

Tuition and Fee Schedule

Effective July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2014 Terms



Excelsior College – Associate & Baccalaureate Programs Partner Pricing*

Services	Partnership Rates	Standard Rates	Purpose
Application (one time)	\$80	\$80	Processing of application and establishment of student record.
Enrollment Fee (one time)	\$130	\$1065	Official evaluation of transferred credits, academic advisement and academic program planning for first year. The enrollment fee reverts to the standard rate if student does not complete a minimum of twelve (12) Excelsior College course credits prior to completion of their degree.
Tuition (per credit)	\$360	\$425	Participation in academic coursework.
Student Services Annual Fee (paid on an annual basis with the first annual fee charged one year after enrollment)	\$0 Provided six Excelsior course credits taken in one year	\$440	Library services, academic advising and academic program planning. No Student Services Annual Fee will be charged provided student completes a minimum of six (6) Excelsior College course credits within the one-year period. If the student does not complete six (6) Excelsior College course credits within the one-year period, the Student Service Annual Fee will be \$225 for the subsequent year.
Graduation Fee (one time)	\$130 Provided 12 Excelsior course credits taken prior to degree completion	\$495	Final review and processing of student files for conferring of degree and issuance of diploma. The Graduation Fee reverts to the Standard Rate if the student does not complete a minimum of twelve (12) Excelsior College course credits prior to completion of their degree program. In the event the Graduation Fee reverts to the Standard Rate, this fee will be reduced by \$15 per academic credit for each undergraduate Excelsior College course successfully completed. This fee reduction does not apply to academic credits transferred to Excelsior College.

* Partner pricing does not apply to the associate degrees in nursing programs.

Located at 7 Columbia Circle · Albany, New York 12203 · 518-464-8500. Excelsior College is accredited by the Commission on Higher Education of the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools · 3624 Market Street · Philadelphia, PA 19104 · 215-662-5606. The Commission on Higher Education is an institutional accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Secretary of Education and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA). Excelsior College admits students of any race, color and national or ethnic origin. Excelsior College is a Title IV eligible educational institution (Federal Code #014251) offering Federal Financial Assistance (Pell Grants, the FSEOG program, Stafford Loans, and PLUS Loans) to students who qualify and are enrolled in course-based programs.

Excelsior College is registered as a private institution with the Minnesota Office of Higher Education pursuant to sections 136A.61 to 136A.71. Registration is not an endorsement of the institution. Credits earned at the institution may not transfer to all other institutions.

Corporate Partners

Frequently Asked Questions



What is Excelsior College?

Excelsior College is a private, nonprofit, regionally accredited, distance learning institution that is a recognized leader in removing obstacles to the educational goals of adult learners. Excelsior offers degrees at the associate, bachelor's and master's levels in **liberal arts, business, technology, health sciences and nursing** and certificate programs in select subject areas. The College provides efficient and affordable access to higher education through multiple avenues with a focus on meeting students where they are—academically and geographically, offering quality instruction and the assessment of learning.

How does Excelsior offer courses?

Excelsior gives students many options for earning the credits they need to complete a degree. Students can take our online courses, obtain credit by exam using our UExcel or ECE programs, apply for credit for real life experiences/training using CAEL, or take courses elsewhere and transfer them into Excelsior.

Do I qualify to receive partnership tuition and fee pricing?

In order to receive the partnership tuition and fee pricing, you must be an employee, spouse or domestic partner of one of Excelsior's corporate partners.

How do I make sure I receive partnership tuition and fee pricing?

Immediately upon beginning the application process be sure to tell Excelsior's admissions team which corporate partner you are with in order to receive the partnership tuition and fee pricing.

How do I begin the application process?

There are three steps:

- 1. Apply**—Your application helps the College determine your eligibility for admission. In order to receive special discounted pricing, be sure to select your corporation/association from the partner list within the online application or call the admissions team and alert them. Once Excelsior receives your application and official transcript(s), you will receive a preliminary review of your credits, showing how they apply to your chosen degree and what credits you need to meet degree requirements.
- 2. Enroll/Matriculate**—By submitting the enrollment form and fee, you can start working with an academic advisor to chart a course to your degree. During this process, you will receive an official transcript evaluation.

- 3. Register and meet your requirements at your own pace**—Choose the credit-earning options that are best for you: Excelsior College courses, Excelsior College® Examinations or one of the College's other options whenever you are ready. Excelsior courses are offered in 8- and 15-week terms. Before registering, be sure to seek course/exam approval from your academic advisor.

What is your application deadline, and how soon can I start after I apply?

Excelsior College does not require potential students to apply by a certain date and offers open enrollment for its 8- and 15-week terms, so there are no application or enrollment deadlines. You may enroll/matriculate as soon as you receive the results of your preliminary review which shows how your prior credits may apply toward a degree.

How many credits can I transfer in?

Excelsior College may accept up to 105 college credits from regionally accredited institutions as well as credits from other approved sources (certifications, ACE-approved exams, military training, and portfolio assessments of real word experience) toward the completion of an associate or bachelor's degree.

Where can I get more details on how to apply and enroll?

For detailed information, visit Excelsior's corporate partner's page on the College's Web site at corporate.excelsior.edu and select your corporation/association. You can also send an email to corporate@excelsior.edu.

Does Excelsior offer financial aid?

Financial aid is available regardless of income, with low interest rates and flexible payment options. The best place to start is by filing a *Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)*. You can find the form and additional information by visiting www.fafsa.ed.gov. For more information about our financial aid options, call (855) 323-9235 or send an email to admissions@excelsior.edu.

Do you offer scholarships?

Yes. Excelsior College offers more than 20 different scholarships for a wide variety of programs. For more information, visit the scholarship programs page on the College's Web site at www.excelsior.edu/scholarships.