Welcome to The Pittsburgh Promise's 3rd Annual Preferred College Partners (PCPs) Fair! Learn more about PCPs here.

How does this Fair work?

On this page, you'll see the names of our Preferred College Partners.

- *Click the name of any school* you would like to meet with.
- When you click the name, you will be brought to the school's virtual session to meet with a real, live admissions representative.
- You can change rooms at any time by clicking a new school's name and can visit as many schools as you'd like.
- Come ready with your questions for the admissions reps and be sure to have your camera on!

*Note: If you are participating from your phone, you will need to download the free Zoom, Microsoft Teams, and Google Meet apps to meet with some schools.

*Note: If you have any issues when clicking the schools, please join The Pittsburgh Promise room below to get some help. You can also email Danny@pittsburghpromise.org or call 412-745-2224 for assistance. We encourage you to join our Zoom room at any point with questions about The Pittsburgh Promise scholarship, too! Also, take a minute to visit our Promise Coaches if you attend Carrick, Perry, or UPrep!

The Pittsburgh Promise

Carrick Coaches

Perry Coaches

UPrep Coaches

Preferred College Partners:

- Allegheny College
- California University of

Pennsylvania (Cal U)

- Carlow University
- Carnegie Mellon University
- Chatham University
- Cheyney University
- Clarion University
- Duquesne University
- Edinboro University
- Geneva College
- Grove City College
- Indiana University of

Pennsylvania (IUP)

🌹 Juniata College

- Kutztown University
- La Roche University
- Mansfield University
- Mercyhurst University
- Mount Aloysius College
- Penn State University
- Pittsburgh Technical College (PTC)
- Point Park University
- Robert Morris University
- Rosedale Technical College
- Saint Vincent College
- Seton Hill University
- Shippensburg University
- Slippery Rock University

- Susquehanna University
- Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology:

3:30 PM Session (passcode=753792)

5:00 PM Session (passcode=679362)

- Thiel College
- Washington & Jefferson

College

- Waynesburg University
- Westminster College
- Williamson College of the Trades:

3:00 PM Session (passcode= Otsi2b)

5:30 PM Session

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Meet our Preferred College Partners

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Allegheny College

There's more than one way to: Build a bridge. Make a fortune. Leave your legacy. Tie a tie. Teach a child. Cure a disease. Mend Run a business. Speak truth to power. Sing an Aria. Think. And do. And be. So why would a school show you only one way to learn? Present you with a whole world of perspectives and then say — pick one. As if anyone were only one thing.

At Allegheny, we think higher learning should aim higher. So you won't focus on a single subject. We're not that kind of school. Here, we'll ask more of you than just answers. To play with old ideas, and invent something new. Every student. No matter your goals. No matter your major. We'll teach you to comprehend anything. Try everything. Fail sometimes. And ultimately succeed.

Because if you want to be the kind of person who stands out in life, you have to learn outside the lines.

Allegheny Intro Video

https://allegheny.edu/

California University of Pennsylvania (Cal U)

About Cal U - Founded in 1852, California University of Pennsylvania is located in California (pop. 6,800), a borough in rural southwestern Pennsylvania, about 35 miles from Pittsburgh. In 2015, Safewise ranked California, Pa. among the top 50 Safest College Towns in America. Our 294-acre campus includes top recreation facilities, best-in-class housing options, plenty of green space and an on-campus farm used for recreation and learning activities. Our Student-to-Faculty Ratio: 17-to-1. Cal U is a public university, a proud member of Pennsylvania's State System of Higher Education, and one of Pennsylvania's most affordable options for higher education. A Cal U education is a great value - especially for students who follow the Four-Year Graduation Plan.

Cal U welcomes students from the country and around the world. Our students come from all 50 states, three U.S. territories and about 30 countries.

Total enrollment: **6, 842 students** (2019-2020)

Undergraduates: **4,856**Graduate students: **1,986**

Our most recent class is 58% female and 42% male; the student population is about 76% white, 11%

black, 4% Hispanic/Latino and 9% other.

Tuition: \$7,716 per year (on campus undergraduate, in-state resident, 2020-2021)

Fees: \$3,392 Housing: \$6,822

Meal plan: \$3,594 (14 meals)
Total average costs: \$21,524

Cal U Intro Video

https://www.calu.edu/

Carlow University

The difference between Carlow and other universities is clear. At Carlow, we aren't satisfied to simply do well. We must also do good.

