Welcome to YOUR CAMPUS VISIT FUTURE CAPPINAL!

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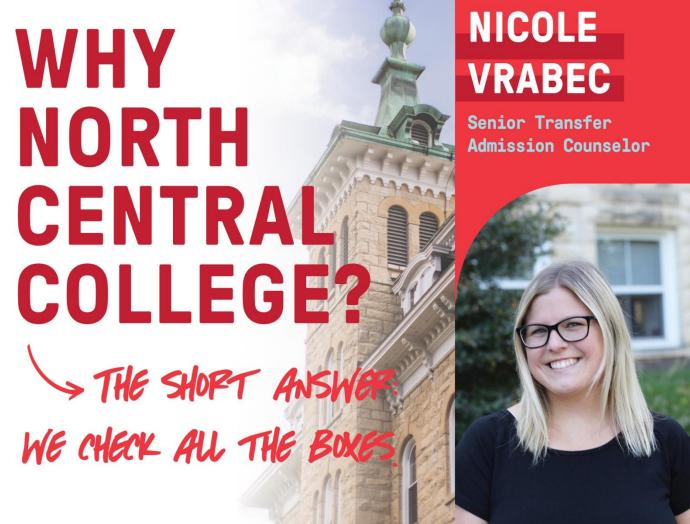
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Two ways to apply: (BOTH FFEE!)

1 Online Application | 2 Common Application

Items to Submit:

- Unofficial High School/Official College Transcripts
- ACT/SAT Scores (optional)
- Personal Statement or Letters of Recommendation (optional)



INCLUSIVE CARDINAL COMMUNITY

2,900 STUDENTS CALL NORTH CENTRAL HOME



1/3 TRANSFER STUDENTS

36% FIRST-GENERATION COLLEGE STUDENTS

STUDENTS FROM 40 STATES AND 50 COUNTRIES





DEDICATED TRANSFER RESOURCES



Transferology

Transcript evaluations

Select community college partnerships

Select guaranteed admission agreements

Individual planning appointments

Transfer student-specific events



THE SUPPORT TO SUCCEED

- Student Success Center
- Center for Career & **Professional Development**
- Learning Commons
- Dyson Wellness Center
- Cardinal First
- Center for Global Education

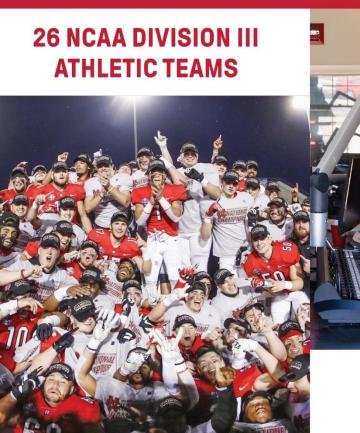




EXCITING CAMPUS LIFE



4 WORLD-CLASS FINE & **PERFORMING ARTS VENUES**



100+ STUDENT **ORGANIZATIONS**



The Cardinal Pledge program covers 100% of tuition and fees for qualified first-year students from Illinois, with the goal of expanding access to a North Central education and taking the guesswork out of the financial aid process.

It's #NotTooGoodToBeTrue!



FIND OUT IF YOU QUALIFY



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35% of new students will qualify



Applying is easy



Open to both resident and commuter students



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WHAT IS FINANCIAL AID?



TYPES OF SCHOLAPSHIPS

- Merit: based on student's admission application
 - Freshman Scholarships
 - Range \$25,500-\$30,000
 - Transfer Scholarships
 - Range \$25,500-\$29,000
 - Talent, participation, affiliation, alumni, or departmental scholarships
- Need: based on a student's aid application

- Endowed: opportunities provided through institutional donations
 - northcentralcollege.academicworks.com
- Private: opportunities outside the college or university
- scholarships.com
- fastweb.com

TYPES OF GRANTS

-FEDERAL

- Pell Grant
- Federal Supplemental Education
 Opportunity Grant

-STATE

Illinois Monetary Award Program

-INSTITUTIONAL

North Central Grant



TYPES OF LOANS

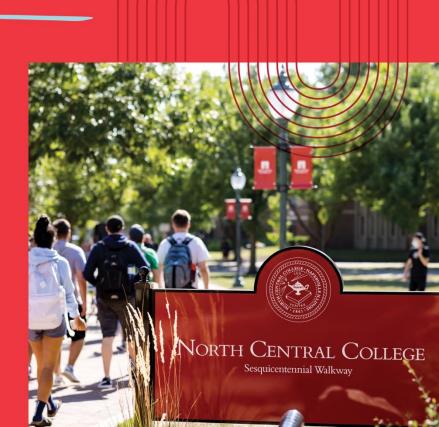
-FEDERAL

- Federal Subsidized Loan
- Federal Unsubsidized Loan
- Federal Parent PLUS Loan

-INSTITUTIONAL

-PRIVATE

Private Education Loan



WORK STUDY FEDERAL

INSTITUTIONAL

The main difference is that federal work-study is need-based from your aid application





APPLICATION PROCESS



FILE THE FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA)

- Where: studentaid.gov
- When: Fall of senior year in high school
- What you will need: Student and parent (if applicable)
 income information from two years prior Ex. 2025-2026
 FAFSA uses 2023 income; federal login (called FSAID); and
 federal school code (Our Federal School Code: 001734)

AFTER YOU FILE THE FAFSA:

- Students are provided a Student Aid Report that gives general information about aid eligibility and any next steps, including verification.
- The school's aid office will receive a copy of the application, request any additional information, and provide aid offers typically beginning late fall into spring.

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