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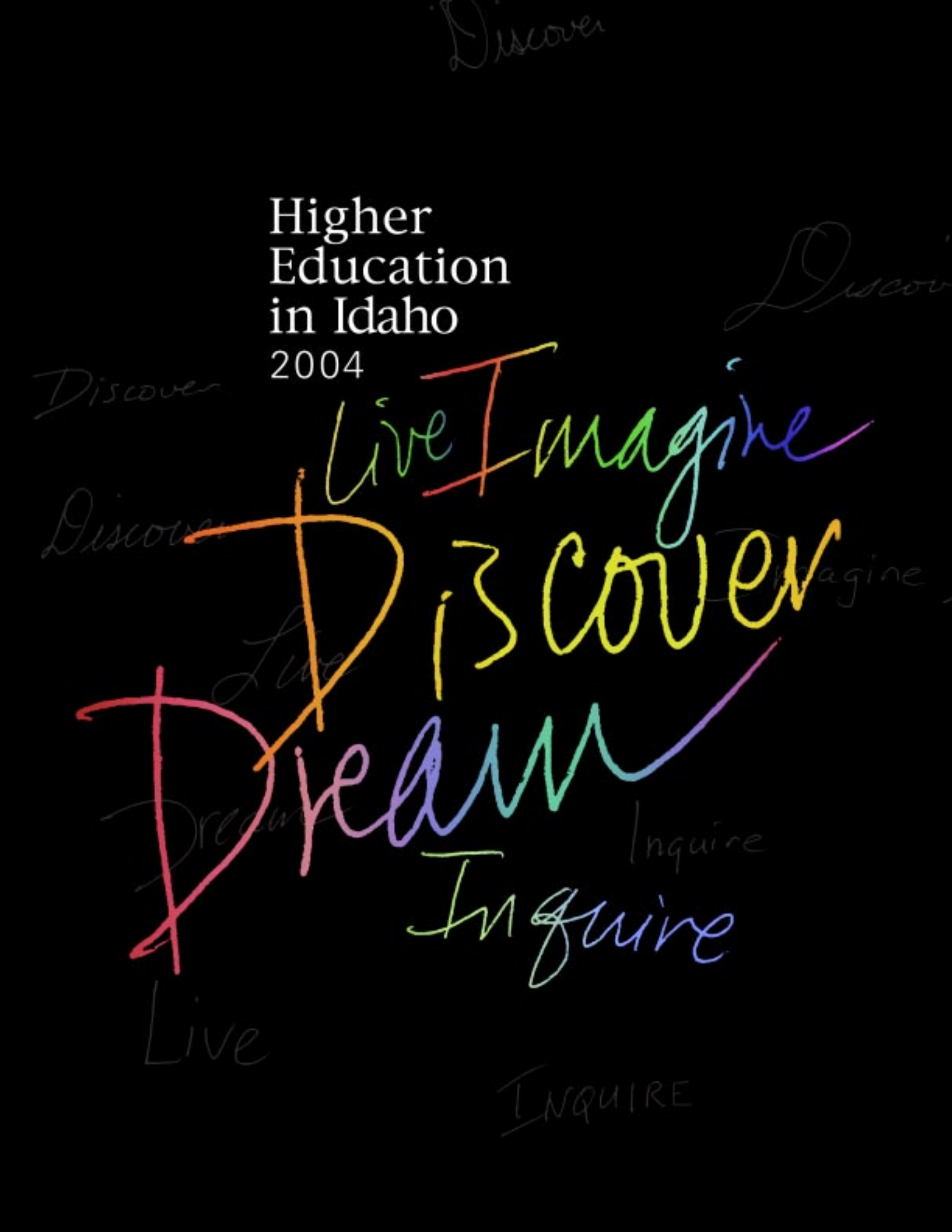

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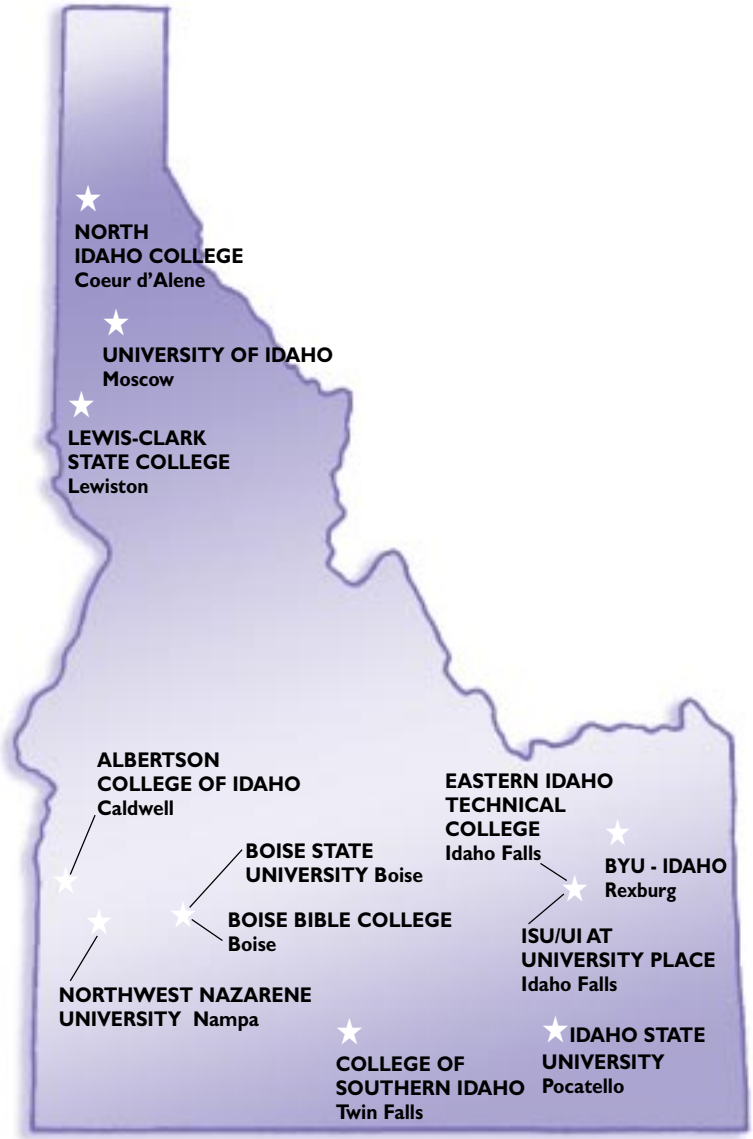

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Are you ready for college???

Student's Step-By-Step Planning Guide

Discover the possibilities for life after high school. If you've decided to attend college, or even if you're not sure yet, you'll find this planning guide helpful as you prepare for the career of your dreams. REMEMBER. . . DON'T WAIT TOO LATE, START NOW!

Junior Year - Fall

- ❑ Start investigating post-high school education opportunities and research the different types of schools and training opportunities available.
- ❑ Choose a specific career that you'd like to pursue and visit with your high school guidance counselor regarding schools that will fulfill your educational and career goals.
- ❑ Review your recent and current class schedules with your school counselor to verify that you have taken, or are taking, those classes that will help you succeed in college and in your career.
- ❑ Attend career and college fairs and presentations.
- ❑ List the schools you are considering and send for literature. Request their admissions and financial aid information also. Find out if the school requires ACT or SAT. Also ask how many applications they require, such as for admission, financial aid, and scholarships.
- ❑ Maintain good records during this entire process. Make copies of everything you send.
- ❑ Read all college materials you receive carefully. Decide what you want from an institution: major, location, athletics, reputation, etc. Then, compare the requirements for admission and financial aid. (The College Comparison Sheet, found on the next page, should be helpful to you.)
- ❑ If you did not take the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test (PSAT) in the 10th grade, take it now to prepare for college admissions tests and to establish eligibility for the National Merit Scholarship.
- ❑ Acquire a study guide for the ACT/SAT and start to prepare for the test.

Junior Year - Spring

- ❑ Take the SAT and/or ACT (depending on what is required by the institutions you're interested in attending.) Your high school guidance counselor can provide you with the test dates and descriptive brochures.
- ❑ Start to narrow your list of post-high school options. Make plans to visit the facilities that are most appealing to you.
- ❑ Research scholarship opportunities and visit at least two types of colleges; i.e., large/small, community college/university, academic/technical.
- ❑ Contact organizations sponsoring scholarships that you're eligible for and request information.
- ❑ Develop a resume of high school activities and awards, if you haven't already done so, and update as needed.
- ❑ Find a summer job to set aside money for school.
- ❑ Start submitting applications to schools of your choice. Some colleges will accept applications once your junior year is completed. Keep copies of everything you send.

Senior Year - Fall

- ❑ Double check that you are taking the courses that will meet the admissions requirements of the post-high school institution that you are planning to attend.
- ❑ Take the SAT or ACT again if you need a higher score to meet admission requirements, to be eligible for certain scholarships, or if you didn't take it your junior year.
- ❑ Apply to the colleges you are considering EARLY. Generally, during December, January, or February you may apply for regular admission.
- ❑ Watch for important scholarship and financial aid information and visit your counselor for scholarship opportunities and applications. Be aware of deadlines and plan accordingly.
- ❑ Think about what you want to say in your college essay.
- ❑ Ask teachers to write letters of recommendation for you if they are required for admission or scholarships.

Senior Year - Winter

- ❑ Work with your parents to collect financial aid information and attend financial aid workshops together.
- ❑ Pick up a financial aid application and submit. The most commonly used form in Idaho to seek federal financial aid is the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Get it ready and mail the FAFSA after January 1. You may also need to fill out a separate form for institutional or state aid.
- ❑ Keep working on scholarship and financial aid applications. Remember to respond immediately to any requests for more information or for additional documents in your financial aid application.
- ❑ Who's home from college for the holidays? Visit with them about their college experience.
- ❑ Remind your parents to prepare their income tax statements as early as possible, since a photocopy of their return must be sent to most schools to which you have applied.

Senior Year - Spring

- ❑ Read all of your mail!! There may be important news.
- ❑ You should be hearing from colleges now. After you receive letters of acceptance and financial aid awards, decide which school you'll attend.
- ❑ Mail in your acceptance form and deposit check as soon as possible. Pay attention to all deadlines and make sure that your applications are sent in on time. Ask about campus housing deadlines, specifically, because student housing fills up quickly.

- ❑ Review the financial aid package of the school of your choice with your parents. Be sure you understand each type of aid offered. Schedule an appointment with the school's financial aid director if you have questions. Don't forget to sign the financial aid award letter and return it by the deadline.
- ❑ Notify the financial aid office of the scholarships that you are receiving.
- ❑ Decline offers received from other institutions or organizations in writing.
- ❑ Complete any separate applications for loans you decide to accept.
- ❑ Participate in orientation programs for incoming freshmen offered by the school of your choice.

Congratulations on graduating from high school and good luck in your new adventure!

Source: Adapted from Step-by-Step Planning Guide at http://www.collegeview.com and the National Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators.

The College Comparison Sheet

Choose three schools of interest to you. Use this sheet to compare the schools to help you determine which school will best satisfy your educational and career goals.

SCHOOL PROFILE	SCHOOL #1	SCHOOL #2	SCHOOL #3
GENERAL INFORMATION			
School Name			
Mailing Address			
City, State Zip			
Telephone			
Type of School			
Accreditation			
Class Size			
Student/Teacher Ratio			
LOCATION/CLIMATE			
STUDENT BODY			
Total Enrollment			
Male/Female Ratio			
Full-time Students			
Part-time Students			
Avg. Age			
MAJORS OFFERED			
STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES			
ADMISSIONS			
Requirements			
Procedures			
Entrance Difficulty			
Entrance Exams/Essays			
Require ACT or SAT			
Deadlines			
COSTS			
Tuition & Fees			
Books & Supplies			
Room & Board			
STUDENT HOUSING OPTIONS			
Deadlines			
FINANCIAL AID AVAILABLE			
Deadlines			
SPECIAL PROGRAMS OR SERVICES			
CAMPUS AMENITIES			

CIS...

Career Information For You

Learn about different occupations
What people do in different jobs, how much they earn, what employers look for when hiring.

Learn about colleges and technical schools
What prospective students need to know: costs, admission and financial aid procedures, programs offered. Plus information about athletics and housing, along with people to contact and web site links—for schools in *and* outside of Idaho.

Understand education and training
Information to help you decide on a college major or training options: what kind of work the program prepares you for, how long different programs last, what degrees are available.

Find scholarships and financial aid
CIS describes hundreds of different *sources* of financial aid—many *thousands* of scholarships, loans, and grants. You can also get a list of scholarships, both Idaho-based and national, that match your education plans and personal characteristics.

Sort through your options
You can create lists of schools, scholarships, and occupations that fit your personal characteristics and goals.

Prepare to find a job
What should a resume look like? What will they ask during an interview? Where can you find job leads? What employers should you consider? Answers to these questions and more are in CIS.

CIS has volumes of information to help you make informed decisions. Use it to spark your imagination and to map out your plan for high school and beyond!

Plus . . .
- Suggested time lines to follow, definitions of terms, and answers to common questions to help you understand the ***financial aid*** process
- Advice on choosing a school or program of study
- Information to help you decide whether the military or an apprenticeship is the right training approach for you
- Suggestions to help you find, interview for, and keep a job.

CIS is available at most Idaho high schools, and on the Internet.

Ask your counselor about using CIS at school or on the 'net'.

