We believe in serving our students and our communities. Your success is our mission.

LOCATIONS
Toledo-area Campus:
30335 Oregon Road.
Findlay-area Campus:
3200 Bright Road.
The Source:
1301 Monroe Street. Downtown Toledo.
Arrowhead Learning Center:
1724 Indian Wood Circle, Maumee

ACCREDITATION
Owens Community College is a comprehensive community college accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

ENROLLMENT
Owens serves 45,000 credit and non-credit students annually.

CLASS SIZE
Our average class size is 15 students.

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS
More than 130 program areas throughout our six schools.

ALUMNI: 30,364
FOUNDED: 1965
NICKNAME: The Express
COLORS: Red and white

Owens is an open-door institution. If you are a high school graduate, GED recipient, or already have a College or University degree, we have something for you at Owens.

experience
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Owens is a community college that focuses on your success, in fact; it’s our mission. We have resources to get you on the career path you’ve always wanted. And if you’re not sure what that path is yet, we can help you figure it out.

At Owens, you have a place to learn, grow and get ready to make your mark on the world.
Owens’ six schools consist of Arts and Sciences, Business, Health, Nursing, Technology and Public Safety.

For a complete list of our programs and certificates, go to www.owens.edu/academics
THE SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES offers applied degrees and transfer associate degree programs in conjunction with area four-year colleges and universities. There are more than 30 academic programs available in this School. Arts and Sciences taken at Owens Community College parallel the freshman and sophomore courses normally found at a four-year college or university.

THE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS offers a variety of degree and certificate programs designed to prepare you for success in today’s business environment. Master the necessary computer applications for your chosen field, broaden your communication and teamwork skills, learn critical thinking methods and solve problems that arise in organizational settings.
THE SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES will help prepare you to meet the standards of care mandated by employers and consumers of health care. The many quality academic program areas are designed to prepare graduates to succeed in health careers and adapt to evolving health care issues. Our expert faculty provide real-world knowledge through their experience in the health care industry.

THE SCHOOL OF NURSING provides quality education to students seeking initial licensure as a State Tested Nursing Assistant, Licensed Practical Nurse, Registered Nurse or Medical Assistant. The programs at Owens prepare graduates as caring professionals competent to practice in a variety of settings.
The School of Technical Education provides quality technical education that matches the needs of students and employers. The School is committed to preparing every student to succeed in the world of technical service and to make a productive contribution to society. These students will be able to initiate change as well as support and adapt to evolving technological issues. The School is also dedicated to updating technical knowledge and enhancing lifelong learning.

The School of Public Safety offers career programs and professional development opportunities in hands-on experiential learning environments. A broad range of degrees, certificates and courses reflect trends of today’s employment market. In all programs, you will benefit from expert faculty instruction, the latest technology and state-of-the-art facilities, certification courses and academies that prepare graduates to enter the workforce or advance professionally.
• Choose your major and the school to which you plan to transfer as soon as possible.
• Contact the admissions office where you want to transfer and learn the degree requirements for the degree you desire. Degree requirements vary from university to university as well as within the specific colleges and schools of a university. Information is available at www.transfer.org.
• Meet with an Owens advisor to outline your course of study for transfer.
• Work closely with an Owens advisor and the admission representative at your intended transfer school for the most up-to-date information. Visit the website calculator for financial comparisons.
• Speak to an admissions representative/advisor from the college/university at which you would like to complete your four-year degree. We have university and college representatives visit the Toledo and Findlay Campuses to serve you.

Owens students can complete their associate degree and transfer their credits to a 4-year college or university to continue their studies toward a Bachelor’s degree. We make transferring as seamless and easy as possible.

30% of Owens students go on to a four-year college or university.

OPPORTUNITY. DISTINCTION. RECOGNITION.
Owens offers a distinguished Honors Program for those students who wish to think critically in a wide variety of challenging courses. The program also facilitates student access to the College’s educational resources and provides an opportunity for outstanding students and faculty to engage in exciting learning experiences.
With over 60 clubs and organizations from Gamers United to Owens Dance Express to the Trivia Club, there truly is something for everyone!
If you are looking for campus activities, we’ve got them! Student Government and the Office of Student Activities hosts many throughout the year, including:

- Comedians
- Recording Artists
- NJCAA Tournament kick-off
- Spring Fling and Fall Fest
- Battle of the Bands
- Environmental Fair
- Tension Prevention
- HalloWeek
- Laser-tag
- Tent City
- Athletic team games

The Owens Outlook is an online college newspaper produced entirely by Owens students. Students from a variety of program areas and interests collaborate to produce a quality source of information for the College community. The Outlook covers everything from campus news and events to sports and arts & entertainment.

ARTISTIC EXPRESSION
Owens’ Center for Fine and Performing Arts (CFPA) provides a great atmosphere to highlight local talent and internationally-acclaimed performers. Students can attend various performances throughout the year from national music, dance and theatre companies. If you’re interested in acting, lighting, singing, behind-the-scenes work or playing a musical instrument, there are a number of student theater performances as well.
Brains and Brawn

Owens’ student-athletes are often recognized for their work on the field/court and in the classroom and earn many of the NJCAA’s top achievements, including:

- Academic All-American (11 athletes in 2010-2011)
- NJCAA All-American (Two athletes in 2010-2011)
- Academic All-Conference honors for scholarly achievement (30 athletes in 2010-2011)

Our Owens Express women’s softball team finished runners-up in the 2011 national tournament.

