Why CCA?

Whether you need to take courses for a degree or to complete a certificate to help you land your dream job, CCA can help get you there at a fraction of the cost of a four-year college or university. We’re small enough to get to know you, yet big enough to offer classes online and on-campus to help you reach your potential!

Vision:
We aspire to be the college where every student succeeds.

Mission:
The Community College of Aurora serves our diverse community by providing high quality instruction and support services to prepare students for transfer and employment.

Individualized Attention:
The Community College of Aurora is unique just like you and we are committed to helping you succeed! Our classes are guaranteed to be less than 33 students so you can get individual attention from your instructors. We are a small, friendly campus that strives to create a sense of community!

- Annual Enrollment: 11,015
- Average Class Size: 16
- Student to Faculty Ratio: 24:1
- Mascot: Red Fox

Quality Education with Guaranteed Transfer Options:
CCA has highly qualified instructors who are dedicated to their students. We offer the same quality education as other institutions at a fraction of the price! CCA also offers Guaranteed Transfer Credits and Designated Degrees, which allow students to seamlessly transfer to a public Colorado college or university.

Unique Opportunities:
CCA offers several unique programs including the Colorado Film School, ranked in the top 25 in the nation, a Diesel Mechanics program, and an American Bar Association Approved Paralegal program. CCA has the largest Simulation Center in Colorado for EMS, Paramedics, and Police training, and the only Model UN program at a Community College. CCA also offers the Integrated Nursing Pathways Program and the only Translation and Interpretation program in the state.

Commitment to Diversity:
Both the Community College of Aurora and the City of Aurora have a strong commitment to diversity. Aurora has residents from over 140 countries*, and CCA has students representing 65 nations. In addition, CCA is committed to equity, diversity, and inclusion through Inclusive Excellence. We want all students, staff, and faculty to learn and contribute within our inclusive environment.

Hispanic Serving Institution:
The Community College of Aurora achieved Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) status in 2016. The HSI designation is awarded to institutions that have at least a 25 percent Hispanic-student enrollment. As of fall 2016, CCA’s Hispanic enrollment is at 26.8 percent. This achievement speaks to the college’s commitment to reflect and serve the region by raising the educational attainment of all students.

Aurora - A Great Place to Be:
The city of Aurora is one of the fastest growing cities in the nation. Aurora has been ranked among the best in the United States by national magazines and websites as: #1 Fittest City, #1 Best Large City for Working Women, #2 Best City to Build Wealth, and #12 Healthiest, Happiest City.* Aurora is also one of the safest large cities in the nation, and CCA has a campus committed to the safety of its students and staff.

*Aurora State of the City Aurora Rotary Club – May 12, 2015
2017-2018 Tuition Rates

CCA offers some of the lowest tuition rates in the state!

Please note that tuition at CCA is determined by your residency status. When completing the admissions application, please ensure that your responses to the residency section are accurate and thorough. If you have any questions, please contact the Admissions Office at 303-360-4797 or enrollment@ccaurora.edu.

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### Online: CCA and CCC Online classes:

- **Resident:** $332.50/credit hour
- **Less COF Stipend:** $77,000/credit hour
- **Amt Due after COF Stipend:** $255.50/credit hour

- **Non-Resident:** $389.55/credit hour

**IMPORTANT:** When you apply for admissions, if you have been misclassified as a non-resident for tuition classification purposes, please contact the Admissions and Records department at 303-360-4797.

Tuition, COF stipend, and fee amounts are subject to change pending final Board Approval.

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### Financial Aid

Many CCA students use financial aid to pay all or part of their tuition. Financial aid is awarded based on individual eligibility. Options include grants, loans, and work study to help students with college expenses.

For example, the Pell Grant is a form of financial aid. It is based on economic need, and students who are eligible for the Full Pell Grant, based on Expected Family Contribution determined by the FAFSA*, could receive enough aid to pay for all of their tuition expenses.

**Full Pell Grant = $2,960.00 and 15 credit hours**

(\text{in-state tuition}) = $2,056.68. That means your classes will be completely paid for and you will have $830.82 for books and other expenses!

Apply as early as October 1 each year to ensure your financial aid is completed and awarded before classes begin! Apply at www.fafsa.ed.gov. The CCA School Code is 016058. Also, consider Work study if you want to work part-time on campus. See the Financial Aid Office for details!

Need help completing your FAFSA? CCA offers free help on both of campuses! FAFSA Assistance is by appointment only.

Call to schedule your appointment today:

- **CentreTech Campus:** 303-360-4709 Wednesday and every other Monday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
- **Lowry Campus:** 303-340-7093 Monday and Tuesday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**Roughly 65-70% of CCA students use financial aid.**

Here’s a breakdown of approximately how much financial aid is provided to CCA students in a fiscal year:

- **Institutional, Departmental and Foundation Grants and Scholarships:** $6,953,628
- **PELL Grants:** $7,772,341
- **State and Federal Grants:** $3,300,311
- **Work Study Salaries:** $501,135

Learn more about scholarships on page 4.

*Free Application for Student Financial Aid*
Getting Started at CCA

Some steps for application are different for new students and transfer and readmit students. Be sure to follow the steps that apply to you!

www.ccaurora.edu/apply

All Students:

Step 1 - Apply for Admission
If you are new to CCA or have been away for a year or more you will need to complete the online application for admission. There is no cost to apply!

- If you are a Colorado resident, make sure you sign up for the College Opportunity Fund (COF) on the application. It’s free and can save you hundreds of dollars on tuition!

Step 2 - Apply for Financial Aid / Scholarships
Complete the FAFSA online at www.fafsa.ed.gov to find out if you are eligible for grants, scholarships, work study and/or loans. The application process can take 6-8 weeks to complete, so apply early. For more information visit: www.ccaurora.edu/financialaid.

To learn more about scholarships visit: www.ccaurora.edu/getting-started/paying-college.

First-Time New Students:
(Students who have not attended college after high school graduation/GED completion.)

Step 3 - Meet the Assessment Requirement
- Take the placement test to assess your current academic skill level. Students are strongly encouraged to review the assessment workbook prior to taking the test. Resources can be found at: www.ccaurora.edu/testing.

Make an appointment online for the Accuplacer at: www.registerblast.com/centretech/Exam
- or -
- Provide a copy of ACT or SAT scores (no more than five years old) prior to orientation.

Step 4 - Register for and attend a New Student Orientation
Register online at: www.ccaurora.edu/orientation

During New Student Orientation you will learn about academic advising, registration, student ID card, and all other aspects of enrolling at CCA.