The Career Information System
CIS

http://www.idahocis.org

Idaho Colleges at a glance

	Location & Phone Number	Type of School	Minimum Course Length & Degree	Maximum Course Length & Degree	Technical Training	Entrance Test Required	Other Application Materials Required
Albertson College of Idaho *see page 8*	Caldwell (208) 459-5305 (800) 224-3246	4-year private liberal arts college	4-year Baccalaureate	4-year Baccalaureate Master's	No	ACT or SAT	High school transcript or GED
Boise Bible College *see page 10*	Boise (208) 376-7731 (800) 893-7755	4-year private Bible college	1-year Certificate	4-year Baccalaureate	No	ACT or SAT	High school transcript or GED
Boise State University *see page 12*	Boise (208) 426-1820 (800) 824-7017, #4	4-year university, graduate school and technical school	15 week Postsecondary Technical Certificate	4-year Baccalaureate, Master's, Doctorate	Yes	ACT or SAT	High school transcript or GED
BYU-Idaho *see page 14*	Rexburg (208) 496-1036	4-year private university	2-year Associate Degree	4-year Baccalaureate	Yes	ACT or SAT	High school transcript essay and interview
College of Southern Idaho *see page 16*	Twin Falls (208) 733-9554 (800) 6800-CSI	Community college and technical school	9-month Technical Certificate	2-year Associate	Yes	COMPASS	High school transcript or GED
Eastern Idaho Technical College *see page 18*	Idaho Falls (208) 524-3000 (800) 662-0261	Technical college	9-month Technical Certificate	2-year Associate Applied Science	Yes	COMPASS	High school transcript or GED
Idaho State University *see page 20*	Pocatello (208) 282-3277 College of Technology (208) 282-2622	4-year university, graduate school and professional-technical	2-month Postsecondary Technical Certificate education	4-year Baccalaureate, Master's, Doctorate	Yes	Academic: ACT or SAT; College of Tech.: COMPASS	High school transcript or GED ACT or SAT
Lewis-Clark State College *see page 22*	Lewiston (208) 792-LCSC (800) 933-LCSC	4-year liberal arts college and professional technical school	9-month Professional Technical Certificate	4-year Baccalaureate	Yes	COMPASS, ACT or SAT	High school transcript or GED
North Idaho College *see page 24*	Coeur d'Alene (208) 769-3267	Community College and professional-technical school	9-month Professional-Tech. Certificate	2-year Associate	Yes	COMPASS, ACT or SAT	High school transcript or GED
Northwest Nazarene University *see page 26*	Nampa (208) 467-8000 (877) 668-4968	4-year Christian liberal arts university	4-year Baccalaureate	4-year Baccalaureate, Master's	No	ACT	High school transcript or GED
University of Idaho *see page 28*	Moscow (208) 885-6163 1-88-88-UIDAHO	4-year university, graduate school and law school	4-year Baccalaureate	4-year Baccalaureate, Master's, Doctorate, Juris Doctorate	No	ACT or SAT	High school transcript or GED

ACT: American College Test
FAFSA: Free Application for Federal Student Aid
CLEP: College Level Equivalency Program
CPT: Computerized Placement Test
SAT: Scholastic Assessement Test
ASSET Test: American College Test Basic Skills Assessment
COMPASS: Computerized Adoptive Placement Assessment and Support System

Application Fee	Enrollment Deadline	Tuition & Fees for 9-Month School Year*	9-Month Room & Board	Application Used for Financial Aid	FAFSA Code Number	Scholarship Application Deadline	Advanced Placement CLEP	Total Enrollment	ROTC Reserve Officer Training
$50 paper $20 online	5 days after classes begin	$13,900	Average $5,000	FAFSA	001617	Feb.15	AP Yes CLEP No	824	No
$25	Aug. 15	$6,000	$4,200 to $5,250	BBC and FAFSA	015783	May 1	AP Yes CLEP Yes	130	No
$30	Fall: July 14 Spring: Dec. 2	Resident: $3,251 Non-resident: $9,971	$4,168** to $5,126**	FAFSA	001616	Feb. 15	AP Yes CLEP Yes	17,745	Yes
$30	Feb. 15	LDS: $2,554 Non-LDS: $3,830	Average $3,874**	FAFSA	001625	Feb. 15	AP Yes CLEP Yes	10,200	Yes
None	2 weeks after semester begins	Resident: $1,650 Non-resident: $4,600	Average $3,560	Admission App. and FAFSA	001619	March 1	AP Yes CLEP Yes	7,000	No
$10	5 days after classes begin	Resident: $1,504 Non-resident: $5,246	Not Available on Campus	Admission; FAFSA and Institutional F. A. Apps.	011133	Fall, Mar. 1 Spring, Nov. 1	AP Yes CLEP Yes	1,356	No
$30	Fall: Aug. 1 Spring: Dec. 1	Resident: $3,448 Non-resident: $10,048	Average $4,680**	FAFSA	001620	Feb. 20	AP Yes CLEP Yes	13,352	Yes
$35	5 days after classes begin	$3,126	$2,080 to $4,145**	FAFSA	001621	March 1	AP Yes CLEP Yes	3,100	Yes
$25	Aug. 5 (priority deadline)	$1,696 incounty Non-resident $5,788	$5,400	NIC and FAFSA	001623	March 15	AP Yes CLEP Yes	4,400	No
$25	App. Deadline Aug. 8 -Fall Dec. 15 -Spring	$15,060	$4,440	NNU and FAFSA	001624	Priority date of Feb. 15	AP Yes CLEP Yes	1,190	Yes
$40	Two weeks after semester begins	Resident: $3,348 Non-resident: $10,740	$4,868	UI and FAFSA	001626	Priority Date of Feb. 15	AP Yes CLEP Yes	12,423	Yes

* Tuition and fees are subject to change. Check with admissions office for current tuition and fees.
**Cost varies depending on accommodations and meal plan.

Albertson College of Idaho Caldwell

Albertson College of Idaho is a small, four-year, private liberal arts college located in Caldwell, Idaho, just 25 miles west of Boise. As the oldest four-year institution of higher education in Idaho, ACI was started in 1884 by the Wood River Presbytery, with classes beginning in 1891. The college seeks students who desire a challenging academic environment with close faculty contact.

Academic Information

Small classes and excellent faculty contribute to a high quality of education at Albertson College of Idaho. Students have ready access to their professors. Rigorous curriculum and stimulating teaching create an exciting academic atmosphere.

Opportunities for Students

Quality Instruction: 94% faculty hold the highest degree in their field.

Access to Faculty: ACI has one full-time faculty for every 13 students plus additional part time faculty.

Field Experiences: Students are encouraged to take part in an off-campus study or internship. Experiences include:

- Faculty-led trips abroad during the winter session. Recently our students have studied in Italy, France, Ireland, Australia, Costa Rica, Germany and Cuba.
- Full-year international exchanges.
- Internships include Disneyland, Weyerhauser, Smithsonian Institute and the White House.
- Many classes and labs involve outside experience.

Faculty/student ratio 1/13
Average Class Size 15
Total Enrollment 824
Majors 26

What does it cost?

Below are the estimated costs for a full-time undergraduate student. Personal and transportation expenses will vary depending on circumstances.

	Year
Tuition	$13,900
Fees	400
Room & board*	5,000
Books & supplies**	800
Total	$20,100

*Double room, meal plan
**Estimated

For More Information:

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Web Address

http://www.albertson.edu

Transfer of Credits: Academic credits earned at other institutions generally transfer to Albertson without difficulty.

Winter Session: The six-week winter session provides a variety of educational opportunities. In addition to traditional course work, interdisciplinary and theme-oriented classes are offered. Faculty-led trips are also available during this time. Upcoming trips: Germany, England, Greece, Italy, Turkey,Cuba and Australia.

Advanced Placement & CLEP: AP test scores are generally accepted with a score of three or above. Call for details.

Student Success

- More than 50% of graduates continue at graduate or professional schools.
- 90% acceptance rate of students into medical school, law school, and graduate school.

2002/03 Freshman Class Profile

- Average GPA 3.5.
- Average ACT 25.
- Average SAT 1150.

Campus Life

Students are the essence of ACI college life and are involved in all aspects of campus activities. ACI's small enrollment allows students to become part of a variety of groups with a wide range of interests.

CampusClubs/ Organizations

Social and service organizations are active on campus including:

- Fraternities and sororities.
- Academic clubs.
- Debate.
- Church-related clubs.
- Outdoor program.
- Political and social action groups.

Cultural Events and Entertainment

The Program Council plans campus events including dances, parties and homecoming events. The Fine Arts Series includes films, lectures, plays, operas, speakers and concerts.

Student Services

- Career Counseling.
- Study Skills.
- Campus Health Center.
- Campus Minister.

Sports and Recreation

- NAIA school teams: Men/women's basketball, Men/Women's, soccer, golf, softball, skiing; men's baseball and women's volleyball, women's tennis, men's/women's swimming, men's/women's cross-country skiing, and men's/women's long-distance running.
- 1996 NAIA men's basketball national champions.
- Intramurals: active, student-run program open to all students.
- 1998 men's baseball national champions.
- Students find hiking, camping, skiing, fishing, rock climbing, mountain biking, and white-water rafting all within an hour's drive of campus.

Admission Requirements

ACI strives to admit those who show promise of real growth and who will contribute to various programs as well as benefit from ACI's individualized approach to teaching.

Prospective Students Must Submit

- Albertson College of Idaho (ACI) or Common Application.
- $50 paper fee or $20 online fee.
- Official high school transcript.
- ACT or SAT scores.
- Interview strongly encouraged.

Financial Aid

ACI strives to make Albertson College affordable to all.

- 98% of students receive financial aid.
- Large percentage of aid based on achievement rather than need.
- FAFSA application required.

Types of Awards

- Merit: Based on GPA, ACT or SAT scores.
- Performance: Available for art, music, theater, debate and athletics (tryout or audition required).
- Need-Based: Students must file the Free Application For Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- National Merit Scholar: Scholarships are available for finalists, semi-finalists and commended students.

Housing

Our residence halls provide great opportunities for social life, leadership and forming lifelong friendships.

- Four coed residence halls.
- Single and double rooms.
- Two years on-campus living required.
- Honors residence hall.
- On-campus apartments.

Campus Visits

ACI encourages both students and parents to visit, particularly during the week. ACI will provide student lodging in a residence hall, meals in the dining commons and a personalized campus tour. When visiting, students are encouraged to sit in on a class or visit with professors. Call to arrange your visit.

Boise Bible College
Boise

Founded in 1945 by independent Christian churches, Boise Bible College (BBC) is a private, non-denominational Bible college which is producing graduates in high demand to serve in the specialized Christian vocations of the twenty-first century.

BBC's purpose is to prepare students for full-time Christian ministry, to serve as church leaders and to provide students with an environment that fosters spiritual enrichment.

Faculty/student ratio 1/12
Average Class Size 18
Total Enrollment 130
Majors 5

What does it cost?

Below are the estimated costs for a full-time student. Personal and transportation expenses will vary depending on circumstances.

	Year
Tuition (includes fees)	$6,000
Room & board*	4,200
Books & supplies**	300
Total	$10,500

*Double room, meal plan
**Estimated

For More Information:

Phone
(208) 376-7731
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Academic Programs

Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, Associate of Science, Bible Certificate, and intercollegiate cooperative programs for students who wish to pursue teaching certification.

Campus Life

BBC's suburban campus in western Boise is a quiet, safe place to live, study and play. Campus housing is available for single students. The Boise River Greenbelt is 5 minutes from campus, and rock climbing or mountain biking in the Foothills is nearby. The Freshman Whitewater Rafting Trip during Orientation Week and the All-School Retreat in September help new students adapt quickly to student life and make friends at BBC. Sports, music, drama, and service activities are available for students who choose to participate.

Admissions Requirements

BBC seeks to admit students who show promise for ministry. Students are granted acceptance based on criteria such as leadership, character, and academic ability. An interview is encouraged, but not required. Prospective students must submit:

- BBC Application, $25 fee, and photo
- Official high school transcript
- Recommendations from a minister, a teacher, and a personal reference

Financial Aid

BBC seeks to reward achievement by creating financial aid opportunities based on academic and leadership performance. Academic scholarships are renewable beyond the freshman year and are worth up to 40% of a student's tuition. Both the FAFSA and a BBC application are required for financial aid consideration.

Campus Visits

Perspective - Campus visit open to juniors and seniors. Perspective 2003 will be held October 3 & November 7.

Preview - Campus visit & youth rally for all high school students. Preview 2004 will be April 15-17.

Private visits - Students are welcome to visit campus at their convenience.

For more information about Perspective and Preview, or to schedule a visit, please contact the BBC Admissions Office.

How Do I Avoid Scholarship Scams?

If you have to pay money to get money, it's probably a scam.

Finding financial aid is no simple task. Financial aid experts advise students to be prepared to put in hours of research and paperwork. Unfortunately, many students and their families are overwhelmed by the work involved and are still unaware of the free sources of financial aid information. They end up paying hundreds of dollars to companies offering to help them find money for college. These services use information about the student and family to provide information about scholarships for which the student "may" be eligible. In addition to providing scholarship source lists, some of these services claim to actually help with students' applications, or "do the work for you."

People who have paid for such services report problems, such as out-of-date scholarship contact names and addresses, or scholarships that are strictly for people of another race, gender, or age group appearing on a "personalized" list furnished by the service. Some of the listed scholarships are for specific disciplines and many students are ineligible. Many sources on the lists actually turn out to be either loan programs or contests. Some fraudulent companies require the student to apply for every scholarship or grant on the company's list and to provide proof of rejection for each one before giving any refund, conditions that are not disclosed until after the student pays the up-front fee. Because many of the sources on the lists don't provide scholarships or have expired deadlines, it may be impossible for consumers to obtain the required rejection letters.

Be wary of scholarships with an application fee, scholarship-matching services who guarantee success, advance-fee loan scams, and sales pitches disguised as financial aid "seminars." Compare the private search company's offer to the information available before paying for this information. About 95 percent of college aid comes from state or federal government agencies. If students are suspicious of a scholarship offer, they should visit their high school guidance counselor, or those out of high school should call or visit a college financial aid office.

Idaho Attorney General's Consumer Protection Unit

According to the Idaho Office of the Attorney General, "students and their parents should realize that applying for college aid is hard work and that only the student can complete applications, gather recommendations, and write the essays required. No company is going to do all that even for a large fee."

For example:

Only students and their parents have the information required to compute "official" financial need; to accurately complete government and institutional financial aid forms; to understand their own goals and preferences; and to sort through the thousands of scholarships, loans, and grants that are available each year.

Once a list of prospective sources of aid is assembled, only the student can complete the application materials. At a minimum, there will be an application form to fill out, as well as projects, a resume, a letter, or a collection of references.

The Idaho Attorney General's Consumer Protection Unit has a tip sheet that discusses services that offer financial aid searches for a fee. You can access this tip sheet by calling 1-800-432-3545, or go online to www.state.id.us/ag/. (Once you access this web site, click on Consumer Protection, click Tip Sheets and Information, and then click on Searching for Scholarships.)

For more information about local and national scholarships, visit the Idaho Career Information System website at www.idahocis.org.

Source: Idaho Career Information System (CIS).

Boise State University
Boise

If you would like a quality, hands-on education that will enhance your career preparation, and the exciting opportunities of a dynamic city, Boise State University is the place to look. The Boise State experience includes a safe environment, affordable classes, friendship and fun.

Faculty/student ratio 1/18
Average Class Size 28
Total Enrollment 17,745
Majors 182

What does it cost?

Below are the estimated costs for a full-time undergraduate student.

2003-2004 Academic Year

Fees* $3,251
Room & board** 4,371
Books*** 920
Total $8,542
Nonresidents
add tuition of $6,720

*An additional $737/year health insurance fee will be included in your bill. However, you may complete a waiver prior to the fee payment deadline if you already have coverage.
**Double room, 15 meal plan.
***Estimated.

For More Information:

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BOISE STATE UNIVERSITY

Academic Information

Think, ask, analyze, question and adapt. At Boise State, opportunities for learning extend well beyond the four walls of our classrooms. Located in Idaho's capital city, you can integrate classroom learning with experiences that bring knowledge to life. At Boise State you will receive a Real Education for the Real World.

Dedicated Faculty

Full-time faculty teach most classes.

- Many are recognized leaders in their fields.
- Faculty are approachable and easy to get to know.
- Faculty provide one-to-one student advising.
- Full-time academic faculty with doctoral degrees: 90%.
- Since 1992 seven Boise State faculty have been named Idaho Professor of the Year.

Opportunities for Students

Internships: More than 1,150 Boise State students participate in internships each year to complement classroom learning. Hands-on experience is available:

- With many Fortune 500 companies.
- In all fields and majors.
- In several countries.

Honors Program: Independent and participatory learning.

- Real world issues and solutions.
- Small classes and independent study options.
- Research Fellowships.

Advanced Placement & CLEP: AP test scores and credit for prior learning are accepted. Call the New Student Information Center for details.

Transfer of Credits: Credits earned at other accredited institutions generally transfer to Boise State. Transfer guides are available for Idaho's 2-year colleges online.

Programs: Choose from 182 nationally recognized programs offered by Boise State's eight colleges.

Degrees: Associate, Baccalaureate, Master's, Doctorate and Applied Technology Programs.

Campus Life

Making friends and being a part of campus life is the definitive Boise State experience. Whether you are cheering for Bronco sports, attending a concert sponsored by the Student Programs Board, or repairing housing for the homeless with the Volunteer Services Board, at Boise State there is a place for everyone to be involved in campus life.

