



CCAP

COMMUNITY COLLEGE ACCESS PROGRAM

Tonight, you will learn...



- **What is CCAP? Who makes it possible.**
- **Who may apply for CCAP?**
- **How do you apply for CCAP?**
- **The steps of the CCAP application.**
- **CCAP deadlines.**

CCAP Impact



Since 2008, **\$9.1 million** in CCAP awards have been provided to **3,860** students at Virginia Western.

Why Virginia Western?



WHY CHOOSE VIRGINIA WESTERN?

- | Small class sizes |
- | Close to home |
- | Internships |
- | Quality instructors |
- | State-of-the-art facilities |
- | Innovative career paths |

EDUCATIONAL VALUE

- | Student clubs and activities |
- | Free tutoring |
- | Career counseling |
- | Guaranteed transfers |
- | Remote and in-person classes |

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CCAP Texting



Text: CCAP2023
to **877-235-2279**

Reply STOP to cancel, HELP for help.

Msg & data rates may apply.

What is CCAP?



- **Public/private partnership between the Virginia Western Educational Foundation and local governments, school systems, businesses and individuals.**
- **The goal of CCAP is to provide tuition funding for qualified students who do not have sufficient financial aid (federal and state grant aid) to pay tuition in full.**

What is the Value of CCAP



\$17,135.00*

**3 years, fall & spring – 90 credits
plus 1 summer – 6 credits**

**at 2022-2023 tuition rates*

Who is Awarded CCAP?



Do all who apply for CCAP get awarded?

Award is not guaranteed. For 2023, qualified CCAP applicants will be awarded where sufficient funding is available for their locality.

What does CCAP pay for?



CCAP funds pay tuition.

CCAP **does not pay for:**

- **Cost of textbooks**
- **IncludED textbook fees**
- **Additional course fees**
- **Supplies**
- **Living expenses**

Who may apply for CCAP?



Graduating seniors in Botetourt County, Craig County, Franklin County, City of Roanoke, Roanoke County and City of Salem must reside in and attend public high school in their locality junior and senior years.

Who may apply for CCAP?



One exception:

Roanoke County residents graduating from any high school in the six localities served by Virginia Western may apply for CCAP.

Who may apply for CCAP?



Homeschooled and private school students who have resided in Botetourt County, Craig County, Franklin County, Roanoke County and City of Salem for their junior and senior years.

Who may apply for CCAP?



A minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA is required on final high school transcript for CCAP eligibility. In Roanoke City, a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA is required.

Who may apply for CCAP?



Check the personal email address you provided on the VWCC application regularly!

Once a day is recommended.

You will not have access to your Virginia Western email until you enroll in fall classes.

CCAP Application – 4 Steps



1

**Apply to
Virginia
Western**

2

**Submit
2023-24
FAFSA**

3

**Submit
Direct
Enrollment
Survey**

4

**Submit
CCAP
Application**

Deadline: February 1, 2023

1. Apply to Virginia Western



A screenshot of the Virginia Western website homepage. The top navigation bar includes the "VIRGINIA WESTERN" logo on the left and a menu with items: "EXPLORE", "ENROLL", "FIND YOUR PATH", "PAY FOR VWCC", and "GET SUPPORT". A search icon is also present. A green button labeled "APPLY TO VWCC" is circled in red, with a red arrow pointing to it from the right. The main content area features a large banner on the left with the text "Registration for Spring starts October 17th!" and "Click here to view the class schedule." Below this is a large circular graphic with a star pattern and people walking. To the right of the banner are four smaller tiles: "Learn About Free College" (with a photo of a man), "New Students" (with a photo of a person walking), "Career Pathways" (with a photo of people in a lab), and "COVID-19 Updates, Info & Support" (with a photo of a person).

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1. Apply to Virginia Western



Two important things about your Virginia Western application:

- Your **social security number** must be on your student account.
- If dual-enrolled, you have already submitted the Virginia Western application. **DO NOT** submit again.

2. Submit the FAFSA



2023-2024 FAFSA opens October 1, 2022

<https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/afsa>

2023-2024 VASA opens October 1, 2022

<https://www.schev.edu/financial-aid/financial-aid/federal-state-financial-aid/vasa>

2. Submit the FAFSA



To complete the **2023-2024 FAFSA:**

- Create an FSA ID (Federal Student Aid Identification)
- Use Parent/Student 2021 Federal Tax Return
- Use Parent/Student 2021 W-2 Forms or any 2021 earning stmts
- Have Parent/Student Social Security Cards handy so that names and SSNs are entered correctly.