Our students, alumni, faculty, and staff seek out positive ways to apply their talents and strengths. Terms such as contribute, improve, and join in are part of the vernacular. We wake knowing the actions we put forth each day can make a meaningful impact. Carlow is not just a place for students to learn and receive a degree. It's also an incubator for goodness, service and, above all, mercy. We know that achieving personal success doesn't require us to leave others behind. In fact, we know that there is no way we can "go it alone" in order to get where we really want to go. At Carlow, we live each day knowing that if we want our world to be different, truly better, then it is up to us to make it happen. We are leaders in a merciful world. We are Carlow.

Carlow Intro Video

https://www.carlow.edu/

Carnegie Mellon University

Carnegie Mellon University has steadily built upon its foundations of excellence and innovation to become one of America's leading universities. The university's unique approach to education — giving students the opportunity to become experts in their chosen fields while studying a broad range of course work across disciplines — creates leaders and problem solvers for the changing marketplace of today and tomorrow. Students in this private, co-educational university come from 48 states and more than 70 countries. Each year, Carnegie Mellon enrolls a diverse freshman class of approximately 1,550 students. The total undergraduate population is 6,400. Students come from a variety of economic, social and cultural backgrounds and represent a wide range of academic and artistic interests.

Carnegie Mellon Intro Video

https://www.cmu.edu/

Chatham University

Founded in 1869, Chatham University in Pittsburgh, PA has an enrollment of over 2,200 students and over 60 undergraduate and graduate programs in our areas of excellence: sustainability & health; business & communications; and the arts & sciences.

Chatham is consistently ranked each year as a best college by U.S. News and World Report.

Chatham Intro Video

https://chatham.edu/

Cheyney University

Established in 1837, Cheyney University of Pennsylvania continues to build on its legacy as America's oldest institution of higher education for African-Americans. Our mission is to equip and empower students of

diverse backgrounds to be visionary leaders in their chosen fields. Apply for free at www.cheyney.edu/apply Cheyney is now test optional!

Our newly redesigned academic programs and curriculum align appropriately with current workforce demands and further demonstrates our commitment to ensuring a standard of quality in instruction, academic rigor, and educational effectiveness across all courses and programs to guarantee student success.

Art* Computer & Information• Hotel, Restaurant, Mathematics* Biology* Science* Tourism Psychology* Communications* • Management*
Early Childhood Education • Liberal Studies Aquaculture Recreation & Leisure Cell & Molecular • Management* Ecology / Environmental • Early Childhood Pre-K - 4• Business & Society Social Relations* and Special Cognition Pre-Medicine Criminal Justice Pre-Nursing / Health● Education Pre-K - 8 Education & Learning
 Sociology Professions English* Government & Law American Political Science Business Administration • Fine Arts Philosophy, Politics, and & Graphic Design* Management **Economics**

Cheyney Intro Video

https://cheyney.edu/

Clarion University

Clarion University of Pennsylvania is located three miles from Interstate 80, in northwestern PA. Clarion is situated between Pittsburgh and Erie and is a beautiful university town of 6,000 residents.

Clarion University has 4,500 students enrolled; an average class size of 25 & a student-to-teacher ratio of 16:1.

Clarion University offers over 175 academic degree programs with high-impact practices embedded in our curriculum and 100% of classes taught by faculty

- Top 5 most popular majors: Biology, Business, Education, Nursing, Speech Pathology
- Top 5 unique majors: Medical Imaging, Respiratory Care, Intervention Specialist, Paralegal Studies, Library Science

UPDATES: Two new suite-style residence halls containing a Starbucks & movie theatre, a new university president as of July 1, 2018, and \$40 million worth of renovations to the Tippin Gymnasium.

As a public university and member of Pennsylvania's State System of Higher Education, Clarion offers quality and affordability. Clarion award more than \$5 million in scholarships last year and was cited as a Top 10 most Affordable Schools in Pennsylvania by Affordable Schools, 2019

Assistant Director for Admissions, **Jarrett Coleman Boxley** is Clarion University's primary Pittsburgh Promise contact. He is a proud 2016 Clarion University graduate from New Kensington, PA. and he has been working in Higher Education for a tad over 4 years.