Campus Clubs/ Organizations

Students can get involved with 166 active clubs and organizations at Boise State, including:

- Academic clubs.
- Student government.
- Professional organizations.
- Political and social action groups.
- Intramural sports teams.
- Religious organizations.

Cultural Events and Entertainment

Downtown Boise — just across the river! Rated one of the nation's most desirable places to live, Boise offers so much, so close to campus.

- Films, lectures, plays, operas, speakers, and concerts.
- Major shopping malls.
- Alpine skiing and mountain biking.
- 25 miles of hiking and bicycling trails on the Boise River Greenbelt.
- Whitewater rafting.

Sports and Recreation

NCAA Division 1-A, WAC Conference teams.

- Men's sports: basketball, cross country, football, golf, indoor track and field, outdoor track and field, tennis and wrestling.
- Women's sports: basketball, cross country, golf, gymnastics, indoor track and field, outdoor track and field, skiing, soccer, tennis and volleyball.
- Weightlifting facilities, swimming pool and jogging track.
- Student Recreation Center has premier equipment and activities that range from yoga to kickboxing.
- Outdoor Center sponsors cooperative adventures and provides various equipment for rent.
- Prospective athletes can e-mail coaches for more information at www.broncosports.com

Student Services

- Modern computer labs with free on-campus e-mail and internet accounts throughout campus.
- The Gateway Center for Academic Support provides academic tutoring, new student orientation programs and class advising.
- Students can check-out wireless laptops in the Student Union Building.
- International Programs Office assists students with national student exchange and international study abroad opportunities.
- Career Center offers career counseling and assists students with resume and interview skills.
- Student Employment Office assists students with finding part-time on and off campus employment to help with educational expenses.
- 24-hour Campus Security.

Admission Requirements

Freshman admission is tied to an index system that takes GPA and ACT or SAT scores into account. The overall index gives more weight to high school grades than test scores. Students must complete all coursework for the Idaho Admissions Core for general admission. Plan to apply early in your senior year. For details about admission, contact the New Student Information Center.

Prospective Students Must Submit

- Admission Application by July 14, 2004.
- $30 application fee.
- Official high school transcript.
- ACT or SAT test scores.

Financial Aid

Boise State distributes more than $47 million dollars annually in financial aid.

Types of Awards

- Merit: Scholarships based on scholastic achievement and involvement. Admission application materials must be received by February 15, 2004.
- Performance: Scholarships available for art, music, theatre and athletics (audition required).
- Need-Based: Students must file the Free Application For Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). February 15 is the priority deadline.

Housing

Because on-campus housing is more than just a place to sleep and eat, Boise State's residence halls offer a unique living environment with convenience and comfort.

- Four on-campus residence halls.
- Specialized theme floors that promote student interests.
- Rooms include free internet and phone access, air conditioning and cable television.
- Single and double rooms are available as well as a variety of floor plans.
- New residence halls housing 340 students will open in Fall 2004.

Campus Visits

Visit the Boise State campus anytime during the year. Choose from any or all of these options:

- Tour the campus.
- Meet with an enrollment counselor.
- Visit a class.
- Meet a faculty member.
- Stay overnight in a residence hall.
- Ask your counselor about "Discover Boise State," a special visitation day held on October 11.

To schedule a visit contact the New Student Information Center and the staff will customize a visit to suit your needs. In order to have the best visit experience please provide at least two weeks notice prior to your visit.

BYU-Idaho
Rexburg

The programs offered at BYU-Idaho develop students spiritually, mentally, socially, and physically. This well-rounded approach prepares graduates of high moral character to be innovative and flexible contributors to the changing world that lies ahead.

Founded in 1888, the school has distinctive qualities equated to the "Spirit of Ricks." A tradition of service, hard work, friendliness, and compassion has bonded the students, faculty and administrators for more than a hundred years. BYU-Idaho pledges to preserve and enhance the "Spirit of Ricks."

BYU-Idaho is centered on the student. The faculty is based on the scholarship of learning and teaching. Everyone at BYU-Idaho is a teacher.

What does it cost?

Below are the estimated costs for a full-time student. Personal expenses and transportation will vary depending of circumstances.

2003-2004 Academic Year

Tuition - LDS	$2,554
Tuition - Non-LDS	3,830
Books, Supplies & Fees*	1,200
Room & Board**	4,326
Total - LDS	$8,080
Total - Non-LDS	$9,356

*Estimated

**Room and board costs vary depending on accommodations and meal plan.

More Information:

Phone

(208) 496-1036

Write

BYU-Idaho
Admissions & Scholarships
120 Kimball Building
Rexburg, ID 83460-1615

Web Address

www.byui.edu

Academic Information

BYU-Idaho is a two-tiered institution offering both specialized associate degrees and integrated and specialized bachelor degrees.

There are 18 specialized associate degrees, which offer students specialization in a major field of study along with a carefully selected curriculum of general education. With an associate degree, a student can be ready for employment in about two years. These specialized programs are listed as follows:

- Agricultural Management
- Architectural Technology
- Automotive Technology
- Beef Production Management
- Computer Systems Technology
- Culinary Arts
- Electronic Engineering Technology
- Engineering
- Engineering Technology
- Floral Design Management
- General Studies
- Horticulture Management
- Nursing
- Paramedicine
- Photography
- Piano Pedagogy
- Pre-school Education
- Welding Technology

Integrated and specialized bachelor degrees, which require 120 credit hours and take three to four years to complete, are also being offered. Approximately 50 bachelor degrees will be available. Specialized bachelor degrees will require a maximum of 70 credit hours in the major area of study. Integrated bachelor degrees will require a maximum of 45 credit hours in the major area of study with the remaining credits being tailored to the student's specific postgraduate intentions and interests. For a complete listing of majors, please check our website.

Campus Life

Life is meant to be experienced, not just observed. Activities at BYU-Idaho add a rich variety of programs for a rewarding life beyond the classroom. Elder Henry B. Eyring stated, "This activity program... is leadership training of the broadest and most exciting kind." Activities are structured within four areas: Arts, Enrichment, Physical, and Social. It's a matter of choice. The invitation is open to all students to get involved: Life. Changing. Experience.

- Participants have the opportunity to act rather than be acted upon.
- Students are participants rather than spectators.
- A wide range of activities meet the diverse interests and abilities of students.
- Students choose their own level of participation.
- Participants develop personal and spiritual qualities that prepare them for life.

In addition to the Student Activities Program, we also have the following:

- Over 100 organizations to join
- Performing and tour groups
- Weekly devotionals
- Family home evening groups and 67 campus student wards
- Backpacking, outdoor survival and ski classes
- Associated Students of BYU-Idaho (ASBYUI) weekly dances and activities

Admission Requirements

BYU-Idaho exists to provide an education consistent with the religious and family values taught by The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. We admit persons without regard to gender, race, creed, religion, national origin, age, or disability who meet the requirements; who agree to abide by the Honor Code and Dress and Grooming Standards; and who are otherwise qualified based upon available space.

In selecting a class of about 4,000 new freshman, the admissions committee considers the following: church and seminary activity (LDS), personal commitment to living the standards, academic preparation, ACT or SAT, out-of-class activities, and essays.

Three Track System

BYU-Idaho is operating on an extended year-round basis to allow more students the opportunity to attend. One out of every three qualified students who applied to attend Ricks College in the late 1990's was denied admission due to lack of campus resources. The need for change was obvious.

Our innovative calendar revolves around three semesters: summer, fall, and winter. When applying, choose a track consisting of two of the three semesters: Summer/Fall, Fall/Winter, or Winter/Summer.

By the year 2005, BYU-Idaho's anticipated enrollment will be 11,600 on campus at any one time. By rotating tracks, the total number served in a calendar year will be 14,500. By accepting the Three-Track System, our students are creating the opportunity for nearly 3,000 more to attend each year.

Summer/Fall Track
85% of applicants accepted

Fall/Winter Track
55% of applicants accepted

Winter/Summer Track
90% of applicants accepted

Apply On-Line

You may apply on-line for admission at www.ldsces.edu. Students without internet access can obtain a paper application by calling the Admissions Office at (208) 496-1036.

Application Deadlines

Admission consideration will be given on the basis of all application materials being received before the applicable deadline. However, additional consideration may be given to students who apply early. Applications will not be accepted more than one year prior to the requested track.

Summer/Fall Track	Feb. 15
Fall/Winter Track	Feb. 15
Winter/Summer Track	Oct. 1

Notification Dates

Fall Semester applicants are notified between February 15 and April 1. Winter Semester applicants are notified between October 1 and November 1.

Financial Aid

BYU-Idaho provides federal aid and private scholarship programs for students demonstrating financial need. Students should apply using the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). For further information, please call (208) 496-1015.

Scholarships

- Award of Excellence. This award is based on a combination of academics, leadership, service, church and seminary activity, extracurricular activities, and essays. These awards range from one year quarter tuition to one year full tuition plus $500 for books. All freshman students with completed applications to BYU-Idaho will automatically be considered for the Award of Excellence. No additional application is required. For additional information please visit www.byui.edu or call (208) 496-1092.
- Talent Awards. These awards recognize outstanding achievement in a particular area. They are available from departments in varying amounts. These awards require supplemental application materials and/or auditions. Information can be obtained by contacting the specific departments.
- Departmental Awards. These awards recognize outstanding achievement in a particular discipline. They are available from departments in varying amounts. These awards require supplemental application materials obtained by contacting the specific department chairperson.

Housing

All single students not living at home must live in BYU-Idaho approved housing. This is limited to the BYU-Idaho on-campus residence halls or off-campus approved housing. To obtain a list of approved housing or to receive further information, visit www.byui.edu/housing or call (208) 496-1045.

Campus Visits

Students are invited to visit BYU-Idaho's campus any time during the year. Please call four or five days before your visit to schedule a campus tour. Tours are given from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. weekdays. To schedule a visit, please call (208) 496-1022.

College of Southern Idaho
Twin Falls

The College of Southern Idaho is a two-year community college offering a broad range of programs and services in a supportive learning climate. Our spacious 300-acre campus is located in Twin Falls (population 33,000). Since opening in 1965, CSI's enrollment has grown to over 7,000 students. CSI is an ideal choice for students who seek a first-class education in a caring environment where students are treated as people not numbers. Amid rising college costs, CSI offers an affordable option.

Faculty/student ratio 1/23
Average Class Size 17
Total Enrollment 7,000
Majors 111

What does it cost?

Below are the estimated costs for a full-time undergraduate student. Personal and transportation expenses will vary depending on circumstances.

2003-2004 Academic Year

	Semester	Year
Resident	$ 825	$1,650
Room & board*	1,780	3,560
Books & supplies**	300	600
Total	$2,905	$5,810
Non-resident tuition	$2,300	$4,600

Part time fees$82.50/credit hour
*Double room, 150 meal plan.
**Estimated.

For More Information:

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(208) 732-6221
1-800-6800-CSI (in Idaho & Nevada)
TDD (208) 734-9929
(for the hearing impaired)

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Student Information Director
College of Southern Idaho
315 Falls Ave • PO Box 1238
Twin Falls, Idaho 83303
E-Mail: info@csi.edu

Web Address
http://www.csi.edu

Academic Information

The College of Southern Idaho (CSI) awards associate degrees in Arts, Science and Engineering in more than 70 academic majors designed for transfer to four-year institutions. CSI also offers training in 40 technical programs that lead to a one-year Technical Certificate or a two-year Associate of Applied Science degree.

Opportunities for Students

Transfer Credits: An associate degree from CSI fulfills the general education requirements at Idaho's public four-year institutions. CSI credits are widely accepted by private and out-of-state institutions, too.

Honors Program: Accomplished students can enhance their education through participation in various seminars, conferences, projects and field trips.

Advancement Placement & CLEP: Contact Admissions about advanced placement and college credit through challenge tests.

Technical Programs

- State, regional and national award-winning programs.
- Well-equipped labs with the latest technology.
- All programs emphasize on-the-job training.

Campus Life

Dances, movie nights and coffee hours are scheduled each month, along with a sampling of specialty events including ski days, bowling, casino nights, guest lecturers and entertainers.

CampusClubs/ Organizations

- More than 60 student organizations; many with national affiliation.
- Clubs participate in regional and national competitions.
- Educational and professional organizations.
- Cultural, service & social clubs.
- Religious groups.
- Opportunities for international travel.

Cultural Events and Entertainment

- Arts on Tour Series.
- Diversity Week.
- Jazz Summit.
- Faulkner Planetarium.
- Homecoming Week.
- Herrett Center for Arts & Science.
- Snake River Honors Symposium.
- Renaissance Fair.

Sports and Recreation

- NIRA: Men/women's rodeo. 2001, 2002 NIRA men's rodeo national champions.
- NJCAA: Men/women's basketball, men's baseball and women's volleyball.

  1993-1998, 2001-NJCAA women's volleyball national champions.

Intramurals: Broad range of individual and team sports.

Outdoor Program: Climbing, hiking, kayaking, rafting, skiing, scuba and more.

Student Services

- Study skills to enhance English, math and reading.
- Career, educational and personal counseling.
- Child Care Center.
- Student Health Center.
- Services for the hearing-impaired and physically handicapped.
- Off-campus job referrals.
- 24-hour campus security.

Admission Requirements

CSI is an open-door, equal-opportunity institution and welcomes any student who can benefit from our educational offerings. We set no deadline for general admission (exceptions noted below) and place no limits on the number of students admitted.

Prospective Students Must Submit

- Application for admission.
- Official final high school transcript or GED.
- CSI placement exam scores (ACT/SAT scores not required).
- Additional testing and/or application requirements for some programs.

Application deadlines

- Feb 15: Nursing (RN & LPN) (RN requires ACT scores).
- April 1: Allied Health, Dental Assistant, Surgical Technician, Emergency Medical Techician
- June 1: Radiologic Technology
- July 1: Medical Assistant.

Financial Aid

CSI participates in all federal and state financial aid programs providing grants, loans and college work study for students.

- Submit the FAFSA and apply for admission to CSI.
- CSI awards nearly $1,000,000 annually in scholarships.
- March 1 - Scholarship application priority deadline.

Types of Awards

Most scholarships are awarded on scholastic merit; however, some are need based.

- General Scholarships: Based on GPA, major field, leadership.
- Fine Arts: Recognizes talent in art/photography, music, theater/speech. Auditions in February.
- Honors Fellowships: For qualifying Honors students.
- Athletics: Qualifications are set by the coaching staff of each intercollegiate sport.
- Promise Scholarship: 100% match by CSI

Housing

- Eagle Resident Hall houses 118 men and 128 women in separate wings.
- A $100 security deposit is required to reserve a room.
- Dorm computer lab includes free e-mail and Internet access.
- Apply early to secure on-campus housing.
- Off-campus housing referrals in Student Information Office.

Campus Visits

A visit to CSI's campus will offer you the opportunity to experience CSI first-hand! Tour the college, observe classes, meet students and faculty, and attend athletic or social events. Visits are scheduled Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. Contact the Student Information Office at least a week prior to arrival.

Eastern Idaho Technical College
Idaho Falls

Eastern Idaho Technical College (EITC) is a comprehensive technical college operated under the authority of the Idaho State Board for Professional-Technical Education. Pre-employment technical programs and continuing education courses operate in response to the unmet needs of regional employers and the interests of the students. Anyone seeking education leading to a new technical occupation or wishing to improve skills related to existing employment will benefit from EITC services.

