

ALBRIGHT COLLEGE & DELAWARE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

DUAL ADMISSIONS & CORE-TO-CORE TRANSFER PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

FACT SHEET

DUAL ADMISSIONS: As part of the Dual Admissions Agreement, DCCC graduates are guaranteed admission into Albright College's bachelor degree programs if they:

- have completed and submitted a "Dual Admissions Intent" form before completing thirty (30) credits;
- graduate from DCCC with an Associate in Arts (A.A.) or Associate in Science (A.S.) degree;
- satisfy all Albright College transfer admission requirements.

ADVANTAGES: Among the many advantages that Dual Admissions students enjoy:

- While enrolled at DCCC, full-time Dual Admissions students may take one course per year at Albright College with the tuition waived.
- Albright's Application Fee is waived for Dual Admissions candidates.
- Core-to-Core Transfer Agreement. Albright College agrees to accept the general education requirements that DCCC students must complete for their Associate in Arts and Associate in Science degree. Under this agreement, DCCC's general education requirements will meet all core (General Studies) requirements for graduation from Albright, except:
 - the foreign language requirement
 - the interdisciplinary studies requirementThe Core-to-Core Transfer Agreement does not alter Albright's admission standards or its requirements for various major fields of study.
- All DCCC courses with passing grades will transfer to Albright College.
- Full-time students entering Albright with third year (junior) status will be able to complete a bachelor's degree within four regular terms (spring and fall) in a parallel program, provided the student completes the appropriate Associate Degree program at DCCC and completes the appropriate sequence of courses at Albright.

SCHOLARSHIPS & FINANCIAL AID:

Merit Scholarships: DCCC transfer students who enroll as full-time day students at Albright College could receive a scholarship of:

- \$15,000 per year, with a GPA of 3.8 or higher
- \$12,500 per year, with a GPA of 3.6 – 3.79
- \$10,000 per year, with a GPA of 3.4 – 3.59
- \$ 7,500 per year, with a GPA of 3.2 – 3.39
- \$ 5,000 per year, with a GPA of 3.0 – 3.19

All scholarships are renewable, contingent upon the student maintaining the required cumulative grade point average at Albright College.

Partnership Scholarship: All DCCC graduates with a GPA of 2.0 or higher who enroll in Albright College's accelerated evening programs by Fall 2004 are eligible for a \$2,500 Partnership Scholarship. This \$2,500 scholarship will be applied to the comprehensive fee.

Part-time Students who take two Albright courses per semester will receive a \$400 per year scholarship (\$200 per semester).

Evening Degree Completion Students are not eligible for any merit scholarships since the tuition rate is already discounted.

Financial Aid will be awarded to Dual Admissions students on the same basis as all Albright College students. They will have equal access to Albright College grants, as well as all state and federal financial aid programs.

For More Information: Contact the Albright College Transfer Coordinator at 1-800-252-1856.

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

- Q. Why does Albright College offer Dual Admissions to DCCC graduates?
- A. Albright College is one of a growing number of colleges and universities that have Partnership Agreements and Dual Admissions with Delaware County Community College graduates. These agreements are intended to make your transfer to a four-year institution a simple process.
- Q. Do I have to attend Albright College if I sign the Intent Form?
- A. No. Signing the Intent Form simply gives you a guarantee that Albright College will accept your credits towards its programs.
- Q. If I sign the Intent Form and later apply to Albright College, do I have to attend there if I am accepted?
- A. No. You can apply to as many colleges as you choose to apply to, but keep in mind that there is usually an application fee ranging anywhere from approximately \$25-\$50 for each college.
- Q. Does Albright College have an accelerated bachelor degree completion program (DCP) for working adults?
- A. Yes. Albright offers five majors at various sites for adults who have at least 50 college credits. Call 888-253-8851 for more details.
- Q. While attending DCCC, should I keep in contact with a counselor at Albright College?
- A. Yes. Keeping in contact with a counselor at Albright, as well as your counselor at DCCC, will ensure that you take the right classes.
- Q. How do I know if I am eligible to participate in this program?
- A. All students who graduate from DCCC with an Associate in Arts (AA) or Associates in Science (AS) degree are eligible to participate.
- Q. How many of my DCCC courses will transfer to Albright?
- A. Albright College agrees to accept the general education requirements that DCCC students complete for their AA or AS degree as meeting all core (General Studies) requirements except for the foreign language/cultures and the interdisciplinary studies requirements. All courses with passing grades will transfer.
- Q. What advantage is there if I sign the Intent Form?
- A. In addition to knowing that you can transfer all of your courses for your AA or AS degree, you can take one course per year FREE at Albright College if you are a full-time DCCC student.
- Q. Can I still apply for Financial Aid if I sign the Intent Form?
- A. Yes. Both full-time day DCCC students and adult students who apply to Albright College's accelerated evening degree completion program can apply for Financial Aid.
- Q. Where is Albright College?
- A. Albright College offers its adult accelerated Degree Completion Program in Exton. The main campus is at 13th & Bern Streets in Reading, PA. For directions or to schedule a visit, check the web site at www.albright.edu or call the Admissions Office at 800-252-1856, or 610-921-7512.