Clarion Intro Video

https://www.clarion.edu/

Duquesne University

Get ready for something more

At Duquesne University, our <u>85 majors in nine schools</u> open up a world of possibilities. You'll learn with and from students of diverse cultural, socioeconomic and religious backgrounds from across the United States and more than 80 countries. You'll take classes on a 50-acre park-like campus centrally located in Pittsburgh.

A great education at a great price

A degree from Duquesne will pay dividends over a lifetime. Independent sources such as U.S. News, Money Magazine and Washington Monthly agree that, at Duquesne, you'll get a great education at an incredible value. We'll work with you to make your education <u>affordable</u>.

A respected degree

Over our 140+ year history, we've developed a national reputation for academic excellence.

An education that will pay dividends over a lifetime

When you graduate, you'll join an alumni network of 96,000 well-connected professionals. Our graduates are succeeding in all walks of life and representing the ideals of Duquesne.

Duquesne Intro Video

https://duq.edu/

Edinboro University

Edinboro University is one of the 14 State Schools of Pennsylvania. Edinboro is the furthest west in the state, being located in Edinboro, Pennsylvania, just 20 minutes south of Erie, Pennsylvania. Edinboro is about an hour and 45 minutes from Pittsburgh, PA. Edinboro is a mid-sized institution with about 4,300 students on campus.

The university has over 100 majors to choose from. The most popular of those majors are: fine arts, such as animation, graphic design, business, communications, education and nursing. Edinboro has over 140 student clubs and organizations to participate in, 17 Varsity Sports, and so much more.

Edinboro is a Promise Preferred Partner, and honor The Pittsburgh Promise. In addition, we award students \$2,500 towards room and board. Finally, students are able to be awarded additional merit based scholarships, and financial aid. Cost of attendance for an in-state students is around \$22,000 a year. Currently, Edinboro is ranked top ten in the state of Pennsylvania for our teacher preparation, our alumni from our Film Studies program have won six Emmys in the past decade, finally, Edinboro is ranked top 25 in the country for our Game and Virtual World major.

To learn more, please contact Marisa Rodriguez, Assistant Director/Diversity Recruiter at mrodriguez@edinboro.edu.

Edinboro Intro Video

https://edinboro.edu/

Geneva College

Geneva College is a Christ-centered academic community that provides a comprehensive education to equip students for faithful and fruitful service to God and neighbor. Offering over 145 traditional undergraduate majors, including Engineering, Nursing, Business and Education, Geneva's programs are recognized for their high quality.

Geneva is ranked in several top 100 rankings in 2021 U.S. News & World Report Best Colleges lists, including having one of the 2021 Best Undergraduate Engineering Programs in the nation.

Adhering to the truth of Scripture, a Geneva education is grounded in God's Word as well as in a core curriculum designed to prepare students vocationally to think, write and communicate well in today's world.

Geneva Intro Video

https://www.geneva.edu/

Grove City College

*Grove City College is unable to participate in this year's PCP Fair. However, if you are interested in learning more, please visit their interactive website at http://www.gcc.edu/.

Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP)

We know our name is unusual. You can remember it like this: Our town is Indiana. Our state is Pennsylvania. Our span is the entire world.

At IUP, you'll find yourself at the heart of a community as unique as you are. Our students and professors come from just miles down the road to more than 50 different countries to everywhere in between. If you're not sure what you want to major in, we encourage you to explore your options before choosing a major through our University College, a place dedicated to helping you find your best path without losing time toward graduation. Our professors will challenge you and guide you, because they care about your success. We believe in our students. We are the curious, the fearless, the determined.

IUP Intro Video

https://www.iup.edu/

Juniata College

Juniata College is a private liberal arts and sciences college in Huntingdon, PA, approximately 2 ½ hours from Pittsburgh. As one of 40 "Colleges That Change Lives", Juniata students design a personal education and participate in hands on experiences such as internships, study abroad, and research that will lead them to discover who they are and what they love.

As a small institution, Juniata staff and faculty give students the support they need to write their personal story and design their own programs, like Environmental Public Health, Theatre Communication and Social

Justice, and Neuroscience. Our strong, supportive community gives students the opportunity to excel in academics, while participating in one of our 100+ clubs, DIII varsity sports, traditions, and more!

