FIND YOUR FUTURE AT COLUMBUS STATE Spring/Summer 2024 Visit Guide







Discover your path to an in-demand career or top four-year university at one of Columbus State Community College's upcoming events. To get the big picture of the full Columbus State experience, join us for an Adult Open House or College Visit Day. To drill down and learn about a specific academic program, attend a Program Spotlight. Whatever you choose, we're here to help you find the education you need for the career you want.

What can Columbus State offer you?

- Education and training you need to access well-paying jobs in central Ohio's hottest industries.
- A high-quality, affordable path to a bachelor's degree.
- An opportunity to start your career without the burden of college debt.

But don't take our word for it. Come see for yourself!



BUILD YOUR FUTURE!

STEM Summer Bridge

Join Columbus State and other students like you who are interested in STEM careers. Learn strategies for taking the leap into college life and fine tune your time management and study skills. You will also learn about all the resources Columbus State offers and meet with our faculty and staff.

Apply online at cscc.edu/stembridge

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY EVENTS AT COLUMBUS STATE

Spring Cybersecurity Capture the Flag Event

Do you want to build upon your cybersecurity skills? Are you ready to work in a small team while competing in a game of capture the flag? Students currently participating in cybersecurity related programs at their high school are invited to join us for Cybersecurity Capture the Flag. Along with capture the flag games, there will also be opportunities to work with your teammates in Open-Source Intelligence (OSINT), programming, encryption, operating systems, steganography, and trivia.

April 19, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. Center for Workforce Development

For more information, please email: k12events@cscc.edu

FIND YOUR CAREER AT COLUMBUS STATE

MASSAGE THERAPY | Info Sessions

The Columbus State Massage Therapy program is a hands-on learning opportunity that prepares you for a variety of careers in the massage therapy field including health and fitness environments, salon and day spas, medical offices, private practices, and others.

Wednesday, March 6, 5 p.m. Wednesday, April 3, noon Wednesday, April 24, 5 p.m.

Register at cscc.edu/massagetherapy

MEDICAL ASSISTING | Info Sessions

Through a combination of clinical, laboratory, and hands-on learning, our Medical Assisting program prepares you for a fulfilling career in the health care industry. Health care professions are seeing rapid growth in demand throughout the central Ohio area, and Columbus State is here to help you to get your foot in the door as a Medical Assistant!

Monday, Feb. 26, 4 p.m. Tuesday, March 26, 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 10, 12:30 p.m. Monday, May 13, 3:30 p.m.



HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT & CULINARY ARTS Info Sessions & Q&A

If you thrive in a fast-paced environment where you can connect daily with people from all walks of life, a hospitality career may be for you. We've propelled graduates to extraordinary careers across the hospitality industry, including hotels, resorts, restaurants, and more. If you're interested in a hospitality or culinary career, Columbus State is the right place to make it happen.

Tuesday, March 19, 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 9, 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 14, 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 11, 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 9, 3:30 p.m.

Register at cscc.edu/hospitality

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY FLEXIBLE APPRENTICESHIP Info Sessions

Our IT Flexible Apprenticeship allows you to be employed in one of the fastest growing central Ohio career fields while enrolled in Columbus State courses. Join us on the first Thursday of each month to learn more about our earn-and-learn programs.

To see a full list of dates or to register, visit **cscc.edu/itfa**

AUTO TECH CAREER NIGHT

Join us to learn about our Automotive Technology program, where you will gain hands-on experience and leave with the knowledge and skills needed to excel in this growing field. We're proud to hold partnerships with industry leaders across central Ohio. At our Auto Tech Career Night, you'll hear from our employer partners and faculty about how Columbus State will prepare you for an in-demand career in the automotive industry. You will also get the chance to tour our state-of-the-art facility.

Register at cscc.edu/autotech

AVIATION MAINTENANCE SPRING OPEN HOUSE

Join us for an Open House and explore our Aviation Maintenance Technician program. Tour the Southwest Center at Bolton Field and hear from current students and alumni about how their experience at Columbus State prepared them for well-paying careers in this exciting industry.

