

# Career Pathways

Each Pathway has an advisor designated from the First-Year Experience Program and the Student Success Center to provide information across academic departments and advising resources for faculty and staff. To help explore transfer options, the Passport to Completion mentoring program pairs students with faculty and staff mentors.



Pre-health Professions Pathway		
Degree and Certificate Programs	Possible Career Paths	National Median Salary
<b>Coding Specialist Certificate</b>	Medical Records and Health Information Technicians	\$43,700
<b>Dental Hygiene</b>	Dental Hygienists	\$85,500
<b>Health Information Technology</b>	Medical Records and Health Information Technicians	\$45,200
<b>Nursing</b>	Registered Nurse	\$66,640
<b>Paramedic Certificate</b>	Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics	\$38,900
<b>Paramedic Bridge Certificate</b>	Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics	\$38,900
<b>Paramedicine</b>	Nuclear Medicine Technologists	\$80,800
<b>Physical Therapist Assistant</b>	Physical Therapist Assistants	\$61,800
<b>Practical Nursing Certificate</b>	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	\$50,400
<b>Respiratory Care</b>	Respiratory Therapists	\$65,000
<b>Surgical Technologist</b>	Surgical Technologist	\$46,200

Business Pathway		
Degree and Certificate Programs	Possible Career Paths	National Median Salary
<b>Accounting++</b>	Accountants and Auditors	\$66,072
<b>Business</b>	Business Operations Specialists	\$73,080
<b>Business Administration Transfer</b>	Business Continuity Planners	\$79,800
<b>Computer Aided Drafting and Design</b>	CADD System Manager	\$103,992
<b>Computer Information Systems</b>	Computer Systems Analysts	\$86,400
<b>Construction Supervision++</b>	Industrial Production Managers	\$93,600
<b>Cyber Security and Assurance ++</b>	Information Security Analysts	\$98,700
<b>Fashion Design++</b>	Fashion Designer	\$37,800
<b>Fashion Design: Retailing</b>	Retail Salesperson	\$26,340
<b>Information Technology Basic Skills Certificate</b>	Network and Computer Systems Administrators	\$91,300

Behavioral and Social Sciences Pathway		
Degree and Certificate Programs	Possible Career Paths	National Median Salary
<b>Addiction Counseling Certificate</b>	Substance Abuse and Behavioral Disorder Counselors	\$42,200
<b>Allied Human Services++</b>	Social and Human Service Assistants	\$26,200
<b>Arts and Science Transfer (Area of Concentration) Psychology</b>	Counseling and Human Resources	\$57,420
<b>Early Childhood Education++</b>	Preschool Teacher	\$27,225
<b>Elementary Education / Generic Special Education Pre K-12 (AAT)</b>	Special Education Teachers	\$47,500
<b>General Studies Transfer</b>	Administrative Assistants	\$35,970
<b>Law Enforcement and Correctional Administration</b>	Correctional Officers and Jailers	\$41,600
<b>Legal Assistant</b>	Paralegals and Legal Assistants	\$52,900
<b>Mental Health Services</b>	Social and Human Service Assistants	\$26,200
<b>Special Education Assistant Certificate</b>	Teacher Assistants	\$25,200
<b>Substitute Teacher Certificate</b>	Teacher Assistants	\$24,430
<b>Teacher Education Transfer</b>	Paraprofessional/Teacher Assistants	\$24,430

Visual and Performing Arts Pathway		
Degree and Certificate Programs	Possible Career Paths	National Median Salary
<b>Arts and Science Transfer (Areas of Concentration)</b> Art Music Theatre	Art: Primary or Secondary Instructors Music: Musicians, Primary or Secondary Instructors Theatre: Writers & Authors, Actors	Art: \$50,600 Music: \$59,900 Theatre: \$61,200

STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics)		
Degree and Certificate Programs	Possible Career Paths	National Median Salary
<b>Arts and Science Transfer (Areas of Concentration) Science</b>	Environmental Scientist	\$64,500
<b>Biotechnology</b>	Biological Technicians	\$41,290
<b>Biotechnology Lab Science Certificate</b>	Forensic Science Lab Assistant	\$55,360
<b>Engineering Transfer</b>	Engineer	\$103,340
<b>Electrical Engineering</b>	Electrical Engineers	\$87,706
<b>Lab Animal Science Certificate</b>	Veterinary Assistants and Laboratory Animal Caretakers	\$23,100
<b>Robotics / Mechatronics Technology</b>	Mechatronics Engineers	\$102,200

++ Indicates both degree and certificate offered.