



DOWNTOWN COLLEGE CONSORTIUM

OKLAHOMA CITY

GENERAL INFORMATION

Type of institution – Consortium of two-year and regional institutions

Support – State

Enrollment – 1,687

Setting – Urban

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Academic emphasis – General studies

Degree programs

The academic and educational functions of the Consortium are those of its participating institutions. Member institutions in the Downtown College Consortium are Oklahoma City Community College, Oklahoma State University-OKC, Redlands Community College, Rose State College, and the University of Central Oklahoma. Lower division courses are delivered by faculty from the four two-year colleges. The University of Central Oklahoma has the primary responsibility for upper division and graduate level courses and some unique lower division courses. Students attending the Consortium may earn credits toward an Associate's, Bachelor's, or Master's Degree from their parent institution. All general education classes are articulated and transferable among member institutions.

Class times offered – Noon and evenings.

Special programs – The consortium was approved by the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education on Sept. 18, 1995. The purpose of the consortium is to offer credit and non-credit instruction and to improve the quality and efficiency of the delivery of higher education to the Oklahoma City metropolitan area. Classes applicable to degrees in Business, Criminal Justice, Creative Studies, Paralegal Studies, Public Service, and Sociology are offered by the member institutions. Special non-credit certification programs offered at the Downtown College include the Residential Care Facilities Administrators Certification program offered through the University of Central Oklahoma and Food Service Operators Certification offered through Oklahoma State University-Oklahoma City.

Academic calendar – Fall: August-December, spring: January-May, summer: June-July, i.e., same as participating institutions

FACULTY INFORMATION

Total faculty – 10

Full-time faculty – 0

Part-time faculty – 13

Student-faculty ratio – 15 to 1

Percent of faculty with advanced degrees – 90%

Faculty involvement – Student advisement

ADMISSIONS INFORMATION

ACT/SAT requirements – As required by participating institutions

High school graduation – As required by participating institutions

High school GPA – As required by participating institutions

High school curriculum requirements

As required by participating institutions

Application process – As required by participating institutions

Application deadlines – As required by participating institutions

TRANSFER STUDENTS

Minimum college GPA required – As required by participating institutions

Maximum credits transferable – As required by participating institutions

Items required for application – As required by participating institutions

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

TOEFL test requirements – As required by participating institutions

HOUSING INFORMATION

Housing types

None

Food services

None

Equipment/services in living areas

None

Access to technology

Laptops, state-of-the-art audio-visual equipment in all classrooms, 46th Star Auditorium with stage and sound system.

STUDENT LIFE

Campus organizations

As available at participating institutions

Intramural sports

As available at participating institutions

The Downtown College Consortium is a public facility located in the new Ronald J. Norick Downtown Library/Learning Center at 300 Park Avenue in the heart of downtown Oklahoma City. Students who attend classes at the Downtown College are both working adults from the downtown metropolitan area and college students from the member institutions who find the Consortium's location or class offerings convenient.

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Collegiate sports

As available at participating institutions

Special student services

As available at participating institutions

COSTS

Tuition – \$3,060

Academic service fees – Included in tuition

Mandatory fees – Included in tuition

Room and board – N/A

Books and supplies – \$1,200 per academic year, estimated for full-time student

Note: Costs are calculated for a freshman Oklahoma student carrying 15 hours in the fall and spring semesters.

FINANCIAL AID

Types of financial aid available – As available at participating institutions

Percentage of full-time freshmen who applied for aid – As available at participating institutions

Percentage who demonstrated need – Available at participating institutions

Percentage who demonstrated need and received aid – Available at participating institutions

Average financial aid package – Scholarships, grants and loans are available to students who attend classes at the consortium through one of its member institutions.

Application process – Completion of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FASFA). High School Counselors or Financial Aid Offices at the member institutions have forms available in their offices, or an application can be completed online.

Application deadlines – Same as member institutions

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