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The diploma nursing program at Meadville Medical Center at the Sharon School of Nursing located in Meadville, PA is accredited by the:

Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN)
3390 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 1400 Atlanta, GA 30326
(404) 975-5000

The most recent accreditation decision made by the ACEN Board of Commissioners for the diploma nursing program is continuing accreditation.

View the public information disclosed by the ACEN regarding this program on the ACEN website.

Approved by: Pennsylvania State Board of Nursing (Initial approval)



Meadville Medical Center Institute for Healthcare Professionals: Sharon School of Nursing

Meadville Medical Center's Institute for Healthcare Professionals Sharon School of Nursing is a Diploma Registered Nurse program offered through Meadville Medical Center.

The new program is approved by the Penn-

sylvania State Board of Nursing and accredited by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN).

The 20-month nursing program curriculum is a combination of nursing courses offered through Meadville

Medical Center and college general education courses. Sharon School of Nursing was developed based on the highly successful Sharon Regional School of Nursing, offering comprehensive training through hands-on clinical experience and expert faculty

instruction.

Upon graduation, students are eligible to take the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX) and start working as a Registered Nurse.

Anyone with questions, please call 814-333-5654.

Fast Facts

Meadville Medical Center's Institute for Healthcare Professionals: Sharon School of Nursing	mmchs.org
• Address: 18282 Technology Drive, Meadville, PA 16335.	• Phone: 814-333-5654
• Web Address: insitute.	• Current Enrollment: 11 (co2026); 24 (co2027)
	• Student to faculty ratio: 1:11 – classroom; 1:5.5 – clinicals; 1:24 – classroom
	• Programs Offered: Diploma Registered Nurse

ETC at Pitt-Titusville: Advancing Workforce and Economic Growth

When the doors opened to the newly renovated J. Curtis McKinney II Student Union this spring, it marked more than just the completion of a \$10 million project. It symbolized a new era for the Education & Training Center at Pitt-Titusville — one built on partnerships, innovation, and a shared vision for the region's future.

The student union renovation project transformed underutilized space for critical workforce development sectors. These changes reflect ETC's commitment to addressing the needs of our regional economic development and growth.

Partnership Model

ETC at Pitt-Titusville offers an innovative partnership model. It integrates resources from the University of Pittsburgh at Titusville, Manchester Bidwell Corporation, Northern Pennsylvania Regional College, Pitt's Swanson School of Engineering Manufacturing Assistance Center, and the Pitt School of Dental Medicine. These collaborations allow ETC to offer a diverse range of programs, from certificates to

associate degrees, and soon a bachelor's degree to meet the workforce needs in the region.

Recent Developments

Since spring of 2024, ETC has continued to expand its offerings and infrastructure:

- **State Grant for Machining and CNC Training:** ETC received a \$199,000 state grant to offer pre-apprenticeship programs in basic machining and CNC operations. This two-year grant award, funded by the Pennsylvania Department of Community & Economic Development's Manufacturing Training to Career Grant program, is providing flexible training options for both high school students and adults learners.

- **Student Union Renovation:** This \$10 million renovation project in the J. Curtis McKinney II Student Union celebrated a ribbon-cutting and capital campaign celebration on April 24. The renovations enhance ETC's capacity to offer precision manufacturing, CNC programming, and workforce programming for the benefit of the region.

- **University of Pittsburgh**

Pre-Dental Hygiene: This program is offered through the University of Pittsburgh at Bradford as a partner of the Education & Training Center at Pitt-Titusville. Pre-Dental Hygiene prerequisite courses are set for the program and must be completed with the grading standards required by the School of Dental Medicine to determine acceptance into the Dental Hygiene program.

- **University of Pittsburgh Dental Hygiene:** The Dental Hygiene program has limited capacity and specific admission requirements. The program requires students to successfully complete academic prerequisites as well as meet the School of Dental Medicine admissions requirements. Applications for the program open in October 2025 for classes that begin in August of 2026.

- **Nursing State Boards Pass Rate:** Ninety-five percent (95%) of the graduates of the University of Pittsburgh Associate of Science in Nursing program offered on both the Bradford and Titusville campuses, passed the NCLEX-RN examination on first attempt during the Oct. 1, 2023 – Sept. 30, 2024, reporting period.

Fast Facts

Education & Training Center at Pitt-Titusville

- Address: 504 E. Main Street, Titusville, PA 16354
- Web address: ETC.pitt.edu

- Phone: 888-878-0462
- Current enrollment: Varies by partner

- Student to faculty ratio: Varies by partner

- Programs offered: Basic Machining Certification (Pitt), CNC Machining (Pitt), Pre-Dental Hygiene (Pitt), Dental Hygiene (Pitt), Business Administration (NPRC), Criminal Justice (NPRC), Early Childhood Education (NPRC), Liberal Studies (NPRC), Social Sciences (NPRC), Nursing (Pitt)

- Most popular majors:

Associate of Science in Nursing (Pitt), Basic Machining & CNC Programming Certification (Pitt), Pre-Dental Hygiene (Pitt), Criminal Justice (NPRC), Business Administration (NPRC)

- Awards & recognitions:

- The campus completed a 10-million-dollar renovation on the J. Curtis McKinney II Student Union with a ribbon-cutting ceremony celebration on April 24, 2025.

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2024, reporting period.

- The Manufacturing Assistance Center — through ETC — received two grants. The first was from the Pennsylvania Department of Community and Economic Development to assist with training costs for high school students and adults in MAC machining programs over the next two years. The second grant was from Bridge Builders Community Foundation to assist with the cost of training for Venango County residents.

- Northern Pennsylvania Regional College was awarded a \$1 million grant by the Pennsylvania Department of Education to support dual enrollment students.



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Who Is Acutec?

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ASCEND stands for Acutec Student Career Experience and Development, and it's designed to give students a head start in their professional journey. Whether you're still in high school or already in college, ASCEND offers paid internships that allow you to work alongside experienced professionals, contribute to real projects, and explore different career paths.

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<p>Acutec Precision Aerospace</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address: 13555 Broadway Drive, Meadville, PA 16335 • Web address: acutecprecision.com • Phone: 814-336-2214 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Programs offered: Full-time, Part-time, Internships • Awards & recognitions: 2025 PA Chamber Greatest Places to Intern, TPP Best-Practice Model Employer

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What Interns Say

Past interns have called the ASCEND program transformative. Jillian Najdzinski, a 2022 Supply Chain Intern, said, "My internship helped me grow tremendously, and I gained friends through the program." Virginia Dann, who interned in Quality Continuous Improvement, emphasized the importance of effort: "You will get out of it what you put into it."