Register at cscc.edu/aviation



MODERN MANUFACTURING WORK-STUDY | Info Sessions

Modern manufacturing and engineering technology are among the most rapidly growing industries in central Ohio, the state, and across the country. Columbus State is proud to be setting the standard for engineering technology workforce development and education in our region. You can jumpstart your career through our earn-and-learn programs that allow you to work for a trusted employer partner while taking Columbus State courses.

See a full list of dates and register at **cscc.edu/mmws**

ADDITIONAL INDUSTRY SPECIFIC INFO SESSIONS

Are you ready to jump into a rewarding career with opportunity for growth? As central Ohio continues to grow as a workforce hub, careers in health care, IT, engineering technology, and skilled trades are booming! We want to help you take advantage of this growth and drive central Ohio forward. That is why Columbus State offers info sessions that rotate weekly between health care, IT, advanced manufacturing, and construction and skilled trades. You'll get an overview of the college, as well as industry-specific information, and have the opportunity to ask questions.

See a full list of dates and register at cscc.edu/visit

FOR EDUCATORS

Columbus State is your partner in preparing students for college and career success. Learn more about our events for educators below.

In-Person Group Visits by Request

Arrange a customized visit to campus for you and your students. We'll introduce your group to the Columbus State experience with an overview of academic and career programs and a tour of the Columbus Campus. We'll also give them tips on paying for college without taking on major debt, including the College Credit Plus and Preferred Pathway 2+2 programs. Is there a specific topic you want your students to hear more about? Let us know in advance and we'll customize your presentation.

Request a group visit at cscc.edu/hscounselors

FAFSA Workshops

Join us for a crash course on financial aid and how to fill out your FAFSA information. FAFSA workshops will feature a presentation on what the FAFSA is, the types of financial aid available to students, and students will be guided through the process of filing their FAFSA.

Register at cscc.edu/fafsaworkshops



COLUMBUS STATE DELAWARE CAMPUS | Info Session and Tour

Earn your associate degree or pursue a short-term certificate at the Columbus State Delaware Campus. Enjoy all the resources you have come to expect at our Columbus Campus including financial aid, tutoring, extra-curricular activities, fitness center, and convenient spaces to study and relax—closer to home.

Friday, Feb. 23, 9 – 10:30 a.m. Friday, March 29, 9 – 10:30 a.m. Friday, April 26, 9 – 10:30 a.m.

For further information, or to find upcoming dates for additional info sessions, visit cscc.edu/delaware

FIND YOUR FIT AT COLUMBUS STATE

More Ways to Explore Columbus State

Campus Visit Days — Discover everything Columbus State has to offer. Hear the experiences of current students on different college and career paths. Learn how to access a quality education without taking on college debt. Consider degree and major options that will prepare you to transfer to one of our four-year university partners or launch your career as soon as possible. Find out the next steps to enroll.

Monday, Feb. 19, 9 a.m. – noon Saturday, March 23, 9 a.m. – noon Friday, April 26, 9 a.m. – noon Friday, July 19, 9 a.m. – noon

Adult Open Houses — Learn about all the ways Columbus State is here to help you succeed in college and beyond. With a relaxed, open-door environment, you can attend rolling drop-in sessions and have your questions answered by our Admissions team.

Wednesday, March 27, 5 – 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 15, 5 – 7 p.m. Thursday, June 27, 5 – 7 p.m. **General CState Info Sessions and Campus Tours** — Join us for an info session covering the college, student life, tuition, scholarships, convenient location options, and much more. General info sessions are offered Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 1 to 3 p.m. and Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to noon.

Program Spotlights — Whether you know "what you want to be when you grow up" or you're still deciding, we're here to help you find a career that fits your interests and experiences. Attend a program spotlight to learn more about our specific career and education pathways.

Register for a college visit day, adult open house, or admissions event at cscc.edu/visit