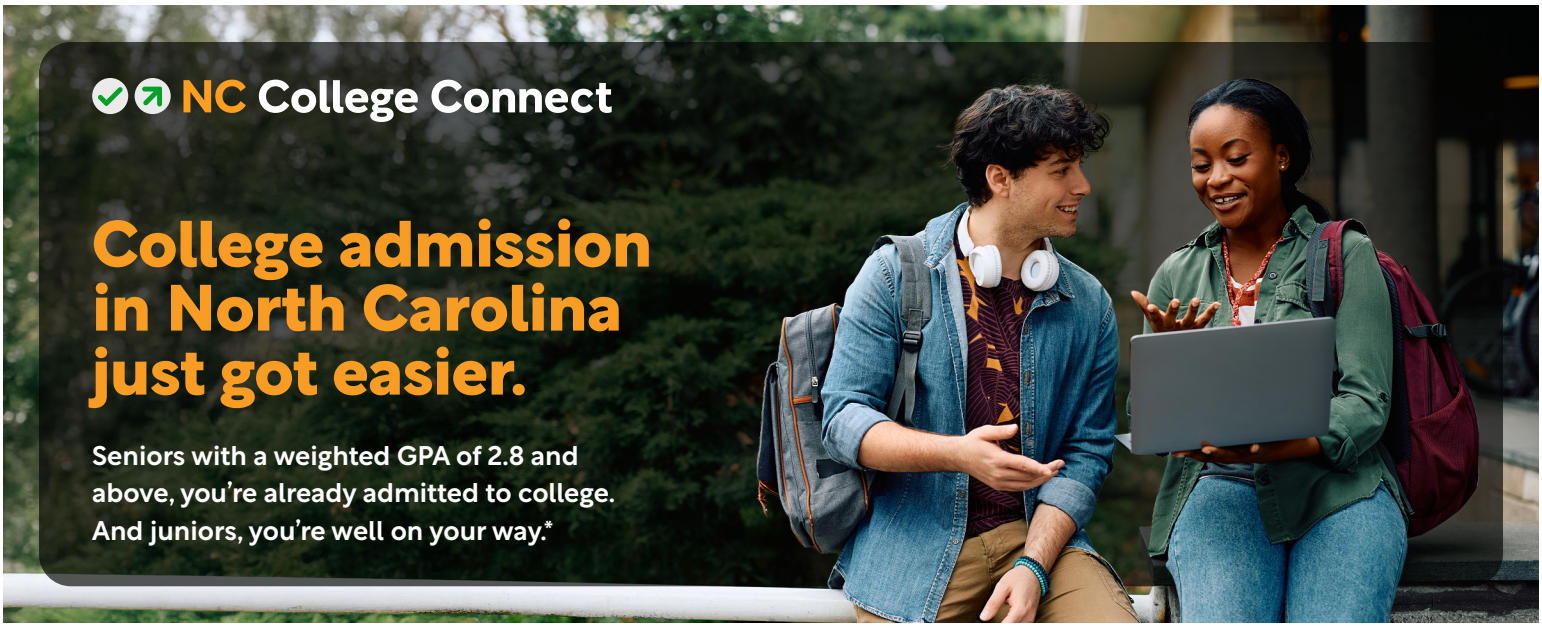

YOUR MOMENT HAS ARRIVED, AND THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO MEET IT HEAD ON. With NC College Connect, you can be directly admitted to participating colleges and universities where you already admissions requirements. No essays, test scores, or recommendation letters needed. Yes, it's that easy.

Seniors—if you had a 2.8 weighted GPA at the end of your junior year and meet NC College Connect requirements, you're already in! Not a senior just yet? You could be eligible for this program next year!

NC College Connect is a program that directly admits North Carolina public high school seniors to participating UNC System universities, North Carolina Independent Colleges and Universities, and their local North Carolina community college where they already meet admissions requirements.

