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## WAUBONSEE WIN: SUCCESS



Pride
Earnings
Preparation
Direction
Improvement

# SUCCESS

You've got goals...for your education, for your career, for your life. Whatever they are, they are your personal "Waubonsee Wins," and we're excited to help you achieve them.

800

number of four-year colleges and universities our students have transferred to over the past few years









35%

of students take online courses



40

Waubonsee employees with "counselor," "advisor" or "coach" in their title



average additional earnings per year for associate degree holder vs. a high school graduate



the price of what you'd pay at a four-year public school when you attend Waubonsee

### CLEAR PATHWAYS

Rest assured that no matter where you want to go, our Counseling, Advising and Transfer Center will work with you to ensure that the courses you take here will fulfill the necessary requirements there. We've even created semester-by-semester pathways full of course recommendations.

#### **WIN: YOUR DREAM SCHOOL**

With our associate degrees, transfer agreements and academic advising services, you can successfully transfer almost anywhere. Here are a few of the schools our recent graduates have gone on to:

- Augustana
- Boston College
- Illinois State
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- Loyola

- Marquette
- North Central
- Northern Illinois
- Northwestern
- Yale

### QUALITY

In higher education, the most important measure of quality is how well the institution can get you to where you want to be. That starts with plenty of academic options and ends with your successful future.

#### TRANSFER PROGRAMS

Get halfway to your bachelor's degree — at a fraction of the cost.

Whether you know what you want to study or are still deciding, Waubonsee's transferable associate degrees allow you to combine general education courses with some specialized electives, earning you junior status at most colleges and universities. The degrees consist of 60 credit hours and typically take two years of full-time enrollment to complete.

#### Prepare for your bachelor's degree in:

- Art
- Biochemistry
- Biology/Pre-Med
- Business
- Chemistry
- ClinicalLaboratory Science
- Communications
- Computer Science
- Criminal Justice
- Early Childhood Education
- Economics
- Elementary Education
- Engineering
  - ~ Electrical
  - ~ Industrial
  - ~ Mechanical
- English
- Fine Arts
- General Science
- Geography

- Geology
- History
- Humanities
- Journalism
- Kinesiology
- LatinX Studies
- Mass Communication
- Mathematics
- Music
- Nursing Transfer for BSN
- Philosophy
- Physical Education
- Physics
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Social Work
- Sociology
- Special Education
- Undecided
- and many more!



Learn more and access a complete transfer checklist at waubonsee.edu/transfer

### **IQUALITY**

#### **CAREER PROGRAMS**

Gain an immediate edge in the workplace.

Looking for a new or better career? Then Waubonsee's Associate in Applied Science (AAS) Degrees or Certificates of Achievement are for you. Combining career-focused and general education courses, AAS degrees generally take two years to complete. Requiring only career-focused courses, most certificates can be completed in a year or less.

Whatever program you choose, you'll gain extensive handson practice using the latest industry equipment while being guided by experienced instructors who have worked in the field they're teaching.

- Accounting
- Auto Body Repair
- Automation Technology
- Automotive Technology
- Business Administration
- Computer Aided **Design and Drafting**
- Computer Information Systems
- Construction Management
- Early Childhood Education
- Emergency **Medical Technician**
- Fire Science
- Graphic Design
- Health Information **Technology**
- Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning
- Human Services

- Interpreter Training/ Sign Language
- Kinesiology
- Legal Interpreting
- Machine Tool Technology
- Management: **Human Resources**
- Medical Assistant
- Music (Audio Production)
- Nurse Assistant
- **Paraprofessional** Educator
- Phlebotomy **Technician**
- Real Estate
- Registered Nursing
- Therapeutic Massage
- Welding Technology
- World Wide Web



#### WIN: LICENSURE

Scores and pass rates on state and national licensure exams are one measure of program quality and student success. Here are just a few recent stats:

- 100% of our therapeutic massage students passed the state licensing exam in 2018 and 2019.
- 100% of our medical assisting students passed the national exam in 2018.
- 90% of our students passed the state CNA exam in 2018



nine programmatic accreditations. For example, our Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) Program is one of only five in Illinois to have earned the HVAC Excellence designation.

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**Explore specific program requirements** at waubonsee.edu/careers



### **ISUPPORT**

A successful college experience is about more than just classes—it includes the support, guidance and motivation you receive outside the classroom, as well as the opportunities you have to explore your passions, make friends and create lifelong memories.