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<p>Westminster College</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address: 319 S. Market St., New Wilmington, PA 16172 • Web address: www.westminster.edu • Phone: 724-946-7100 • Current enrollment: 1,160 • Student to faculty ratio: 12:1 • Programs offered: 80+ majors, minors, concentrations, micro-credentials and pre-professional programs, Graduate programs leading to an M.B.A. and an M.Ed., plus certification programs in a number of educa- 	<p>tion-centered fields</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Most popular majors: Business Administration, Biology, Education, Nursing, Psychology • Awards & recognitions: Top tier National Liberal Arts Colleges (U.S. News & World Report), One of the nation's "Best Liberal Arts Colleges" and a "Best Bang for the Buck College" (Washington Monthly), "Best in the Mid-Atlantic" college (The Princeton Review), Named a 2025-2026 College of Distinction school, Placed in the top 5% nationally for effective teaching practices (National Survey of Student Engagement)

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Lecturer Kandice Hartner from the School of Communication works with a student in the Digital Photography course.

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*The Princeton Review

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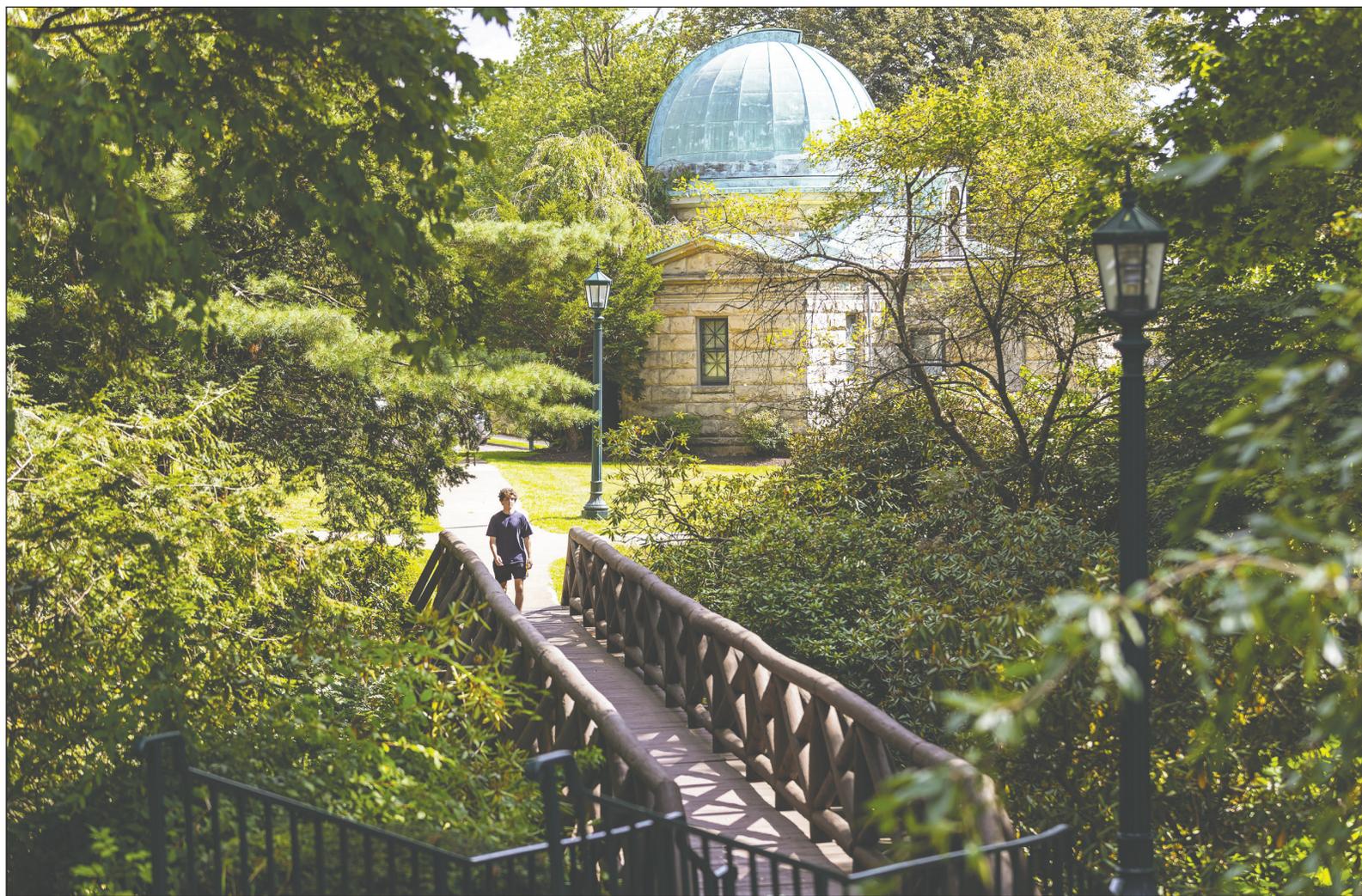
Allegheny College

At Allegheny College, students chart their own academic paths by completing both a major and a minor in two different academic areas. This distinctive approach combines depth with breadth, encouraging unusual combinations — such as Biology and Art, or Business and Writing — that develop creative, independent thinkers. Students graduate prepared not only for their first job but for the careers of the future.

With 43 states and over 50 countries represented among 1,100 students, Allegheny College offers the best of both worlds for students from the region. They enjoy the independence of a nationally ranked, residential college while remaining close to home. Meadville, with its historic downtown, local shops, and strong community spirit, provides an inviting environment where students quickly feel at home. For over 210 years, Allegheny has been part of the fabric of northwestern Pennsylvania, contributing to the area's prosperity through partnerships, service, and civic engagement.

Affordability is central to Allegheny's mission. Through the Commitment to Access Program (CAP), students from Pennsylvania and Ohio whose families earn \$50,000 or less per year receive 100 percent tuition coverage. Elizabeth Atkison '26 explained, "As a first-generation student from a low-income family, I never thought I would be able to attend Allegheny College... I sobbed tears of joy when I was accepted. The CAP program truly changed my life."

Allegheny College continues to innovate while



staying rooted in its liberal arts tradition. The Environmental Science and Sustainability (ESS) program—among the first in the country—immerses students in hands-on learning throughout the region's natural landscapes, from French Creek to Pymatuning State Park. New majors in Healthcare Management, Data Science, and Engineering Physics provide pathways into the fastest-growing career sectors, offering students both practical skills and a strong intellectual foundation. And, just last spring, the College celebrated the ribbon-cutting of its branch

campus, Allegheny Lab for Innovation and Creativity (ALIC) at Bessemer, providing upskilled training for the region's advanced manufacturing community.

National rankings affirm this commitment to academic excellence and strong outcomes. U.S. News & World Report recognizes Allegheny among the nation's best for Senior Capstone (#12), Innovation (#13), First-Year Experiences (#23), and Undergraduate Research/Creative Projects (#32). The College is also highly ranked for teaching, social mobility, and overall value, signaling the strength of its academic

experience and student outcomes.

These accolades highlight Allegheny College's commitment to close faculty mentorship, innovative academics, and a culture of research and creative exploration. Graduates leave with more than a degree—they enter the world as problem-solvers, creative thinkers, and engaged citizens prepared to make a difference. In fact, the most recent graduate survey reports a 98% placement rate in employment, graduate or professional school, or paid service opportunities.