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Transfer and Readmit Students:

Step 3 - Transfer in any Previous College Courses
CCA awards credit for prior learning. Students who have previously attended another college or who have ACE, AP, CLEP, DANTES, IB or other college-level learning are encouraged to visit the Transferring to CCA web page for more information: www.ccaurora.edu/transfer-in

All students must meet the assessment requirements in the areas of math, reading, and English to register for courses. Please see step 3 on the First-Time New Students path for more information on the assessment requirement.

If you have a foreign transcript from a college or university, you must have that transcript evaluated and translated (if necessary) into American standards. For additional information, please contact Kelly Gaer, Credential Evaluator, at kelly.gaer@ccaurora.edu or 303.360.4710.

Optional - Attend a Transfer Student Orientation:
Register online: www.ccaurora.edu/orientation

During Transfer Student Orientation you will learn about academic advising, registration, student ID card, and all other aspects of enrolling at CCA.

Step 4 - See a Pathways Advisor and Register
Pathways Advisors are here to guide you through the enrollment process, to ensure you are in the correct academic program that will meet your future, career, and transfer goals. We have two advising centers at the CentreTech and Lowry campuses. To make an appointment with a Pathways Advisor, go to: www.ccaurora.edu/getting-started/make-appointment or walk in Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., and Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

You can register online at: https://myportal.cccs.edu/jsp/misc/schoolLoginNew.jsp?school=cca

Step 5 - Pay your Tuition
Each semester, CCA publishes a tuition due date. If you have not paid your tuition and fees by this time, you will be dropped from classes. To pay for classes you can pay in full, set up a payment plan with the Cashier’s Office or on MyCCA, or have an award letter from Financial Aid Office at CCA. Make sure you have a plan prior to registering for classes for how you will pay your tuition and fees.
Scholarships

Scholarships are offered through the CCA Foundation and the Financial Aid Office. CCA offers a wide variety of scholarships just for CCA students! Our scholarships offer assistance to most anyone, from older students to those just graduating from high school, or even if you are returning to school and want to complete your degree or certificate.

www.auroragives.org
www.ccaurora.edu/scholarships

Scholarship Opportunities:

**COSI - Colorado Opportunities Scholarship**
Colorado resident, U.S. Citizen, 250% of Pell eligibility. Award will be applied to tuition, fees, and books.

**First-Generation Scholarship**
High School diploma with a 2.25 GPA or GED. Award will be applied to tuition, fees, and books.

**Fast Forward Scholarship**
Completed concurrent enrollment courses at CCA while in high school. Award will be applied to tuition, fees, and books.

**Academic Department Scholarships**
Scholarships for all types of degree programs - Business, Early Childhood, EMS, ESL, CIS, Diesel Mechanics, Health Sciences, Paramedics, STEM, and more.

**S-STEM Scholarship**
Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math degree program students. $2,500/semester - 12 scholarships/year

Important Scholarship Dates:

**Fall Semester:**
Scholarships Open: April 1
Priority Application Deadline: May 1
Notification Date: August

**Spring Semester:**
Scholarships Open: October 1
Priority Application Deadline: November 1
Notification Date: January

If you have any questions about financial aid or scholarships contact the Financial Aid Office at 303-360-4709 or financialaid@ccaurora.edu. Or visit: www.ccaurora.edu/getting-started/paying-college/financial-aid

DACA and ASSET Students:
Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) and Colorado ASSET are both public policies that allow undocumented youth to attend Community College of Aurora at the resident tuition rate. CCA welcomes DACA and ASSET students! Please note that ASSET and DACA students are not eligible for state or federal financial aid. However, these students are eligible for the College Opportunity Fund (COF), as well as scholarships provided through our Foundation.

If you are interested in obtaining residency through ASSET, or if you have questions about your residency status or eligibility for these programs, contact Karen Hurtado at 303-361-7363 or karen.hurtado@ccaurora.edu. Or visit: www.ccaurora.edu/getting-started/paying-college/daca-asset
Degree Descriptions

Certificate (Cert)
Certificates are semester to year-long programs designed to give you the skills you need to enter the job market or advance as a current professional in the field. View employment information related to our certificates at www.ccaurora.edu/gainful-employment.

Associate of Applied Science (AAS)
AAS degrees are often referred to as “terminal degrees” because they give students the knowledge they will need to enter the job market. Although they are not designed to transfer to another college or university, many classes will be transferable.

Associate of Arts (AA)
An Associate of Arts is a two-year degree in a non-science based academic program designed to teach students the basics so they can either work in that field or transfer to a four-year college or university.

Associate of Science (AS)
An Associate of Science is a two-year degree in a science-based academic program designed to teach students the basics so they can either work in that field or transfer to a four-year college or university.

Associate of General Studies (AGS)
An Associate of General Studies is used as a base for some degree programs such as film and nursing as well as a degree option for students seeking a broad base for their education. It is not designed for transfer to four-year colleges or universities; however, courses may be transferable on a course-by-course basis, depending on the transfer college or university.

Guaranteed Transfer Credits (GT)
Guaranteed Transfer Credits are classes that are guaranteed to transfer directly to any public four-year college or university in Colorado. They are also accepted by some private universities. Please see our website for a full list of all of the GT classes we offer. www.ccaurora.edu/programs-classes/transfer-options/transfer-degrees.

Degree with Designation (DWD)
A Degree with Designation is an Associate Degree (AA or AS) guaranteed to transfer to a four-year college or university in Colorado. When you earn a Associate Degree in a designated field of study, and complete the requirements for admission, you can seamlessly transfer to a public Colorado college or university as a junior in that program.

Articulation Agreement
In some programs, we have an articulation agreement with a specific college or university that allows you to begin at CCA and transfer to that school to finish your degree in that program.
## Accounting

Accounting is often referred to as the language of business and is a systematic process of interpreting and communicating financial information. Accounting analyzes the financial position of an organization.

**AAS - Accounting:** Start or advance your career with the professional knowledge needed to understand the basics of financial accounting. **Career Options:** Tax Preparer, Bookkeeping, Auditing Clerk, Payroll and Timekeeping Clerk, Brokerage Clerk.

**Cert - Full Charge Bookkeeping:** Start or advance your career as a bookkeeper or accountant by learning basic accounting principles, document accounting transactions, and payroll processing. **Career Options:** Bookkeeping, Payroll Technician.

## Anthropology

Anthropology studies and interprets the role of biology and culture in shaping human diversity in the past and the present to develop a global perspective on the human species.

**AA - Anthropology [DWD]:** Transfer to a four-year college or university to major or minor in anthropology. **Career Options:** Work in a museum, diversity program, or participate in field studies as an archaeologist.

## Art and Design

Art and Design courses will help you build a foundation for your creative career built on our core curriculum, creativity, drawing, and design.

**AA - Studio Art [DWD]:** Develop your portfolio and prepare to transfer to a four-year college and university and learn the foundational skills of drawing, design, technology, creative thinking, and presentation. **Career Options:** Artist, Art or Creative Director, Illustrator, Animator, Art Gallery Manager, Art Teacher, Photographer, Sculptor.

