strong academic departments.
- Small class size.
- Low student-to-teacher ratio.
- World-class, dedicated faculty.
- Opportunity for activities outside the classroom.

- Teaching that inspires critical thinking.
- For certain academic majors, research opportunities, internship programs or study abroad.
- Outstanding career placement services.

The quality of your degree will count in the job market, so choose a college with a solid reputation and strong academic departments.

Value.

What defines good value? When looking at colleges, keep this in mind: Good values show a solid return on investment.

Because the college you choose will shape your future, you should choose carefully. With a college degree, you can expect to earn more; lifetime earnings are higher, on average, than for those with a high school degree alone – 31% more with an associate degree and 86% more with a bachelor's degree.

When you choose your college, think about the kind of learning environment you want, and the value of your future degree. At New York's private colleges and universities, you'll benefit from your contacts with well-known faculty and alumni; you'll have opportunities to gain real-life experience; and you'll enjoy the pleasure of forming personal relationships with professors who come to know you, your interests, and your talents.

What a college looks for in its students.

When you're searching for the right college, there are at least two things to consider: what you want in a college. And what the college wants in you.

If you start early enough, you'll find a college that meets your criteria and have the time to improve your chances of being admitted. Think about your strengths, and the qualities you want to bring to the college environment.

Here are some qualities colleges look for in their applicants.

- Academic strengths.
- Choices of challenging coursework.
- High marks in a range of courses.
- Ranking among high school peers, including senior year ranking.
- SAT or ACT scores.
- Extracurricular activities – commitment, rather than quantity, is the key.
- Recommendations from teachers and others.
- Written self-expression, often judged by your application essay.
- Verbal expression and presentation.
- Leadership ability and positions.
- Level of interest in and enthusiasm for the college.

One more thing: never exclude colleges because of cost. You may be surprised at how much financial aid is available and, with aid packages, you may find that private colleges are no more expensive – and sometimes less costly – than state colleges. (See page 7 for more on financial aid.)

Campus Locator

100+ Private Colleges and Universities

Western

1. Alfred University, *Alfred*
2. Canisius College, *Buffalo*
3. Daemen College, *Amherst*
4. D'Youville College, *Buffalo*
5. Hilbert College, *Hamburg*
6. Houghton College, *Houghton*
7. Medaille College, *Buffalo*
8. Niagara University, *Niagara University*
9. St. Bonaventure University, *St. Bonaventure*
10. Trocaire College, *Buffalo*
11. Villa Maria College of Buffalo, *Buffalo*

Greater Rochester

1. Hobart and William Smith Colleges, *Geneva*
2. Keuka College, *Keuka Park*
3. Nazareth College of Rochester, *Rochester*
4. Roberts Wesleyan College, *Rochester*
5. Rochester Institute of Technology, *Rochester*
6. St. John Fisher College, *Rochester*
7. University of Rochester and Eastman School of Music, *Rochester*

Central

1. Cazenovia College, *Cazenovia*
2. Colgate University, *Hamilton*
3. Cornell University, *Ithaca*
4. Elmira College, *Elmira*
5. Hamilton College, *Clinton*
6. Hartwick College, *Oneonta*
7. Ithaca College, *Ithaca*
8. Le Moyne College, *Syracuse*
9. New York Chiropractic College (G), *Seneca Falls*
10. St. Elizabeth College of Nursing, *Utica*
11. St. Joseph's Hospital School of Nursing, *Syracuse*
12. Syracuse University, *Syracuse*
13. Utica College of Syracuse University, *Utica*
14. Wells College, *Aurora*

Northern

1. Clarkson University, *Potsdam*
2. Paul Smith's College, *Paul Smiths*
3. St. Lawrence University, *Canton*
4. Wadhams Hall, *Ogdensburg*

Capital District

1. Albany College of Pharmacy, *Albany*
2. Albany Law School (G), *Albany*
3. Albany Medical College (G), *Albany*
4. The College of Saint Rose, *Albany*
5. Maria College, *Albany*
6. Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, *Troy*

7. The Sage Colleges/Russell Sage College, and Sage Graduate School (G), *Troy*
8. The Sage Colleges/Sage Junior College of Albany, and Sage Evening College, *Albany*
9. Siena College, *Loudonville*
10. Skidmore College, *Saratoga Springs*
11. Union College, *Schenectady*