Fast Facts

Allegheny College

- Address: 520 N. Main Street, Meadville, PA 16335
- Web address: www.allegheny.edu
- Phone: 800-521-5293
- Current enrollment: 1,100
- Student to faculty ratio: 9:1
- Programs offered: Nearly 50 academic programs and 28 microcredentials
- Most popular majors: Business, Environmental Science & Sustainability, Computer Science, Biology, Psychology
- Awards & recognitions: #5 of Top 20 Schools for Making an Impact (The Princeton Review), #13 Most Innovative Schools (U.S. News & World Report), #21 Best Athletic Facilities in the U.S. (The Princeton Review), Best Value School (The Princeton Review, U.S. News & World Report), First Carbon Neutral School in Pennsylvania, since 2020

The Future Takes Flight at CCBC's James M. Johnson School of Aviation Sciences

Often called the “Harvard of Aviation” for its prestigious reputation, the Community College of Beaver County (CCBC) has been a national leader in aviation education since 1969. Just three years after its launch, the program moved to its permanent home at the Beaver County Airport, where CCBC's Aviation Sciences Center has grown into a hub for future pilots, air traffic controllers, and aviation leaders. The center also includes one of only two student-operated control towers in the entire country.

Since then, CCBC has built an unmatched record of success. Graduates of the James M. Johnson School of Aviation Sciences can be found in every air traffic control tower in the nation and in the cockpit of every major U.S. airline. That kind of impact comes from industry-approved curricula, best-in-class training technology, expert faculty with real-world experience, and pathways like the Aviation High School Academy, a unique dual enrollment opportunity that lets high school juniors and seniors' careers take off while earning college credits.

Now, CCBC is charting a

Fast Facts

Community College of Beaver County

- Address: 1 Campus Drive, Monaca, PA 15061
- Web address: www.ccbc.edu
- Phone: 724-480-2222
- Current enrollment: 1,650
- Student to faculty ratio: 1:15
- Programs offered: CCBC offers 10 pathways to success in aviation, business, criminal justice, education, health sciences, liberal studies, STEM, industrial technology, college here and now for high school students, and continuing education and

bold new course. In partnership with the Beaver County Airport Authority, the college is constructing a new state-of-the-art Aviation Sciences Center and terminal that will propel the program into the future. With air travel demand soaring and the industry facing an urgent need for highly skilled professionals, the new facility is designed to meet that challenge head-on.

CCBC, alongside the Beaver County Airport Authority, is building, including a 30,000 square-foot state-of-the-art Aviation Sciences Center and terminal to elevate hands-on training, expand program

workforce development for lifelong learners. Students can earn degrees, certificates, and micro credentials and be career ready or continue their educational journey through premier transfer agreements.

- Most popular majors: Nursing, Professional Pilot, Business, Criminal Justice, and Cybersecurity.

- Awards & recognitions: CCBC is an Achieving the Dream Leader College, named to Top Colleges in Pennsylvania, is GI Jobs Magazine Military-Friendly School and ranked Best in the Valley by our community.

offerings, and prepare the next generation of aviation professionals right here in Beaver County.

This expansion means more room to grow, more opportunities to learn, and more access for students ready to take off. It will allow us to serve more students, offer even more advanced training technologies, and strengthen partnerships with industry leaders who are actively hiring. The future of aviation needs skilled pilots, air traffic controllers, and support professionals, and it all begins here with you.

At CCBC, the future of aviation has arrived.


Community College of Beaver County



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- **Hyperbaric Technologist (Part Time)**
- **Infrastructure Specialist**
- **IT Support Technician**
- **Licensed Practical Nurse**
\$2,500 sign-on bonus
- **Licensed Practical Nurse – TCU**
\$5,000 sign-on bonus
- **Licensed Professional Counselor /
Licensed Clinical Social Worker**
- **Medical Assistant**
- **Nuclear Medicine Technologist (Part Time)**
- **Nursing Supervisor (Nights)**
\$10,000 sign-on bonus
- **Office Specialists**
- **O.R. Surgical Technicians**
\$2,500 sign-on bonus
- **Patient Care Technician**
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- **Pharmacy Technicians**
Certified preferred but not required
- **Physical Therapist**
- **Physician Coding Abstractor**
- **Psychologist**
- **Public Health Dental Hygienist (Per Diem)**
- **Radiologic Technologist**
\$7,500 sign-on bonus
- **Registered Nurse**
\$5,000 sign-on bonus
- **Registered Nurse – TCU**
\$10,000 sign-on bonus
- **Respiratory Therapist (Part Time)**
- **Surgery Environmental Services Attendant**
- **Telecom Technician**

OPEN HOUSE

BC3 @ Lawrence

NOV. 5 | 5:30-7 PM



Learn why BC3 is ranked the **No. 1 community college** in Pennsylvania for 2026 by Niche.com.

"BC3 has met every expectation that I have had. The staff is super-helpful as well as the professors."

Darrin Salzano
BC3 @ Lawrence Student



RSVP at
bc3.edu/open-house

2658 Ellwood Road, New Castle

Guests can tour BC3 @ Lawrence, learn about affordable programs during Nov. 5 open house

Prospective students can tour BC3 @ Lawrence, Butler County Community College's new location in Shenango Commons, inquire about its associate degree transfer and career programs and discover how to minimize or avoid higher-education debt during an open house from 5:30-7 p.m. Nov. 5.

BC3 @ Lawrence will also waive its \$25 application fee during the open house at 2658 Ellwood Road, Suite 129, New Castle. Prospective students can RSVP at bc3.edu/open-house

BC3 @ Lawrence supersedes BC3 @ Lawrence Crossing in Union Township and opened Aug. 25. The 8,554-square-foot high-tech facility features a student lounge, a technology bar, diner-style booths and ergonomic chairs.

New facility "a breath of fresh air"

Justin Johns, 21, of Scott Township, visited BC3 @ Lawrence for the first time July 16 as a speaker during its grand opening and ribbon-cutting.

"It was like a breath of fresh air," said Johns, who earned an associate degree in early childhood education (Pre K-4) at BC3 @ Lawrence Crossing in May. "It's going to make students feel very welcomed."

BC3 @ Lawrence's neighbors within the Shenango Commons plaza include restaurants, indoor pickleball courts, gymnastics and fitness centers, and nearby, the 35-acre Shenango Community Park with picnic pavilions, a walking trail, and volleyball, tennis and bocce courts.

"There is everything around us," said Sean Carroll, BC3 @ Lawrence director. "Students have so many different options. If they have a gap between classes, they can think, 'Let's go get something to eat and be back here in a half-hour.'"

Credits earned at BC3 @ Lawrence transfer to public, private and online four-year colleges and universities.

BC3 @ Lawrence offers associate degree transfer programs in business administration, criminology, early childhood



Mitchell Covert, of Ellwood City, a business administration student at BC3 @ Lawrence in Shenango Commons, is shown during a class Thursday, Oct. 2, 2025. Prospective students can apply free to BC3 @ Lawrence during its open house from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. Nov. 5 at 2658 Ellwood Road, Suite 129, New Castle.

education (Pre K-4), general studies, history, psychology and social work.