2. Submit the FAFSA



**“SUBMITTING FAFSA”
DOES NOT EQUAL
“COMPLETING FAFSA”**

It is the first step. You are not done!

2. Submit the FAFSA



Carolyn's Student Center

[Student Message Center](#)

[Message Center](#)

▼ **Academics**

[My Class Schedule](#)
[Shopping Cart](#)
[My Planner](#)
[Apply for Graduation](#)

other academic... ▼

▼ **Finances**

Va Western Community College [Select College](#)
To view your information at another VCCS college click the [Select College](#) link above.

Search for Classes

▼ **Info, Actions & Holds**

No Holds

▼ **To Do List**

A screenshot of a student center dashboard. A red arrow points to the "Message Center" link. A red circle highlights the "To Do List" section in the right-hand sidebar. The dashboard includes sections for "Academics" and "Finances", a search bar, and a "Select College" link.

3. Direct Enrollment Survey



The Direct Enrollment Survey determines what level of English and Math at college best serves your needs.

The brief survey consists of 2 questions.

Survey located at: <https://desurvey.vccs.edu>

4. CCAP Application



A screenshot of the CCAP application page on the Virginia Western website. At the top, a light blue banner contains the text "2023 CCAP Application opens Oct. 1, 2022 - Feb. 1, 2023" and a purple button that says "APPLY NOW TO CCAP". Below this is a link for "How to Apply Instructions". The main content area has a yellow header "WHY CHOOSE VIRGINIA WESTERN?" followed by a grid of benefits: "Small class sizes", "Close to home", "Internships", "Quality instructors", "State-of-the-art facilities", "Innovative career paths", "EDUCATIONAL VALUE", "Student clubs and activities", "Free tutoring", "Guaranteed transfers", "Career counseling", and "Remote and in-person classes". The background of this section is a photo of a library. On the right side, there is a vertical navigation menu with links: "CCAP Home", "Frequently Asked Questions", "Have a Question about CCAP?", "CCAP Checklist & Resources", "Give Now", "Program Sponsors/Community Support", "Educational Foundation", "Make College Possible (CCAP2)", and "Meet Our Success Coaches". Each link has a right-pointing arrow. The CCAP logo is also present in the top right and bottom right of the screenshot.

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4. CCAP Application



1st Yr. Community College Access Program (CCAP)

› Personal Profile

Academic Profile

Personal Statement

Certifications

Review and Submit

← Return to Applications

CCAP, a private/public partnership, is funded on a year-to-year basis, and is dependent upon the state budget. CCAP does not always adequately cover tuition. CCAP covers the cost of tuition for up to three years. CCAP DOES NOT

* First Name

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Personal Profile

Academic Profile

> Personal Statement

- Why do you want to attend Virginia Western Community College, and what do you hope to achieve with your college education? Statement must be a minimum of 500 characters.

Writing a personal statement of 500 characters or more is required for the CCAP application to be considered eligible.

Important CCAP Deadlines



- **2023 CCAP Application** February 1, 2023
- **Direct Enrollment Survey** February 1, 2023
- **2023-2024 FAFSA Submitted** February 1, 2023
- **CCAP Conditional Acceptance** March 31, 2023
- **Financial Aid Process Completed** June 1, 2023
- **CCAP Final Acceptance** July 15, 2023

What Happens Next?



If application process is complete and sufficient funding is available, a student will be offered Conditional CCAP. If offered CCAP, students must:

- **Accept the offer online by stated deadline.**
- **Complete the FAFSA/financial aid process by stated deadline.**

What Happens Next?



If offered CCAP Final Acceptance, students must:

- **Take the CCAP CSI Survey for new students.**
- **Complete VWCC Discover Orientation.**
- **Meet with Advisor & enroll in fall classes.**

What Happens Next?



Each semester of 3 yr. eligibility, CCAP students must:

- **Maintain minimum 2.5 GPA (2.0 for Roanoke City).**
- **Maintain minimum nine (9) credits of enrollment.**
- **Perform service-learning project with in-person and online components each fall & spring semester.**

Transfer Opportunities



TRANSFER ADVISING

Transfer to Virginia Tech

Transfer to Radford University

More Transfer Options



Transfer Virginia provides transparent, accessible, consistent, and current information to students throughout the college selection, enrollment, and transfer process. You can research, plan, and organize your college and transfer journey using the information and resources available within this portal from Virginia's participating institutions.

<https://www.virginiawestern.edu/transfer>

Transfer Opportunities



Ferrum College, Hollins University and Roanoke College offer incentive packages for successful CCAP students to continue their education after completing their degree at Virginia Western.



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Thank you.

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