Faculty/student ratio 1/15
Average Class Size 15
Total Enrollment 1,381
Programs 47

What does it cost?

2003-2004 Academic Year

Idaho residents - Full-time fees are $702 per semester. Part-time fees are $70 per credit hour.

Non-residents - Full-time fees are $2,573 per semester. Part-time fees are $140 per credit hour.

For More Information:

Phone
(208) 524-3000
1-800-662-0261

Write
Student Services
Eastern Idaho Technical College
1600 S 25th E
Idaho Falls ID 83404
E-Mail: salbisto@eitc.edu

Web Address
http://www.eitc.edu

Academic Information

EITC offers a variety of Certificate and Associate of Applied Science degree options available to students.

Opportunities for Students

- Tutoring through the Writing Center.
- Access to Faculty. EITC has a 15 to 1 student to teacher ratio.
- Most programs include a supervised work or clinical experience.
- Classes involve a combination of lecture and "hands-on" experiences.
- Career placement services.

Programs of Study

Special Programs

- Regional Adult Learning Center.
- Workforce Training & Community Education.
- Center for New Directions.
- Fire Service Training.
- Environmental Safety and Health.

Business,Office and Technology Division

- Accounting.
- Business Administration
- Marketing and Management.
- Computer Networking.
  Cisco
  Microsoft
  Novell
- Electronics.
- Landscape Management.
- Legal Assistant.
- Office Professional/Specialist
- Business and Computer Applications
- Website Development Specialist.

Health Care Technology

- Dental Assisting.
- Medical Assisting.
- Medical Office Specialist.
- Practical Nursing.
- Surgical Technology.

Trades and Industry

- Automotive Technology.
- Diesel Technology.
- Welding Technology.

Campus Life

The EITC campus community is small yet vibrant. Our size allows all interested students the opportunity to participate in activities. Students may interact at social events such as the fall and spring barbeques and dances; or they may participate in community service activities. Additionally, many recreational activities such as skiing, fishing, boating, and golfing are within minutes of the campus.

Campus Clubs/ Organizations

- Business Professionals of America.
- Vocational Industrial Clubs of America.
- Delta Epsilon Chi (Marketing).
- Student Medical Assisting.
- Student Senate.

EITC
Eastern Idaho Technical College

Housing

On-campus housing is not available. Information on area housing is available through the Financial Aid Office.

Admission Requirements

Eastern Idaho Technical College typically accepts applicants who are high school graduates or the equivalent. Other applicants may be accepted based on a review and evaluation of their education, interests, aptitudes and experiences.

- Please see the individual program description in the EITC catalog to determine if additional requirements must be fulfilled. The following represent the standard requirements of all programs. However, additional pre-admission procedures exist for some programs.
- Students who have completed all entrance requirements are accepted on a first-applied, first-considered basis.
- Applicants are urged to begin the admission process early to ensure acceptance into a desired program.
- Students accepted to begin full-time programs will be assessed a $50 non-refundable deposit to hold their spot in the program.

Prospective Students Must Submit

- Common Application.
- $10 non-refundable application fee.
- Official high school transcript or GED test scores required where applicable.
- Complete the COMPASS Placement Test. Achievement testing constitutes part of this assessment process.

NOTE: To schedule an interview with an admissions counselor call (208) 524-3000 or 1-800-662-0261.

Financial Aid

EITC offers a full range of financial aid for those who need help with expenses.

- FAFSA and EITC financial aid application required.
- Acceptance into a program of study also required.
- Priority processing deadline: June 1.

Types of Awards

- Grants: Based on financial need.
- Scholarships: Merit and/or financial need. (Deadline: Fall - March 1, Spring - Nov.1).
- Part-time work: Work experience in program of study.
- Loans: Low interest and deferrable federal government guaranteed loans.
- Agencies: Workforce Investment/Job Service, State Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, Veteran's Administration Benefits.

Campus Visits

EITC encourages students and/or parents to visit the campus to see all that EITC offers. Counselors and instructors are available for campus tours and to answer questions regarding full or part-time enrollment. (Call (208) 524-3000 ext. 3337)

Idaho State University
Pocatello

Students looking for a school with meaningful student-teacher relationships, a wide variety of quality programs and an academic reputation that reaches far beyond the Idaho border should take a close look at Idaho State University (ISU). Located in Pocatello, a community of 61,000 residents, the university has easy access to some of the world's finest recreation areas.

Faculty/student ratio 1/17
Average Class Size ..... n/a
Total Enrollment 13,352
Majors 270

What does it cost?

Below are the estimated costs for a full-time, undergraduate student. Personal and transportation costs vary depending on circumstances.

2003-2004 School Year

	Semester	Year
Fees*	$1,724	$3,448
Room and board**	2,340	4,680
Books and supplies***	300	600
Total	$4,364	$8,728
Non-residents add tuition of	$3,330	$6,660

*You may waive an additional $311 per semester student health insurance fee with proof of health insurance coverage.

**Double room, 180 meal plan.

***Estimated

For More Information:

Phone

(208) 282-3277 (Academic)
(208) 282-4314 (FAX)
(208) 282-2622 (College of Technology)

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Enrollment Planning and Academic Services
Idaho State University
Campus Box 8054
Pocatello, Idaho 83209-8054
E-Mail: info@isu.edu

Web Address

http://www.isu.edu

Academic Information

ISU is a comprehensive university offering 270 academic degrees and certificate programs. Its 13,000 plus students are well served by almost 700 faculty members, many with national reputations.

Opportunities for Students

Honors Program: Allows students the opportunity to develop critical and creative thinking in a personalized atmosphere.

- Automatic eligibility for students with a 3.3+ GPA.
- Special graduation recognition for students completing at least 15 honors credits.

Internships: Internship opportunities have taken students as far away as Taiwan and Guadalajara! In-state companies such as AMI, Micron, Lockeed-Martin, Zilog and Blue Shield have provided sites as well.

National Student Exchange: This program gives students the opportunity to study at one of over 150 colleges and universities in the U.S. and its territories. Students can live in a different part of the country, continue their education while saving on out-of-state costs.

Study Abroad: Would you like to study in Germany, Japan, or even Morocco? The Study Abroad program gives you the opportunity to study in over 30 countries. Broaden your horizons while continuing your education.

Advanced Placement & CLEP: AP test scores and CLEP credit for prior learning are accepted. Call the Office of Enrollment Planning and Academic Services for details.

CLASS Program and First Year Seminar: Clustered Learning for Academic Student Success and First Year Seminar are two ISU Programs that:

- Enhance students' first year experience.
- Help students acclimate to college life.
- Foster relationships with other students, faculty and staff.

Campus Life

Students enjoy a variety of social, cultural, athletic and outdoor activities, on or off-campus. The Program Board plans campus events including Homecoming, Mardi Gras, Spring Fest and much more!

Campus Clubs/ Organizations

There are over 150 student organizations on the ISU campus including:

- Social clubs.
- Professional organizations.
- Service clubs.
- Religious clubs and organizations.
- Athletic and Intramural clubs.
- NCAA Division 1 Big Sky Conference. Men's sports: 1-AA football, basketball, cross-country, golf, tennis, indoor & outdoor track & field. Women's sports: basketball, cross-country, golf, tennis, indoor & outdoor track & field, soccer and volleyball.

- Several club sports including baseball, men/women's rugby, dance, rodeo, plus many more.
- ISU has one of the first and finest outdoor programs on a university campus in the U.S.
- The Wilderness Rental Center provides all types of outdoor equipment to students for a reasonable price.
- Reed Gym houses one of the largest indoor climbing walls on a college campus, along with a swimming pool, indoor tennis courts, weight rooms, basketball courts, and more.
- Minutes away from skiing, hiking, fishing, camping, and mountain biking.

Student Services

Numerous services are available for students, some of which include:

- Career Counseling.
- Student Health Center.
- Free Tutoring.
- Academic Skills Center offering assistance in math, English, study skills and reading.
- Academic Advising.
- On-site child care facility.

Admission Requirements

New students making application to ISU must meet core subject requirements established by the Idaho State Board of Education for regular admission. Students not meeting these requirements may be considered for provisional admission based on a predicted ISU grade point average, derived from a combination of college core subject grade point average and ACT or SAT scores. Students not meeting provisional admission may petition the Admissions Committee for consideration of their application. Students are encouraged to submit application materials early in their senior year.

Prospective Students Must Submit

- Web Application or Common Application.
- $30 fee.
- Six or seven semester high school official transcript followed by final official transcript or GED.
- ACT or SAT scores.
- Idaho State University Application Supplement.

Financial Aid

ISU financial aid counselors and staff are available to discuss students' concerns related to financial aid and assist with the application process.

Types of Awards

- Need: Based on information provided on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- Performance: Auditions required for athletics or the arts.
- Merit: Students who submit the application materials by February 20 will be eligible for consideration for all academic scholarships. Awards are based on college core subject and high school grade-point averages, ACT or SAT scores, AP and honor classes, and activities which demonstrate leadership and talent.
- ISU will match the Idaho Promise Scholarship 100%.

For more information regarding scholarships and financial aid, contact the Office of Enrollment Planning and Academic Services.

Housing

Idaho State University housing provides students with more than just housing accommodations. Our staff assists students on their journey toward a successful academic year, which shows our commitment for the students' personal and social development. Housing accommodates both single students and students with families. Many amenities are also available within housing, including free cable, Internet access, computer labs, entertainment rooms, and a snack bar for those late nights studying. For more information visit us at: www.isu.edu/departments/housing.

Academic Outreach

ISU offers a full array of classes in the Center for Higher Education in Idaho Falls. In addition, a wide variety of associate, bachelor, and graduate degrees are offered on the Idaho Falls campus. (See page 30).

ISU classes at CSI in Twin Falls and at the ISU center in Boise are presented in a traditional classroom format and via distance learning technology.

- Four ISU baccalaureate, four master's and one doctorate degrees are available in Twin Falls.
- ISU in Boise offers one associate, four baccalaureate and nine master's degrees.

Campus Visits

The best way to learn more about ISU is to visit the campus. While on campus, meet with an admission counselor; be an overnight guest in a residence hall; have a student ambassador show you the campus; and take part in campus activities. To arrange an individualized campus visit, please provide a two-week notice when calling Enrollment Planning and Academic Services at (208) 282-3277.

Lewis-Clark State College
Lewiston

Students on the trail of a quality, highly personalized education complemented by a distinctive small college environment will want to explore Lewis-Clark State College (LCSC).

LCSC employs more than 600 dedicated full and part-time personnel committed to making the college an excellent and truly unique undergraduate institution. Located in Lewiston, the tree-lined campus blends traditional and modern structures. LCSC students have the opportunity to enjoy the wilderness and recreation areas, many of which are just a few miles away.

In all regards, LCSC is a quality institution.

Academic Information

Lewis-Clark State College is a state-supported institution governed by the Idaho State Board of Education. LCSC offers bachelor and associate degrees and certificates in over 60 liberal arts and professional — technical programs.

Dedicated Faculty

More than 87% of the instructional faculty hold doctoral degrees or the highest degree in their discipline.

- Student-to-teacher ratio is 16:1.
- LCSC students benefit from the instruction of esteemed and highly qualified experts in a variety of disciplines.

Faculty/student ratio 1/16
Average Class Size 25
Total Enrollment 3,100
Majors 60

What does it cost?

Below are the estimated costs for a full-time student. Personal and transportation expenses will vary depending on circumstances.

2003-2004 School Year

	Semester	Year
Fees	$1,563	$3,126
Room & board*	2,080	3,986
Books & supplies**	373	746
Total	$4,016	$7,858
Non-Residents	$4,562	$9,124
Asotin Co.	$3,147	$6,294

Part-time fees: $153 per credit.
*Rates will vary.
**Estimated.

For More Information:

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Accreditations

- College - Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges.
- Nursing program - Commission of Collegiate Nursing Education
- Education program - National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education and the State Directors of Teacher Education and Certification.
- Social Work program - Council on Social Work Education.

Extended Campus Locations

- Coeur d'Alene, Orofino, Grangeville, Elk City, Lapwai, Clearwater Valley and Riggins.

Campus Life

At LCSC, students have a great opportunity to contribute to college and community life. Learning and growing experiences occur inside and outside the classroom.

Campus Clubs/ Organizations

- Over 30 active clubs and organizations.
- Associated Student Body.
- Academic Clubs.
- Professional Organizations.
- Student newspaper - "The Pathfinder."
- Student Programming Board (concerts, movies, etc.).

For a complete list of clubs/ organizations, check out www.lcsc.edu/ studentclubs

Lewis-Clark STATE COLLEGE
Connecting Learning to Life

Sports and Recreation

- NAIA Division I, Frontier Conference–Baseball (13 of 17) National Championship titles, women's volleyball, men's/women's basketball, tennis, cross-country and golf.
- All teams have gone to National Competition within the last five years.
- LCSC has been the new NAIA World Series host since the spring of 2000.
- Intramurals and recreational sports.
- Mild winters and early springs provide year-round outdoor activities.

Student Services

The LCSC staff strives to make the most of the college experience. It is impossible to list all the services available to our students, but here are a few:

- Counseling (career and personal).
- Computer, writing, math, science and communications labs.
- Health Center.
- Student Support Services (tutoring services).
- Disabilities Services.

Admission Requirements

Students interested in attending Lewis-Clark State College should contact the LCSC Office of Admission for more information.

Prospective Students Must Submit

- Common Application.
- $35 non-refundable application fee.
- Official high school transcript or GED test scores.
- Either ACT or SAT test scores for academic students.
- Compass test scores for professional technical students.

Financial Aid

LCSC offers both merit-based scholarships and need-based aid.

Government agency aid opportunities include:

- Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- Department of Veteran's Affairs.
- Bureau of Indian Affairs.

Types of Awards

To receive priority consideration for scholarship opportunities, students must complete the admissions process by **March 1st**:

- Need-based students must complete the FAFSA.
- Merit-based scholarships are awarded on score, curriculum and activity.
- Foundation Scholarship: GPA 3.5; $750/semester; renewable for 4 years.
- Presidential Scholarship: GPA 3.5; $250/semester; renewable for 4 years.
- Freshman Scholarship: Varied amounts, one time award.
- Counselor Leadership: GPA 3.0; $250 to be used for 1st semester of enrollment. Nominations are given by high school counselors.
- Many more LCSC scholarships are available. Refer to the Financial Aid website at Lewis-Clark State College's website: www.lcsc.edu/financialaid.

Housing

Easy access to classes, campus activities, dining facilities and other services make it convenient to live on campus.

- Meet current LCSC students.
- Attend campus events.
- Co-ed housing is available at Parrish House, Talkington Hall and Clark Hall.
- Parrish House is designated for honor students.
- Computer and laundry services.
- Study areas, TV lounges and storage room.
- On-campus housing is not mandatory for incoming freshman.

Check out www.lcsc.edu/reslife for more information.

Campus Visits

LCSC invites students to visit the campus and experience college life.

- Tour campus with a current LCSC student.
- Stay in a residence hall.
- Attend class and meet professors.
- Dine with students at our new Student Union Building.

Call 1-800-933-5272 to set up a campus visit (try to allow 2 weeks notice if possible).

North Idaho College
Coeur d'Alene

Come study on the shores of Lake Coeur d'Alene...

NIC is a comprehensive two-year community college providing both academic and professional-technical programs.

The Coeur d'Alene community offers the perfect mix of outdoor recreational opportunity with the conveniences of a major city (Spokane, Washington) located only 30 minutes away.