Prospective students can also review BC3 @ Lawrence's selection of associate degree career programs in accounting, business management, health care science, health care office management and technical trades-cosmetology management option. Students in BC3 @ Lawrence's career programs can develop the skills needed to enter the workforce immediately upon graduation.

Three of BC3 @ Lawrence's programs – accounting, business administration and business management – align with current state Department of Labor & Industry high-priority occupations.

"BC3 worked with my daughter every stage"

Tuition and fees for BC3 students from Lawrence and Mercer counties pursuing 15

credits each semester in the 2025-2026 academic year cost \$9,300 for in-person courses. Those students can receive up to \$12,289 in federal and state grants.

Lindsay Meskel, 22, of Ellwood City, was among the 93 percent of BC3's Class of 2025 to graduate debt-free. She earned an associate degree in psychology from BC3 @ Lawrence Crossing in May and planned to transfer to Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania to pursue a bachelor's degree this fall.

"BC3 worked with my daughter every stage of her journey to obtain her first college degree," said Tedra Stiffler, Lindsay's mother. "They saw her as a person. The staff and teachers helped her to figure out her next steps. I really appreciate the personal experience she had attending BC3."

Johns also graduated debt-free and planned to transfer

to Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania.

"My husband, Jerry, and I were thrilled with our son's experience at BC3," said Lara Johns, Justin's mother. "He gained a quality education without a hefty price tag, and the smaller classes meant he benefited from personalized instruction. This solid preparation at BC3 has enabled a seamless transfer to SRU."

Students from Ellwood City, Grove City, Hermitage, Mercer, New Castle, New Wilmington, Portersville and Sharpsville were among those selected by the BC3 Education Foundation to receive one of its record 164 named scholarships in 2025-2026.

"I was educated at a trusted and high-ranking school"

BC3 has also been ranked as the No. 1 community college in Pennsylvania 11 times since

2015, most recently for 2026 by Niche.com.

"I would like to be able to put on my resume that I was educated at a trusted and high-ranking school," said Darrin Salzano, a secondary education-studies option student at BC3 @ Lawrence.

"BC3 has met every expectation that I have had. The staff is super-helpful as well as the professors."

Salzano, of New Castle, expects to graduate debt-free in May 2027 from BC3 @ Lawrence.

"You can't beat BC3 with its affordability," Salzano said. "Going back to school is a big risk. The last thing I want to do is to waste a lot of money. It's a safe bet. You're not taking on so much debt or interest so when you graduate and get your degree, you're not in a hole and can enjoy your paychecks a little bit more."

Fast Facts

BC3 @ Lawrence

- Address: 2658 Ellwood Road, Suite 129, Shenango Commons, New Castle, PA 16101

- Web address: bc3.edu/lawrence

- Phone: (724) 658-1938

- BC3 enrollment, 2024-2025, all locations: 2,764

- BC3 average student-to-faculty ratio: 11:1

- BC3 @ Lawrence associate degree transfer programs: Business administration, criminology, early childhood education (Pre K-4), general studies, history, psychology and social work.

- BC3 @ Lawrence associate degree career programs: Accounting, business management, health care science, health care office management and technical trades-cosmetology management option.

- BC3 most-popular programs, all locations, fall 2025: Health care science, general studies, registered nursing, business administration and psychology.

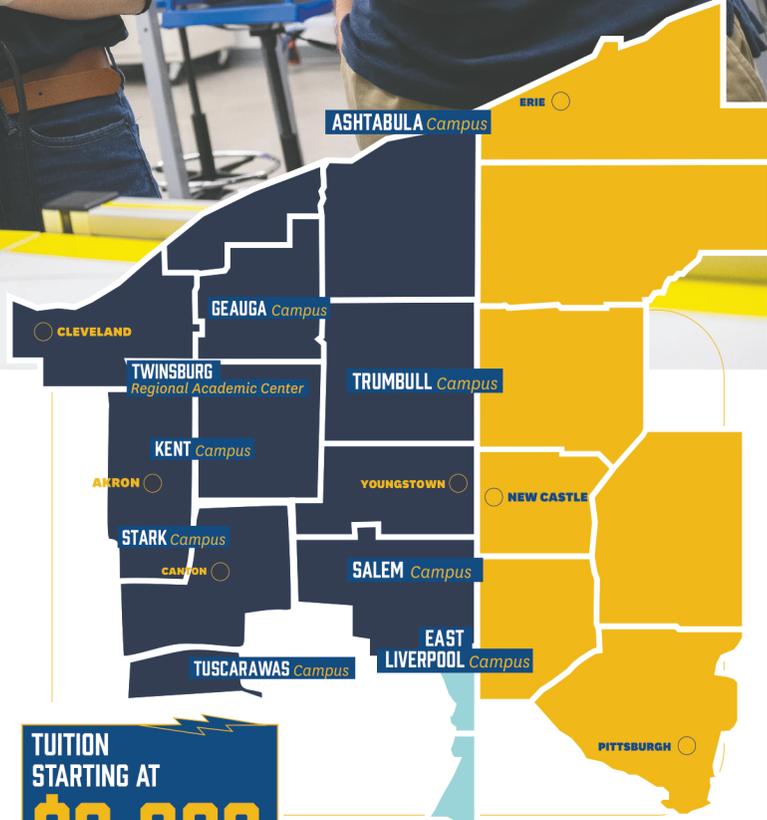
- Awards and recognitions: Ninety-three percent of BC3's Class of 2025 graduated debt-free. BC3 has been ranked as the No. 1 community college in Pennsylvania 11 times since 2015, most recently for 2026 by Niche.com. Students from Ellwood City, Grove City, Hermitage, Mercer, New Castle, New Wilmington, Portersville and Sharpsville were among those selected by the BC3 Education Foundation to receive one of its record 164 named scholarships in 2025-2026. BC3 offers College within the High School courses to sophomores through seniors and personal enrichment Lifelong Learning courses in Lawrence County. BC3 @ Lawrence is expected to host later in 2025 a four-week pre-apprenticeship program sponsored by BC3's Workforce Development division in partnership with the Lawrence Mercer Manufacturers Coalition.

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Kent State University's Regional Campuses are dedicated to strengthening the region's workforce and enhancing local economies by providing accessible, high-quality education to learners at every stage of life. With multiple locations across Northeast Ohio and discounted tuition for neighboring Pennsylvania county students, our campuses serve as dynamic hubs of learning and innovation, offering degrees, workforce development programs and professional certifications that align with regional employment needs.



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Kent State University Regional Campuses

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Kent State University Regional Campuses

- Address: Eight locations across Northeast Ohio to serve local communities and meet students where they are.
- Web address: www.kent.edu/regional-campuses
- Phone: 1-800-988-KENT
- Current enrollment: 9,000
- Programs offered: Students can complete over 80 certificate, associate or bachelor degree programs exclusively on Regional Campuses or begin any 370+ programs of

study available at Kent State

- Most popular majors: Nursing, Information Technology, Engineering Technology, Social Work, Radiology
- Key Features: Budget-friendly tuition starting under \$4,000 per semester; specialized degree programs that respond to local workforce needs; student support services that provide academic advising, tutoring and mental health counseling; path to a university degree that's closer to home; free parking on all our regional campuses

Reaching from Lake Erie to the Ohio River, Kent State University Regional Campuses are dedicated to strengthening the region's workforce and enhancing local economies by providing accessible, high-quality education to learners at every stage of life. With multiple locations across Northeast Ohio, our campuses serve as dynamic hubs of learning and innovation, offering degrees, workforce development programs and professional certifications that align with regional employment needs.