Hudson Valley

1. Bard College, *Annandale-on-Hudson*
2. Cochran School of Nursing, *Yonkers*
3. The College of New Rochelle, *New Rochelle*
4. The College of New Rochelle/School of New Resources, *New Rochelle*
5. Concordia College, *Bronxville*
6. The Culinary Institute of America, *Hyde Park*
7. Dominican College, *Orangeburg*
8. Fordham Graduate Center at Tarrytown (G), *Tarrytown*
9. Iona College, *New Rochelle*
10. Iona College/Rockland Campus (G), *Orangeburg*
11. Long Island University/Rockland Campus (G), *Orangeburg*
12. Long Island University/Westchester Campus (G), *Purchase*
13. Manhattanville College, *Purchase*
14. Marist College, *Poughkeepsie*
15. Marymount College, *Tarrytown*
16. Mercy College/Dobbs Ferry Campus, *Dobbs Ferry*
17. Mercy College/White Plains Campus, *White Plains*
18. Mercy College/Yorktown Campus, *Yorktown Heights*
19. Mount Saint Mary College, *Newburgh*
20. New York Medical College (G), *Valhalla*
21. New York University/Ehrenkranz School of Social Work at St. Thomas Aquinas College (G), *Sparkill*
22. New York University/Stern School of Business at Manhattanville College (G), *Purchase*
23. Nyack College and Alliance Theological Seminary, *Nyack*
24. Pace University/Pleasantville-Briarcliff, *Pleasantville*
25. Pace University/Lubin Graduate Center (G), *White Plains*
26. Pace University/White Plains Campus School of Law (G), *White Plains*
27. Polytechnic University/Westchester Graduate Center (G), *Hawthorne*
28. Sarah Lawrence College, *Bronxville*
29. St. Thomas Aquinas College, *Sparkill*
30. Vassar College, *Poughkeepsie*

New York City (The 5 Boroughs)

Bronx

1. College of Mount Saint Vincent, *Riverdale*
2. The College of New Rochelle/School of New Resources/Co-op City
3. The College of New Rochelle/School of New Resources/John Cardinal O'Connor Campus
4. Fordham University
5. Manhattan College, *Riverdale*
6. Mercy College/Bronx Campus

Brooklyn

1. Boricua College/ Brooklyn Campus
2. The College of New Rochelle/School of New Resources/Brooklyn Campus
3. Institute of Design and Construction
4. Long Island College Hospital School of Nursing
5. Long Island University/Brooklyn Campus
6. Polytechnic University/Brooklyn-MetroTech Campus
7. Pratt Institute
8. St. Francis College, *Brooklyn Heights*
9. St. Joseph's College/Brooklyn Campus
10. Touro College/Brooklyn

Manhattan

1. American Academy McAllister Institute
2. Audrey Cohen College
3. Bank Street College of Education (G)
4. Barnard College
5. Boricua College
6. St. John's University/Manhattan Campus
7. The College of New Rochelle/School of New Resources/District Council 37
8. The College of New Rochelle/School of New Resources at NY Theological Seminary
9. The College of New Rochelle/School of New Resources/Rosa Parks Campus
10. Columbia University
11. The Cooper Union
12. Fordham University/Lincoln Center Campus
13. Helene Fuld College of Nursing
14. Jewish Theological Seminary/List College of Jewish Studies
15. Manhattan School of Music
16. Marymount Manhattan College
17. Mercy College/Manhattan Campus
18. New School University:
Eugene Lang College
Mannes College of Music
Jazz and Contemporary Music Program
Parsons School of Design
B.A. Program for Adults/Teacher Education Program

19. New York College of Podiatric Medicine (G)
20. New York Institute of Technology/Manhattan Campus
21. New York School of Interior Design
22. New York University
23. Nyack College/Manhattan Center
24. Pace University/New York City Campus
25. Phillips Beth Israel School of Nursing
26. Pratt Manhattan
27. The Rockefeller University (G)
28. Teachers College, Columbia University (G)
29. Touro College
30. Weill Graduate School of Medical Sciences of Cornell University (G)
31. Weill Medical College of Cornell University (G)
32. Yeshiva University

