



WEBSITE REGISTRATION CHECKLIST

Take your first step to becoming an NCAA student-athlete at eligibilitycenter.org.

Choose from our two account types to get started:

- 1. Certification Account:** You need to be certified by the NCAA Eligibility Center to compete at an NCAA Division I or II school. You also need to be registered with a Certification Account before you can make official visits or sign a National Letter of Intent in Division I or II.
- 2. Profile Page:** If you plan to compete at a Division III school or are currently unsure in which division you want to compete, create a Profile Page. If at any time you wish to pursue a Division I or II path, you will be able to transition to a Certification Account.

For Certification Accounts, please allow between 30 to 45 minutes to register completely. If you need to exit and come back at a later time, you can save and exit once your account or profile is created.

Reference the Help section located in the top task bar at any time to answer your questions as you work through registration.

Below is a list of items we recommend you have before beginning your registration with the NCAA Eligibility Center:

Valid Student Email

You need a valid email address that you check regularly to register. This is important for updating prospective student-athletes about their account. For more information about accepted emails, please reference our [FAQ](#).

high school team. It also includes information about any individuals who have advised you or **marketed** your skills in a particular sport. This information helps the Eligibility Center certify your amateur status when it is requested by an NCAA school.

Basic Student Personal Information

This includes information such as your name, gender, date of birth, primary and secondary contact information, and address.

Payment

For Certification Accounts, nonrefundable registration fee for U.S., U.S. Territories* and Canadian students: \$90

Basic Student Education History

Please include details about all high schools or secondary schools you have attended in the United States or internationally, and additional programs you have attended.

*U.S. Territories include American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico and U.S. Virgin Islands.

Check if your school has a list of NCAA-approved courses.

Nonrefundable registration fee for international students: \$150

Student Sports Participation History

For Certification Accounts, this includes details for any expenses or awards you received, any teams you have practiced or played with or certain events in which you participated, including your

The NCAA Eligibility Center accepts Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express. For payment questions, look [here](#). Some individuals may qualify to apply for a [fee waiver](#).

Next Steps

Stay on track in high school and understand these [quick tips](#) to help in your eligibility process.

For more information, please visit: www.NCAA.org/playcollegesports.

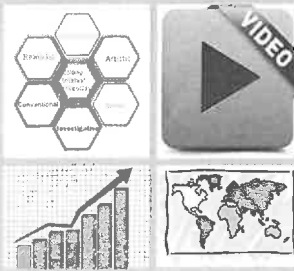


Career Exploration Framework and Tools

Students, you can use the following CAREER FRAMEWORK to *evaluate* careers based on seven (7) elements that may be important to YOU.

- Explore Careers based on your current
 - 1) Interests
 - 2) Skill Sets
 - 3) Work Values
- Explore Careers based on the
 - 4) Industry Outlook (Growing/Declining/Emerging)
- Explore Careers based on
 - 5) Geography (Where can I live to participate in this career?)
- Explore Careers based on
 - 6) Salary (What is the salary range?)
- Explore Careers based on
 - 7) Level of Education Required (OJT, Vocation, Military, AA, BS, MA, Ph.D)

Please utilize the following Web tools to access career exploration interest inventories, data, graphs, maps, and educational requirements.



- Career One Stop**
www.CareerOneStop.org
- Bureau of Labor Market Statistics**
www.BLS.gov/ooh
- O*NET**
www.ONETcenter.org
- My Career Shines**
www.floridashines.org/find-a-career
- Military Careers**
 - www.army.mil/ www.uscg.mil/
 - www.marines.mil/ www.af.mil/
 - www.navy.mil/

50 Fastest-Growing Occupation Projections in Florida

Includes openings due to growth and replacement needs. This table includes occupations with a minimum of 4,000 jobs in 2017. Hourly wages for teaching occupations were calculated using a 40-hour work week for 9½ months per year.