As part of one of the largest university systems in Ohio, each Kent State Regional Campus offers the resources and support of a major university with a hometown atmosphere. The Ashtabula, Trumbull, Salem and East Liverpool campuses align along the eastern border of the state, providing access to higher education that is affordable, close to home and in a timeframe that best serves the students. They provide quality academic programs that produce thousands of career-ready graduates in high-demand fields each year.

Each campus offers unique degree programs, while other majors may be offered at more than one campus. Academic pro-

grams on the Regional Campuses combine intimate classroom instruction with hands-on learning experiences inside and outside of the labs and classrooms.

Plus, the online connectivity of the campuses allows students to take classes that fit their schedules by taking courses from multiple campuses within the Kent State network – without traveling from campus to campus. Using Zoom classrooms and online platforms, faculty can teach at one campus while simultaneously reaching students in classrooms on other Regional Campuses.

The Ashtabula Campus is situated on the shores of Lake Erie where it offers more than 30 degrees in traditional programs such as business, information technology, communication studies and allied health fields like nursing, radiologic technology, respiratory therapy, occupational therapy assistance and physical therapist assistant technology. Some of its niche programs include wine-making certificates (enology and viticulture) as well as hospitality and event management certificates and the new bachelor of social work degree.

The Trumbull Campus is located in Warren, the heart of Ohio's Voltage Val-

ley. Here, students can start and complete more than 25 bachelor's, associate or certificate programs. Nursing, veterinary technology, Ohio police officer training and theatre are some of the most popular choices. Students can also compete in team sports such as bowling and cross country; star in plays and musicals; or play disc golf on the campus course.

The Salem and East Liverpool campuses are also known as the Columbiana County Campuses, with each being a cornerstone of their respective communities. Combined, the two campuses offer nearly 30 bachelor's and associate degree programs.

Sitting on 100 acres of wooded land, the Salem Campus provides plenty of outdoor learning spaces for its showcase horticulture program. A multi-million-dollar health and sciences wing houses the nursing and radiologic technology degree programs, while the campus also boasts strong early childhood education, human development, psychology and cybersecurity programs.

The East Liverpool Campus overlooks the Ohio River and features historical buildings wired for today's technology. Students can pursue degrees that lead to careers in nursing,

occupational therapy assistance, physical therapist assistance, business and other high-demand fields.

These four campuses also offer a slate of certificate and professional completion programs.

Each Kent State Regional Campus takes pride in the accomplishments of every student. From admissions counselors, academic advisors and financial aid specialists to tutors, faculty

and careers services, the staff work to help all students achieve their goals. Kent State's programs of study are affordable and achievable. The low Regional Campuses tuition rates start at under \$4,000 per semester and include significant discounts for out-of-state students in neighboring Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia counties. These low rates provide learners with

high-quality educational opportunities at significant cost savings compared to large public universities and private colleges.

The Kent State University Regional Campuses also include the Geauga, Stark and Tuscarawas campuses, as well as the Twinsburg Academic Center. For more information about the Regional Campus system, visit www.kent.edu/regional-campuses.

Fast Facts

Laurel Technical Institute

- Address: 2370 Broadway Ave. Hermitage, PA
- Web address: laurel.edu
- Phone: 855-5LAUREL
- Current enrollment: 165
- Student to faculty ratio: 8:1
- Programs offered: Computer Network Security Technician, Culinary Arts, Welding & Fabrication, Electrical Technician, Cosmetology,

Practical Nursing, Respiratory Therapy

- Most popular majors: Practical Nursing, Cosmetology, Electrical Technician, Computer Network Security Technician, Respiratory Therapy
- Awards & recognitions: Listed in USA Today's List of America's Top 250 Vocational Schools, 2023 Sharon Herald/Allied News Best of The Best: The Best Technical & Trade School



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Practical Nursing	12-months
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dents will work closely with dedicated faculty and highly qualified professionals at MMC.

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Questions: Please contact Tammy Sanfilippo, MBA, RN, Director, Practical Nursing Program at 814-

Fast Facts

Meadville Medical Center's Institute for Healthcare Professionals

- Address: 18282 Technology Drive, Meadville, PA 16335.

- Web Address: institute.mmchs.org

- Phone: 814-333-5840

- Current Enrollment: 10

- Student to faculty ratio: 1:10 – classroom; 1:5 – clinicals

- Programs Offered: Practical Nursing Program

333-5840 or tsanfilippo@mmchs.org



Grove City College welcomes new president.

Bradley J. Lingo '00, Grove City College's new president, wants students to get the same Christian, conservative, excellent, and affordable education that shaped him.

"We want to be a place where students are known, loved, and disciplined. I hope to see Grove City establish itself as the premier Christian college in this nation. And I expect this to happen," he said.

As a student, Lingo said he learned to recognize what is good, true, and beautiful; connected with mentors who believed in him; and made friends who encouraged him in his faith. This distinctive undergraduate experience served him as he pursued a degree from Harvard Law and achieved legal and academic success, and it promises to guide him as Grove City's tenth president.

Lingo graduated summa cum laude from the College with a degree in business economics, returning to Grove City from Regent University, where he was the dean of Regent Law.

Since taking his post, Lingo has established the President's Scholarship Program, which promises unique mentorship opportunities and scholarship funding for high-achieving students through all four years at Grove City.