Queens

1. Bramson ORT College, *Forest Hills*
2. The School of Nursing of Saint Vincents Catholic Medical Centers, *Fresh Meadows*
3. College of Aeronautics, *Flushing*
4. St. John's University/Queens Campus (main campus), *Jamaica*

Staten Island

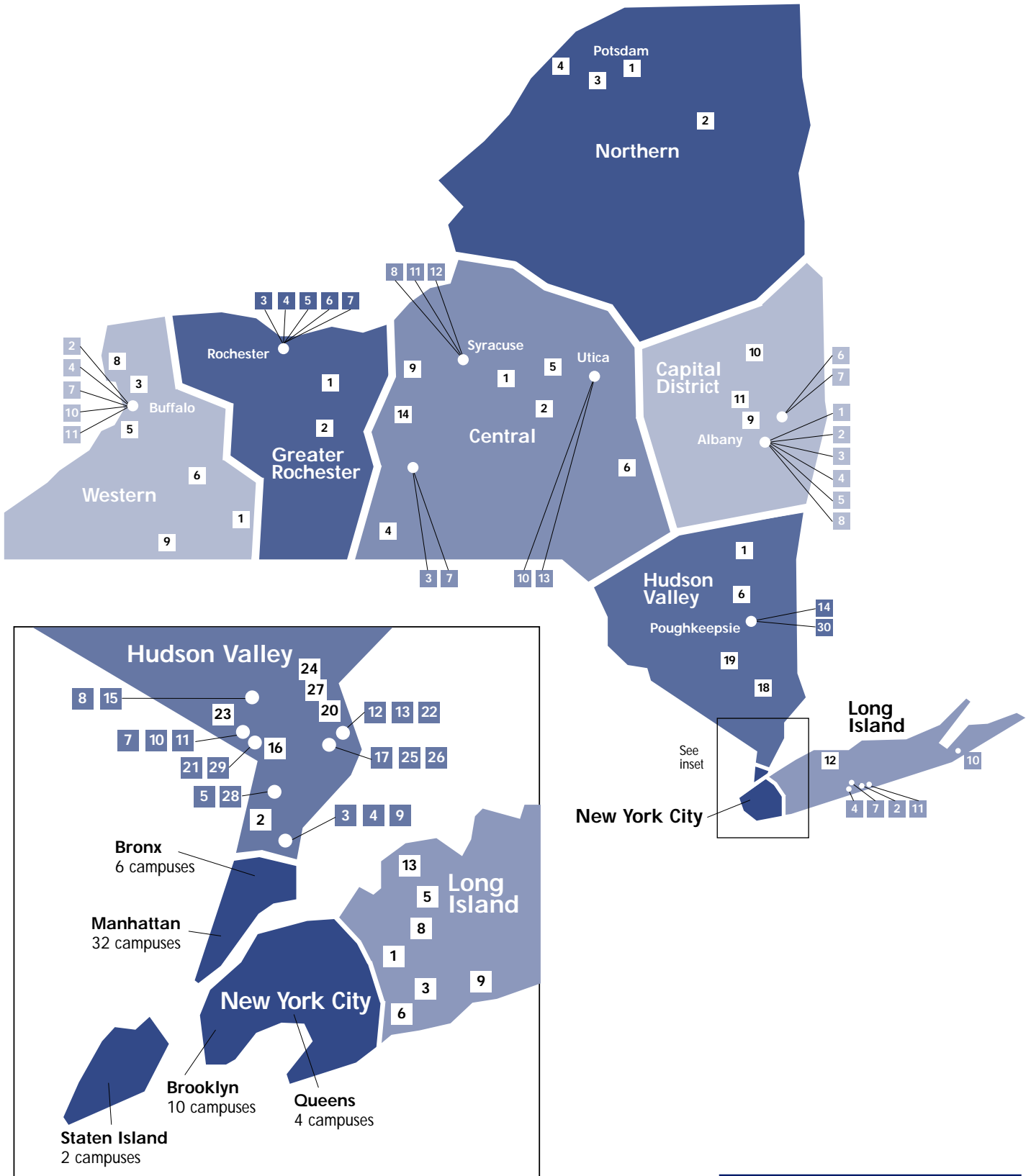
1. St. John's University/Staten Island Campus
2. Wagner College