If you've been admitted to college through NC College Connect, here's what you need to know:

1. To see what institutions you've been admitted to and accept your admission, scan the QR code on your letter (or the one below!) to visit **NCCollegeConnect.org.**
2. There you will find a "Claim My Spot" button that will take you to the NC College Connect portal if you are already logged into your CFNC account.
3. After logging in or creating a CFNC account, you will see a list of colleges and universities where you've been admitted. You'll just need to complete a short form to accept your admission at the institutions of your choice. You'll see formal acceptance letters in your portal as well.
4. For your local community college, the program will redirect to that institution's traditional application—but don't worry, you already meet application requirements and are already admitted! The application is quick and easy.
5. You only need to apply once—through NC College Connect—to reach participating institutions, with no need to complete separate applications through their traditional processes.

What are you waiting for?
Meet your momentum and explore your options at NCCollegeConnect.org.

Visit NCCollegeConnect.org or scan the QR code to see the full list of participating institutions, eligibility requirements, and learn how to accept your admission.

***Note:** Qualifying students must maintain their admitted GPA through senior year and maintain NC College Connect course requirements.*

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2025–2026 NC College Connect Participating Institutions

These schools are participating in NC College Connect to provide direct admission—which means if you're a North Carolina public high school senior with a 2.8 weighted GPA and above, who meets NC College Connect requirements, you've already been admitted to some of these schools. Your GPA will determine the list of schools where you've been admitted—so visit your portal to see your list of matched institutions!

UNC System Institutions

- Appalachian State University
- East Carolina University
- Elizabeth City State University
- Fayetteville State University
- North Carolina Central University
- University of North Carolina Asheville
- University of North Carolina at Charlotte
- University of North Carolina at Greensboro
- University of North Carolina at Pembroke
- Western Carolina University
- Winston-Salem State University

North Carolina Independent Colleges and Universities

- Barton College
- Belmont Abbey College*
- Bennett College*
- Brevard College
- Campbell University
- Catawba College
- Chowan University
- Gardner-Webb University*
- Greensboro College
- Guilford College*
- Johnson C. Smith University*
- Lees-McRae College
- Lenoir- Rhyne University*
- Livingstone College
- Louisburg College
- Mars Hill University*
- Meredith College*
- Methodist University
- Montreat College
- Mid-Atlantic Christian University
- North Carolina Wesleyan University
- Pfeiffer University
- Saint Augustine's University
- Salem College*
- Shaw University
- University of Mount Olive
- Warren Wilson College
- William Peace University
- Wingate University*

**These colleges and universities have additional requirements for a student to qualify for direct admission. These requirements will be noted in each institution's NC College Connect form.*

North Carolina Community Colleges

***Note:** A student's portal will reflect their local community college—and their portal will provide the option to complete the full application since there are no essays or recommendations required for community colleges. Students are welcome to apply to additional community colleges, beyond the one they've been matched with, if interested.*

- Alamance Community College
- Asheville-Buncombe Technical College
- Beaufort County Community College
- Bladen Community College
- Blue Ridge Community College
- Brunswick Community College
- Caldwell Community College and Technical Institute
- Cape Fear Community College
- Carteret Community College
- Catawba Valley Community College
- Central Carolina Community College
- Central Piedmont Community College
- Cleveland Community College
- Coastal Carolina Community College
- College of the Albemarle
- Craven Community College
- Davidson-Davie Community College
- Durham Technical Community College
- Edgecombe Community College
- Fayetteville Technical Community College
- Forsyth Technical Community College
- Gaston College
- Guilford Technical Community College
- Halifax Community College
- Haywood Community College
- Isothermal Community College
- James Sprunt Community College
- Johnston Community College
- Lenoir Community College
- Martin Community College
- Mayland Community College
- McDowell Technical Community College
- Mitchell Community College
- Montgomery Community College
- Nash Community College
- Pamlico Community College
- Piedmont Community College
- Pitt Community College
- Randolph Community College
- Richmond Community College
- Roanoke-Chowan Community College
- Robeson Community College
- Rockingham Community College
- Rowan-Cabarrus Community College
- Sampson Community College
- Sandhills Community College
- South Piedmont Community College
- Southeastern Community College
- Southwestern Community College
- Stanly Community College
- Surry Community College
- Tri-County Community College
- Vance-Granville Community College
- Wake Technical Community College
- Wayne Community College
- Western Piedmont Community College
- Wilkes Community College
- Wilson Community College