Juniata Intro Video

https://www.juniata.edu/

Kutztown University

Kutztown University is one of the 14 Pennsylvania State Schools, and a proud Pittsburgh Promise School. We are located on the eastern side of the state, 1 hour north of Philadelphia and 1.5 hours west of New York City.

We have a lot of unique majors in the performing arts, education, business, and liberal art areas of study. We are a Division II Athletic Institution, with 21 intercollegiate sports. Our cost for in state residents is under \$22,000, and we are home to some very unique housing and dining options. We are the school for you!

Kutztown Intro Video

https://www.kutztown.edu/

La Roche University

La Roche University is a private, liberal arts institution in Western Pennsylvania offering more than 50 undergraduate majors, six graduate programs and one doctoral program in high-demand fields and creative disciplines.

Located in the North Hills of Pittsburgh, this residential college provides a vibrant campus community for more than 1,300 men and women enjoying a 12:1 student-faculty ratio, 30-plus student organizations and an exciting NCAA Div. III athletics program.

Founded by the Sisters of Divine Providence in 1963, La Roche embraces its Catholic heritage while welcoming people of all faiths and backgrounds. With a legacy of social justice and a commitment to international exchange, La Roche educates students to be lifelong learners and achievers in an increasingly diverse and global society.

Visit laroche.edu for information.

La Roche Intro Video

https://www.laroche.edu/

Mansfield University

Mansfield University is known for its academic quality, close-knit community, and beautiful setting. Because of our small size, our students get to know their professors and peers on a personal level, building relationships that will last throughout their lives and careers. Mansfield is the kind of campus where students find their voice and our faculty and staff equip them with the tools necessary to follow their greatest passions.

Our undergraduates gain real-world experience, conduct research projects alongside faculty mentors, travel and study abroad, and develop lifelong learning skills. When a student chooses Mansfield University, they're choosing to dream big.

Mansfield Intro Video

https://www.mansfield.edu/

Mercyhurst University

Mercyhurst University is a fully accredited, four-year, Catholic institution founded in 1926 by the Sisters of Mercy. Located in Erie, Pennsylvania, on a hill overlooking Lake Erie, our 75-acre campus is known as one of the most beautiful in the region. Mercyhurst has 3,400 undergraduate and graduate students, housing more than 60 different undergraduate majors and over 10 different graduate programs.

Mercyhurst is primarily known for national security programs like Intelligence Studies, Cyber Security and Risk Management, Business Competitive Intelligence, and much others. However, being a liberal arts university, Mercyhurst has a variety of programs focusing in different areas of the arts, business, science, education, and so on.

Consistent with its Catholic identity and Mercy heritage, Mercyhurst University educates men and women in a culture where faith and reason flourish together, where the beauty and power of the liberal arts combine with an appreciation for the dignity of work and a commitment to serving others. Confident in the strength of its student-faculty bonds, the university community is inspired by the image of students whose choices, in and work, will enable them to realize the human and spiritual values embedded in everyday realities and to exercise leadership in service toward a just world.

Mercyhurst Intro Video

https://mercyhurst.edu/

Mount Aloysius College

Here at Mount Aloysius, you'll get the best of both worlds! Whether you want to spend a weekend exploring some of the best hiking spots Pennsylvania has to offer, or you want to take in the sights and sounds of a Pittsburgh sports team, you're never too far away. Our proximity to the city also means plenty of extracurricular and academic opportunities for students!

The mission of Mount Aloysius College is to respond to individual and community needs with quality programs of education in the tradition of the Religious Sisters of Mercy. Each student is provided the opportunity to acquire knowledge and to develop values, attitudes, and competencies necessary for lifelong learning within an environment that reflects a liberal arts orientation and a Catholic, Judeo-Christian heritage.

Mount Aloysius Intro Video

https://www.mtaloy.edu/

Penn State University

There's a reason Penn State consistently ranks among the top one percent of the world's universities. Across 24 campuses, our 100,000 students and 17,000 faculty and staff know the real measure of success goes beyond the classroom—it's the positive impact made on communities across the world.

