Education Benefits for CCS Employees



All Columbus City Schools faculty, staff and administrators are eligible for a **tuition discount and free books** for Franklin University degree or certificate programs in business, healthcare, technology or education. All programs can be completed 100% online, so you can balance your education with other commitments.

- Take advantage of a 10% tuition discount on associate and bachelor's degree programs – including all K-12 education programs. Make the most of previously earned credit and transfer up to 94 credits toward a bachelor's degree and finish faster.
- The 10% tuition discount also extends to all undergraduate certificate programs including Franklin's Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Certification Program. The program builds on your previously earned bachelor's degree with a personalized program of study to guide you through the necessary coursework and application process for a Resident Educator Initial License in Ohio.
- Earn your master's degree in as few as 14 months and get a 20% tuition discount on degree and graduate certificate programs including the 8-month Instructional Design certificate. Choose from in-demand master's programs including business administration, public administration, business analytics and nursing.
- Get a 15% tuition discount on any of Franklin's doctoral programs including the Doctor of Education (Ed.D.). Choose from Ed.D. focus areas in Organizational Leadership, PK-12 Educational Leadership or Higher Education Leadership.

ESTIMATE YOUR EDUCATION COSTS

Franklin's <u>MyCost Estimator</u> conveniently details expenses alongside cost savings and funding sources. This comprehensive, personalized estimate shows you how a high-quality degree fits your budget.

Learn More or Apply Now

Focused on the adult | FRANKLIN learner since 1902

Nonprofit and accredited, Franklin University has been making it possible for busy professionals to achieve their education and career goals for more than 115 years. Through our industry-relevant programs, Franklin students gain the knowledge they need to make a difference on the job today – while preparing for the opportunities of tomorrow.

From entrepreneurs to CEOs, more than 50,000 Franklin alumni can be found serving the communities in which they live and work.

Accessible with local, regional, national and global reach

- In addition to on-site course options at our Main Campus in downtown Columbus, Franklin is an innovator in providing personalized online education and is Ohio's #1 nonprofit university for online degrees.
- Partnerships with community and technical colleges across the United States provide affordable 3+1 bachelor's degree pathways.
- Global partnerships span Europe, Asia, South America, and the Middle East.

Respected for relevant academic programs that meet industry standards and market demand

- Franklin has earned accreditation from the Higher Learning Commission in addition to specialized accreditation for nursing (CCNE), health information management (CAHIIM) and specific business (IACBE) programs.
- Franklin offers transfer-friendly bachelor's degrees in business, technology, education and healthcare.
- Theory-to-practice master's degrees can be completed 100% online in as few as 14 months.

- Applied doctorates maximize transfer credit and feature a no-fear dissertation.
- The B.S. in Cybersecurity earned the University designation as a National Center of Academic Excellence in Cyber Defense Education (CAE-CDE) by the National Security Agency and the Department of Homeland Security.

Innovative and entrepreneurial

- The University's FranklinWORKS initiative provides partner organizations with a complete portfolio of education options to recruit, train and retain the talent vital to moving their organizations forward.
- Grounded in scholarship, The International Institute for Innovative Instruction employs effective design practices to create interactive and engaging learning experiences for diverse learners.
- The Center for Public Safety and Cybersecurity Education creates cross-disciplinary education and training that prepares professionals to effectively prevent, solve and investigate cybersecurity issues and challenges.

5,000 students per year (90% transfer credit)

- 66% undergraduate
- 27% master's
 - 7% doctoral
 - Average age 34
 - Students represent 49 states and 70 countries
 - The majority of Franklin students work full time while attending classes

Source: National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) Integrated Postsecondary Education Database (IPEDS).

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Franklin University is nonprofit and accredited by the Higher Learning Commission (hlcommission.org/800.621.7440).