Lingo's first address to students further

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Grove City College

- Address: 100 Campus Dr. Grove City, PA 16127

- Web address: <https://www.gcc.edu/>

- Phone: 724-458-2100

- Current enrollment: 2,200 undergraduate

- Student to faculty ratio: 13:1

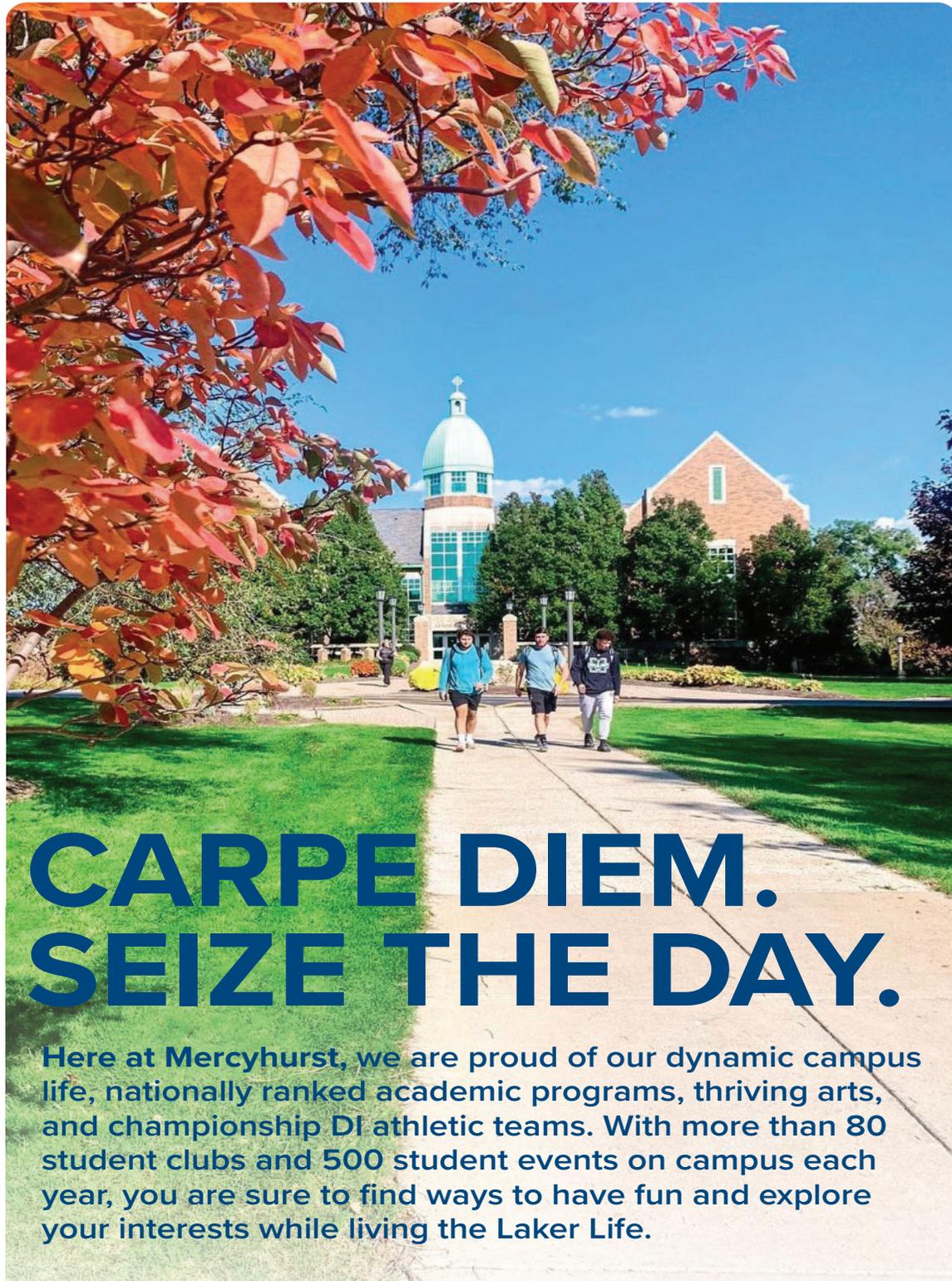
- Programs offered: Over 70+ programs offered in liberal arts, sciences, engineering, education, business, and health care.

- Most popular majors: Business Management, Engineering, Education, Computer Science, Biology/Health

- Awards & recognitions: The Best 390 Colleges (Princeton Review), Best Value College (U.S. News & World Report), Career Services Office ranked #6 nationally (Princeton Review), #2 Friendliest Students (Princeton Review), #2 Best Student Support and Counseling Services (Princeton Review)

summarized his plans for the institution.

"We stand for truth, we stand for faith, and we stand for freedom, even when that stand is costly," Lingo said. "As we start the 2025-2026 academic year and look ahead to the College's 150th anniversary, there's never been a more important time for a school like ours, and there's never been a more important time for students like you."



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than just a feel-good phrase—Carpe Diem is our way of life.

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Modern industry practice, sought-after skills, and hands-on experiences provide Lakers with the tools necessary to thrive in these engaging majors. Study abroad, internship, and community engagement opportunities abound.

Ranked as one of the Best Value Schools and Top Performers on Social Mobility (U.S. News & World Report) and a Career Development College of Distinction (Colleges of Distinction), we believe in the value of a Mercyhurst education. We work to ensure that Lakers are provided competitive, afford-

able scholarships, grants, and financial aid.

No matter where your interests lie, there are plenty of activities for every Laker to explore. From exciting events such as Hurst Day—a surprise carnival filled with food, fun, games, and no classes—to free weekend events for students, you'll soon love living the Laker Life.

Laker pride runs deep, fueled by 30 Division I athletic teams. Our teams compete at a high level, and that means there's always a big game to get excited about—even if you're not on the team. A vibrant theatre, music, and arts scene brings world-class artists and performers to campus. Club sports, intramural teams, and other diverse student clubs keep students active

and involved!

Mercyhurst was founded in 1926 by a dynamic and pioneering group of women—the Sisters of Mercy. This foundation inspires us to achieve higher and welcome change with enthusiasm and hospitality. As we prepare to celebrate our centennial in 2026, we look forward to continuing a legacy of excellence into the next 100 years.

With every story, every memory, and every moment shared, the Centennial Celebration reminds us why the Mercyhurst spirit continues to shine as brightly as ever, 10 decades strong.

No matter what you set out to accomplish on your journey at Mercyhurst, you'll learn that nothing is beyond reach for those willing to seize the day.

Fast Facts

Mercyhurst University
 • Address: 501 E. 38th St., Erie, PA 16546
 • Web address: www.mercyhurst.edu
 • Phone: 814-824-2202
 • Current Enrollment: 2601
 • Student to faculty ratio: 14:1
 • Programs offered: 50+ bachelor's degrees with various concentrations, 17 associate's degrees, 18 master's degrees, 13 certificates
 • Most popular majors: Cyber Security, Biology, Nursing, Intelligence Studies
 • Awards & Recognitions: 97% of our graduates are employed or enrolled in grad school within six months of graduation. Mercyhurst has been ranked among the Best Regional Universities in the North, Best Value Schools,

and one of the nation's top performers for Social Mobility by US News & World Report in its 2025 Best Colleges Report. Mercyhurst University has been named the recipient of the 2024–25 NEC Institutional Academic Award—setting a new conference record for academic excellence. Mercyhurst is distinguished as a Purple Heart University and is ranked as one of the Best Colleges for Veterans (U.S. News & World Report) and a Military Support College of Distinction (Colleges of Distinction) for services and programming for veterans and their families. Mercyhurst also earned recognition from the Colleges of Distinction in 2024–25 for best Pennsylvania, Catholic, Business, Education, Nursing, and Career Development.

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Great Lakes Institute of Technology offers direct path to careers

BY HEATHER SMITH

ERIE, Pennsylvania — For students focused on career readiness in the Erie region, the Great Lakes Institute of Technology (GLIT) is becoming one of the most sought-after choices for postsecondary education. GLIT is attracting the attention of students who are seeking specialized training programs that are designed to prepare them for high-demand fields. This offers them a quicker transition into the workplace and their new career.

