## VIRGINIA WESTERN'S

## COMMUNITY COLLEGE ACCESS PROGRAM 1

2024-25



FOUNDED IN 2008, CCAP IS ONE OF THE COMMONWEALTH'S FIRST "FREE COLLEGE" PROGRAMS AND NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED FOR ITS UNIQUE PRIVATE-PUBLIC FUNDING MODEL. IT WAS DESIGNED TO MAKE COLLEGE POSSIBLE AT VIRGINIA WESTERN FOR ROANOKE VALLEY STUDENTS FROM ALL BACKGROUNDS, AND TO ADDRESS THE STUDENT DEBT CRISIS.

SINCE CCAP'S INCEPTION

## \$12.5 MILLION

## HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN TUITION ASSISTANCE

THAT INVESTMENT HAS HELPED ALLEVIATE DEBT FOR

4,810 STUDENTS

**CCAP STUDENTS HAVE VOLUNTEERED** 

39,956

HOURS OF COMMUNITY SERVICE

OF ALL RECENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES ENROLLED AT VIRGINIA WESTERN

40% PARTICIPATE IN CCAP

65% INTEND TO TRANSFER TO A FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTION

AVERAGE FROM 2020-24

ABOUT CCAP

- CCAP provides up to two years of tuition for high school graduates who meet program requirements, as funding allows. Students may also have the opportunity to receive tuition support for workforce credentials.
- ✓ The program is made possible thanks to a series of public/private partnerships drawing on support from individuals, businesses, foundations, local governments, community groups, alumni and friends.
- CCAP serves the entire Virginia Western Community College service region, including the counties of Botetourt, Craig, Franklin and Roanoke and the cities of Roanoke and Salem.
- ✓ Participants are required to volunteer four hours of community service each semester.