#### **ACADEMIC SUPPORT**

You're working hard to succeed. We're working hard to help you. Here are just a few of our resources:

- Counseling, Advising and Transfer Center Get help mapping your path at Waubonsee from start to finish and beyond.
- Connect4Success If you qualify, you'll get matched with a free, personal academic coach who can keep you on track.
- TRIO Student Support Services First-generation college students and others who qualify receive a wide variety of services, including workshops, cultural outings, college visits and more.
- Access Center for Disability Resources Arrange academic accommodations, get trained in assistive technology and become your own best advocate.
- Tutoring All enrolled students can take advantage of free tutoring services, including in-person, online and general academic coaching.



Explore all facets of Waubonsee life at waubonsee.edu/experience

#### **WIN: SATISFACTION**

Our students are pleased with their experiences here. For 2017, students gave Waubonsee an overall satisfaction rating of 5.83 on a 7-point scale.



#### **WIN: HELP**

Each month, an average of 1,100 students visit our Tutoring Centers to receive free help in a dozen different subject areas.

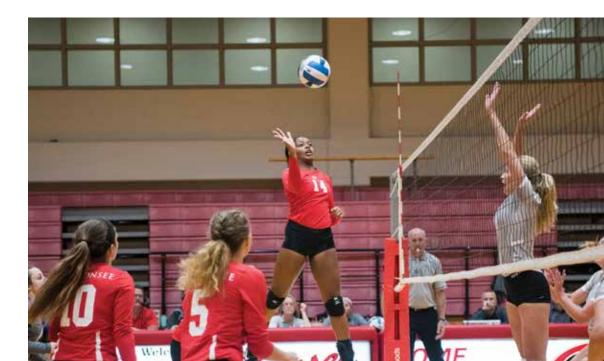
#### **CHIEFS ATHLETICS**

As part of the National Junior College Athletic Association, our 13 sports teams compete in the Illinois Skyway Collegiate Conference. The Chiefs consistently contend for the conference's annual All-Sports trophy. Play on a team or come out and cheer on your classmates!

#### **STUDENT LIFE**

Enrich your time on campus by participating in one of our 40 student organizations. Whatever your interest, you'll find something that appeals to you:

- · Academic and honor societies
- · Arts and culture clubs
- Student government



### **FLEXIBILITY**

6 different start dates each fall and spring. 6 different course lengths. 4 campuses and online. Use all these options in any combination to build a schedule that works for you and your life.



#### **CHOOSE YOUR PACE.**

In addition to the traditional 16-week semester courses, you can also choose 14-week, 12-week, 8-week, 7-week or 4-week courses. With all these offerings, you can essentially pick the course start and end dates that work for you. You're also choosing your pace — earn four times the credit in a single semester if you're up for it!





### PICK A CONVENIENT LOCATION.

You can get a high-quality education close to home, or even at home. Take courses at one or all of our campuses — Sugar Grove, Aurora Downtown, Aurora Fox Valley and Plano — or online.







### **IAFFORDABILITY**

Affordability is more than just low tuition it encompasses available scholarships and financial aid, along with convenient payment plans.

#### **COSTS AND PAYMENTS**

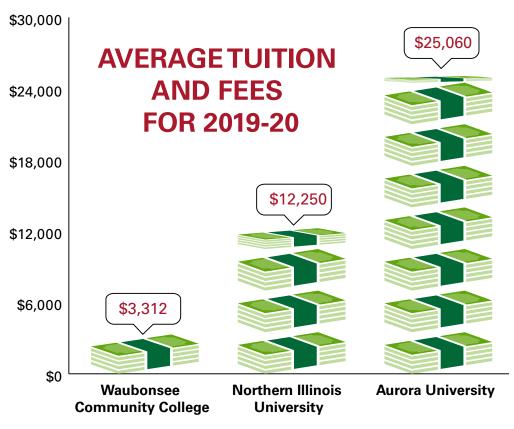
Waubonsee charges tuition and fees based on the number of credits you take. To see the most current rates, visit waubonsee.edu/tuition, but generally, the cost of a standard 3-credit course averages just over \$400.

When it's time to make a payment, don't think you have to cover everything at once. Choose the convenient Chiefs Payment Plan to make it more manageable.

### FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIPS

You can access financial resources that can make paying for college even easier, and Waubonsee is here to help you do that. From state and federal financial aid awarded based on your financial need to scholarships awarded based on a variety of criteria, such as academic achievement, hometown, parental status, and more, programs are available to put higher education within your reach.

You can start applying for financial aid in October for the following academic year. Waubonsee Foundation scholarship applications are due in February for the following academic year.



One year (two semesters) of full-time (12 credit hours) tuition and fees. Sources: aurora.edu, niu.edu and wauhonsee.edu



57/0 of new full-time students receive financial aid

More than 350 scholarship awards are given by the Waubonsee Foundation each year. Visit waubonsee.edu/scholarships

Get more details on how you can afford college at waubonsee.edu/financialaid