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### Degree Options

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## Biology

Biology is the scientific exploration of the vast and diverse world of living organisms. The full range of topics covered in the biological sciences includes some of the most important aspects that affect human life on Earth.

**AS - Biology [DWD]:** Transfer to a four-year college or university and complete your bachelor’s degree in biology. **Career Options:** Work in a pharmaceutical or environmental laboratory, for the Forest or Park Service or pursue a career in the Health Sciences such as Medical, Dental, Pharmacy or Physician Assistant.

## Business

Studying business at CCA prepares you to become a professional adequately versed in all areas of business with an added emphasis on professional and career development.

**AA - Business [DWD]:** Transfer to a four-year college and university for any business-related bachelor degree program. **Career Options:** Accounting, Business Administration, Finance, Human Resources, International Business, Management and Marketing.

**Cert - General Business:** Start or advance your career in business by learning the fundamental concepts and practices of business. **Career Options:** Administrative Assistant, Customer Service Representative, General and Occupations Manager, Office Support Worker.

**Cert - Entrepreneurial Launch Certificate:** Build on skills to design and launch a small business. **Career Options:** Small Business Owner, Management and Marketing.

**Cert - Entrepreneurial Studies Certificate:** Enhance an understanding and skills in entrepreneurship at CCA as part of a transfer pathway. **Career Options:** Accounting, Business Administration, Finance, Human Resources.

The Business Department also offers human resource management certificates for students who are already in the field or looking to enhance their associate degrees.
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Chemistry
Chemistry is the study of matter and its identification, changes, reactions, and interactions. Chemistry also serves as the foundation for study in all scientific disciplines.

AS - Chemistry [DWD]: Transfer to a four-year college or university and complete your bachelor’s degree in Chemistry. Career Options: Work in a laboratory, pharmaceutical or environmental, or pursue a career in the Health Sciences such as Medical, Dental, Pharmacy or Physician Assistant. *

Communication
Our Communication program helps students develop and improve their understanding of human communication through theoretical and practical exploration.

AA - Communication [DWD]: Transfer to a four-year college or university and prepare for a career in Public Relations. Career Options: advertising, marketing, sales, fundraising, media, politics, or journalism. *

Computer and Digital Technologies
Courses offered in this program span from the beginner just discovering how computers can impact their lives and careers to advanced courses meant for working professionals.


AAS - Computer Programming: Transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a degree in Computer Science with a sound foundation in the development of desktop applications and mobile and website application development. Career Options: Computer Programmer, Software Developer, Application Developer, Web Developer.

AAS - IT Tech and Support
Cert - IT Tech and Support
Prepare for a career as an entry-level computer specialist configuring and repairing personal computers and peripherals with a basic understanding of networking and security concepts. Career Options: IT Specialist, Network and Computer Systems Administrator.

AAS - Networking and Security
Cert - Basic Networking and Security
Prepare for a career with the general entry-level skills and knowledge to establish and monitor local area networks. Career Options: Information Security Analyst, Computer Network Architect, Computer Network Support Specialist.

AAS - Technology for Business Operations
Prepare for entry-level positions using technology in business operations with a focus on technology and software applications. Career Options: Office Management, Business, Marketing, and Desktop Publishing. *

Cert - CISCO: Learn the entry-level skills and knowledge required to work on networks in a CISCO environment. Career Options: Network Engineer Technician.

Cert - PC Software: Prepares students for entry-level office or light support positions in application software. Career Options: Administrative Assistant, Receptionist, Fiscal Affairs Officer. *

Cert - Office Administration: Prepares students for entry-level office support positions with a foundation in office administration and management. Career Options: Administrative Assistant, Office Manager. *

Criminal Justice
Criminal Justice prepares students for an exciting career in federal, state, local, or military law enforcement.

AA - Criminal Justice [DWD]: Transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a bachelor’s degree in criminal justice, the corrections field, or social services professions dealing with convicted persons. Career Options: Law Enforcement, Criminal Investigator, Sheriff, Deputy Sheriff, Private Security, Military Investigator. *◊

AAS - Criminal Justice: Start a career in law enforcement, corrections, or social services. Career Options: Bailiff, Parole Office, Corrections Officer, Private Detective and Investigator, Transit and Railroad Police. ◊

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Diesel Mechanics

Diesel engines are the primary source of power for a wide range of industries, including: generators, shipping fleets, agricultural and construction equipment, water transportation, mining companies, military operations, and more. †

AAS - Diesel Power Mechanics: Prepare for a career as an entry-level diesel technician or transfer to a four-year college or university with a basic industry-standard education. Career Options: Mechanic: Diesel, Bus, General Repair, Diesel Technician, Trailer Mechanic, Transit Mechanic, Truck Mechanic, Fleet Mechanic, Service Technician. †

Early Childhood Education

Graduates with a degree in Early Childhood Education work with young children in a daycare or public school setting to lead programs which encourage social, physical and intellectual growth and development.

AA - Early Childhood Education [DWD]: Transfer to a four-year college or university to receive a bachelor’s degree with an Early Childhood Teacher Education licensure or start your career. Career Options: Licensed Teacher, Lead Preschool Teacher, or Childcare Worker.

AAS - Early Childhood Education: Pursue or advance in your career in the early childhood field. The program emphasis is on children ages eight and under. Career Options: Preschool Teacher, After-School Program Supervisor, Teaching Assistant or Childcare Worker.

Cert - Level I Teacher: Prepare for a career as a teacher in early childhood care and education settings. Career Options: Childcare Worker, Educational Aide, or Nanny. †

Cert - Level II Teacher: Prepare for a career as a lead teacher in early childhood care and education settings. Career Options: Childcare Worker, Educational Aide, or Nanny.

Cert - Director: Pursue a career as a director or owner in early childhood care and education settings. Career Options: Director or owner of a day care or child care facility.

Economics

This program equips prospective business professionals and economists with the basic analytical techniques necessary to explain economic phenomena and to evaluate economic policy.

AA - Economics [DWD]: Transfer to a four-year college or university with a basic understanding of economics and graphical analysis. Career Options: Work for Businesses, Consulting Firms or the Government in Economics, Economic Development, Planning, Research, or Consulting. *

Elementary Education

Elementary education generally focuses on teaching children from kindergarten through grade six. Most elementary school teachers instruct one class of children in several subjects.