Long Island

1. Adelphi University, *Garden City*
2. Dowling College, *Oakdale*
3. Hofstra University, *Hempstead*
4. Long Island University/Brentwood Campus, *Brentwood*
5. Long Island University/C.W. Post Campus, *Brookville*
6. Molloy College, *Rockville Centre*
7. New York Institute of Technology/Central Islip Campus, *Central Islip*
8. New York Institute of Technology/Old Westbury Campus, *Old Westbury*
9. Polytechnic University/Long Island Campus, *Farmingdale*
10. Southampton College of Long Island University, *Southampton*
11. St. Joseph's College/Suffolk Campus, *Patchogue*
12. Touro College/Huntington Campus and Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center (G), *Huntington and Bay Shore*
13. Webb Institute, *Glen Cove*

Campus Locator

100+ Private Colleges and Universities



College Search Worksheet

Finding your way through the college selection process.

As you begin your search for a college, you'll be collecting information, looking at college literature, researching financial aid, visiting campuses, and thinking about the merits of a number of colleges.

Use this worksheet as a guide and a record of your process. Print it, add your own entries, or use it as a model for a personalized worksheet.

Questions to ask yourself.

Start your selection process by asking yourself some questions. While you have certain criteria, keep an open mind – there may be possibilities you haven't considered.

- ? What kind of location do you prefer? Urban, suburban, or rural?
- ? How far away from home do you want to be? A short distance by car, or a day's drive or more?
- ? What size campus population do you prefer? Small (less than 2,000 students), medium (up to 5,000), or large (more than 5,000)?
- ? Do you prefer a coed or single-sex college?
- ? Do you want to live on-campus or off-campus?
- ? Are you comfortable in a highly competitive or more relaxed learning environment?
- ? Do you prefer small classes or large lectures?
- ? Is religious affiliation important?

- ? How important are cultural and social opportunities?
- ? How important is the sports program?

Steps to take.

1. List five academic subjects you might pursue.

2. Match your interest areas with colleges by using the campus profiles and academic programs in this guide.
3. Make a preliminary list of colleges that interest you.

4. Conduct more research on the colleges by sending for literature or visiting Web sites.
5. Narrow your list.

6. Visit as many campuses as you can.
7. It's a good idea to apply to a range of colleges.

For more information about New York's private colleges and universities, visit www.nycolleges.org



Information to file.

- Make a file of every college that interests you, along with its literature and important names and contact numbers. For every college, make a list of any contacts you've made, important deadlines and personal notes about your campus visit.
- Establish a financial aid folder, organized by types of financial aid. Note important deadlines.
- You may need to ask teachers and other key adults for recommendations. Establish a list of people you might ask to supply references. Give them enough time to prepare the letter of recommendation – and be sure to thank them for their time in doing so.
- Keep a file of any letters of recognition you may receive.
- Start another file of your extracurricular and/or community activities.
- As you apply to colleges and fill out applications, watch the deadlines and keep copies of everything.

Quick List

New York's Private Colleges and Universities Undergraduate Admission Offices

Key
 Undergraduate (UG) degrees offered: A = associate degree (2-year degree), B = bachelor's degree (4-year degree), G = graduate degrees (master's or doctorate or first professional)
 Consult the Campus Profiles file, or www.nycolleges.org for additional information about the colleges.