2017

Occupation Title	Employment		2017 - 2025			Median Hourly Wage (\$)	Recommended Education Level
	Current	Projection	Growth	Percent Growth	Total Job Openings		
	2017	2025					
1 Nurse Practitioners	9,504	12,801	3,297	34.7	5,062	46.25	Master's or Higher Degree
2 Physician Assistants	5,631	7,512	1,881	33.4	2,869	48.62	Bachelor's Degree
3 Physical Therapist Assistants	5,482	7,208	1,726	31.5	2,974	30.60	Associate Degree
4 Home Health Aides	27,494	35,955	8,461	30.8	13,348	11.21	Postsecondary Vocational
5 Operations Research Analysts	6,634	8,368	1,734	26.1	2,624	29.51	Master's or Higher Degree
6 Diagnostic Medical Sonographers	5,723	7,205	1,482	25.9	2,309	30.40	Master's or Higher Degree
7 Web Developers	9,752	12,248	2,496	25.6	3,465	28.26	Postsecondary Vocational
8 Physical Therapists	13,533	16,975	3,442	25.4	6,266	42.00	Postsecondary Vocational
9 Brickmasons and Blockmasons	6,688	8,349	1,661	24.8	2,125	17.43	Master's or Higher Degree
10 Medical Assistants	53,577	66,676	13,099	24.5	21,883	15.06	Postsecondary Vocational
11 Personal Care Aides	27,420	34,097	6,677	24.4	8,358	10.54	Postsecondary Vocational
12 Personal Financial Advisors	15,130	18,622	3,492	23.1	6,505	49.20	Postsecondary Vocational
13 Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists	29,609	36,279	6,670	22.5	9,405	28.53	Bachelor's Degree
14 Taxi Drivers and Chauffeurs	14,686	17,948	3,262	22.2	5,423	11.23	Bachelor's Degree
15 Occupational Therapists	6,495	7,927	1,432	22.1	2,367	41.73	Less than High School
16 Computer Systems Analysts	19,586	23,811	4,225	21.6	6,172	39.24	Master's or Higher Degree
17 Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	9,485	11,528	2,043	21.5	2,762	15.21	Associate Degree
18 Opticians, Dispensing	5,290	6,425	1,135	21.5	2,238	18.01	Associate Degree
19 Health Specialties Teachers, Postsecondary	10,991	13,341	2,350	21.4	3,873	57.42	Associate Degree
20 Clinical, Counseling, and School Psychologists	4,053	4,908	855	21.1	1,536	33.99	Master's or Higher Degree
21 Cardiovascular Technologists and Technicians	4,671	5,648	977	20.9	1,652	25.05	Master's or Higher Degree
22 Industrial Machinery Mechanics	13,459	16,264	2,805	20.8	5,537	23.39	Postsecondary Vocational
23 Phlebotomists	8,065	9,737	1,672	20.7	2,994	14.59	Postsecondary Vocational
24 Speech-Language Pathologists	7,923	9,551	1,628	20.6	3,195	37.98	Postsecondary Vocational
25 Nonfarm Animal Caretakers	15,670	18,829	3,159	20.2	5,660	10.78	Master's or Higher Degree

Source: Florida Department of Economic Opportunity.

Go to the Employment Projections page (www.floridajobs.org/lmsc/ep). Under "Employment Projections Data" select either Statewide or your Workforce Region and then Open the file that downloads. When the spreadsheet opens, choose the Occf worksheet at the bottom of the page. If you do not see the worksheets list, you may need to maximize the webpage.

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	Current 2017	Projection 2025	Growth	Percent Growth	Total Job Openings		
26 Healthcare Social Workers	6,989	8,397	1,408	20.2	2,743	23.75	Master's or Higher Degree
27 Information Security Analysts	4,989	5,987	998	20.0	1,494	39.72	Postsecondary Vocational
28 Massage Therapists	15,908	19,086	3,178	20.0	4,066	19.05	Postsecondary Vocational
29 Cement Masons and Concrete Finishers	12,333	14,779	2,446	19.8	3,666	16.17	Postsecondary Vocational
30 Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technicians	7,515	8,996	1,481	19.7	2,924	17.36	Associate Degree
31 Software Developers, Applications	35,812	42,772	6,960	19.4	10,917	41.79	Associate Degree
32 Cooks, Restaurant	105,686	125,554	19,868	18.8	42,342	12.55	Postsecondary Vocational
33 Mental Health Counselors	4,546	5,399	853	18.8	1,605	21.08	Master's or Higher Degree
34 Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics	11,033	13,100	2,067	18.7	3,469	14.76	Associate Degree
35 Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	46,923	55,706	8,783	18.7	19,421	20.94	Postsecondary Vocational
36 Parking Lot Attendants	17,902	21,232	3,330	18.6	11,506	9.53	Less than High School
37 Medical Secretaries	21,968	26,020	4,052	18.5	5,906	15.01	Postsecondary Vocational
38 Substance Abuse and Behavioral Disorder Counselors	4,961	5,875	914	18.4	1,734	21.25	Bachelor's Degree
39 Dentists, General	7,892	9,336	1,444	18.3	2,678	67.94	Master's or Higher Degree
40 Roofers	21,402	25,315	3,913	18.3	6,527	15.70	Postsecondary Vocational
41 Dental Hygienists	11,456	13,550	2,094	18.3	3,538	31.86	Associate Degree
42 Dental Assistants	18,622	22,019	3,397	18.2	7,059	18.17	Postsecondary Vocational
43 Nursing Assistants	96,804	114,430	17,626	18.2	34,834	12.15	Postsecondary Vocational
44 Billing and Posting Clerks	34,975	41,318	6,343	18.1	12,040	16.75	High School Diploma
45 Food Servers, Nonrestaurant	14,289	16,870	2,581	18.1	5,361	9.79	Less than High School
46 Computer and Information Systems Managers	12,257	14,470	2,213	18.1	3,293	62.89	Bachelor's Degree
47 Medical and Health Services Managers	13,475	15,820	2,345	17.4	5,023	51.14	Bachelor's Degree
48 Management Analysts	56,545	66,380	9,835	17.4	15,868	33.12	Bachelor's Degree
49 Construction Laborers	83,289	97,474	14,185	17.0	27,429	13.73	Less than High School
50 Self-Enrichment Education Teachers	18,087	21,156	3,069	17.0	5,771	15.42	Postsecondary Vocational