AA - Elementary Education [DWD]: Transfer to a four-year college or university to receive a bachelor’s degree with an Elementary Education teacher licensure. Career Options: Elementary School Teacher. *

Emergency Medical Services

Emergency medical technicians (EMTs) and paramedics respond to medical and traumatic emergencies and perform medical care while transporting patients to definitive care. †

AAS - Paramedicine: Learn to respond to medical and traumatic emergencies in a variety of settings or transfer to a four-year college or university. Career Options: Work in an ambulance, critical or urgent care, doctor’s office, school or sports facility as a Paramedic, EMT, Firefighter/EMT, Firefighter/Paramedic, Flight Paramedic. †

Cert - Paramedic: Start your career as a paramedic by learning to respond to medical and traumatic emergencies. Career Options: Work in an ambulance, critical or urgent care, doctor’s office, school or sports facility as a Paramedic, Firefighter/Paramedic, Flight Paramedic. †

Cert - EMT: Start a career as an Emergency Medical Technician by learning to respond to medical and traumatic emergencies. Career Options: Work in an ambulance, critical or urgent care, doctor’s office, school or sports facility as an EMT, EMT/Dispatcher, Firefighter/EMT. †

Engineering

CCA offers a pre-engineering group of classes that prepares students to transfer to a four-year college or university and major in Engineering. This includes an articulation agreement with the Colorado School of Mines. ◊

English

Courses taken in the English Department take students through all the essentials of the language from basic reading and composition to technical writing, poetry, and creative non-fiction writing.

AA - English [DWD]: Transfer to a four-year college or university as an English major and prepare yourself for any number of careers that require strong written and oral communication skills. Career Options: writing, education, journalism, communications, advertising, marketing, and more. *
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**Film and Video Media**

The Colorado Film School at CCA offers pre-professional training for students planning careers in the film and video industries. Certificates are recommended for students who already have bachelor’s degrees or are currently working in the field, while the AAS degree is designed for students who want to begin a career in the industry. †

**AAS - Writing / Directing**

Cert - Writing / Directing

Start a career or transfer to a four-year college or university with the storytelling skills that are essential to media content creation. Career Options: Writer, Director, Scriptwriter, or Copywriter of broadcasts, feature films, music videos, documentaries, webcasts, video games, and more. †

**AAS - Acting / Directing**

Cert - Acting / Directing

Start a career or transfer to a four-year college or university with the knowledge to understand how film works, and with a professional acting portfolio to begin auditioning in the industry. Career Options: Actor or Director in the film or television industries including commercial productions, music videos, instructional videos, and more. †

**AAS - Cinematography / Videography**

Cert - Cinematography / Videography

Start a career as a cinematographer or transfer to a four-year college or university to explore a variety of filmmaking skills including dramatic narrative and special effects. Career Options: Cinematography and Videography for music videos, commercial productions, weddings, events, parties, corporate events, and more. †

**AAS - Post Production**

Cert - Post Production

Start a career as a film editor or transfer to a four-year college or university with the knowledge of the industry standard editing technology and the skills to adapt in the fast-paced, ever-changing world of media. Career Options: Editing and Special Effects, Color Timing/Correction, Music and Sound Production, Animation, Gaming, and much more. †

**AAS - Screenwriting**

Cert - Screenwriting

Start a career writing scripts or transfer to a four-year college or university with a portfolio of scripts to market to series and feature producers and financiers. Career Options: Writer, Scriptwriter, Copywriter, Script Reader, or Proofer for television, Feature Films, Theater, Webcasts, Gaming, and much more. †

**AAS - Writing / Producing**

Cert - Writing / Producing

Start a career or transfer to a four-year college or university to produce compelling content through a detailed understanding of the creative and business aspects of the entertainment industry. Career Options: Writer, Scriptwriter, Copywriter or Producer of broadcasts, feature films, music videos, documentaries, webcasts, video games, and more. †

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**Fire Science Technology**

Firefighters respond to a variety of emergencies and provide fire protection to their community. Firefighters fill a crucial role in the public safety system. †

**AAS - Fire Science Technology**

Prepare for a career in fire safety and suppression or transfer to a four-year college or university. Career Options: State Fire Marshal, Fire Chief, Chief Arson Division, Fire Official, Public Education, Code Enforcement, Training Officer. ◊†

**Cert - Fire Science Technology/Firefighter 1**

Prepare for a career in fire safety and suppression and prepare to take the Colorado Firefighter Exam. Career Options: Firefighter, Fire Officer, Fire Marshal, Arson Investigator, Wild Land Firefighting, Public Education, Code Enforcement. †

**Cert - Fundamentals of Fire Science**

Learn the basic skills to work in fire safety and suppression to work in a firehouse and prepare to take the Colorado Firefighter Exam. Career Options: Firefighter, Fire Officer, Fire Marshal, Arson Investigator, Wild Land Firefighting, Public Education, Code Enforcement. †
**Geography**

Geography is the study of the physical features of the earth, where students study and interpret the intersections of cultures, places, and environments to understand both difference and connection.

**AA - Geography [DWD]:** Transfer to a four-year college or university majoring or minoring in Geography. *Career Options: Work in government, the park service, and utilize advanced geographical software.*

**Geology**

Geology is the study of the earth through the ages including rocks, minerals, and the earth's many landforms.

**AS - Geology [DWD]:** Transfer to a four-year college or university and complete your bachelor's degree in Geology. *Career Options: Work as a geologist specializing in areas such as palaeontology or petroleum.*

**Graphic Design**

Graphic Designers use visual imagery to communicate ideas, promote products, and create brands through designing posters, books, catalogs, logos, ads, and cards.

**AAS - Graphic and Web Design:** Prepare for a career in Graphic and/or Web Design. Create visual representations of complex ideas or messages by designing primarily marketing materials for use in print or for the web. *Career Options: Web Design, Marketing, Graphic Designer.*

**Cert - Creative Tools:** Get advanced training in creative technology tools used for graphic design, and development of web pages, documents, and marketing materials used by graphic designers. *Career Options: Graphic Design, Web Design, Marketing.*

**Healthcare**

Our healthcare degrees and certificates prepare students to work with patients in the medical field as a nurse, nursing assistant, or patient care technician.

**AGS - Integrated Nursing Pathway:** Earn a Bachelor of Science degree in nursing by starting at CCA then transitioning to the University of Colorado Anschutz campus to complete nursing classes. *Career Options: Work as a nurse in hospitals, clinics, or other healthcare environments.*

**AAS - Respiratory Therapy:** Start by studying a few general courses before transitioning to Pickens Technical College to train to be a certified or registered therapist in the care of patients with respiratory problems and prepare for the national exam. *Career Options: Respiratory Therapist.*

**Cert - Phlebotomy:** Start a career drawing blood by learning the duties associated with the practice of venipuncture, capillary puncture, and special collection procedures. *Career Options: Work as a Phlebotomist in a clinic, hospital, nursing home or long-term care facility.*

**Cert - Nurse Aid (CNA):** Prepare for the Certified Nurse Aide Certification Examination by learning basic nursing skills, emergency care, personal care skills, and restorative services. *Career Options: Work as a Nurse Aid in a clinic, hospital, nursing home or long-term care facility.*

**Cert - Patient Care Technician:** Prepare to work in a variety of healthcare environments. Students gain technical expertise to provide effective clinical assistance to patients. Learn how to perform basic laboratory procedures, administer electrocardiograms, check vital signs, assist in medical examinations, and perform phlebotomy procedures. *Career Options: Patient Care Technician.*

**Cert - Community Health Liaison:** Provides graduates with a foundation in healthcare navigation and administration. *Career Options: Entry level positions in call centers, dispatch centers, nonprofit organizations.*

**History**

Study, interpret, and celebrate the past to inform the present, and craft the future.