Whoever said that a classroom has four walls has never attended NIC!

Academic Information

Does your career of interest require a Bachelor's Degree or specific Certificate/Associate Degree?

NIC offers both an Associate of Arts and Associate of Science to provide a solid foundation of general core classess toward your Bachelor's Degree.

NIC offers many certificate and Associate of Applied Science Degrees to provide specialized training for your chosen career that may not require more than 10 months in school.

Faculty/student ratio 1/20
Average Class Size 25
Total Enrollment 4,400
Majors 70

What does it cost?

Below are the estimated costs for a full-time student. Personal and transportation expenses will vary depending on circumstances.

2003-2004 School Year

	Semester	Year
County resident	$848	$1,696
Room & board	2,700	5,400
Books & supplies	300	600
Total (in state)	$3,848	$7,696
Out-of-state	2,894	5,788

Part-time fees: $ 115 first credit/$105 each additional up to 7.

For More Information:

Phone
(208) 769-3267

Write
Office of Admissions
North Idaho College
1000 West Garden Avenue
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814
E-Mail: admit@nic.edu

Web Address
http://www.nic.edu

NORTH IDAHO COLLEGE

Transfer Programs

NIC can fulfill the first half (100- and 200-level courses) of many different bachelor degree programs. Choose from over 40 academic program areas or "majors."

Transferring credits is easy. An associate of science degree fulfills the general core requirements at all of Idaho's public four-year instiutions. An associate of arts degree creates a smooth transition to most private and out-of-state institutions.

Professional-Technical Programs

NIC provides specialized training in almost 30 professsional technical programs that lead to certificates or associate of applied science degrees. Many programs require or encourage internships as part of the program.

NIC Professional-Technical programs have experienced the best placement rate in the state for the last four years.

Campus Life

Academics and extracurricular activities go hand-in-hand at NIC. And there are no juniors and seniors here, so opportunities are wide open for all our students!

With a new residence hall, a very active student government, and unlimited opportunities in clubs, intramural sports, and outdoor recreation, our students have the best of all worlds.

A typical day at NIC?

1. Bike or rollerblade along the Centennial Trail.
2. Breakfast.
3. Attend classes.
4. Take advantage of free tutoring.
5. Cruise Lake Coeur d'Alene in a kayak or go snowboarding with the Friday Afternoon Club.
6. Dinner.
7. Study at beach.

Campus Activities/ Organizations

- Associated Students of North Idaho College (ASNIC): Get involved with student government and run for office.
- Many clubs to choose from: academic, cultural, social, and religious.
- The Sentinel: Join the staff of one of the nation's top collegiate newspapers.
- Theater/Music: Perform in a drama or musical group

Cultural Events and Entertainment

NIC is the core of arts and entertainment for the Coeur d'Alene community. The campus boasts popular student- and community-sponsored events throughout the year.

- Comedians and school plays.
- NIC Symphony Orchestra & Jazz.
- Jazz and Concert Band.
- Spokane Symphony.

Sports and Recreation

- Men's Varsity teams: basketball, soccer, and wrestling.
- Women's Varsity teams: basketball, soccer, softball, and volleyball.
- Wrestling Team: Finished in the top 3 at Nationals last three years.
- Outdoor Pursuits: School-sponsored rafting trips, ski club, cross country skiing, snowboarding, snowshoeing and backpacking. Rent equipment from NIC to create your own adventures.
- Intramural Sports: Student recreational leagues include basketball, disc golf, flag football, volleyball, softball, tennis and more.

Student Services

- Advising Specialists
- Career Center.
- College Skills Center (two hours of free peer tutoring per week per class).
- Health Services.
- Counseling Services.
- Advising Specialists.
- Disability Support Services
- Minority Student Advisor.

Admission Requirements

Our open-door admission policy makes students who have graduated from an accredited high school or have completed their GED eligible for admission to North Idaho College. Some programs have limited enrollment and/or selective admission processes.

Prospective Students Must Submit

- Application for Admission.
- $25 application fee.
- Official high school transcript or GED transcript.

Financial Aid

NIC disbursed over $9 million in financial aid last year. To maximize your changes, follow these easy steps:

- Submit the FAFSA and apply for admission by February 1.
- Submit the NIC scholarship application by March 15.

Types of Awards

- General Scholarships: Awarded on GPA, major, etc.
- Grants and Loans: Federal and State funds available.
- Work Study: Many jobs available right on campus.

Housing

NIC opened a new 202-bed residence hall in 2002-close to your classes, the beach, and just minutes to downtown. Check it out at www.nic.edu/sub/housing.

- Single and double rooms.
- Semi-private bathrooms.
- Hookups for cable, phone, computer.
- DVD theater lounge.
- Laundry facilities
- Dedicated parking.
- Indoor bicycle storage.
- Earn room/board while working as a Resident Advisor.

Campus Visits

Students and parents are invited to visit NIC and see the campus up close and personal. Just call 769-3267 or e-mail admit@nic.edu to schedule your visit.

- Individual tours offered Monday-Friday (Sept.-May), Monday/Wednesday/Friday (June-Aug.)
- "First Friday" campus visit programs offered the First Friday of each month (Oct.-May).
- Meet instructors and students.
- Observe a class
- Attend an athletic, music, or theatre event.
- Take a walk on the beach!

Northwest Nazarene University
Nampa

Ideas and ideals come to life at Northwest Nazarene University (NNU), where the commitment is to academic excellence within the framework of strong Christian faith. Within this challenging academic environment, professors are dedicated to personalized instruction and students find daily opportunities for spiritual growth and emotional maturity. NNU has long earned distinction because of its academic reputation and high student satisfaction.

Academic Information

Fully accredited by the Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges and professionally accredited in several disciplines, NNU offers 45 major areas of study within six academic schools.

- Health and Science.
- Art, Humanities and Social Sciences.
- Academic Resources.
- Business and Economics.
- Education.
- Christian Ministry.

Faculty/student ratio 1/13
Average Class Size 18
Total Enrollment 1,150
Majors 45

What does it cost?

Below are the estimated costs for a full-time student. Personal and transportation expenses will vary depending on circumstances.

	Semester	Year
Tuition	$7,665	$15,330
Fees	295	590
Room & board*	2,220	4,440
Books & supplies**	350	700
Total	$10,530	$21,060

*Double room, continuous dining plan.
**Estimated.

For More Information

Phone

208-467-8000 (local)
1-877-NNU-4-YOU (toll free)

Write

Office of Enrollment Services
Northwest Nazarene University
623 Holly Street
Nampa, Idaho 83686
E-Mail: admissions@nnu.edu

Web Address

http://www.nnu.edu

Opportunities for Students

Pathways to learning at NNU are not restricted by classroom walls. Each year hundreds of students practice active learning through:

- Business department internships in major corporations and local businesses.
- International travel and study experiences.
- Student teaching and other educational field experiences.
- Performance and travel with music ensembles and speech/debate teams.
- Freshman Honors Program offering freshman courses accelerated.
- Summer fellowships in physics and chemistry research.
- Additionally, NNU is a completely wireless campus-allowing any student to study anything, anywhere on the 85-acre campus.

Northwest Nazarene University
Great minds • Great hearts • Great futures

Campus Life

NNU's geographically diverse student body (from 35 states and 10 foreign countries) provides a dynamic and exciting community. Involvement in student life begins with "New Student Welcome" and remains a central focus throughout the students' college years. Many opportunities are available for involvement in athletic, social, community service and ministry organizations.

Sports and Recreation

NNU is a member of the NCAA Division II, in the Great Northwest Athletic Conference conference, and offers the following sports:

- Basketball (Men's and Women's)
- Soccer (Women's)
- Cross-Country (Men's and Women's)
- Track (Men's and Women's)
- Volleyball (Women's)
- Baseball (Men's)
- Golf (Men's)
- Softball (Women's)

Student Services

- Study skills lab
- Campus Chaplain
- Campus health center
- Individual/career counseling services
- Counseling Center
- Peer Tutors
- Multicultural Affairs

Campus Activities/ Organizations

- Student government provides an active schedule of social activities.
- Nearly 1/3 of students are involved in various musical ensembles.
- Specialized student organizations, including clubs, social action and ministry groups.
- 40% of student body involved in ministry or service organizations.

Cultural Events and Entertainment

The Boise and Treasure Valley area offers a wide spectrum of entertainment opportunities, including professional sports teams, shopping, a symphony orchestra, art museums and outdoor recreation, to name a few.

Admission Requirements

Admission is routinely granted to candidates who have graduated from an accredited high school and have maintained at least a 2.5 grade point average, have a minimum ACT composite score of 18, and have graduated in the upper one-half of their class.

Prospective Students Must Submit

- The Northwest Nazarene University combined application for admission, scholarships and financial aid.
- ACT score.
- Official High school transcript and recommendations.
- $25 application fee.
- Pastor/Personal recommendation.

Financial Aid

Financial aid at Northwest Nazarene University is awarded according to both need and merit. By filling out the NNU Application for Admission and the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), students are eligible to be considered for all scholarships and need-based aid. 95% of all students receive some form of financial aid.

Types of Awards

- Academic Scholarships: Based on GPA, ACT or SAT scores.
- Need-based: Student must file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- Athletic, music, art, speech/debate scholarships: Separate application and/or tryout or audition required.
- NNU Trustee's Award: NNU matches contributions from the student's local church.
- All students are considered for any departmental scholarships for which they may be eligible.

Housing

NNU highly values the "residential experience" in college life, and makes campus housing available.

- Six traditional residence halls.
- Campus-owned apartments for upperclass and married students.
- Unmarried students who wish to live off campus must apply for an exemption and meet certain eligibility criteria.

Campus Visits

All prospective students and their families are invited and encouraged to visit the NNU campus. Prospective students are offered the opportunity to:

- Attend a class.
- Housing in a residence hall.
- Meals in the dining area.
- A personalized campus tour.
- A conference with faculty in major interest area.
- A conference with an admission officer. Some housing for parents is available by reservation. Contact the Office of Enrollment Services to schedule a visit.

University of Idaho
Moscow

Located in Moscow, the University of Idaho (UI) offers a winning combination of knowledge and experience. Founded in 1889, UI has a long tradition of providing a quality education. In addition to nationally accredited programs and quality educators, the traditional residential campus at UI provides countless opportunities to explore options, develop leadership potential, and have fun, while getting a world-class education.

Academic Information

Education is the first priority at UI. Small classes are taught by outstanding professors committed to their students. Students learn through hands-on experience, and have access to the latest technology.

Opportunities for Students

- More than 150 undergraduate majors, 77 master's and 33 doctoral degrees (including juris doctorate).
- Degrees offered through the College of Law, WOI Veterinary Medicine and WWAMI Medical Programs.
- Last year, over 200 students gained experience through internships with the Bureau of Reclamation, Micron, Boeing, the Idaho Governor's Office and Walt Disney, among many other employers.

Faculty/student ratio 1/20
Average Class Size 16
Total Enrollment 12,423
Majors 154

What does it cost?

Below are the estimated costs for a full-time student. Personal and transportation expenses will vary depending on circumstances.

	Year
Fees	$3,348
Room & board*	4,868
Books & supplies**	1,248
Total	$9,464

*Room & board are similar for all living groups. Costs will vary depending upon accommodations and meal plans.
**Estimated.

For More Information:

Phone
1-88-88-UIDAHO (1-888-884-3246)
(208) 885-6163 (Moscow)
(208) 334-2999 (Boise)
(208) 667-2588 (Coeur d'Alene)

Write
New Student Services
Student Union Building
PO Box 444253
University of Idaho
Moscow, ID 83844-4253
E-Mail: nss@uidaho.edu

Web Address
www.uidaho.edu

University of Idaho

Student Success

UI graduates excel.

- In the past five years, UI students have had a pass rate of 99% on the Fundamentals of Engineering Exam versus the national average of 70%.
- In the past nine years, UI has produced four Fulbright, six Udall, five Goldwater and five Phi Eta Sigma Scholarship winners.

Campus Life

UI is a residential campus with a variety of living options and opportunities to live and learn in a beautiful, safe environment.

Campus Clubs/ Organizations

- Over 170 student organizations.
- Leadership experience through involvement in student government, living groups, clubs and activities.
- UI is the only university in Idaho offering ROTC Programs in all four branches (Air Force, Army, Marines and Navy).
- Church-related organizations.
- Student radio station, campus newspaper and yearbook.

Cultural Events and Entertainment

- UI is home to the world's top-rated Lionel Hampton Jazz Festival.
- Multiple year-round theater options.
- Films, lectures, speakers, concerts and international cultural events sponsored by students from over 85 countries.

Sports and Recreation

- NCAA Division I-A teams: Men's football, basketball, cross-country, golf, indoor & outdoor track, & tennis; women's basketball, cross-country, golf, indoor & outdoor track, soccer, tennis & volleyball.
- Big West Athletic Conference (Sunbelt Conference for football).

- 21 club sports, including soccer, men/women's rugby, baseball, ice hockey, skiing and dance.
- 35 intramural sports.
- On-campus 18-hole golf course.
- 18-hole frisbee golf course.
- Indoor swim and diving center.
- Extensive outdoor recreation center (programs and equipment).
- Located near world-class skiing, snow boarding, kayaking, hiking, mountain biking and camping.
- Student Recreation Center, with gyms, fitness and weight training areas, and tallest college freestanding climbing wall (55') in the U.S.

Student Services

- Career Services co-sponsors with WSU the largest collegiate career fair in the Pacific Northwest.
- Student and Temporary Employment Services and Job Location Services assist in finding on and off campus jobs.
- The Office of Multicultural Affairs offers a variety of social and educational programs for multicultural students and anyone interested in diversity.
- Study Abroad and National Student Exchange. Idaho participates in many programs offering students the chance to attend foreign or US colleges for one or two semesters.
- The Idaho campus is home to three religious centers: the Campus Christian Center, the LDS Institute of Religion, and St. Augustine's Catholic Center.

Admission Requirements

University of Idaho students must graduate from an accredited high school and complete the minimum courses required by the Idaho State Board of Education. Applicants must also meet the combined GPA and test score requirements in the table below.

GPA	and Minimum ACT	or Minimum SAT
3.00-4.00	any score	any score
2.60-2.99	15	790
2.50-2.59	17	870
2.40-2.49	19	930
2.30-2.39	21	1000
2.20-2.29	23	1070

Prospective Students Must Submit

- Web Application or Common Application.
- $40 application fee.
- ACT or SAT test scores.
- Official high school transcript.

Financial Aid

The University of Idaho packages over $60 million in student financial aid annually, including more than 4,000 scholarships totaling over $12 million.

- UI participates in all federal and state financial aid programs.
- UI must receive the admission application and the federal processor must receive the FAFSA by February 15, 2004 for priority consideration for all types of financial aid, including scholarships.

Types of Awards

- Merit: Based on GPA, ACT or SAT, class rank and activities.
- Performance: Based on skill in athletics or the arts.
- Need-based: Depends on the financial status of the student and his/her family.
- Diversity Scholarships available. UI also offers financial and academic support under the College Assistance Migrant Program (CAMP).
- Special scholarship programs such as the Presidential, UI Scholars, Presidential Achievement, Idaho Academic and ROTC scholarships.

Housing

Enjoy the convenience of living on-campus! Over 90% of our freshmen choose to live on campus to gain a full college experience.

