Overview

* City Colleges of Chicago is a system of seven colleges and 5 satellite sites
* Many young people think they don’t need college but time and time again, it’s been researched that people who go to college or obtain a specialized skill through their local college— like plumbing, manufacturing or carpentry masonry will make more money in their lifetime than those who only earn their high school diploma.
* City Colleges of Chicago is considered the city of Chicago’s most accessible higher education engine of socioeconomic mobility, empowering everyone to take part in building a stronger city and transforming their lives through education.
* We have traditional careers paths that range from becoming a teacher, nurse, Engineer, and career based in STEM and STEAM to accountant and Cyber Technician.
* At City Colleges of Chicago, 41 percent of credential-seeking students complete or transfer within 4 years of enrolling at City Colleges of Chicago.
* We also offer many certification classes through our Future Ready program that can launch a good paying career that ranges from Cyber Security, to automotive tech and childhood development. ([www.ccc.edu/futureready](http://www.ccc.edu/futureready)). Through this program, there is no cost to the student.
* We have special programs for veterans and people with low income.
* City Colleges has a Wellness Center and food pantry
* Registration is open now and classes start August 21. If you miss that, the next classes begin September 22.
* I also want to everyone to know that City Colleges has and is using state-of the-art technology to teach its students. From using virtual reality glasses to learn welding or to our classrooms where students can utilize technology from Apple at Truman College and tech giant SDI Presence at Kennedy-King College. We even have classes in Advanced Music Production & Sound Design, Intro /Advanced Podcasting and Radio Broadcasting as well as Intro to Advanced Art of DJing courses (Truman).
* If you want to talk to someone or need help filling out financial aid, City Colleges invites you to stop its campuses: Monday through Friday, 9am to 5pm daily for help with financial aid or advice on career paths or you can simply call 773-COLLEGE or visit our website: [www.ccc.edu](http://www.ccc.edu)