**AA - History [DWD]:** Transfer to a four-year institution majoring or minoring in History. *Career Options: Work in a museum, education, or doing research for a corporation.*

**Hospitality**

Through our partnership with Metropolitan State University of Denver (MSU Denver), students will take a designated set of classes at CCA that guarantee transfer into MSU Denver’s Bachelor of Arts in Hospitality, Tourism, and Events program. By completing all designated classes, CCA students will earn an Associate of Arts degree and a General Business certificate. Visit the Business Department web page for more information: www.ccaurora.edu/business.

**Human Resources**

Human Resources (HR) is the division of a company that is focused on employees including recruiting, hiring, orientation and training, employee benefits, and employee retention.

**Cert - Human Resources:** Enhance your skills and knowledge in HR. Develop an understanding of various management practices and current HR methods. *Career Options: HR Professional, Director of Operations, HR Specialist, HR Manager.*
Languages
Expand your world by learning a new language. You will gain language skills, cultural knowledge, and much more. We offer classes in Spanish, French, and American Sign Language.

AA - Spanish [DWD]: Transfer to a four-year college or university to major or minor in Spanish and become marketable in many important fields. Career Options: Linguistics, Education, Social Work, Tourism, Political Sciences, Psychology, Sociology. *

Mathematics
Mathematics provides the foundation for all college students about the study of numbers, quantity, shape, and space and their relationships.

AS - Mathematics [DWD]: Transfer to a four-year college or university to graduate with a bachelor’s degree in math. Career Options: Mathematics, Education, Research. *

Music
The Music Department provides students opportunities to develop their musical passions and explore their creative voices through relevant and cutting-edge teaching. CCA’s new Music and Entertainment Entrepreneurship program (MEE) offers instruction with a focus on real-world applications in the musical arts and entertainment industry featuring classes in music production, music business, instrumental and vocal performance. We also offer general music instruction with courses in music theory, music appreciation, and music history.

Paralegal
A paralegal is a person qualified by education, training, or work experience to be employed by a lawyer, law office, corporation, governmental agency, or other entity to perform delegated legal work. All courses lead to an American Bar Association (ABA)-approved Paralegal Certificate. †

AAS - Paralegal: Prepare for a career as a paralegal with an understanding of legal principles and their practical applications. Career Options: Work as a Paralegal or Legal Assistant in law offices, private corporations, the government, or the court system.

AAS - Management with Paralegal Emphasis: Prepare for a career as a paralegal or transfer to a four-year college or university with an understanding of legal principles and general business knowledge. Career Options: Work as a Paralegal or Legal Assistant in law offices, the government, the court system, corporations or businesses. ◊

Cert - Paralegal: Supplement your existing college coursework with courses that lead to an ABA-approved Paralegal Certificate. Career Options: Work as a Paralegal or Legal Assistant in law offices, private corporations, the government, or the court system.

Philosophy
Philosophy is the field of study that allows you to focus on the various answers given to “questions that matter” by thinkers trained in rational argument.

AA - Philosophy [DWD]: Learn conceptual analysis skills that enable you to be marketable in a variety of fields. Career Options: Education, Law, Business, Journalism, or Public Service. *

Physics
Physics is the study of the fundamental behavior of matter and the phenomena of energy, space, and time.

AS - Physics [DWD]: Transfer to a four-year college or university and complete your bachelor’s degree in Physics. Career Options: Engineering, Computer Technician, Health Care, Automotive and Aerospace Industries, Technology, Energy, IT, and Computing. *

Political Science
Political Science is the study and interpretation of the relationships between individuals, governments, and states used to understand and improve the world.

AA - Political Science [DWD]: Transfer to a four-year college or university to major or minor in political science to allow you to go to law school or work for a campaign. Career Options: Education, Government, Law, and Politics. *
Psychology

Psychology courses examine topics such as the role of the brain in behavior and emotions, sexuality, gender, hypnosis, learning and conditioning, mental disorders, intelligence, language development, and much more.

AA - Psychology [DWD]: Learn the basics of psychology and transfer to a four-year college or university to earn your Bachelor of Arts degree. Some career options also require advancing on to graduate school in psychology. Career Options: Psychologist, Residential Counselor, Therapist, Clinical Social Worker. *

AS - Psychology [DWD]: Learn the basics of psychology and transfer to a four-year college or university to earn your Bachelor of Science degree. Some career options also require advancing on to graduate school in psychology. Career Options: Researcher or Research Assistant, Genetics Counselor, or Clinical Psychologist. *

Real Estate

Careers in real estate involve the buying and selling of property. Our program provides information on real estate law and practice and practical application giving you the education to earn a Colorado Real Estate Broker’s License.

Cert - Real Estate: With successful completion of the course, state examination, and background check, graduates can buy and sell property themselves, or align themselves with a real estate firm. Career Options: Real Estate Agent, Work in a real estate office or for a business dealing with real estate. ‡

Sociology

Sociology is the study and interpretation of the complex interconnections among people and their social worlds used to develop an understanding of the human community.

AA - Sociology [DWD]: Transfer to a four-year college or university to earn your Bachelor of Arts in Sociology. Some career options may also require advancing on to graduate school. Career Options: Program Administrator, Policy Analyst, Market Researcher, or Educator. *

Theatre

Theatre students are given the opportunity to explore their theatrical voice and culture though unique and cutting-edge techniques in classes that incorporate a modern approach to performance and production.

Cert - Theater and Event Technology: Prepare for a career in Theater and Live Event industry in sound, lighting, as a stage technician. Career Options: Work in theaters, Trade Shows, Sporting Events, Corporate meetings, Live Music Events, and Film Projects.

Translation and Interpretation

CCA’s Translation and Interpretation program is the only one of its kind offered by an accredited higher education institution in the state of Colorado. The program provides students with fundamental knowledge and practice in translation and interpretation.

Cert - Translation and Interpretation: Start your career as a professional translator and/or interpreter in the medical, legal, and educational areas. Career Options: Interpreter or Translator in educational, medical, paraprofessional, bilingual, conference, or court settings.