- 19 Fraternities, 9 Sororities.
- Varied single and double room options, including Quiet Halls, Scholar's Halls, Specialty Halls (International, Outdoor Activities, Natural Resources, Engineering, Agriculture, Fine Arts and First-year Experience).
- All residence hall rooms, Greek houses and family housing units are connected to the fiber-optic backbone, allowing high-speed, free access to e-mail, Internet and the Worldwide Web.
- New residence halls (living learning community) open Fall 2003.

Campus Visits

Come visit UI! Stay in a residence hall, fraternity, or sorority, explore the campus, meet faculty members, attend classes and participate in various student activities. For a weekday visit, just call New Student Services. Plan to attend Vandal Friday, March 26, 2004.

ISU/UI University Place
in Idaho Falls

Since the mid-1950's, the University of Idaho and Idaho State University have been offering educational opportunities in Idaho Falls. Responding to the expanding need for services in the Upper Snake River Valley, the two institutions have made a combined commitment to provide more than 600 high quality academic courses to over 3,000 students each semester. An ISU/UI Student Services Office is located in the new Bennion Student Union Building where students can be admitted, seek academic advising, enroll in courses and make financial arrangements for attending college.

Faculty/Student ratio 1:17
Average Class size 24/35
Total Enrollment 3,000
Degrees 59

For More Information

Phone
(208) 282-7800
(208) 282-7900

Write
ISU/UI at University Place
1784 Science Center Drive
Idaho Falls, ID 83402 Phone
e-mail: ifstserv@isu.edu

Web Address
www.univplace.org

Academic Information

University Place has many offerings that suit anyone's needs — whether fulfilling the General Education Requirements, which transfer directly to any of Idaho's colleges or universities, or simply completing short courses designed for personal or professional development. The recent Partnership Agreement between ISU and UI has made it possible for students to take classes from either university with one admissions, registration and fee payment process.

A rich array of Associate, Baccalaureate, Master's, and Doctoral degree programs are offered in their entirety, to prepare you for a promising future.

- Associate Degrees: Biology, Business, English, History, Physics, Math.
- Baccalaureate Degrees: Agribusiness, Applied Technology, Business Management, Corporate Training, Computer Information Systems, Computer Engineering, Computer Science, Environmental Science, General Studies, Nursing, Horticulture and Crop Science, Industrial Technology, Vocational Teacher Education.
- Graduate Degrees: Adult Education, Business Administration, Chemistry, Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Engineering, Computer Science, Education, Electrical Engineering, Engineering Management, Engineering Structures and Mechanics, Environmental Engineering, Environmental Science, Geology, Health Education, Health Physics, Hydrology, Industrial Technology, Mathematics, Measures and Controls Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Metallurgy, Nuclear Science and Engineering, Systems Engineering, Public Health and Waste Management and Environmental Science.

Over 250 hours each week of credited courses are offered via the Distance Learning Program. The classroom experience is supported by free peer advising and the Academic Skills Center.

Nearly all classes are taught by professors or instructors with advanced degrees; almost no classes are taught by graduate students.

Campus Life

- Become a student leader. Run for a position in Student Government.
- Attend dances, concerts, lectures and special activities sponsored by the Program Board.
- Through combined efforts, students have access to a variety of other social and entertainment opportunities offered in Idaho Falls and the surrounding communities.
- Participate in National Student Exchange and Study Abroad Programs!

Admission, Fees and Financial Aid

Students are admitted to either institution at University Place and must adhere to the admission requirements for the respective universities. The fee structure also depends upon the school to which the student applies. For specific information on admission and fees, students should refer to the pages in this booklet outlining information for ISU and UI. ISU coordinates financial aid for all students at University Place. Please use institutional code 001620 when filling out the FAFSA as a student at either institution at University Place.

Academic Counseling

Staff in the University Place offices provide general information about academic programs of study and major requirements, course prerequisites and equivalencies, transfer student information, career counseling, tutoring, financial aid and other student services. Call (208)282-7800 or (208)282-7900 for an appointment.

Facilities

University Place's facilities, such as the impressive teaching, research and computer labs are superior. University Place offers all the academic benefits of a large institution, including the following:

- A state-of-the-art classroom building which houses 14 large lecture halls, 13 multi-purpose classrooms, 5 distance-learning rooms, several computer labs equipped with the latest in PC technology, and complete laboratories for biology, physics, chemistry and electronics.
- A full service bookstore and a Library Resource Center.
- The newly completed 38,000 square foot $3.3 million Bennion Student Union Building with a student lounge, student organization meeting rooms, a cafe, an early learning center for childcare, a credit union and additional computer labs.

Student Services

We take the idea of supporting student success very seriously. It's our goal to give you the support you need to be happy and healthy while you're learning here.

- Academic Skills Center. Attend workshops in study skills, time management, test preparation, test anxiety-all free of charge!
- Counseling, Testing and Career Services. Career counselors can assist you on your pathway to success. Check out internships, career/major information, and job search skills. Attend Career Fairs to interview with prospective employers!
- Personal counseling and the Student Health Center can assist you in the transition from high school to college.
- Tutoring. Tutoring for all subjects free of charge to all students at University Place!
- TRIO and ADA offer programs and services to all eligible students.

Academic Programs in Idaho

Note: Academic program information was provided by each participating institution. Programs may change to meet the needs of Idaho's scholars. Check with individual colleges for program changes and/or additions.

	ACI	BBC	BSU	BYU-I	CSI	ISU	LCSC	NIC	NNU	UI
Accounting	•		•	•	•	•		•	•	•
Agribusiness				•	•					•
Agricultural Economics										•
Agricultural Mechanization										•
Agriculture Systems Management				•						•
Agriculture				•	•					•
American Studies						•				•
Animal Physiology										•
Animal Science				•						•
Anthropology	•		•		•	•	•	•		•
Applied Science			•							
Applied Technology			•			•	•			
Architecture				•						•
Art	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Illustration			•	•						
Visual			•	•						
Astronomy								•		
Athletic Training	•		•				•		•	•
Audiology						•				
Bacteriology								•		•
Biblical Studies		•							•	
Biochemistry			•			•				•
Biology	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Environmental			•				•			
Human			•				•			
Raptor			•							
Botany	•		•		•	•		•		•
Broadcasting			•	•						•
Business Administration	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Business Education					•	•		•		•
Business Marketing/Management			•		•	•	•		•	
Business Technology			•		•					
Cartography										•
Chemistry	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Child Care and Development			•	•	•	•				•
Christian Education		•							•	
Christian Ministries		•							•	
Classical Studies										•
Clothing, Textiles & Home Design										•
Commercial Art				•	•					
Communications			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Advertising										•
Humanities and Rhetoric			•							
Mass Communication			•			•			•	
Public Communication									•	•
Secondary Education			•						•	
Technical Communication										
Training and Development			•							
Computer Information Systems			•	•		•			•	
Computer Science	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Computer Programming						•			•	
Construction Management			•	•						
Corporate Training						•				
Counseling (School)			•			•			•	•
Creative Writing	•		•			•	•			•
Criminal Justice			•		•	•	•	•		•
Court/Law			•							
Law Enforcement			•							
Research Methods			•							
Crop Management										•
Crop Science				•						•
Dairy Science										•
Dance						•				•
Dietetics					•	•				•
Dental Hygiene					•	•				
Ecology	•		•		•	•				
Economics	•		•	•	•	•		•		•
International			•							
Quantitative			•							

	ACI	BBC	BSU	BYU-I	CSI	ISU	LCSC	NIC	NNU	UI
Education	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Administration/Leadership						•			•	•
Agricultural				•	•					•
Art Education			•	•	•	•			•	•
Curriculum & Instruction			•						•	
Ed. of Hearing-Impaired						•				
Early Childhood			•	•	•	•	•		•	
Earth Science			•	•	•	•				•
Elementary Education	•		•	•	•	•	•		•	•
Elementary Education Bilingual			•		•	•				•
Family Life				•						•
Health			•	•		•			•	•
Home Economics				•		•				•
Human Exceptionality						•				
Marketing										•
Music	•		•	•	•	•			•	•
Recreation			•	•					•	•
School of Community & Heath										•
Secondary Education	•		•	•	•	•	•		•	•
Special Education			•			•	•			•
Technical				•						
Technology				•						•
Professional-Technical Education						•				•
Engineering	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Applied Science						•				
Agricultural					•					•
Biological Systems										•
Chemical					•			•		•
Civil			•		•	•		•		•
Computer				•	•					•
Electrical			•		•	•		•		•
Management						•				•
Environmental										•
Manufacturing										•
Materials & Science										•
Measurement & Control						•				
Mechanical			•	•	•	•		•		•
Metallurgical										•
Mining										
Nuclear						•				•
Systems										•
English	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Teacher Education			•	•	•	•	•		•	•
Linguistics			•							
Literature			•						•	•
Technical Communications			•							
Writing			•						•	•
Entomology										•
Environmental Health			•					•		
Environmental Science					•			•		•
Exercise Science			•							
Exercise Physiology			•							
Fitness Evaluation and Programming			•							
Family Science				•		•				•
Finance	•		•		•				•	•
Fishery Resources					•					•
Food and Nutrition										•
Food Science										•
Foreign Languages	•		•		•	•		•		•
Forest Products, Forest Resources										•
Forestry					•			•		•
French	•		•			•				•
General Business			•		•	•			•	•
General Studies	•			•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Geography					•					•
Geology	•		•	•	•	•		•		•
Geophysics			•							
German	•		•			•				•
Graphic Design			•	•		•	•	•	•	

Albertson College of Idaho (ACI) ..... www.albertson.edu
Boise Bible College (BBC) ..... www.boisebible.edu
Boise State University (BSU) ..... www.boisestate.edu
BYU-Idaho (BYU-I) ..... www.byui.edu
College of Southern Idaho (CSI) ..... www.csi.edu
Eastern Idaho Technical College (EITC) ..... www.eitc.edu
Idaho State University (ISU) ..... www.isu.edu
Lewis-Clark State College (LCSC) ..... www.lcsc.edu
North Idaho College (NIC) ..... www.nic.edu
Northwest Nazarene University (NNU) ..... www.nnu.edu
University of Idaho (UI) ..... www.uidaho.edu

	ACI	BBC	BSU	BYU-I	CSI	ISU	LCSC	NIC	NNU	UI
Health Care Administration						•				
Health Information Management			•							
Health Information Technology			•			•				
Health Sciences	•		•	•	•	•	•		•	
History	•		•	•	•	•		•	•	•
Art and Visual Culture			•	•						
Home Economics				•		•				•
Horticulture Technology			•							
Horticultural Science				•						•
Horticulturist			•							
Human Resources Management			•			•				•
Human Services									•	
Humanities				•			•		•	
Hydrology										•
Industrial Technology			•							•
Information Management					•					•
Instructional Performance Technology			•							
Interdisciplinary Studies			•	•		•	•			•
Interior Planning & Design				•						•
International Business	•		•						•	
International Relations	•		•							
International Studies	•			•		•			•	•
Journalism	•		•	•		•		•		•
Justice Studies							•			•
Landscape Architecture										•
Landscape Horticulture				•						
Latin										•
Latin-American Studies	•									•
Law										•
Library Science					•					•
Management	•		•	•	•	•	•			•
Entreprenuerial			•							
Management Information Systems	•		•						•	
Marketing	•		•		•	•			•	•
Marketing/Mgmt. Technology						•				
Marine Biology					•					
Mathematics	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Medical Record Science										
Medical Technology					•	•				•
Microbiology	•		•		•	•				•
Ministerial Studies		•							•	
Molecular Biology & BioChemistry			•							•
Multi-Ethnic Studies			•			•				
Music	•		•	•	•	•		•	•	•
Applied, Voice, Piano	•		•	•					•	•
Business			•							•
Church		•							•	
Composition	•		•							•
Educ.-Vocal & Instruction Pedagogy	•		•	•		•			•	
History and Literature										•
Performance	•		•	•		•			•	•
Theory	•		•						•	•
Theatre	•			•						•
Natural Resources & Rural Development										•
Natural Resources Ecology/Conservation										•
Natural Science	•				•		•		•	
Naval Science										•
Networking and Telecommunications			•							
New Testament Greek		•							•	
Nursing			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Occupational Therapy					•	•				
Office Administration			•							•
Organizational Communication						•				
Paramedicine				•	•	•				
Pharmacy					•	•				
Philosophy	•		•			•		•	•	•
Photography			•	•	•	•				
Physical Education	•		•		•	•	•	•	•	•
Exercise Science	•		•							

	ACI	BBC	BSU	BYU-I	CSI	ISU	LCSC	NIC	NNU	UI
Health Promotion			•		•					
Exercise Physiology			•							
Physician Assistant					•	•				
Physics	•		•	•	•	•		•	•	•
Plant Science										•
Political Science	•		•	•	•	•		•	•	•
American Government			•							
Public Law and Political Philosophy			•							
Pre-Agriculture							•	•		
Pre-Architecture			•	•		•				
Pre-Chiropractic			•		•	•	•			
Pre-Dental Hygiene	•		•		•	•	•		•	
Pre-Dentistry	•		•	•	•	•	•		•	•
Pre-Dietetics	•		•		•	•	•			
Pre-Engineering	•						•		•	
Pre-Forestry	•		•		•		•			
Pre-Law	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Pre-Medicine	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Pre-Nursing	•				•	•	•			•
Pre-Occupational Therapy	•		•	•	•	•	•		•	
Pre-Optometry	•		•	•	•	•	•		•	
Pre-Pharmacy	•		•	•	•	•	•		•	
Pre-Physical Therapy	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Pre-Physician Assistant	•		•		•	•	•			
Pre-Radiographic Science					•	•				
Pre-Seminary		•							•	
Pre-Speech Pathology/Audiology			•		•	•				
Pre-Technical Biology										
Pre-Veterinary Medicine	•		•		•	•	•	•	•	•
Operations Management			•							•
Psychology	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Clinical						•			•	
School						•				•
Public Administration			•			•				•
Public Communications			•						•	•
Radiologic Science			•			•	•			
Range-Livestock Management				•						•
Range Resources					•			•		•
Real Estate					•					
Recreation				•					•	•
Religion	•	•							•	
Ministry		•							•	
Missions		•							•	
Resource Recreation & Tourism					•					•
Respiratory Care			•		•					
Science			•		•	•	•			
Social Science			•				•		•	
Sign Language Studies					•	•				
Social Service Ministries									•	
Social Studies				•					•	
Social Work			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Sociology	•		•	•	•	•		•		•
Soil Science				•						•
Spanish	•		•		•	•			•	•
Speech					•	•			•	
Speech Pathology & Audiology					•	•				
Sport & Fitness Center Mgmt.	•									
Sport Exercise Science	•									•
Statistics										•
Studio Art										•
Theatre Arts-Performance	•		•	•	•	•		•		•
Theatre Arts-Technical	•			•		•				•
University Studies				•		•				
Veterinary Science					•				•	
Virtual Design & Technology										•
Waste Management & Environment						•				
Wildlife Resources					•			•		•
Women's/Gender Studies	•				•					
Zoology	•		•	•	•	•		•		

Academic Admissions Standards

In addition to meeting minimum GPA and ACT/SAT requirements, graduates from accredited high schools in 1989 or later must complete a specific set of college preparatory courses with a minimum 2.0 grade point average to be admitted to Boise State University, Idaho State University, Lewis-Clark State College or the University of Idaho with Regular Admission. Students who will not have completed the Idaho College Admission Core upon graduation may be considered for Conditional Admission.

ENGLISH: 8 Credits. Composition, Literature.