Our ideals stem from our origins as Pennsylvania's sole land-grant institution, which allow us to continue to bring positive impact to humanity through our teaching, research, and engagement mission. And across the world is a community of Penn Staters—more than half a million strong—driven by that same spirit to serve our local and global communities.

From access to state-of-the-art resources to interdisciplinary pursuits in collaborative atmospheres, a Penn State degree is more than an education. The experiences and knowledge gained here will form the foundation for the lives our students build. Their contributions to the world begin with a Penn State degree.

We Are Penn State.

Penn State Intro Video

https://www.psu.edu/

*Please note: Only select Penn State campuses offer Promise scholars an additional housing award. These include PSU Allegheny, Beaver, Hazleton, Mont Alto, and Schuylkill campuses.

Pittsburgh Technical College

Pittsburgh Technical College (PTC) is a leader in career-focused education since 1946. A nonprofit academic institution, formerly PTI, we are located 11 miles from downtown Pittsburgh. Our picturesque 180-acre campus boasts an academic building, energy tech center, student residences, free parking, and athletic fields.

PTC is where knowledge meets know-how.

- Students learn from industry professionals with real-world experience.
- The project-based curriculum is directed by advisory boards comprising the region's top employers.
- We consistently place more than 95% of available graduates in in-field positions full or part-time or freelance.

Last year PTC awarded students over \$4 million in institutional aid, and we'll help you find all grants and scholarships possible.

Certificates, associate and bachelor's degrees are available in 30+ programs covering business/hospitality, criminal justice, culinary, design, healthcare/nursing, computers, and trades.

PTC activities include intramural sports; clubs like culinary, gaming, drama, and Women in STEAM; carnivals, luaus, Oktoberfest, and more -- making for fun and lasting memories.

PTC Intro Video

https://ptcollege.edu/

Point Park University

Students will learn what makes Point Park University one of the most dynamic, private universities in the country. We offer around 80 different majors to choose from in our schools of Communication, Business, Education, Arts and Sciences, and our nationally renowned Conservatory of Performing Arts.

Point Park also offers Division II, NAIA varsity sports from traditional areas such as basketball and soccer to newer, groundbreaking areas such as a varsity Esports team.

Access to internships, and our innovative co-op program, help to set Point Park apart from many other schools. Our location in Downtown Pittsburgh offers opportunities that many other locations cannot. Students who participate in the co-op program gain experience in their field by working full time for an organization, earning credits toward graduation, and earn a full-time salary.

This and much more will be covered.

Point Park Intro Video

https://www.pointpark.edu/

Robert Morris University

Robert Morris University is a private institution located in Moon Township, PA, approximately 17 miles from Downtown Pittsburgh. With approximately 5,000 students enrolled and over 80 academic programs, RMU builds on nearly a century of experience. The average net price to attend RMU is \$26,027, making it one of the most affordable private institutions in Western PA. RMU offers NCAA Division I athletics and over 120 student-run clubs and organizations to engage our student body.

RMU is a proud partner of the Pittsburgh Promise and offers additional scholarship opportunities for students within the Pittsburgh Public School Districts.

Robert Morris Intro Video

https://www.rmu.edu/

Rosedale Technical College

The mission of Rosedale Technical College is to enable students to obtain employment in positions related to the trade industries using hands-on training programs aligned with industry needs and effective <u>student services</u> designed to promote student success.

We are the engine of our regional economy by providing genuinely valuable hands-on training which adapts to meet the needs of employers. We unlock the energy of our students and provide the spark of knowledge which gives our students the confidence to change their lives. RTC values a student-centered approach in everything we do. We also value continuous improvement and self-development along with honesty, humility and enthusiasm.

Founded in 1949, Rosedale Technical College has a rich history of preparing students for employment in the <u>Automotive</u>, <u>Diesel</u>, <u>Electrical</u>, and <u>HVAC</u> fields.

Rosedale provides students with the proper knowledge and equipment, as well as the necessary hands-on experience required for their field.

We are constantly communicating with our students, graduates and industry professionals to implement changes to our facilities and programs. Rosedale meets regularly with our own Program Advisory Board Committees. Based on their valuable feedback, we continue to grow our programs so that our graduates remain in demand.