Cert - Translation and Interpretation (Legal): Launch your career in developing fundamental knowledge of the three modes of interpretation: consecutive, simultaneous, and sight translations. Also learn additional legal concepts and terminology. Career Options: State Court Interpreter and Translator, Interpreters and Translator in a legal setting.
Support Services

There are many reasons students pursue higher education at the Community College of Aurora in Colorado. One motivation is our commitment to helping our students succeed. We’ve developed many resources to assist our students on this academic journey.

Academic Advising

www.ccaurora.edu/getting-started/advising
onlineadvisor@ccaurora.edu

Pathways Advisors are here to guide you through the enrollment process and to ensure you meet your academic goals. We are here to provide you with assistance to select the appropriate academic pathway, give you additional educational information, and are a key element to your success. We can help you review your assessment scores, select appropriate courses, review pathway degree/certificate requirements, provide career coaching, and answer basic financial aid questions. Through regular contact with our Pathways Advisors, we will assist you in planning educational goals and achieving successful transfer to four-year colleges and universities. We can help you each step of the way -- from getting started, through graduation, transfer and anywhere in-between. Make an appointment with a Pathways Advisor online at: www.ccaurora.edu/getting-started/make-appointment or in person Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., and Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

You can register online at: https://myportal.cccs.edu/jsp/misc/schoolLoginNew.jsp?school=cca

The Academic Learning Center (Tutoring and Computer Lab)

www.ccaurora.edu/alc

The Academic Learning Center provides resources to prepare students for college-level courses and help them succeed once enrolled. There is an Academic Learning Center located on both the Lowry (West Quad, 106) and CentreTech (Classroom, 109) campuses. Both spaces have computers for student use and tutoring. There is drop-in tutoring in Mathematics and ESL and appointment-based tutoring in Writing. There are also lab assistants available to answer basic computer questions. The Center also provides Accuplacer Workshops to help prepare students for the test. For more information on these services, visit www.ccaurora.edu/alc.

Admissions, Registration and Records Center (ARRC)

www.ccaurora.edu/getting-started/apply

The ARRC provides information and assistance to students through the application process including residency determination, College Opportunity Fund (COF), change of degree or certificate, and transcripts and transfer evaluations. The ARRC supports the needs of our diverse population of students, faculty, and staff with a well-informed team dedicated to providing the highest level of service while protecting the integrity of student records.
Bookstore
www.ccaurora.edu/bookstore
cca@bkstr.com

Located on our CentreTech campus the CCA Bookstore is the place to purchase or rent your books. Book purchase options include new, used, rented, or digital copies. While you are there check out the wide variety of notebooks, calculators, planners, backpacks, and various other school supplies.

Career Services and Internships
www.ccaurora.edu/job-opportunities/career-center

Located on our Lowry campus, Career Services is here to help you determine what career path you may choose to follow, and prepare you for the job search before, during or after graduation from CCA. Internships offer students the chance to jump start their career with invaluable learning experiences and opportunities. Email us at: careerservices@ccaurora.edu to schedule an appointment.

Cashier’s Office
www.ccaurora.edu/getting-started/paying-college/payment-plans

Beyond caring faculty and flexible course offerings, CCA is affordable. The Cashier’s Office gives you several to pay tuition: online credit card payment, in-person payment, eCashier (NBS) payment plan, and third party authorization. Visit the Cashier’s Office to choose the method that fits your needs.

CCA Grill

Here at CCA, the Grill provides an inviting area for students to enjoy delicious food or socialize with fellow CCA students, staff and faculty. The grill serves breakfast and lunch options including sandwiches, wraps, and daily specials. Students can use cash or credit cards to purchase food, drinks, and snacks.

Center for Recruitment and Orientation
www.ccaurora.edu/getting-started/outreach-recruitment
recruiting.careers@ccaurora.edu

The Center for Recruitment and Orientation strives to empower all students to pursue their academic and career goals at CCA by providing information and support through the enrollment process. The CCA’s New Student Orientation, which is required for all new students (students who have not taken college credit). During New Student Orientation students will see an Pathway Advisor, meet with a Financial Aid Counselor, register for classes, access CCA’s college technology, and learn about student support services.

Counseling Services
www.ccaurora.edu/students/support-services/counseling-services
counseling@ccaurora.edu

The Counseling Services Office offers CCA students (six) free counseling visits. They will meet with you, listen, and help determine which options fit your needs. We then provide referrals to both on-campus and community resources to help you handle what life sends your way. We do not provide traditional, ongoing counseling or therapy, but we will work with you to find the support and assistance you need.

If you are experiencing a mental health crisis, please call the Colorado Crisis Line at 844-493-TALK (8255), 911 or go to the nearest emergency room. Callers to the Colorado Crisis Line, 844-493-TALK (8255) are connected with experienced professionals, counselors, and peer specialists who are able to provide immediate support and connect callers to further resources.

Financial Aid
www.ccaurora.edu/getting-started/paying-college
financialaid@ccaurora.edu

The Financial Aid Office is dedicated to providing support to students and their families in meeting the costs of a college education. CCA participates in a variety of federal, state, and private financial aid programs, including Federal Pell Grants, student loans, and work study. To qualify for most types of aid at the Community College of Aurora, complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Free help completing the FAFSA is available by appointment.

The Library
www.ccaurora.edu/library
library@ccaurora.edu

The Library offers the perfect environment, services, and resources for your needs including: flexible spaces for independent and group study, computer lab, printers and copiers, one on one research appointments, course reserves, and instructor make-up testing.

Lowry Student Services
www.ccaurora.edu/students/support-services/
lowry-student-services

All of the main support services available at the CentreTech campus are also available at the Lowry campus. Just inside the main entrance, past the Welcome Center in the West Quad you can find Lowry Student Services, which includes: Academic Advising, Financial Aid Counseling, FAFSA application assistance by appointment, Assessment Testing (CCPT and LOEP), Registration Assistance, and Cashier. Also located at the Lowry Campus are The Grill, an Academic Learning Center, a Science Library, the Office of Student Life, and Career Services.
Support Services (Continued)

Military and Veteran Services
www.ccaurora.edu/students/military-veterans
veteransadvisor@ccaurora.edu

Military and Veteran Services is part of the Student Success and Retention department at the Community College of Aurora. CCA has a dynamic veterans and military community and is committed to assisting students achieve their educational goals. Military and Veteran Services assists students who are using VA benefits.

Office of Disability and Equity
www.ccaurora.edu/disability
ode@ccaurora.edu

The Office of Disability and Equity provides accommodations and assistive technology to students with disabilities to give them an opportunity to reach their highest possible potential in higher education. Please contact us to determine if you can receive these services to help advance your education.