SOCIAL SCIENCE: 5 Credits. American Government, Geography, U.S. History, World History, Economics, Psychology, and Sociology.

MATHEMATICS: 6 Credits. Applied Math I or Algebra I; Geometry or Applied Math II or III; and Algebra II. A total of 8 credits are strongly recommended. Other courses may include Probability, Discrete Math, Analytic Geometry, Calculus, Statistics, and Trigonometry. Four (4) credits must be taken in grades 10-12.

NATURAL SCIENCE: 6 Credits. Anatomy, Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, Geology, Physiology, Physical Science, Physics, Zoology. A maximum of two (2) credits may be derived from professional-technical science courses and/or Applied Biology, and/or Applied Chemistry as jointly approved by the State Department of Education and the State Division of Professional-Technical Education (a maximum of 2 credits.) At least 2 credits must be met from courses which include a laboratory experience.

HUMANITIES/FOREIGN LANGUAGE: 2 Credits. Literature, Fine Arts, History, Philosophy, Foreign Language and interdisciplinary humanities (related study of two or more of the traditional humanities disciplines.) Foreign language is strongly recommended. The Native American Languages may meet the foreign language credit requirement.

OTHER COLLEGE PREPARATION: 3 Credits. Speech or Debate (no more than one credit), Studio/Performing Arts (Art, Dance, Drama, Music), additional foreign language. Up to 2 credits of approved professional-technical courses may apply. Consult your high school counselor.

Professional-Technical Admissions Standards

Students seeking Regular Admission (leading to an AAS degree or certificate) to an Idaho technical college must meet the following standards: a high school diploma with a minimum 2.0 GPA; a placement examination (CPT, ASSET, ACT, COMPASS, or SAT); and satisfactory completion of high school coursework that includes at least the following:

MATHEMATICS: 4 CREDITS from challenging math sequences. Two credits must be taken in the 11th or 12th grade. Recommended: 3 years (6 credits).

NATURAL SCIENCES: 4 CREDITS including at least two credits of laboratory science from challenging science courses. A maximum of two (2) Natural Science credits may be derived from approved courses in Applied Biology, Applied Chemistry, and/or Applied Physics. Recommended: 3 years (6 credits) with 2 years (4 credits) in laboratory sciences.

ENGLISH: 8 CREDITS Applied English in the Workplace may be counted for English credit.

Other College Preparation: Applied technology courses, including Tech Prep sequences and organized work-based learning experiences connected to the school-based curriculum, are strongly recommended.

Each Professional-Technical College establishes specific program requirements (including placement exam scores) that must be met before students can enroll in those programs.

Conditional Admission: A student who does not meet the established requirements for regular admission may be admitted on conditional status with a high school diploma or GED and a placement exam. (The professional-technical colleges can also help you with your GED.) Contact the professional-technical college admissions office of choice for further information.

Accelerated Learning Programs

Students at Idaho colleges and universities may earn college credit for education completed while enrolled in the secondary system.

The College Board Advanced Placement (AP) Examinations: The College Board provides AP exams in a variety of subject areas. The tests are taken while you are still in high school.

The Educational Testing Services College Level Equivalency Program (CLEP) Tests: Some Idaho colleges and universities provide credit for CLEP General or CLEP Subject examinations, or both. CLEP General Examinations cover broad areas of study such as mathematics, history, etc. For more information on AP, CLEP and dual enrollment programs, contact your high school counselor. (Dual enrollment is coursework where a secondary student is enrolled in a college level course that is also counted as a secondary course for graduation purposes.)

Tech Prep: The Tech Prep program allows students to receive technical college credit for a high school professional-technical course (or combination of courses) that has been evaluated and determined to be equivalent to a technical college course. For more information, contact your high school counselor.

The institution you plan to attend may also offer credit based on other criteria. For more information, contact the college or university.

Placement Scores for College English

Class	ACT English	SAT English	AP Exam	COMPASS
English 90	<17	>200	NA	0-67
English 101	18-24	>450	NA	68-94
English 101 Credit English 102 Placement	25-30	>570	3 or 4	95-99
Credit English 101 and English 102	>31	>700	5	

Placement Scores for College Math

Class	ACT Math	SAT Math		COMPASS
Math 123, 127, 130	>19	>460		Algebra >45
Math 143, 147, 253-254	>23	>540		Algebra >61
Math 144, 160	>27	>620		College Algebra >51
Math 170	>29	>650		College Algebra >51 Trigonometry >51

Interstate Programs for Idaho Students

In some specialized fields of study, Idaho has too few students to warrant the establishment of expensive programs. In order to provide Idahoans a full range of educational opportunities at a reasonable cost, the state has established the following programs in cooperation with other states.

Medicine

University of Washington School of Medicine: The Washington Wyoming-Alaska-Montana-Idaho (WWAMI) Regional Medical Education Program allows a limited number of Idaho students the opportunity to study medicine using the combined resources of the University of Idaho and the University of Washington School of Medicine in Seattle. Idaho partially subsidizes the cost of fees and tuition for each Idaho student admitted to the program. For more information, contact the WWAMI Medical Education Program, University of Idaho, Box 44207, Moscow, ID 83844, (208) 885-6696, www.webs.uidaho.edu/wwami.

University of Utah School of Medicine: A limited number of Idaho residents are admitted to this medical education program under an agreement with the University of Utah. Idaho partially subsidizes the cost of tuition and fees for each Idaho student admitted. For residency certification, contact Office of Enrollment Services, Idaho State University, P.O. Box 8270, Pocatello, ID 83209, (208) 282-3940, http://uuhsc.utah.edu/som.

Idaho Rural Physician Incentive Program

The 2003 Idaho Legislature established the Idaho Rural Physician Incentive Program to encourage primary care physicians to practice in medically underserved areas of the state. Beginning with the Fall 2003 semester, all first-year medical education students will be assessed a fee equal to 4% of the annual average medical support fee paid by the state. The fee collected by the State Board of Education will be deposited into the Rural Physician Incentive Fund to repay the educational debts of rural physicians who practice primary care medicine in medically underserved areas of the state that demonstrate a need for assistance in physician recruitment.

Veterinary Medicine

The Washington-Oregon-Idaho (WOI) Regional Veterinary Medical Education Program allows a limited number of Idaho students the opportunity to study veterinary medicine using the combined resources of the University of Idaho Animal and Veterinary Science Department, Caine Veterinary Teaching Center and Washington State University College of Veterinary Medicine in Pullman. Idaho partially subsidizes the cost of fees and tuition for each Idaho student admitted. For more information, contact Dr. James England, Director, Caine Veterinary Teaching Center, (208) 454-8657, or Dr. R.A. Battaglia, Head, Animal & Veterinary Science Department, University of Idaho, Moscow, ID 83844, (208) 885-6345, or AVS Dept. website http://www.vetmed.wsu.edu.

Dentistry

The Idaho Dental Education Program provides financial support for a limited number of Idaho students admitted to the School of Dentistry at Creighton University in Omaha, NE. For current information on the program, contact Dr. Steven Friedrichsen, Chair, Idaho Dental Education Program, Idaho State University, P.O. Box 8088, Pocatello, ID 83209, (208) 282-3289, http://www.isu.edu/departments/idep.

Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education (WICHE) Programs

Under the **Western Undergraduate Exchange (WUE)**, undergraduate students from Idaho may enroll in participating institutions in other western states at a reduced tuition rate. The **Professional Student Exchange Program** enables students to enroll in a participating out-of-state professional optometry program at a reduced cost. The **Western Regional Graduate Program** provides Idaho residents an opportunity to enroll at a reduced cost in certain high quality distinctive graduate programs not available in Idaho.

For more information, contact Lynn Humphrey, State Board of Education, P.O. Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0037, (208) 332-1574 or Lhumphre@osbe.state.id.us, or WICHE's website at http://www.wiche.edu.

Idaho-Washington Reciprocity Program

The Idaho-Washington Reciprocity Program is a special cooperative effort between Idaho and Washington which permits a limited number of Idaho residents to attend Eastern Washington University or Walla Walla Community College with a partial or full waiver of non-resident tuition. First priority is given to Idaho residents who are currently enrolled or seeking enrollment in baccalaureate or graduate degree programs not available in Idaho. For more information, students should contact the Washington institution they want to attend or the Washington Higher Education Coordinating Board, 917 Lakeridge Way, Olympia, WA 98504-3430, (360) 753-7800.

Idaho State University-Utah State University Scholarship

The Idaho State University-Utah State University Scholarship permits a limited number of Idaho residents to attend Utah State University with a full non-resident tuition waiver. Additionally, the 100 Mile Radius Waiver permits students whose homes are within 100 miles of Utah State University to attend USU with a partial waiver of out-of-state tuition. For further information about these programs, contact Recruitment and Enrollment Services, Utah State University, Logan, UT 84322, (800) 488-8108, http://www.wsu.edu/scholarships/freshman-scholarships-non.html.

Idaho-Technical College System

Professional-Technical education is needed for the vast majority of jobs in the United States. Many of the fastest growing occupations are those which require specific education beyond a high school diploma, but not a traditional 4-year college degree. Idaho colleges and universities, through their technical colleges and technical college programs, can provide that education. Programs and activities of the technical colleges are under the governance of the Idaho Board of Professional-Technical Education and are coordinated as a state system by the Idaho Division of Professional-Technical Education.

For More Information:

Phone
(208) 334-3216

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Idaho Division of
Professional-Technical Education
P.O. Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720-0095
E-Mail: dpeterse@pte.state.id.us

Web Address
http://www.pte.state.id.us/

Program Information

A wide range of programs in colleges located in every region of the state prepare students for a rewarding career, while providing the education that meets the latest employment needs of business, industry and the public sector. Most programs lead to either an Associate of Applied Science degree or a certificate representing the completion of specific sequences and industry approved competencies in one to three years. In addition, campuses are creating ways to combine technical education and degrees with the more traditional academic education to create even more opportunities for students. See page 38 for a listing of technical programs in Idaho.

Opportunities for Students

Industry-based Instruction: Students receive hands-on education and training in the field of their choice under the supervision of certified instructors with years of work experience.

Smaller Classes: Low student to teacher ratios in most professional-technical programs give students more personalized attention from instructors.

Job Specific Training: For many professional-technical programs, students participate in off-campus study or internships such as clinical experience and apprenticeships.

Employment: Idaho's professional-technical education programs produce skills that lead to successful employment and higher than average salaries.

Tech Prep Advantage: More than 360 Tech Prep programs are in place throughout Idaho. Students who enroll in these programs while in high school learn technical and academic skills, use real world applications and may qualify for college credit in professional-technical programs.

Professional-Technical Student Organizations

Professional-technical student organizations at the college level provide unique leadership training and skill development through practical, hands-on experience. State and national conferences and competitive events highlight activities of these groups.

- BPA - Business Professionals of America, an organization for students enrolled in business and office technology.
- DEX - Delta Epsilon Chi, the post-secondary division of DECA, the national association of marketing students.
- IPAS - Idaho Postsecondary Agricultural Students, an organization of Idaho students associated with agriculture/ agribusiness and natural resources.
- Skills USA -VICA - an organization for students in trade, industrial, technical and health occupations training.

Admissions Requirements

Idaho's Technical College System practices open enrollment – anyone who needs educational services that can be provided by the system is allowed to enter at some level. For students who seek a technical certificate or AAS degree, standard requirements for regular admission include: a high school diploma with minimum 2.0 GPA; a placement examination; and satisfactory completion of high school coursework that includes at least the following:

- 4 credits from challenging math sequences (2 credits to be taken in the 11th or 12th grade).
- 4 credits natural science.
- 8 credits English (Applied English in the workplace may be counted as English credit).

Placement test scores indicating potential for success are generally required for enrollment in a professional-technical program of choice. Placement score requirements may vary according to the program.

For more information about admission into specific programs, contact the admissions office at one of the technical colleges.

Financial Aid

Idaho technical colleges participate in all federal and state student financial aid programs providing grants, loans and college work study.

- Students interested in applying for scholarships to individual institutions should check with their high school counselor by December for applications and deadlines.
- The State of Idaho Scholarship and the Idaho Governor's Challenge Scholarship provide scholarships for professional-technical students. Students should check with their high school counselor for more information.
- In addition, scholarships are available through student professional-technical organization foundations and private businesses that support professional-technical education in Idaho. Contact the Scholarship or Financial Aid Office at the technical college of choice.

For more information about Student Services Contact:

Larry G. Selland College of Applied Technology
Boise State University
1910 University Drive
Boise, ID 83725
Phone: (208) 426-1431
Out-of-state: 1-800-824-7017 ext. 1431
www.selland.boisestate.edu
e-mail: bsuinfo@boisestate.edu

Professional-Technical Division
College of Southern Idaho
P.O. Box 1238
Twin Falls, ID 83303
Phone: (208) 732-6221
Toll free: 1-800-680-0274
www.csi.cc.id.us
e-mail: info@taylor.csi.cc.id.us

Eastern Idaho Technical College
1600 S. 25th E.
Idaho Falls, ID 83404
Phone: (208) 524-3000, ext. 3371
Toll-free: 1-800-662-0261
www.eitc.edu
e-mail: salbisto@eitc.edu

College of Technology
Idaho State University
777 Memorial Drive
Pocatello, ID 83209-8380
Phone: (208) 282-2622
www.isu.edu/departments/apptech
e-mail: info@isu.edu

School of Technology
Lewis-Clark State College
500 8th Avenue
Lewiston, ID 83501
Phone: (208) 792-2210
Toll free: 1-800-933-5272
www.lcsc.edu
e-mail: admoff@lcsc.edu

Professional-Technical Division
North Idaho College
1000 W. Garden Avenue
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814
Phone: (208) 769-3370
www.nic.edu
e-mail: admit.nic.edu

Idaho's Top 10 Fast-Growing Professional-Technical Occupations, 1998-2008*

Occupations Title	1998 Employment	2008 Employment Projection
Computer Support Specialists	1,480	3,250
Electronic Semiconductor Processors	5,140	10,310
Home Health Aides	950	1,570
Dental Assistants	820	1,670
Teacher Aides, Paraprofessionals	5,030	8,000
Heating, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Mechanics (incl sheet metal workers)	2,230	3,460
Sales Agents, Selected Business Services, Advertising	1,670	2,490
Electrical & Electronic Engineering Technicians & Technologies	2,810	4,080
Carpenters	7,840	11,330
Welders and Cutters	1,700	2,430

Source: Idaho Department of Labor, Bureau of Research and Analysis, 2002
*Occupations having employment of at least 1,000 by the year 2008

