



Expect **more** at Northern Essex





THANK YOU

EXPECTED

5,233  
STUDENTS ATTENDED NECC IN THE FALL OF 2018

At Northern Essex Community College, your success is our top priority. Our small class sizes, accessible and caring faculty, and a student-support system second to none ensure that you will succeed at NECC. And our student life and experiential learning will guarantee that you have fun along the way!

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# VALUE

## COLLEGE COST\*

**2 YEARS NECC = \$13,600**

**2 YEARS NECC + 2 YEARS PUBLIC COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY = \$40,400**

**4 YEARS PUBLIC COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY = \$53,600**

**2 YEARS NECC + 2 YEARS PRIVATE COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY = \$85,260**

**4 YEARS PRIVATE COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY = \$143,320**

\*Based on tuition and fees. Source: 2018-19 figures according to College Board. NECC cost of attendance is based on December 2018 prices and is subject to change, please visit [www.necc.mass.edu](http://www.necc.mass.edu) for latest info.



Your college education shouldn't leave you drowning in debt. Whether you want to start at Northern Essex and transfer to a four-year college, or earn a degree or certificate to train for a career, Northern Essex is the most affordable option in the region.



- Art and Design
- Business
- Communication Arts
- Computer and Information Sciences
- Criminal Justice
- Deaf Studies
- Education
- Exploratory/Undecided
- Health
- Human Services
- Liberal Arts
- Performing Arts
- Science
- Technology and Engineering

# PROGRAMS



Health, business, criminal justice, engineering, liberal arts ... no matter what you are looking for, we have a program for you. With over 60 degrees and certificates to choose from, you are sure to find a major that is right for you!



A great way to enhance your college experience is to get involved with student life outside of the classroom. You will make new friends, develop new interests and skills, and increase your chances of academic and career success.

**NECC Clubs and Activities:**

- African Students Association
- Alpha Beta Gamma, Beta Omicron Chapter
- American Sign Language Club
- Amnesty International
- Anime Club
- Bacon Boardgamers
- Campus Culture
- Citrine

- Clinical Laboratory Science Club
- Commonwealth Honors
- Community Outreach Group
- Criminal Justice Club
- Dance Club
- Early Childhood Education Club
- Gender & Sexuality Alliance
- Global Politics

- Human Services Club
- Music & Choral Club
- NECC Observer (student newspaper)
- Nursing Club
- Parnassus Literary Arts Magazine
- Phi Theta Kappa — Honor Society
- Radiologic Technology Club
- Respiratory Care Club

- S.C.I.E.N.C.E. Club
- Student Government Association
- Student Leadership Development Program
- Students for a Democratic Society
- Top Notch Theater & Players
- Triple Threat Glee Club
- Veterans & Service Person's Organization

# STUDENT LIFE



# PERSONAL

# ATTENTION



No matter what your goals are, NECC has support services that can help you succeed. From choosing an academic program or a career path to receiving extra help with your classes through our tutoring center or learning accommodations, we have support services to help you succeed in college.



## SUPPORT SERVICES:

- Academic Advising
- Academic Centers
- Career Planning
- Childcare Options
- Computer Labs
- Counseling Services
- Learning Accommodations
- Libraries
- Pathways to Academic & Career Excellence (PACE)
- Student Success Hub
- Tutoring Centers
- Veterans' Services



TRANSFER

OPPORTUNITIES

**NECC STUDENTS TRANSFER TO THESE SCHOOLS AND MORE!**

- ▶ **UMASS LOWELL**
- ▶ **SOUTHERN NEW HAMPSHIRE UNIVERSITY**
- ▶ **MERRIMACK COLLEGE**
- ▶ **SALEM STATE UNIVERSITY**
- ▶ **UMASS AMHERST**
- ▶ **REGIS COLLEGE**
- ▶ **NORTHERN VERMONT UNIVERSITY-LYNDON**

If you know a bachelor's degree is your goal, starting at Northern Essex can save you thousands of dollars on your path to a four-year degree. Take advantage of the transfer programs that NECC has — including Bachelor's Degrees at NECC and MassTransfer — to help make your transfer process a smooth one.





# ATHLETICS



**12** Varsity Sports, as well as  
Recreation and a Wellness  
& Fitness Center

**Varsity sports include:**

- Men's Baseball
- Men's & Women's Basketball
- Men's & Women's Cross Country
- Men's & Women's Esports
- Men's Golf
- Men's Soccer
- Women's Softball
- Men's & Women's Track & Field
- Women's Volleyball



Become part of a team and succeed on the court or field, and in the classroom. NECC offers men's and women's basketball, cross country, esports, and track and field, as well as men's baseball, golf, and soccer, and women's softball and volleyball. With the help of an outstanding coaching staff, many NECC student athletes successfully go on to four-year colleges.







# FLEXIBILITY



NEARLY  
**30%**  
OF NECC STUDENTS  
TAKE ONLINE COURSES

OVER  
**65%**  
OF NECC STUDENTS  
ATTEND PART TIME



Think you can't fit one more thing into your busy schedule? Think again. At Northern Essex, you can take courses when they fit into your schedule – days, evenings, weekends, or online, which reduces the time you need to spend on campus.



# MOCC



# CAREER OPTIONS



Whether you are looking to train for a new career or advance in your current career, Northern Essex has certificates, degrees, and courses that will help you get ahead. You can also take advantage of workshops and internships to develop skills and gain real-world experience to succeed in the workplace.



**By 2020, 72%**  
of Massachusetts jobs will require some college education\*

\*Georgetown CEW



# SUCCESS

## HOW TO APPLY

- ✓ Apply for admission
- ✓ Apply for financial aid
- ✓ Take the academic placement assessment
- ✓ Meet with an advisor to develop a plan and register for classes

**CONTACT US TODAY** at [www.necc.mass.edu](http://www.necc.mass.edu), [admissions@necc.mass.edu](mailto:admissions@necc.mass.edu), or 978-556-3700 to learn more about Northern Essex Community College.



It's easy to get started! All you need to become a student at Northern Essex is a high school diploma or a GED/HiSET – there is no application fee – and no SAT scores are needed. Visit us online at [www.necc.mass.edu](http://www.necc.mass.edu) for more information or to plan a tour of the campus.

# more

## REASONS

**97%**

OF NECC GRADUATES  
TRANSFER/GET A JOB  
WITHIN A YEAR OF  
GRADUATION

**65** SHORT COURSE AND  
SEMESTER ABROAD  
PROGRAMS AVAILABLE  
IN OVER 65 COUNTRIES

**60+**  
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PUBLIC COLLEGES  
AND UNIVERSITIES.\*

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AVERAGE CLASS SIZE

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OF NECC STUDENTS  
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RECEIVE SOME SORT OF  
FINANCIAL AID

**12**  
VARSITY  
SPORTS

**20+**  
CLUBS

\*MASS DESE



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