

Summer Programs

Each summer the College Now Program coordinates exciting programming for students. Offerings may change from summer to summer. Below are descriptions of previous programs that may be available this year.

The Summer Music Studio at QCC

Summer Music Studio combined industry level technology with a course in recording studio technology. Workshops for writing and rehearsing songs, mixing and recording music, and designing cover art were a favorite with students.

Introduction to Robotics

This program introduced students to robotics, to robotic construction, programming, operation, and basic design theory. Students worked in teams to design, construct, and program autonomous mobile robots by learning and using the C Programming Language within the *Lego Mindstorms NXT Robotics System*.

The Summer Theatre Production Workshop

Workshops for the Theatre Production course consisted of hands on experience in the areas of stagecraft, vocal articulation, and physical training for the stage, design techniques for theatre, and production preparations, culminating in a fully-staged production.

You can download registration forms at:

www.qcc.cuny.edu/collegenow

FAQs

Who teaches College Now classes?

Courses are taught by adjunct college faculty from the various CUNY campuses or by high school teachers who are also members of the faculty at Queensborough.

I took a couple of College Now classes in high school and earned six credits. Which colleges accept the credit? How do I apply for credit?

In most cases, College Now credits transfer directly within the CUNY system. Credits usually transfer to other colleges as well—even to those schools not affiliated with CUNY. You'll have to check with the colleges you are applying to regarding their credit transfer policies. To prove you earned the credits, you'll need to show an official transcript.

Transcripts can be ordered from

www.qcc.cuny.edu/registrar/ordertranscripts.html

Is there a limit to how many college credits I can earn through College Now?

We realize that college classes are fascinating. We also know that you don't mind saving on your college tuition by banking up all those credits. But, all good things in moderation—you're limited to 12 college credits total.

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What is College Now at Queensborough?

College Now at Queensborough Community College provides high school students with a variety of educational and career opportunities that allow them to become part of the college community. The program serves students of all levels: both students who want to develop their college readiness skills through workshops and those students who are ready to take entry-level college courses.

The College is located on a lush 37-acre campus in Bayside, Queens, New York that houses an outstanding Student Union, an Olympic sized swimming pool, fitness center, top technology laboratories, and a library including electronic inter-CUNY loan system.

Queensborough offers a rich liberal arts and science curriculum as well as career and pre-professional courses. College Now students can participate in a number of programs that are coordinated through our office.



Taking Classes

Most courses are offered on the campus of Francis Lewis High School.

College-Credit Courses

These classes are offered to students who meet certain eligibility requirements as determined by Regents and SAT scores.

Past Offerings have included:

- CRIM-101 – Introduction to Criminal Justice
- CRIM-102 – Criminology
- EN-101 – English Composition I
- EN-102 – English Composition II
- ET-821 – Computers in Modern Society
- HE-102 – Health, Behavior and Society
- HE-103 – Fundamentals of Human Nutrition
- MA-440 – Pre-Calculus Mathematics
- PH-111 – Astronomy and Space
- SOCY-101 – Sociology

College Preparedness Offerings

Students who are not immediately eligible for credit courses may begin with classes designed to elevate their skills to a college level, including specialized classes to enhance College-Preparatory Language Arts skills. These classes can act as a steppingstone to participation in college-credit courses.

College Focus

English and Math classes for 12th grade students who will potentially enter college with remedial needs are also available.

College Now is Free!

College Now is provided at no cost to NYC public high school students

No registration fees

No book fees

No tuition payments

Participating in College Now at Queensborough

Eligibility

Students will be initially identified and recommended for the program by their teachers, and/or other personnel. The College Now Liaison, Ms. Palomino, will collect applications from students.

Transcripts

All credit-bearing courses will be documented on an official transcript at Queensborough and in the Central Office of CUNY.

Other Benefits of College Now at Queensborough

College Now also:

- holds orientations for enrolled students of each high school on campus
- brings College Now students to campus to see live theater performances

Sounds Great! How Do I Enroll?

Enrolling is easy.

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