

Community College Opportunity Grants for County Vocational-Technical Schools Now Available for Adult Learners

Those with Adjusted Gross Income of \$0 to \$100,000 are Eligible to Apply

New Jersey supports residents of all ages to pursue certification in an in-demand career field by providing financial aid to students enrolled at vocational-technical schools throughout the state. Eligible students can now apply for tuition assistance at one of the participating county vocational schools in select certification programs. Eligibility and award amounts include consideration of the Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) of either the family (for dependent students) or the student/spouse (for independent students), satisfactory academic progress as determined by the schools, and that the student has not yet earned a college degree. After completion of your course, students will be eligible to receive college credits at a select county college. Reach out to your contact below to find out where you can receive your credits.

Participating Schools and Approved Programs

Atlantic County Institute of Technology

- Automotive Technology
- Medical Assisting
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Dental Assisting
- Phlebotomy

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Burlington County Institute of Technology

- Cosmetology
- Certified Nurse Aide
- Dental Assisting
- Licensed Practical Nursing
- Medical Assisting
- Veterinary Assistant

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Cape May Technical School District

- Licensed Practical_Nursing
- Dental Assisting

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Essex County Schools of Technology

- Cosmetology

Contact: Mr. Anibal Ponce

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Gloucester County Institute of Technology

- Automotive Technology
- Collision Technology
- Baking and Pastry Arts
- Culinary Arts
- Cosmetology

Contact: Christine Datz

Director of Student Personnel Services
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Hunterdon County Vocation School District

- Cosmetology
- Certified Nurse Aide
- Veterinary Assistant
- Phlebotomy
- Introduction to Water/Wastewater

Contact: Christina Shockley

Adult Education Coordinator
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Mercer County Technical Schools

- Cosmetology

Contact: Lisa Flynn

Adult Evening Program Specialist • (609) 325-4335

Contact: Ryan Haimer

Adult Evening Principal • (609) 842-9688

Middlesex County Vocational and Technical Schools

- Licensed Practical Nursing
- Cosmetology

Contact: (732) 257-3300, x1925

Monmouth County Vocational School District

- Certified Nurse Aide
- Certified Home Health Aide
- Cosmetology

Contact: Rosie Gomez

rgomez@ctemc.org • (732) 431-7245

Ocean County Vocational Technical Schools

- Precision Machine Trades
- Certified Medical Assistant
- LPN
- Cosmetology
- Audio Engineering
- Automotive Technology
- Computer Science
- A+ COMPTIA Computer Certification
- Cisco CCNA
- Culinary Arts
- Diesel Engine Technology
- Health and Fitness Technology

Contact: Grace Giglio

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Salem County Vocational Technical School

- Certified Medical Assistant
- Basic Electrical
- Introduction to Automotive Technology
- Introduction to Construction
- Certified Nursing Assistant
- Phlebotomy
- Certified Patient Care Technician

Contact: Maria Alleva

Director of Adult Post-Secondary and ABE/HSE/ESL Programs
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Union County Vocational-Technical Schools

- Automotive Technology
- Cosmetology

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Contact: Lisa Tauscher

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Warren County Technical Schools

- Licensed Practical Nursing

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LPN Director

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