Founded with the goal of directly connecting education to employment, GLIT offers a range of programs in healthcare. Popular choices include medical assisting, dental assisting, surgical technology, and diagnostic medical sonography training — all of which lead directly to industry certification and career opportunities.

One of the main benefits of attending GLIT is the small class sizes and hands-on training. “Our students aren’t just learning from textbooks,” said a spokesperson for the institute. “They’re gaining real-world experience from instructors who have worked in the field, and they leave here ready to make an immediate impact on the job.”

The school’s accelerated programs are another attractive feature. Many can be completed in as little as 10 months, allowing graduates to enter the workforce far sooner than those pursuing traditional four-year degrees. This faster employment track appeals especially to working adults and career changers who want to minimize time away

Fast Facts

Great Lakes Institute of Technology

- Address: 5100 Peach St. Erie, PA
- Web address: www.glit.edu
- Phone: 814-864-6666
- Current enrollment: approx. 300
- Student to faculty ratio: 20:1 on average
- Programs offered: Medical Assistant, Dental Assistant, Surgical Technology, Diagnostic Medical Sonography
- Most popular majors: Medical Assistant, Dental Assistant, Surgical Technology, Diagnostic Medical Sonography
- Awards & recognitions: 2023 & 2024 Finalist in the “Erie Choice Awards” for Best Technical/Trade Schools.

from earning income.

Students receive focused and practical, lab-based instruction in classrooms designed to replicate actual workplaces. All programs include externships with local businesses, hospitals, and clinics, giving students valuable on-the-job experience. Because of its 60-year history, GLIT has developed a strong network of healthcare providers and businesses that request graduates. These employers frequently recruit directly from the institute, and many of the students receive job offers from their externship sites even before completing their programs.

GLIT provides support services that set it apart from other schools. The Financial Aid Office assists students in completing all applications for aid, and each student’s financial arrangements are



tailored to the program for which they have applied. The Career Services staff helps with resumes, interviews, and job placement. Graduates often credit these services for assisting them in securing positions quickly after completing their programs.

For residents of Erie and

the surrounding region, GLIT provides a practical solution for high-quality employment or a career change in a competitive local job market. With demand for skilled professionals continuing to rise, GLIT’s combination of focused training, local partnerships, and career

support makes it an excellent choice for anyone looking to take the next step toward a rewarding career.

If you are passionate about a career in healthcare and want to make an impact in the workforce quickly, GLIT may be perfect for you. GLIT is open daily from 8 a.m.-6 p.m. for

a career planning session. To learn more about how you can start your journey into one of the healthcare careers offered by GLIT, visit their website at www.GLIT.edu or call their admissions department at (814) 864-6666.

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At Thiel College, students don't just go to class—they immerse themselves in experiences that shape their lives and futures. Located in Greenville, Pa., Thiel is a welcoming, student-focused college that combines career-ready academics with vibrant campus life.

The College's nursing program is preparing the next generation of healthcare professionals, while exercise science remains one of the most popular majors for students pursuing health, fitness, and sports careers. Thiel also offers an MBA pathway for undergraduates ready to accelerate their business journey, along with Speech-Language Pathology for those called to help others communicate. Thiel's accounting and education programs boast 100 percent job placement for graduates, showing how faculty mentorship and real-world preparation pay off.

Beyond the classroom, Thiel students pursue their passions. From athletics programs that let them continue the sport they love to opportunities in theater, music, and the arts, the campus hums with activity. The Thiel Tomcat Marching Pride energizes school spirit, and the Con Spirito Concert Series brings world-class performances to Greenville—including the Oct. 30 concert with GRAMMY winners Chanti-



clear. Proceeds from ticket sales will support the Thiel Choir's 2026 European tour, reflecting another hallmark of the Thiel experience: global travel and study abroad, often supported with scholarships.

Opportunity is reinforced by investment. Thiel has invested more than \$60 million in new and upgraded facilities, giving students state-of-the-art spaces to learn, compete, and create.

In 2024 alone, more than \$26 million was awarded to students in scholarships and aid. The College's streamlined merit award system, combined with robust financial aid, shows how a small, personalized education can be as affordable as a large public institution. High school students accepted by Nov. 1 with a 3.0 GPA or higher can even compete for a full-tuition scholarship.

Fast Facts

Thiel College

- Address: 75 College Avenue; Greenville, Pa. 16125
- Web address: www.thiel.edu
- Phone: 724-589-2345
- Current enrollment: 923
- Student to faculty ratio: 12:1
- Programs offered: Bachelor of Science; Bachelor of Arts; Master of Science in Physician Assistant Studies; Master of Science in Speech-Language Pathology; Master of Business Administration

- Most popular majors: Business; Exercise Science; Nursing; Biology, Criminal Justice and Sociology

- Awards & recognitions : 2023 National Cheerleading Association national champion, also finished second in 2022 and third in 2024; Forbes Magazine: Grateful Grad Colleges: The Top 200 Show-Me-The-Money Schools; U.S. News & World Report's Best Regional Colleges: Northern Region; Military Friendly school designation; Arbor Day Tree Campus

Behrend offers new degree programs for health-care careers

Two new degree programs at Penn State Behrend are helping hospitals and regional medical facilities meet the demand for health-care workers in Northwest Pennsylvania.

Behrend is accepting

applications this fall for the bachelor of science degree in Biobehavioral Health and an accelerated 16-month option for the bachelor of science in nursing degree.

The Biobehavioral Health degree, designed to study

the science behind health, explores the many factors—biological, as well as behavioral, environmental, psychological and socio-cultural—that contribute to human illness and wellness.

Because the program is

an interdisciplinary offering from Behrend's School of Humanities and Social Sciences and School of Science, students will study a range of topics that might influence health, preparing them for careers in a variety of health-

related settings.

Entry-level positions for graduates of the Biobehavioral Health program might include research assistants, lab managers, health education specialists, and community health workers. The degree is also prized as a foundation for further studies, including work in environmental health, public health, pharmaceuticals, and clinical health-care practices.

Demand for qualified employees is rising in health-related fields, according to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, which tracks employment projections over the next decade.

A new option for the bachelor of science in nursing program at Penn State Behrend is positioned to help satisfy that need for health-related workers as well. The demand in Pennsylvania is particularly acute, with hospitals in the state reporting that more than 14 percent of their nursing positions remain unfilled, according to the Hospital and Healthsystem Association of Pennsylvania's 2025 workforce survey. In specialty nursing roles, the number of unfilled positions is even higher.

The accelerated Second Degree Nursing program, designed for students who already hold a bachelor's degree in another field and are ready to transition into nursing, uses an intensive full-time curriculum to prepare graduates to sit for the national licensure exam and practice as a registered nurse.

Because students in the Second Degree program already hold a bachelor's degree, they forgo many of the general education credits that are required for the traditional four-year program, diving right into their nursing studies and practical experiences as they pursue a second bachelor's degree. As a result, they can be trained and entering the nursing field in as little as 16 months.

The program is offered by Penn State's Ross and Carol Nese College of Nursing—one of the largest educators of pre-licensure students in the state—and is delivered at Penn State Behrend.

