

Welcome to
YOUR CAMPUS VISIT
FUTURE CARDINAL!



**NORTH CENTRAL
COLLEGE 1861**
NAPERVILLE'S UNIVERSITY™

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**DR. ABIÓDÚN
GÒKÈ-PARIOLÁ**

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President



**WELCOME
TO NORTH
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ANNE HENECHAN

Assistant Director
of Admission



WHY NORTH CENTRAL COLLEGE?

→ THE SHORT ANSWER:
WE CHECK ALL THE BOXES.

ELISE PEDOTE

First Year
Admission Counselor





NETWORK OF SUPPORT



First-Year Admissions Team



Ashley Chubirka



Javi Romano



Anne Heneghan



Arianna Jones



Keri long



Elise Pedote



Ellie McDonough



Ella Tucker



**Laura Kendall
Zimmermann**



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Transfer Admissions Team



McKenna Herbst



Sabrina Vo



Rebecca Sheehan



Nicole Vrabec



Jah'mar Daniel



CLEAR APPLICATION PROCESS

Two ways to apply: *(BOTH FREE!)*

1 Online Application | **2** Common Application

Items to Submit:

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

FAST TRACK TRANSFER

BECAUSE YOU WERE NEVER MEANT TO WAIT

APPLY AND SEND **UNOFFICIAL** TRANSCRIPTS TO RECEIVE:

- ☒ Expedited admission decision within 10 days
- ☒ Transfer credit evaluation *(All Illinois two-year college students will receive a credit evaluation at the time of admission.)*
- ☒ Full financial aid offer with submission of FAFSA



INCLUSIVE CARDINAL COMMUNITY

Nearly **3,200** STUDENTS
CALL NORTH CENTRAL HOME



1/3 TRANSFER STUDENTS

39% FIRST-GENERATION
COLLEGE STUDENTS

STUDENTS FROM **46 STATES**
AND **50+ COUNTRIES**





LIFE & LOCATION

9 RESIDENCE HALLS

(COMMUNITY STYLE ROOMS, SUITES AND APARTMENTS)

LIVING LEARNING COMMUNITIES

4 DINING LOCATIONS ACROSS CAMPUS

FLEXIBLE MEAL PLANS FOR RESIDENTS AND COMMUTERS

STEPS FROM DOWNTOWN NAPERVILLE





THE SUPPORT TO SUCCEED

- 1 Student Success Center**
- 2 Center for Career & Professional Development**
- 3 Learning Commons**
- 4 Dyson Wellness Center**
- 5 Cardinal First**
- 6 Center for Global Education**

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The Cardinal Pledge program covers **100% of tuition** and fees for qualified first-year and transfer* 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
YOUR STUDENTS
QUALIFY**



WHAT IS FINANCIAL AID?



TYPES OF SCHOLARSHIPS

- **Merit:** based on student's admission application
 - Freshman Scholarships
 - Range \$25,500-\$30,000
 - Transfer Scholarships
 - Range \$26,500-\$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



APPLICATION PROCESS



FILE THE FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA)

- **Where:** studentaid.gov
- **When:** Fall prior to your first semester
- **What you will need:** Student and parent (if applicable) income information from two years prior Ex. 2026-2027 FAFSA uses 2024 income; federal login (called FSAID); and federal school code ***(Our Federal School Code: 001734)***

AFTER YOU FILE THE FAFSA:

- Submit an enrollment deposit to officially secure a place in the incoming class. The deposit also allows students to begin accessing important next steps, including housing, orientation and course registration.



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