Office of Intervention and Conduct
www.ccaurora.edu/Assistance

The Office of Intervention and Conduct in the Division of Student Affairs provides support services, resources and guidance to help our diverse students in overcoming obstacles to college completion, transfer and employment. The office assures a safe campus community, strengthens personal responsibility and accountability through campus-wide assessment, case management, collaboration and training.

CARE Team
www.ccaurora.edu/CARE

The CARE Team provides a cross-functional, multidisciplinary point of contact for members of the college community who have encountered student behavior which is causing concern. The team will act promptly to follow-up with the individual initiating the report, determine if there have been any additional warning signs or reasons for concern (such as student code of conduct violations or classroom incidents), and meet with the student to develop a plan. Our intent is to be caring and preventive.

Legal Notices
www.ccaurora.edu/students/student-right-know

Tobacco Free Campus
CCA is dedicated to providing a healthy, comfortable and productive environment for students, employees, and visitors. The Colorado Clean Indoor Air Act of 2006 prohibits smoking in public places and buildings, including educational institutions. Consistent with this law, CCA prohibits smoking and the use of tobacco products in college facilities and on the grounds. Smoking will be permitted in college parking lots, but it must be a minimum of 25 feet from all entrances/doorways and common walkways. All college employees, students, and visitors must extinguish any smoking material prior to entering the perimeter of the buildings of the college campus. Smoking material includes lighted cigar, cigarette, pipe, electronic cigarette, hookah, or other product that can be smoked in any manner or form or that emits secondhand smoke, including ash, cigarette butts or filters, or cigar stubs.

Family Education Rights and Privacy Act
CCA complies fully with this law, also known as FERPA, which is designed to protect the privacy of student educational records and to insure the rights of students to examine their records. More information is available in the Admission and Records Office, CTC Room A103

Sexual Misconduct, Discrimination and Harassment (Title IX)
Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (known simply as Title IX) is the federal law that protects you from discrimination on the basis of sex in education programs and activities. The CCA community has the right to be free from sexual violence. All members of the CCA community are expected to conduct themselves in a manner that does not infringe upon the rights of others. CCA is committed to a zero tolerance policy for sex/gender-based misconduct.

Alcohol and Illegal Drugs
The Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act Amendment of 1989 (the “Act”) requires all institutions of higher education, as a condition of receiving any form of federal financial assistance from any federal agency on or after October 1, 1990, to certify to the United States Department of Education (the “Department”) that they have adopted and implemented programs to prevent the use of illicit drugs and the abuse of alcohol by students and employees.

Equal Opportunity
CCA does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, nationality, sex, age, or handicap, in admission or access to, or treatment or employment in, its programs and activities. Inquiries concerning Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504 and the Americans With Disabilities Act may be referred to the Human Resource Office, 16000 East CentreTech Parkway, Room A204, Aurora, CO, 80011, Phone 303-360-4752, or the Office for Civil Rights, U.S. Dept. of Education, 1244 North Speer Blvd., Suite 310, Denver, CO 80204.

Non-Discrimination and Affirmative Action
CCA prohibits all forms of discrimination and harassment including those that violate federal and state law, or the State Board for Community Colleges and Occupational Education Board Policies 3-120 and 4-120. The College
does not discriminate on the basis of sex/gender, race, color, age, creed, national or ethnic origin, physical or mental disability, veteran status, pregnancy status, religion, genetic information, gender identity, or sexual orientation in its employment practices or educational programs and activities. CCA will take appropriate steps to ensure that the lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in vocational education programs.

Student Life
www.ccaurora.edu/studentlife
student.life@ccaurora.edu

CenterTech Office Contact: 303-360-4729
Lowry Office Contact: 303-340-7525

The Office of Student Life is here to help you get connected to CCA through campus-wide events, student-led organizations, leadership opportunities, giving back to our community, and to make new friends! Our goal is to develop student leaders who are committed to personal growth and who are dedicated, involved, and engaged in their communities. Join us!

Security
www.ccaurora.edu/about-cca/campus-security-safety

CentreTech Campus Contact: 303-360-4727
Lowry Campus Contact: 303-419-5557

The Community College of Aurora strives to provide a safe and healthy environment that enhances the learning process. Each student and employee should be able to attend classes, work on campus, and/or participate in activities with a feeling that they are in an environment that is safe and secure.

Parking permits are available at no charge through the Security Office at the CentreTech campus or through the Welcome Center at the Lowry campus. All vehicles must be registered with Campus Security.

Student Success Center
www.ccaurora.edu/student-success-center
studentsuccess.cca@ccaurora.edu

The Student Success Center’s mission is to promote student success through dedicated support in an inclusive and authentic academic community. The Student Success Center supports several programs specifically designed to provide academic and life guidance to students. CCA offers two federally funded Student Support Services TRiO programs (Traditional SSS and SSS-ESL), Transfer Success Program, Brother 2 Brother, Red Fox College Access and Success Program and we also support many scholarship recipients at CCA.

Testing Center
www.ccaurora.edu/getting-started/testing
testing@ccaurora.edu

The Testing Center administers placement, online distance education, credit for prior learning, and certification tests to students, the community, and military service members and their families. Test administration is done in a professional, positive and distraction-free environment in order to promote academic success and career advancement. We subscribe to the National College Testing Association standards and guidelines.

Welcome Center
www.ccaurora.edu/getting-started/outreach-recruitment/tours
recruiting.careers@ccaurora.edu

CentreTech Contact: 303-360-4918
Lowry Contact: 303-340-7522

The Welcome Center supports the mission of the college by providing high quality support through assisting students, faculty, staff, administration, and guests on finding specific campus locations, answering frequently asked questions, and providing campus tours. Visit either of our campuses so we can provide you a personalized tour to familiarize you with our facilities and answer questions you may have about our programs and services.

Campus Tours
CentreTech Campus
16000 East CentreTech Pkwy
Aurora, Colorado 80011

Monday-Thursday:
11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.
Friday: 3:00 p.m.

Lowry Campus
710 Alton Way
Denver, Colorado 80230

Monday-Thursday:
11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.
Friday: 3:00 p.m.
Concurrent Enrollment Program

Did you know you can get a jump start on your college plans by earning college credit while still in high school? Concurrent Enrollment offers students the opportunity to take college-level courses at either their high school or on the CCA campus! Not only can you get a head start on your college courses and possibly reduce the time you spend in college, but you can also have your tuition paid for by your school district.

What is Concurrent Enrollment?
The Concurrent Enrollment Program is an exciting partnership between the Community College of Aurora and high school districts that allows eligible 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th grade students the opportunity to enroll in college credit courses while in high school. The Concurrent Enrollment Program consists of three separate components:

- Concurrent Enrollment courses on the CCA Campus
- Concurrent Enrollment courses in the high school
- ASCENT Program
  - The ASCENT Program is a partnership between High School Districts and the Community College of Aurora. ASCENT allows for students to attend a technical or community college full time the year following a student’s senior year in high school.
  - There are several benefits in being accepted into the ASCENT Program including earning credits towards an associate degree or certificate, individual advising, and college tuition paid by your school district.