For more information on the Behavioral Health or Second Degree Nursing programs, contact Penn State Behrend's Office of Admissions, 814-898-6100 or behrend.admissions@psu.edu.



Students in Penn State Behrend's Biobehavioral Health and Nursing programs learn in the college's anatomy lab, featuring state-of-the-art virtual dissection tables.

Fast Facts

Penn State Behrend
 • Address: 4701 College Drive, Erie, PA 16563
 • Web address: behrend.psu.edu
 • Phone: 814-898-6100
 • Current enrollment: 4,300 undergraduate and graduate students learning on campus and online
 • Student to faculty ratio: 13:1
 • Programs offered: 40-plus undergraduate degrees in business, engineering, the humanities, the sciences, and nursing
 • Most popular majors: Biobehavioral Health, Functional Data Analytics, Plastics Engineering Technology, Polymer Engineering and Science, Digital Media, Arts,

and Technology.

• Awards & recognitions: Top 10 percent of colleges and universities in Pennsylvania for return on investment and best value (Payscale.com, SmartAsset.com), Part of top-ranked university in Pennsylvania (U.S. News & World Report, 202), Part of University ranked No. 8 in the nation and No. 89 in the world (QS World University Rankings, 2025), School of Engineering: Top 40 undergraduate engineering programs in the country (U.S. News & World Report, 2022), Black School of Business: Top 10 percent in the country for value, or financial return (Georgetown University Center on Education and Workforce, 2022).

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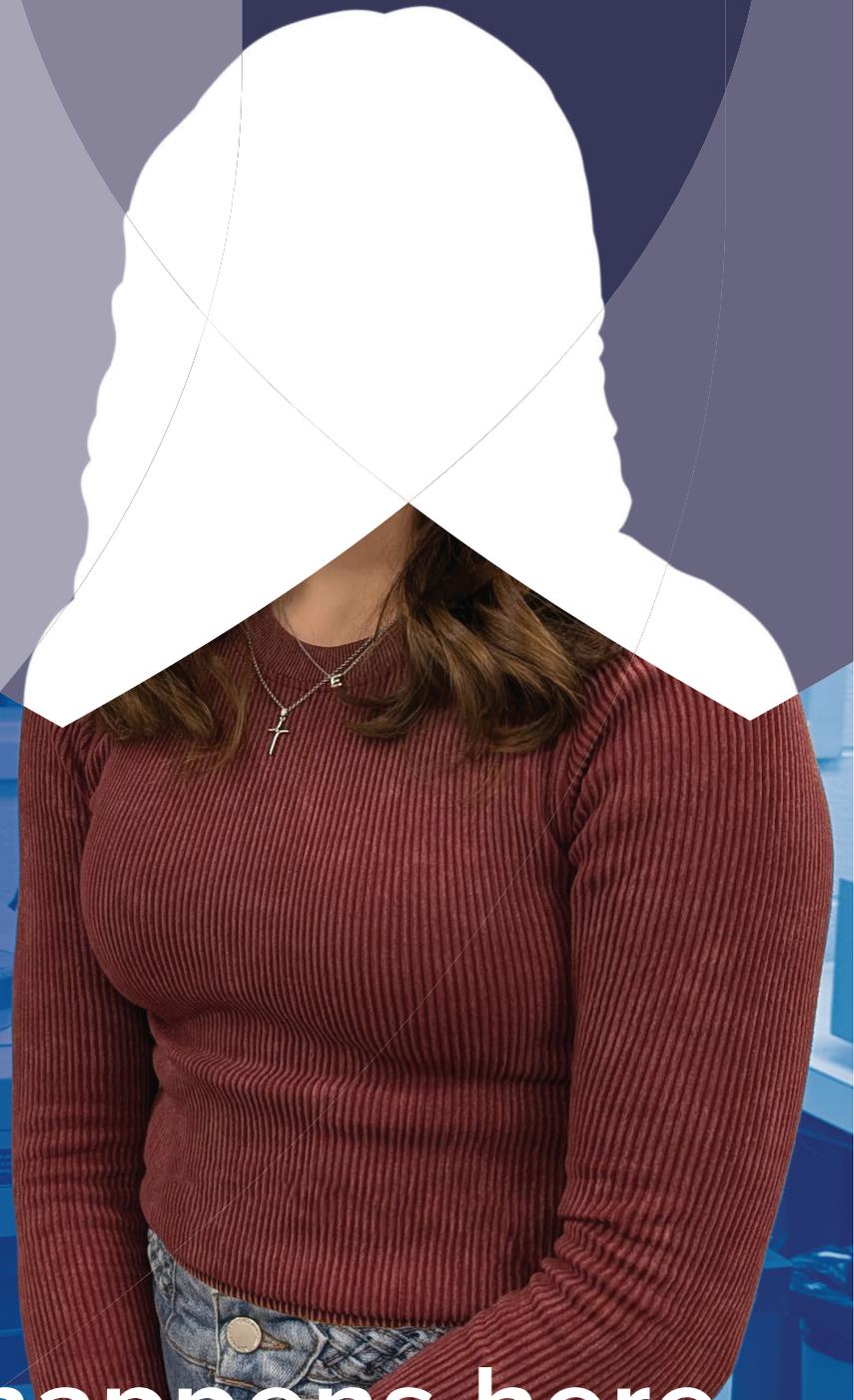
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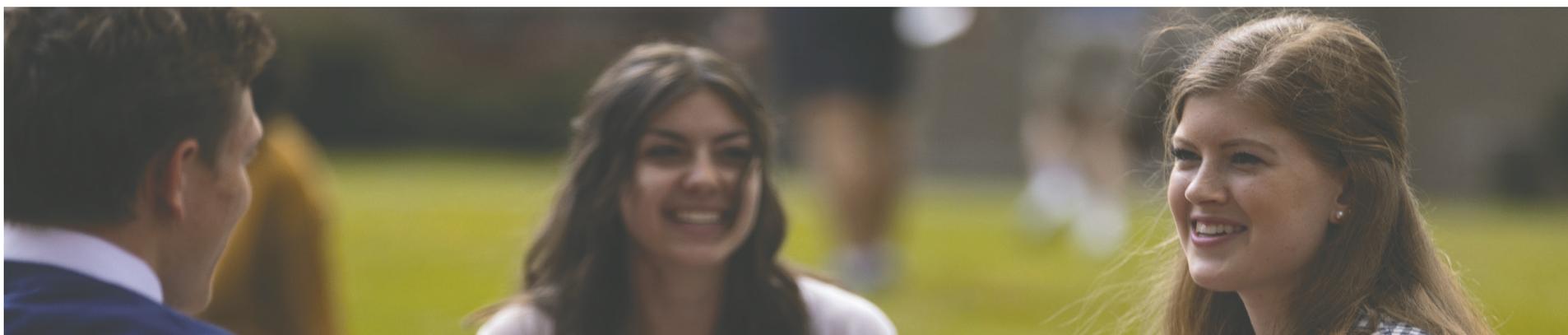
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