College name Web address	Degrees offered	Phone number
Adelphi University www.adelphi.edu	A, B, G	800.ADELPHI
Albany College of Pharmacy www.acp.edu	B, G	888.203.8010
Alfred University www.alfred.edu/admissions	B, G	800.541.9229
American Academy McAllister Institute of Funeral Service http://members.aol.com/aamifs/Main.html	A	212.757.1190
Audrey Cohen College www.audreycohen.edu	A, B, G	800.33THINK ext. 5001
Bard College www.bard.edu	B, G	845.758.7472
Barnard College (women) www.barnard.edu	B	212.854.2014
Borica College Manhattan Campus Brooklyn Northside Brooklyn Graham	A, B, G	212.694.1000 718.782.2200 718.963.4112
Bramson ORT College www.bramsonort.org	A	718.261.5800
Canisius College www.canisius.edu	A, B, G	800.843.1517
Cazenovia College www.admission@cazcollege.edu	A, B	800.654.3210
Clarkson University www.clarkson.edu	B, G	800.527.6577
Cochran School of Nursing www.riversidehealth.org/stjohns/html/nursing.html	A	914.964.4296 ext. 208
Colgate University www.colgate.edu	B, G	315.228.7401
College of Aeronautics www.aero.edu	A, B	800.776.2376
The College of Insurance www.tci.edu	B, G	800.356.5146
College of Mount Saint Vincent www.cmsv.edu	A, B, G	800.665.CMSV
The College of New Rochelle www.cnr.edu School of Arts and Sciences (women) School of Nursing (coed) School of New Resources (coed)	B, G	800.933.5923 800.288.4767
The College of Saint Rose www.strose.edu	B, G	800.637.8556
Columbia University www.studentaffairs.columbia.edu/admissions	B, G	212.854.2522
Concordia College www.concordia-ny.edu	A, B	800.937.2655
The Cooper Union www.cooper.edu	B, G	212.353.4120
Cornell University http://admissions.cornell.edu	B, G	607.255.5241
The Culinary Institute of America www.ciachef.edu	A, B	800.CULINARY
Daemen College www.daemen.edu	B, G	800.462.7652
Dominican College www.dc.edu	A, B, G	845.359.7800 ext. 208
Dowling College www.dowling.edu	B, G	800.DOWLING
D'Youville College www.dyc.edu	B, G	800.777.3921
Elmira College www.elmira.edu	B, G	800.935.6472
Fordham University www.fordham.edu	B, G	800.FORDHAM
Hamilton College www.hamilton.edu	B	800.843.2655
Hartwick College www.hartwick.edu	B	888.HARTWICK
Helene Fuld College of Nursing of North General Hospital	A	212.423.2768
Hilbert College www.hilbert.edu	A, B	800.649.8003
Hobart and William Smith Colleges www.hws.edu	B	800.852.2256 800.245.0100
Hofstra University www.hofstra.edu/admissions	A, B, G	800.HOFSTRA
Houghton College www.houghton.edu	A, B	800.777.2556
Institute of Design and Construction www.idcbrooklyn.org	A	718.855.3661
Iona College www.iona.edu	B, G	800.231.IONA
Ithaca College www.ithaca.edu/admission	B, G	800.429.4274
Keuka College www.keuka.edu	B	800.33.KEUKA
Le Moyne College www.lemoyne.edu	B, G	800.333.4733
List College of Jewish Studies of the Jewish Theological Seminary www.jtsa.edu	B, G	212.678.8832
Long Island College Hospital School of Nursing	A	718.780.1953
Long Island University www.liu.edu Brentwood Campus Brooklyn Campus C.W. Post Campus Southampton College	800.LIU.PLAN B, G A, B, G A, B, G B, G	800.273.5112
Manhattan College www.manhattan.edu	B, G	800.MC2.XCEL
Manhattan School of Music www.msmnyc.edu	B, G	212.749.2802 ext. 2
Manhattanville College www.manhattanville.edu	B, G	800.328.4553
Maria College www.mariacollege.org	A	518.438.3111 ext. 217
Marist College www.marist.edu	B, G	800.436.5483
Marymount College (women only weekdays; coed adults weekends) www.marymt.edu	A, B	800.724.4312
Marymount Manhattan College http://marymount.mmm.edu	B	800.MARYMOUNT