Owens offers a variety of men’s, women’s and coed intramural programs such as dodgeball, flag football, disc golf, bowling, billiards, basketball, volleyball and more.
**DINING ESTABLISHMENTS**

We have two dining options on the Toledo campus: Fireside Grill in College Hall and the Jaguar Grill in the SHAC. In Findlay you can dine at the Jaguar Grill in the Atrium. These offer fresh, healthy food items for you to grab a bite between classes. Save 10% by using your Express Card at these locations.

**WORKOUT FACILITIES**

Students can utilize the state-of-the-art Student Health and Activities Center (SHAC) for free. Features include aerobic studios, weightlifting areas, indoor track, performance courts for volleyball and basketball.

The Findlay Fitness Center offers a wide variety of cardio equipment and performance court for sports.

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**Around Campus**

**HASSLE-FREE PARKING**

There are designated yellow parking spaces in each parking lot for students. Parking passes are not required for students. As an added convenience, a free on-campus shuttle loops between the east and west sides of the Toledo campus approximately every 10-15 minutes.
Low tuition, financial aid, student employment opportunities and convenient payment plans combine to make your educational experience affordable.

**OSERVE** - Your smart stop for records, registration and finance.

**FINANCIAL AID**
If you need to apply for Financial Aid, you should first submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form. Complete it online at www.fafsa.gov

You will use your Tax Information to complete the application for student aid and ‘sign’ using your PIN.

Applications are available January 1 for the upcoming year and should be submitted as soon as possible after this date.

Owens Title IV school code is 005753.

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Grants are need-based financial aid from the federal government and Owens. They do not require repayment as long as the student completes the semester. Available grant programs include the Federal Pell Grant, the Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant, the Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant and the Owens Grant.

Loans are financial aid that must be repaid. Available loan programs include the Federal Direct Stafford Loan, the Federal Direct Parent PLUS Loan and the Nurse Education Assistance Loan Program (NEALP). Private (or “alternative”) loans are also available.

Federal Work Study is a form of financial aid paid to a student as wages from working that doesn’t count against FAFSA income the following year.

Scholarships are funds provided by the college or outside contributors to students based on criteria determined by the donor. Owens offers over 150 scholarships to new and returning students. We encourage students to fill out the online application form and see which scholarships might help finance their education.

Visit www.owens.edu/financial_aid/scholarships.html for more information.
These resources are provided to Owens students:

- Academic Advisors
- Counseling
- Disability Services
- Learning Center
- Ozone student website with email services
- Peer Mentors
- Student Health and Activities Center (SHAC) and Findlay Fitness Center
- Student Labs (math, science, writing)
- Success Mentors
- TARTA and on-campus bus service
- Testing Center
- Tutors
- Work/study program

**FIRST YEAR EXPERIENCE** (FYE 121)

This course will help new students (or those with 30 credits or less) learn about the College and the resources and skills needed to be a successful student.

**ADULT BASIC AND LITERACY EDUCATION** (ABLE)

Owens participates in ABLE, which provides free classes for adults needing to improve basic academic skills, to prepare for the GED exam, Compass placement test and English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) courses. (567) 661-2708.

If at any time you need assistance with your academic, professional or personal success your advisor is here to help. You are encouraged to meet with them on a regular basis.
**CULTURAL EXPERIENCE**
Our Office of International Services provides many opportunities to experience other cultures, including:
• Study Abroad program
• International Programs and Courses
• Foreign Language Courses
• International Clubs and Events

**TUTORING**
Tutoring services are available to students in any subject area. We also have a math lab, language lab, and writing lab available to you. These services are provided to our students at no cost.

**CAREER SERVICES**
Individuals in this office can help you write resumes and cover letters, explore career possibilities, connect with possible employers, and find on-campus employment. These services are free to Owens students and alumni. (567) 661-7501.

**VETERANS**
Owens is a Veterans friendly campus. Veterans attending Owens may be eligible to receive benefits through the Department of Veterans Affairs when pursuing most associate degree programs. To determine your eligibility, go to http://www.gibill.va.gov/

For more information on Veterans affairs, please call (567) 661-VETS (8387) or email vets@owens.edu.

**DISABILITY SERVICES**
Disability Services provides support services, information and guidance to students with disabilities who are attending or plan to attend Owens Community College. Services are coordinated for individuals with disabilities including, but not limited to, those with physical, learning, mental health, chronic health, or sensory related disabilities. To speak with someone from this office, please call (567) 661-7007.
From the minute you walk onto one of our campuses or learning centers, you get a sense of the pride that our students and faculty feel for Owens. You can see it on their t-shirts or hear it in their voices. This is a great place to be and we invite you to learn more about why you should experience Owens. Schedule a visit today!

EXPLORING CAMPUS VISIT
The Explore Owens visitation program offers opportunities for you to get familiar with the College. We have several visitation options and some special events that will give you a look at Owens’ academic programs, campus, student life, the registration process and more. We are here to help and answer your questions. Visit www.owens.edu/explore
Steps to getting started at Owens

1. Apply for admission. The application is available online at www.owens.edu
2. Visit – complete placement testing and new student orientation
3. Enroll – talk with your advisor and register for classes

Visit www.owens.edu/go for more information.

For additional assistance, please call 1-800-GO-OWENS, Ext. 7777 or email admissions@owens.edu