Less than High School	5	High School Diploma	1
Postsecondary Vocational	19	Associate Degree	8
Bachelor's Degree	7	Master's or Higher Degree	10

Postsecondary Vocational- Occupations that generally require Career and Technical training that last from a few weeks to a year or more.
 Associate Degree- Generally two year college programs that award an associate in arts degree (AA), an associate in science (AS) or an associate in applied science degree (AAS).



The College Prep Curriculum

Students must complete at least 18 credits of high school work in the five academic core areas listed below in addition to two academic electives to meet minimum eligibility. Not all courses that count for your high school diploma in a core area count for university admission. Your school counselor can assist you in selecting the right types of courses that meet these requirements.

Core Area	Credits Required*
English/Language Arts	4 credits (3 with Substantial writing)
Mathematics	4 credits (Algebra 1 and higher)
Natural Science	3 credits (2 with substantial lab components)
Social Science	3 credits
Foreign Language or American Sign Language	2 credits (in same language) or demonstrated competency to the second high school level or higher
Approved Academic Electives	2 academic credits (or 1 academic elective and 1 ROTC credit)
Total:	18 credits

*Source: Florida Counseling for Future Education Handbook

What do Freshmen in Florida Universities Look Like?

Below are the average GPAs and test scores for Fall 2017 Newly Admitted First Time in College Students at each of Florida's public universities, provided by the state universities. These profiles show you how to prepare academically to be a competitive candidate at one of Florida's State Universities.

University	Middle Range SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing	Middle Range SAT Math	Middle Range ACT	Middle Range GPA
FAMU	500 – 590	500 – 590	18 – 21	3.0 – 3.49
FAU	560 – 630	580 – 620	23 – 27	3.80 – 4.45
FGCU	550 – 620	530 – 600	21 – 26	3.42 – 4.22
FIU	590	590	21 – 23	4.13
FSU	620 – 690	610 – 680	27 – 31	4.0 – 4.5
NCF	630 – 710	580 – 690	26 – 31	3.77 – 4.36
POLY	540 – 650	540 – 660	24 – 29	3.47 – 4.26
UCF	620 – 700	610 – 700	26 – 30	3.7 – 4.3
UF	630 – 710	640 – 730	28 – 32	4.3 – 4.6
UNF	610 – 670	590 – 660	25 – 29	3.6 – 4.4
USF	610 – 680	600 – 680	26 – 30	3.90 – 4.43
UWF	592	574	25	3.8



The Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program

Florida has over 12 different scholarship and grant programs to help you pay for college. One of the most recognized programs is the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program (<http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/ssfad/bf/>) that is made possible with proceeds from the Florida Lottery. This money can be used at a Florida university, college, or even a career and technical center.

As a Florida resident, you could earn Bright Futures scholarship money if you meet certain general and specific requirements. These requirements can change after each Legislative session, so it's important to stay aware of all the necessary details.

Bright Futures Scholarship Award Requirements

Each Bright Futures scholarship award has its own academic eligibility requirements and award amounts. Here is a quick overview of the academic requirements for the Bright Futures Scholarships for students graduating in 2017-18:

Criteria	Florida Academic Scholars (FAS)	Florida Medallion Scholars (FMS)	Gold Seal Vocational Scholar (GSV)	Gold Seal CAPE Scholar (GSC)
GPA (weighted)	3.5	3.0	3.0 weighted in core credits and a 3.5 unweighted in three CTE credits in one vocational program (taken over two academic years)	
Required Credits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 English (3 with substantial writing) • 4 Mathematics (at or above Algebra 1 level) • 3 Natural Science (2 with substantial lab) • 3 Social Science • 2 World Language (sequential, in the same language) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 English (3 with substantial writing) • 4 Mathematics (at or above Algebra 1 level) • 3 Natural Science (2 with substantial lab) • 3 Social Science • 2 World Language (sequential, in the same language) 	Courses required for high school graduation. Please refer to the appropriate requirements for the entering high school 9th grade cohort: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • http://www.fldoe.org/bii/studentpro/grad-require.asp 	
Test Scores	1290 SAT or 29 ACT	1170 SAT or 26 ACT	SAT Critical Reading: 440 SAT Math: 440 or Rev. SAT Reading Test – 24 Rev. SAT Language Test – 25 Rev. SAT Math Test – 24 or ACT English: 17 ACT Reading: 19 ACT Math: 19 or P.E.R.T. Writing: 103 P.E.R.T. Reading: 106 P.E.R.T. Math: 114	
Community Service Hours	100 hours	75 hours	30 hours	30 hours