Medaille College www.medaille.edu	A, B, G	800.292.1582
Mercy College www.mercynet.edu Bronx Campus Dobbs Ferry Campus Manhattan Campus White Plains Campus Yorktown Campus	A, B, G	800.MERCY.NY
Molloy College www.molloy.edu	A, B, G	888.4MOLLOY
Mount Saint Mary College www.msmc.edu	B, G	888.YES.MSMC
Nazareth College of Rochester www.naz.edu	B, G	800.462.3944
New School University www.newschool.edu Eugene Lang College Mannes College of Music Parsons School of Design Jazz and Contemporary Music Program B.A. Program for Adults/Teacher Education Program	A, B, G B B, G A, B, G B B, G	212.229.5665 800.292.3040 800.252.0852 212.229.5896 212.229.5630
New York Institute of Technology www.nyit.edu Central Islip Campus Manhattan Campus Old Westbury Campus	A, B, G	800.873.NYIT 212.261.1508 800.345.NYIT
New York School of Interior Design www.nysid.edu	A, B, G	800.33.NYSID
New York University www.nyu.edu/ugadmissions	A, B, G	212.998.4500
Niagara University www.niagara.edu	A, B, G	800.462.2111
Nyack College www.nyackcollege.edu Manhattan Center	A, B, G	800.33.NYACK 212.625.0500
Pace University www.pace.edu New York City Campus Pleasantville-Briarcliff Campus	A, B, G	800.874.PACE
Paul Smith's College www.paulsmiths.edu	A, B	800.421.2605
Phillips Beth Israel School of Nursing www.bimc.edu/netscape2/nursing.html	A	212.614.6108
Polytechnic University www.poly.edu Brooklyn-MetroTech Campus Long Island Campus	B, G	800.POLYTEC
Pratt Institute www.pratt.edu/admiss Pratt Manhattan www.ProStudies.pratt.edu	B, G A, G	800.331.0834
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute www.rpi.edu	B, G	518.276.6216
Roberts Wesleyan College www.roberts.edu	A, B, G	800.777.4RWC
Rochester Institute of Technology www.rit.edu	A, B, G	716.475.6631
The Sage Colleges www.sage.edu Russell Sage College (women) Sage Evening College (coed) Sage Junior College of Albany (coed)	A, B, G B A, B A	888.VERY.SAGE
Sarah Lawrence College www.sarahlawrence.edu	B, G	800.888.2858
The School of Nursing of Saint Vincents Catholic Medical Centers	A	718.357.0500 ext.173
Siena College www.siena.edu	B, G	888.AT.SIENA
Skidmore College www.skidmore.edu	B, G	800.867.6007
St. Bonaventure University www.sbu.edu	B, G	800.462.5050
St. Elizabeth College of Nursing www.stemc.org/college/edu.htm	A	315.798.8253
St. Francis College www.stfranciscollege.edu	A, B	718.489.5200
St. John Fisher College www.sjfc.edu	B, G	800.444.4640
St. John's University www.stjohns.edu Queens Campus Staten Island Campus	A, B, G	888.9STJOHNS
St. Joseph's College www.sjcnyc.edu Brooklyn Campus Suffolk Campus	B, G	866.AT.STJOE
St. Joseph's Hospital School of Nursing www.sjhsyr.org/nursing	A	315.448.5040
St. Lawrence University www.stlawu.edu	B, G	800.285.1856
St. Thomas Aquinas College www.stac.edu	B, G	800.999.STAC
Syracuse University www.syracuse.edu	B, G	315.443.3611
Touro College www.touro.edu	A, B, G	212.463.0400 ext. 665
Trocaire College www.trocaire.edu	A	716.826.1200
Union College www.union.edu	B, G	888.843.6688
University of Rochester www.rochester.edu/admissions	B, G	888.822.2256
Utica College of Syracuse University www.utica.edu	B, G	800.782.8884
Vassar College www.vassar.edu	B, G	800.827.7270
Villa Maria College of Buffalo www.villa.edu	A	716.896.0704
Wadhams Hall (men only in seminary; coed other) www.wadhams.edu	B	315.393.4231 ext. 224
Wagner College www.wagner.edu	B, G	800.221.1010
Webb Institute www.webb-institute.edu	B	516.671.2213
Wells College (women) www.wells.edu	B	800.952.9355
Yeshiva University www.yu.edu	A, B, G	212.960.5277