Postsecondary Professional-Technical Education Programs

Arts and Communications Career Pathway	ACI	BSU	CSI	EITC	ISU	LCSC	NIC	BYU-I
Broadcast Technology		•						
Computer Graphics Design			•					
Graphic Arts/Printing Technology					•	•		
Color Press Technician						•		
Electronic/Digital Imaging					•	•		
Graphic Communication					•			
Offset Press					•	•		
Phototypesetting						•		
Business and Management Career Pathway								
Business and Office Technology		•	•	•	•	•	•	
Accounting Paraprofessional				•				
Administrative Assistant/ Office Professional/Specialist		•		•	•	•	•	
Bookkeeping/Accounting Assistant/Clerk		•	•	•	•	•	•	
Business/Computer Applications Technician				•				
Electronic Office Specialist			•					
Office Receptionist							•	
Computer Information/ Networking Technology		•	•	•	•	•	•	
Certified Novell Engineer (CNE) Cert				•		•		
Cisco Certified Networking Associate Certification Track				•		•		
Computer/Network/Networking Support Technology		•	•	•		•	•	•
Cisco/Microsoft/Novell				•		•		
Computer Software Engineering Technology					•	•		
Computer Operator					•	•		
Computer Programmer					•	•		
Computer Programmer/Analyst					•	•		
Internet Programmer					•	•		
Language Specialist					•			
Microcomputer Specialist					•	•		
Internet/Internetworking/Support Technician/Technologies			•			•	•	
Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer Certification Track				•		•		
PC/User Support Technician						•	•	
Web Page Design					•			
Web Development				•		•		
Web Authoring						•		
Business Marketing and Management	•	•	•	•	•	•		
Business Administration/Technology	•			•	•			
e-Commerce					•			
Entrepreneurship	•		•					
Food/Beverage Management						•		
Hospitality Management Technology			•		•			
Hotel/Restaurant Management					•	•		
Retailing/Retail Merchandising					•	•		
Rooms Division Management						•		
Travel/Tourism					•			
Supervision						•		

Health Professions Career Pathway	BSU	CSI	EITC	ISU	LCSC	NIC	BYU-I
Allied Health Multiskilled Assistant		•					
Dental Assisting	•	•	•				
Dental Lab Technology				•			
Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)		•					•
Health Information Technology				•			
Human Services Associate/Technician		•				•	
Mental Health Technology						•	
Medical Assistant		•	•	•	•		
Medical Biller/Coder					•		
Medical Billing Specialist						•	
Medical Office Tech/Admin Assistant/Specialist			•	•	•	•	
Medical Receptionist					•	•	
Medical Transcription			•	•	•	•	
Paramedic		•					•
Pharmacy Technician/Assistant						•	
Physical Therapist Assistant				•		•	
Practical Nursing	•	•	•	•		•	
Radiologic Technology		•					
Surgical Technology	•	•	•				
Veterinary Technology		•					
Human Resources Career Pathway							
Child Development, Care, Guidance	•	•		•	•		
Child Care Provider				•			
Family Child Care				•			
Cosmetology				•			
Nail Technology				•			
Culinary Arts	•	•		•		•	•
Hospitality						•	
Education Assistant**		•					
Fire Protection & Safety Technology	•	•	•	•		•	
Wildland Fire Management			•				
Law Enforcement		•		•		•	
Administration of Justice						•	
Level I Reserve Officer				•			
Legal Office Tech/Legal Sec/Legal Admin Asst	•		•	•	•	•	
Paralegal			•	•	•	•	
Industrial and Engineering Career Pathway							
Aircraft Maintenance Technology				•			
Air Frame/Power Plant				•			
Apprenticeship/Mechanics & Repairers**	•		•	•	•		
Automotive Body/Collision Repair	•	•		•	•	•	
Automotive Refinishing				•			
Automotive Mechanic/Technician**	•	•	**	•	•	•	•
Cabinetmaking/Woodworking		•					
Carpentry/Building Construction				•		•	
Cabinet Setting				•			
Carpentry Management						•	
Dry Wall & Taping/Wall Covering Application				•			
Floor Covering Installation				•			
Interior Trim				•			
Residential Carpentry				•			

	BSU	CSI	EITC	ISU	LCSC	NIC	BYU-I
Civil Engineering Technology/Technician				•			
Computer Service/Business Equipment Tech	•			•			
Computer Peripheral Service	•						
Network				•			
PC/LAN Specialist	•						
Diesel Engine Mechanics**	•	•	**	•	•	•	
Diesel Electric Technology				•			
Drafting Technology	•	•		•		•	•
Advanced Drafting Technology	•						
Design Drafting Technology				•			
Drafting Design - Civil/Architectural/Mechanical						•	
Drafting Technology-Mechanical Drafting				•			
Electrical Lineworker	•						
Electrical Technician				•			
Electromechanical Design Drafting Technology				•			
Electromechanical Drafting - Integrated Circuit Design				•			
Electromechanical Technology				•			
Electronic Technology	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Consumer Products Servicing					•		
Electronic Communications					•		
Electronics Service Technician			•				
Electronics Technician					•		•
Information Systems Analysis					•		
Electronic Wireless Telecommunications Tech				•			
Engineering Technology					•		•
Civil					•		
Mechanical					•		
Heating, Air Conditioning/Refrigeration/ Appliance Tech	•	•			•	•	
Idaho Professional Driver Training	•						
Industrial Maintenance Technology	•						
Automated Industrial Technician*	•						
Environmental Control Technician*	•						
Instrumentation Technology				•			
Industrial Controls				•			
Laser Electro-Optics Technology				•			
Machinist/Machine Technology	•			•		•	
Machine Tool Operator				•			
Maintenance Mechanic/Millwright						•	
Manufacturing Technology	•				•		•
Electrical or Mechanical Emphasis	•						
Mechanical Trades - Automotive/ Diesel Technology**			•				
Recreational and Small Engine Repair	•						
Semiconductor Manufacturing Technology	•						
Welding Technology	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Machine Technology					•		
Mechanical/Welding Technician*	•						
Weldor-Fitter				•			

Natural Resources Career Pathway	BSU	CSI	EITC	ISU	LCSC	NIC	BYU-I
Agribusiness Technology			•				•
Landscape Management Technician			•				
Agricultural Consumer & Environmental Science		•					
Aquaculture		•					
Farm & Ranch Management	•	•		•			•
Horse Management		•					
Horticulture	•	•					•
Horticulture Assistant	•						
Horticulturist	•						
Laboratory Assistant/Technician		•					
Water Resource Management		•					

• Designates an active approved Professional-Technical program and/or option.
* Degree involves combination of two or more programs
** Please contact institution for information on specific areas of speciality for each option offered.

Financial Aid & Scholarships

College is an investment in your future, so it is important to plan ahead. Fortunately, there are many forms of financial aid to help you and your family manage the costs. While your high school guidance counselor can provide you with specific information, here are some general sources of what's available. Also, see page 10 for helpful tips on avoiding scholarship scams.

TYPES OF FINANCIAL AID

Scholarships
Awarded for a variety of reasons, such as financial need, good grades, special talents, or career plans. For details, contact the scholarship office of your chosen school.

Grants
State or Federal money based on financial need that you don't need to repay.

College Work-Study
Money you can earn for school by working part-time for the college or university that you attend.

Loans
Borrowed money you must repay with interest.

Getting Financial Aid

1. To apply for federal financial aid, complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form during your senior year in high school. See your counselor for a copy of the form or download or complete the FAFSA online at http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/. Make sure you are aware of important deadlines.
2. Academic institutions are not the only agencies offering scholarships, so check with local organizations, such as: your parent's place of employment; your church; civic or community groups such as American Legion, YMCA, 4-H, Elks, Masons, Kiwanis, Jaycees, Chamber of Commerce, and Rotary; government agencies; and foundations. (Libraries and the Internet are good resources to research financial aid opportunities.)
3. Talk with your counselor about potential sources of financial aid. (See pages 41-42 for scholarship opportunities offered by the State of Idaho).
4. Institutions offer a variety of scholarships and financial aid programs to assist students with continuing education costs. Contact the admissions and/or financial aid offices at the schools you are interested in attending to obtain information about financial aid opportunities. Idaho colleges and universities, specifically, offer a variety of scholarships and financial aid opportunities-See chart on page 42 for deadlines.

For more information, contact your high school counselor or the Office of the Idaho State Board of Education, PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0037, (208) 334-2270 or check out our website at www.idahoboardofed.org.

Explore the Web

The Internet is a great resource for scholarship information. Here are some world wide web addresses that you might find helpful:

- College is Possible
  www.collegeispossible.org
- FastWeb Scholarship Search
  www.fastweb.com
- Financial Aid Resource Center
  www.theoldschool.org
- Making College Count
  www.makingcollegecount.com
- National Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators to: www.nasfaa.org/parentsstudents.asp
- Idaho Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators
  www.isu.edu/wasfaa.org/idaho
- FinAid! The Smart Student Guide to Financial Aid
  www.finaid.org
- Mapping Your Future
  www.mapping-your-future.org

Idaho Resource

The Idaho Career Information System (CIS) contains up-to-date information on U.S. and Idaho scholarships, loans, and other aid sources. See page 5 for more information or visit www.idahocis.org.

Resources for Veterans

Colleges help veterans receive their "G.I. Bill" education benefits through their "Certifying Official" and "Veteran's Affairs" offices, frequently associated with the Registrar's or Financial Aid Offices at colleges and universities. Students eligible to receive VA education benefits should contact that office prior to registration to assure timely submission of claims. The Idaho Department of Education at (208) 332-6921 must approve each program offered by a school or company. If you want to know if you may receive benefits for a specific program, contact the nearest VA regional office at 1-800-827-1000.

Robert R. Lee Promise Category A Scholarship

The Promise Category A Scholarship, formerly the State of Idaho Scholarship, provides approximately 30 new awards of $3,000 each year to talented Idaho high school students who attend an Idaho college or university. The scholarship is awarded to both academic and professional-technical students and is renewable for up to 4 years for academic programs and for the term of the professional-technical program— up to 3 years.

To qualify, you must:

- be a resident of Idaho,
- be a current graduating senior of an Idaho high school, and
- enroll as a full-time student in an academic or professional-technical program at an Idaho college or university.

Academic applicants must be in the top 10% of their graduating class with a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or above and an ACT score of 28 or above.

Professional-technical applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 2.8 or above and must take the COMPASS test (reading, writing and algebra scores are required).

The application deadline is December 15 and applications are available online at: www.idahoboardofed.org.

Robert R. Lee Promise Category B Scholarship

The Promise Category B Scholarship will provide up to $250 per semester for 2 years to qualified Idaho high school graduates who continue their postsecondary education at an Idaho college or university.

To qualify, you must:

- be a resident of Idaho,
- have completed high school or its equivalent in Idaho,
- have a GPA of of at least a 3.0 or an ACT score of 20 or higher,
- enroll as a first time student in an Idaho college or university
- complete at least 12 semester credits
- be under the age of 22 by July 1, 2003.

For more information, contact the Idaho college or university you plan to attend.

Recipients of the Promise Category A Scholarship are not eligible to receive the Category B Scholarship.

Atwell Parry Work Study Program

The Atwell J. Parry Work Study Program provides employment opportunities and valuable work experience for Idaho resident students who demonstrate financial or educational need. Students may be employed on campus or in approved off-campus jobs.

To be eligible for the program, you must be an Idaho resident enrolled at a participating accredited institution of higher education at least half time and demonstrate satisfactory academic progress.

To apply, contact the financial aid office of the Idaho college or university you plan to attend.

Leveraging Educational Assistance Partnership (LEAP) Program

This grant aids students attending a public or private college or university within the state of Idaho.

Eligible students must have financial need and may be enrolled part-time. Awards average approximately $400 per academic year for full-time students.

Contact the financial aid office of the Idaho college or university you plan to attend for its application form and information about deadlines.

Robert C. Byrd Scholarship

This scholarship is a federally funded program awarded on the basis of merit and available conditional on continued federal funding. The award is $1,500 per year and may be renewable.

To qualify, you must be a current graduating senior of an Idaho high school or have the equivalent of a certificate of graduation recognized by the State of Idaho and have demonstrated outstanding academic achievement and show promise of continued academic success.

If funded, information and applications will be available after February 15 from your high school counselor or on the State Board of Education's website at www.idahoboardofed.org.

Idaho Minority and "At-Risk" Student Scholarship

The Idaho Legislature established the Minority and "At-Risk" Student Scholarship to assist talented students who are "at-risk" of failing to obtain a college education because of their cultural, economic or physical circumstances. The award is $3,000 a year and is renewable for up to 4 years.

To qualify, you must:

- be a resident of Idaho.
- be a graduate of an Idaho high school.
- you must also meet 3 of the following 5 criteria:
  1. be a first generation college student.
  2. be disabled.
  3. be a migrant farm worker or the dependent of a migrant farm worker.
  4. have substantial financial need.
  5. be a member of an ethnic minority historically under-represented in higher education (native american, hispanic, or black non-hispanic).

Recipients must be full-time, undergraduate students of ACI, BSU, CSI, EITC, ISU, LCSC, NIC, or UI. For more information, contact the financial aid office of the college or university you plan to attend.

Financial Aid Opportunities in Idaho

Education Incentive Loan Forgiveness

The Education Incentive Loan Forgiveness Program encourages graduates of Idaho high schools to pursue teaching or professional nursing careers at an Idaho college or university and to work in Idaho.

To qualify, you must have graduated from an Idaho high school within the previous 2 years (teaching only), and:

- have ranked within the top 15% of your graduating class or earned a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher,
- enroll as a full-time student in an Idaho college or university, pursuing a program of study toward an Idaho teaching certificate or licensure by the Board of Nursing as a registered nurse, and
- pursue a teaching or nursing career within the state of Idaho for a minimum of 2 years.

To apply, contact the financial aid office of the Idaho public college or university you plan to attend.

Idaho Governor's Challenge Scholarship

The Idaho Governor's Challenge Scholarship provides scholarships to Idaho high school seniors who demonstrate a strong commitment to public service and leadership. The number of awards is conditional on the availability of funds. Awards will be available to scholars pursuing academic and professional-technical programs. The amount of the award is $3,000 a year and is renewable for up to 4 years for academic programs and for the term of the professional-technical program, up to 3 years.

To qualify, you must:

- be a resident of Idaho
- be a current graduating senior of an Idaho high school
- enroll as a full-time student in an academic or professional-technical program at an Idaho college or university
- have a cumulative GPA of 2.8 or above, and
- academic applicants must take the ACT or SAT test.

A high consideration for selection will be based on a demonstrated commitment to public service.

The application deadline is December 15 and applications are available online at: www.idahoboardofed.org.

Institution	Financial Aid Application Required	Financial Aid Application Deadline	Separate Scholarship Application Required?	Scholarship Application Deadline	Is admission application required before aid can be determined?	When are students notified of awards?
Albertson College of Idaho	Albertson College and FAFSA	Feb. 15 for priority consideration	Yes	Mar. 1	Yes	April 1
Boise Bible College	BBC and FAFSA	May 1 for priority consideration	No	May 1	Yes	Beginning June 1
Boise State University	FAFSA	Feb. 15 for priority consideration	Yes	Feb. 15	Yes	Late Spring
BYU - Idaho	FAFSA	3 months prior to date of attendance	No	Feb. 15	Yes	Beginning April 1
College of Southern Idaho	FAFSA	Mar. 1 for priority consideration	Yes	Mar. 1	Yes	Beginning June 1
Eastern Idaho Technical College	EITC FAFSA	June 1 for priority consideration	Yes	Fall, March 1 Spring, Nov. 1	Yes	Beginning June 1
Idaho State University	FAFSA	Mail by Mar. 1 for priority consideration	Yes	Feb. 20	Yes	Beginning April 1
Lewis-Clark State College	FAFSA	Mar. 1 for priority consideration	Yes	Mar. 1	Yes	Late spring
North Idaho College	NIC and FAFSA	Mar. 15	Yes	Mar. 15 for priority consideration	Yes	Late Spring
Northwest Nazarene University	NNU and FAFSA	Feb. 15 for priority consideration	No	Feb. 15 for priority consideration	Yes	Beginning April 4
University of Idaho	FAFSA	Feb. 15 for priority consideration	No	Feb. 15 for priority consideration	Yes	Vandal Friday, beginning late March

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3. **CONNECT** directly to the school offering the course
4. **GET STARTED** learning today!

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