Benefits of Concurrent Enrollment and ASCENT
There are many benefits to completing Concurrent Enrollment courses at the Community College of Aurora including:

- Tuition for college courses are paid for by the student’s school district, which translates to a savings of at least $400 dollars per each three credit hour course taken through the Concurrent Enrollment Program.
- Students can reduce the time spent pursuing their college degree by completing college courses while attending high school.
- Credits transfer to any public college in Colorado. Students can select Guarantee Transfer Pathway courses that are guaranteed to transfer to any public institution in Colorado.
- Prepare yourself early for college-level coursework.

www.ccaurora.edu/ce

For more information on our Concurrent Enrollment Scholarship, please visit: www.ccaurora.edu/students/concurrent-enrollment/CEScholarship

English as a Second Language

The Community College of Aurora’s ESL (English as a Second Language) program serves students representing about a third of the world who want to learn English to be successful in college, at work, and for everyday life situations. This is a unique program where a person with even basic English skills could start in our Community ESL program, improve his or her language to enter the College Prep ESL program, and eventually take college classes. Whether you are learning the basics of English, preparing to work toward a college degree, or trying to improve your job prospects, there is a class for you!

Community ESL
Our Community ESL Program teaches English to adults through a curriculum that helps students learn the language skills for work and day-to-day life in the United States. The classes cover speaking, listening, reading, and writing, along with vocabulary and grammar though six levels of instruction. We also offer citizenship classes to help students prepare for the U.S. Citizenship Exam.

College Preparatory ESL
If students want to build their academic English skills to get a college degree, then the College Preparatory ESL Program will provide high-quality language classes to get students ready for college and career training programs. This program offers three levels of instruction: basic, intermediate, and advanced; in composition, academic reading, grammar, and academic listening and speaking.

www.ccaurora.edu/programs-classes/departments/world-languages/college-preparatory-ESL
## Academic Calendar

**Fall 2017**
- Registration Begins: April 24
- Classes Start: August 21
- Classes End: December 9

**Spring 2018**
- Registration Begins: November 6, 2017
- Classes Start: January 16
- Classes End: May 7

**Summer 2018**
- Registration Begins: April 2
- Classes Start: May 29
- Classes End: August 6

**Fall 2018**
- Registration Begins: April 23
- Classes Start: August 20
- Classes End: December 8

## Locations

### CentreTech Campus

16000 East CentreTech Parkway, Aurora, CO 80011

- **Arts and Communication**: Art and Design, Communication, Humanities, Music, and Theatre
- **Behavioral Sciences**: Psychology, Sociology
- **Education/Early Childhood**: English
- **English as a Second Language (College Preparatory ESL)**
- **World Languages**: American Sign Language, College Prep ESL, Spanish, and Translation and Interpretation
- **Mathematics**
- **Social Sciences**: Anthropology, Economics, Geography, History, Philosophy, and Political Science

**Building Codes**
- **CADM**: Administration Building
- **CCLA**: Classroom Building
- **CFA**: Fine Arts Building
- **CST**: Student Centre

### Lowry Campus

710 Alton Way, Denver, CO 80230

- **Business**: Accounting, Business Administration, Economics, Human Resources, Marketing, and Real Estate
- **Colorado Film School**
- **Computer and Digital Technologies**
- **Diesel Power Mechanics**
- **English as a Second Language (The Aurora Language Center, Community ESL)**
- **Health Sciences**: Emergency Medical Provider (EMS), Fire Science Technology, CNA, Community Health Liaison, Patient Care Technician, Phlebotomy, and Nursing (Integrated Nursing Pathway)
- **Public Service and Legal Studies**: Criminal Justice, Paralegal, and Police Academy
- **Sciences**: Biology, Chemistry, Geology, Physics, and Pre-engineering

**Building Codes**
- **CLCNOR**: North Quad
- **CLCSIM**: Center for Simulation
- **CLCWES**: West Quad
- **CLCCFS**: CO Film School
- **CLC**: 840 Diesel Power Mechanics
The Community College of Aurora prohibits all forms of discrimination and harassment including those that violate federal and state law, or the State Board for Community Colleges and Occupational Education Board Policies 3-120 and 4-120. The College does not discriminate on the basis of sex/gender, race, color, age, creed, national or ethnic origin, physical or mental disability, veteran status, pregnancy status, religion, genetic information, gender identity, or sexual orientation in its employment practices or educational programs and activities. The Community College of Aurora will take appropriate steps to ensure that the lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in vocational education programs.

The College has a designated Cindy Hesse, Director of Human Resources as the Affirmative Action (AA) Officer, Equal Opportunity (EO) Officer and the Title IX Coordinator with the responsibility to coordinate the college’s civil rights compliance activities and grievance procedures. If you have any questions, please contact her by e-mail at Cindy.Hesse@CCAuorora.edu, by phone at 303-360-4752 or by US mail at 16000 East CentreTech Parkway, Administration Building, Office # A207E, Aurora, Colorado 80011. You may also contact the Office for Civil Rights, U.S. Department of Education, Region VIII, Federal Office Building, 1244 North Speer Boulevard, Suite 310, Denver, CO 80204, telephone (303) 844-3417.

Connect to CCA

If you’re thinking about starting college, this event is a great opportunity for you to check out the campus, ask some questions, speak with faculty, and have a good time! We’ll also have tours and information about how to apply, attend, and pay for college.

November 4, 2017
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
CentreTech Campus

March 10, 2018
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
CentreTech Campus

July 14, 2018
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Lowry Campus

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Center for Recruitment and Orientation

Our Mission: The Center for Recruitment and Orientation strives to empower all students to pursue their academic and career goals at the Community College of Aurora by providing information and support through the enrollment process.

CenterTech Campus Contact: 303-360-4918
Lowry Campus Contact: 303-340-7522
www.ccaurora.edu/outreach

Please join us for one of these Prospective Student Events.

Camino al Colegio

Camino al Colegio es un evento gratuito con el propósito de educar a nuestra comunidad hispana en las siguientes áreas:

- Cuál es el significado de un Colegio Comunitario
- Como inscribirse al Colegio Comunitario de Aurora (CCA)
- Que carreras ofrece el Colegio Comunitario de Aurora
- Cuál es la asistencia financiera disponible en el Colegio Comunitario de Aurora
- Información sobre los servicios disponibles para estudiantes que son DACA/DREAMER’s

¡Las primeras diez familias que lleguen temprano a nuestro evento, recibirán un premio sorpresa!

Septiembre 21, 2017
5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
CentreTech Campus

Abril 12, 2018
5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
CentreTech Campus