Affording Your College of Choice

Now that you've found the college you really want to attend, how do you pay for it?

The first thing is: don't give up on the college of your choice. Even if you think you can't afford it.

Happily, the truth is that anyone who has the desire and the academic credentials can make a college education a reality. Each year, more than \$65 billion in aid is available to help families meet college costs. Because New York State private colleges and universities are committed to helping students and their families, you rarely pay the "sticker price." And while your decision to go to college is an investment of time and money, it can cost far less than you think it might. And, the return – for the rest of your life – will be tremendous.

The Tuition Assistance Program (TAP) provides up to \$5,000 a year for eligible students from New York State who plan to attend New York State colleges and universities.

Today, most students attending college receive some form of financial assistance. The major sources of financial aid available to families include:

- grants and scholarships from colleges and from federal and state governments;
- loans from the federal government, some colleges, and private lenders;
- job programs on- or off-campus.

New York's private colleges and universities annually award more than \$1.6 billion in grants to students – some of that money could be for you.

Typically, a financial aid package includes a combination of grants, scholarships, low-interest loans, and work-study. In addition, there are other sources of aid to investigate:

- benefits offered by employers;
- competitive scholarships from civic and religious organizations;
- scholarships for study in specific academic subjects or toward certain professions.

The bottom line is: money is available for your college education. It's important to explore your options, stay determined, and be aware of deadlines. The result? You're not just going to college, you're going to the college of your choice.

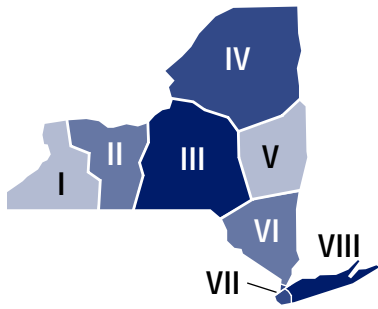


Exploring financial aid options.

To learn more about financial aid, talk with college admission and financial aid counselors. Check your guidance or college office for scholarship announcements. And, use the web to check out these sites. Start early!

- www.nycolleges.org
- www.collegeispossible.org
- www.mapping-your-future.org
- www.finaid.org
- www.hesc.com
- www.nasfaa.org
- www.nymentor.edu
- www.nysaves.org
- www.ed.gov/offices/OPE/Students/index.html

Be sure to order a free *Affording College* brochure, which describes the financial aid process and programs. Write to: Commission on Independent Colleges and Universities, 17 Elk St., PO Box 7289, Albany, NY 12224, or e-mail your request to colleges@nycolleges.org.



New York's private college and university campuses offering undergraduate (2-year and/or 4-year) degrees

Please note: Code numbers are not consecutive.

College Code	Name of College	Location (region)
002	Adelphi University	VIII
003	Albany College of Pharmacy	V
004	Alfred University	I
005	American Academy McAllister Institute of Funeral Service	VII
017	Audrey Cohen College*	VII
007	Bard College	VI
008	Barnard College**	VII
009	Boricia College	VII
010	Bramson ORT College	VII
011	Canisius College	I
013	Cazenovia College	III
014	Clarkson University	IV
015	Cochran School of Nursing#	VI
016	Colgate University	III
001	College of Aeronautics	VII
018	The College of Insurance##	VII
019	College of Mount Saint Vincent	VII
020	The College of New Rochelle†	VI, VII
021	The College of Saint Rose	V
022	Columbia University	VII
023	Concordia College††	VI
024	The Cooper Union	VII
025	Cornell University	III
026	The Culinary Institute of America	VI
027	Daemen College	I
028	Dominican College	VI
029	Dowling College	VIII
030	D'Youville College	I
034	Elmira College	III
035	Fordham University	VII
038	Hamilton College	III
039	Hartwick College	III
040	Helene Fuld College of Nursing#, +	VII
041	Hilbert College	I
042	Hobart and William Smith Colleges	II
043	Hofstra University	VII
044	Houghton College††	I
045	Institute of Design and Construction	VII
047	Iona College	VI
048	Ithaca College	III
051	Keuka College	II
053	Le Moyne College	III
128	List College of Jewish Studies of the Jewish Theological Seminary	VII
054	Long Island College Hospital School of Nursing	VII