Rosedale Intro Video

https://www.rosedaletech.org/

Saint Vincent College

We Learn, We Listen, We Serve, We Grow and We Rise... Together. "At Saint Vincent, when you walk with us, you belong; our community is strong. Our Benedictine and Catholic mission prioritizes the sacred nature of the human person and the importance of the connectedness of that person to our community."

- Student Faculty Ratio 11:1
- Average Classroom Size 18
- Freshmen To Sophomore Retention 86%
- Majors And Programs 60+ (known for Sciences; Education; Business; Computer Science; Psychology and Criminal, Law & Society-CLS is ranked #2 in PA and in the top 25 in the nation
- Clubs And Organizations –50+
- Employed Or Furthering Education After Graduation 98%
- Varsity Sports Div. III 14
- Up to \$28,000 per year in academic scholarships
- Many additional need-based grants
- Test optional

Saint Vincent Intro Video

https://stvincent.edu/

Seton Hill University

Seton Hill University is a smaller, private, Catholic school, located in Greensburg, Pennsylvania. Found in the Laurel Highlands region, you have any and every activity you could think of. Within an hour is the city of Pittsburgh with a sporting event, concert, or even a museum, and in the other direction you have some of the best white-water rafting, skiing, and many other outdoor attractions!

Being a smaller school, it is easier to hear our students; understanding their wants, their dreams, their goals. Here at SHU we offer more than <u>80 undergraduate programs</u>, and other options. Even with all of these options, our students can still expect a 14:1 student to faculty ratio, ensuring the time needed with faculty is available!

Joining extraordinary academic accolades, we strive to provide our students with opportunities to join our community, through the 50+ clubs and organizations and so much more!

Seton Hill Intro Video

https://www.setonhill.edu/

Shippensburg University

At Shippensburg University, everyone is always seen as a whole person. We're a student-centered university that takes a hands-on approach to supporting all members of the campus family.

We value our community feel. It's evident from our small class sizes, the passion from our strong alumni network, the personalized attention our students receive and the positive impact we have in our town, state and region. Together, we are a close-knit group of lifelong learners.

We are proud to have one of only eight Bachelor of Science in criminal justice programs in the United States certified by the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, and one of only three programs in Pennsylvania accredited by the Accrediting Council on Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. These accreditations are on top of others such as those for programs in computer science, business, social work and teacher education.

Check out Shippensburg University today!

Shippensburg Intro Video

https://www.ship.edu/

Slippery Rock University

Slippery Rock University is located in the small town of Slippery Rock located about 50 miles north of the city of Pittsburgh. Total enrollment is approximately 8,800 students, with roughly 7,600 undergraduate students from 33 states and Washington, DC.

Slippery Rock University offers over 150 different bachelor's degree programs in a variety of areas ranging from health and natural sciences, engineering, education, liberal arts, and business. Our largest majors are Exercise Science, Biology and Education.

Slippery Rock is part of the Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education, boasting the highest graduation rate in the state system and the second highest retention rate in the system. Being a state school, it makes Slippery Rock an affordable option for in state students and also offers out of state discounts and scholarships to assist with cost.

Slippery Rock Intro Video

https://www.sru.edu/

Susquehanna University

Susquehanna is a residential liberal arts college with 2,300 students located in Central PA. 98% of our students live on campus all 4 years in guaranteed housing. We have over 60 academic programs, including Biomedical Sciences, Psychology, Business, Creative Writing, Music, Education, Graphic Design and more.

Susquehanna has been test-optional since the 1990s, making us well-prepared to work with applicants in this time of disruption. It's free to apply and we accept the Common Application.

98% of our students participate in at least 1 internship, faculty led research project, or practicum with more than 50% doing 2 or more of these.

96% of our most recent graduates report being employed, in graduate school, or a part of service program.

All applicants are considered for scholarships which range up to \$38,000. Additionally, Susquehanna matches the \$5,000 Pittsburgh Promise award.

Susquehanna University Intro Video

https://www.susqu.edu/

Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology

Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology is a premier residential, two-year, accredited technical college that educates Pennsylvania's economically and socially disadvantaged as well as other qualified students for skilled employment in a diverse, ever-changing workforce and for full effective participation as citizens. Thaddeus Stevens College has expanded from its original student body of 15 to over 1,300 students who are enrolled in 24 high-skill, high-wage technical programs. Over 90 percent of the College's graduates have remained in the Commonwealth since its founding in 1905. Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology is Pennsylvania's only state-owned, two-year college of technology.

Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology was recognized by the Aspen Institute, an independent research panel, as one of the top 120 two-year colleges in the country for six consecutive years. Thaddeus Stevens College was the only two-year, technical college in Pennsylvania recognized by the Aspen Institute.

https://stevenscollege.edu/

Thiel College

Thiel (pronounced "teel") offers a multidisciplinary grounding in the <u>liberal arts</u> with a comprehensive, integrated knowledge base for your chosen profession. You'll experience theoretical learning, practical and hands-on assignments, service learning activities and internships – for the finest <u>career preparation</u> you can imagine. A wide variety of <u>co-curricular activities</u> will help you develop leadership skills you didn't know you had. A challenging and supportive <u>honors program</u> will push you to grow and learn like you never thought you could!

Thiel offers fantastic scholarship to go along with the academics. Students that qualify could be offered scholarships from \$1,000 per year to full tuition scholarships! You would also receive the Pittsburgh Promise scholarship as well as the Preferred College Scholarship when attending Thiel College.

If you have any questions, Morgan Bodnar is your admissions counselor. Her number is 724-589-2838.

Thiel College Intro Video

https://www.thiel.edu/

Washington and Jefferson College

At W&J, we want to learn about the dreams you'll realize, the opportunities you'll seize, and the people you'll impact. We want to know all about you - everything that makes up that undeniable, nobody-else-like-you-in-the-world you. Because when we understand who you are and who you will become, we can

help you forge the foundation to do anything. Because when we get you, we can get you wherever you want to go. Register for this session to see how W&J can be your place to thrive!

W&J Intro Video

https://www.washjeff.edu/

Waynesburg University

Waynesburg University, a private Christian university near Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, provides a valuable, personal and hands-on educational experience that prepares undergraduate and graduate students for lives of purpose and continued growth.

The University continues to be a Best Value School, ranked among the top ten best deals of both private and public universities in the northern United States by U.S. News & World Report. Ranked No. 4 on their Regional Universities North list, which placed it above all other universities in Pennsylvania, Waynesburg qualified as a 2021 Best Value School due to the high quality of academic programs combined with low costs.

Waynesburg offers more than 70 major concentrations and five integrated bachelors-to-masters programs in athletic training, business, counseling, criminal investigation and education.

Waynesburg University also provides opportunities for students to apply and sharpen their talents through service. Service opportunities include service learning courses, international and domestic mission trips and the Bonner Program, among others.

Waynesburg Intro Video

https://www.waynesburg.edu/

Westminster College

We are Westminster College. We're closer than you think, nestled within the charming town of New Wilmington, just one hour north of Pittsburgh. We study hard, priding ourselves in strong academics, outstanding faculty, and individualized attention with our 11:1 student to faculty ratio.

We expand horizons with opportunities to study abroad and make connections with our strong alumni base. We encourage participation, sponsoring 22 varsity sports, 18 honor societies, and more than 80 clubs. We're a platform for spiritual freedom, providing the independence to think and participate in what's most important to you.

We're a place to call home to nearly 1,200 students each year. Be a part of something real.

Westminster College Intro Video

https://www.westminster.edu/

Williamson College of the Trades

Williamson College of the Trades is located in Media, PA and the educational opportunity is provided <u>AT</u> <u>NO COST</u> for tuition, room, and board to the young men who become enrolled; each Williamson scholarship is valued at over \$100,000.

The college offer a three-year Associate degree in Specialized Technology degree in one of five trade programs: 1. Carpentry, 2. Horticulture, Landscaping & Turf Management, 3. Machine Tool Technology, 4. Masonry, and 5. Power Plant Technology. Among other student activities, we also offer 8 different intercollegiate sports teams: Baseball, Basketball, Cross Country, Football, Lacrosse, Soccer, Tennis and Wrestling.

Our job placement rate over the past 5 years is outstanding with 98% of our graduates working in their field of study upon graduation. Williamson truly is a life-changing opportunity for financially qualified young men. Visit our Admissions page for more information at: https://www.williamson.edu/admissions/

Williamson Intro Video

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