College Code	Name of College	Location (region)
	Long Island University:	
055	Brentwood Campus#, ++	VIII
056	Brooklyn Campus	VII
057	C.W. Post Campus	VIII
060	Manhattan College	VII
061	Manhattan School of Music	VII
062	Manhattanville College	VI
063	Mannes College of Music	VII
064	Maria College#	V
066	Marist College	VI
067	Marymount College ^	VI
068	Marymount Manhattan College	VII
070	Medaille College	I
	Mercy College:	
071	Bronx Campus	VII
072	Dobbs Ferry (main)	VI
073	Manhattan Campus	VII
074	White Plains Campus	VI
075	Yorktown Campus	VI
077	Molloy College	VIII
078	Mount Saint Mary College	VI
079	Nazareth College of Rochester	II
	New School University:	
129	Eugene Lang College	VII
132	Jazz and Contemporary Music Program	VII
130	Parsons School of Design	VII
131	BA Program for Adults/Teacher Education Program	VII
	New York Institute of Technology:	
081	Central Islip Campus	VIII
082	Manhattan Campus	VII
083	Old Westbury Campus	VIII
084	New York School of Interior Design	VII
085	New York University	VII
086	Niagara University	I
087	Nyack College††	VI
	Pace University (please select only one campus):	
088	New York City Campus	VII
089	Pleasantville-Briarcliff Campus	VI
091	Paul Smith's College	IV
092	Phillips Beth Israel School of Nursing#	VII
	Polytechnic University (please select only one campus):	
093	Brooklyn-MetroTech Campus	VII
094	Long Island Campus	VIII
095	Pratt Institute	VII
096	Pratt Manhattan	VII
097	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	V
098	Roberts Wesleyan College†	II
099	Rochester Institute of Technology	II
	The Sage Colleges:	
100	Russell Sage College**	V
133	Sage Evening College*	V
050	Sage Junior College of Albany	V
110	Sarah Lawrence College	VI
012	The School of Nursing of Saint Vincents Catholic Medical Centers#	VII
111	Siena College	V
112	Skidmore College	V
058	Southampton College of Long Island University	VIII
101	St. Bonaventure University	I
126	St. Elizabeth College of Nursing	III
102	St. Francis College	VII
103	St. John Fisher College	II
	St. John's University:	
104	Queens Campus	VII
105	Staten Island Campus	VII
	St. Joseph's College:	
106	Brooklyn Campus#	VII
107	Suffolk Campus#	VIII

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134	St. Joseph's Hospital School of Nursing	III
108	St. Lawrence University	IV
109	St. Thomas Aquinas College	VI
113	Syracuse University	III
114	Touro College	VII
115	Trocaire College#	I
116	Union College	V
117	University of Rochester	II
118	Utica College of Syracuse University	III
119	Vassar College	VI
120	Villa Maria College of Buffalo#	I
121	Wadhams Hall ^, ^	IV
122	Wagner College	VII
123	Webb Institute	VIII
124	Wells College**	III
125	Yeshiva University	VII

NOTES:

- * Programs primarily for working adults.
- ** Women-only undergraduate college.
- # Commuter college - students live in private, off-campus housing.
- ## See Campus Profile.
- † Women-only in certain programs, divisions or schools; coed in certain programs, divisions.
- †† Christian liberal arts college.
- + LPN license required prior to admission.
- + + Applicants must have completed two years of college.
- ^ Women-only in weekday session; coed adults weekend session; associate degrees weekend college.
- ^^ Men-only college-seminary; coed in certain programs or schools.

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AGR	Agriculture/Animals/Environmental Technologies
ARC	Architecture/Environmental Design
ARE	Area Studies
BIO	Biological Studies
BUS	Business & Management
COM	Communications
CIS	Computer & Information Sciences/Technologies
CEP	Cooperative Engineering Programs
CMP	Cooperative Professional Degree Programs
CUA	Culinary Arts/Food/Food Service/Nutrition
EDU	Education/Teaching
ENG	Engineering
EGL	English/Letters
FIN	Fine & Applied Arts
FOR	Foreign Languages
HEA	Health Professions & Related Technologies
HOM	Home & Family Studies
IND	Interdisciplinary/Individualized Studies
LIB	Liberal Arts & Sciences
LBY	Library Science
MAT	Mathematics
NUR	Nursing
PHI	Philosophy/Theology/Religious Studies
PHY	Physical Sciences/Chemistry/Physics
PRE	Pre-Professional Studies (ex. pre-med, pre-law, etc.)
PSY	Psychology/Behavioral Sciences
SOC	Social Sciences
SVC	Social Services & Public Affairs
UND	Undecided

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