START YOUR FUTURE

At SCC.





TO BE LIKE IN 10 YEARS?



Individuals with an associate degree earn a median income of **63% more** than those with no college degree.



How much money WILL YOU MAKE?

Less than a high school diploma – **\$689**

High school diploma - \$838

Associate degree - \$961

Bachelor's degree - \$1,441

Advanced Degree - \$1,743

ESTIMATED MEDIAN WEEKLY EARNINGS

24 MILLION

By 2025, the U.S. will need **24** million new workers with college degrees or certificates.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (2013), Missouri Department of Economic Development (2009), Hechinger Report and Autor (2010), U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (2022)

WHERE ARE YOU HEADED?

Follow this college planning timeline to success.

FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE:

- Take interest and skills assessments to help you explore career options and find out the type of salary it will take to live the life you are envisioning.
 stchas.edu/careers
- Research the average cost to attend college.
- Consider signing up for the A+ Scholarship Program.
- Talk with your parents about saving and paying for college.
- Consider signing up for an ACT preparatory course. stchas.edu/actprep
- Participate in extracurricular activities.
- Take courses that will prepare you for college.
- Sign up for classes that will earn college credit during your junior year.
- Become BFFs with your high school counselor.



DID YOU KNOW?

SCC NAMED BEST "RETURN ON INVESTMENT" IN MISSOURI

According to the Georgetown University Center on Education and the Workforce, a degree from SCC is worth more over time than any other community college in Missouri.

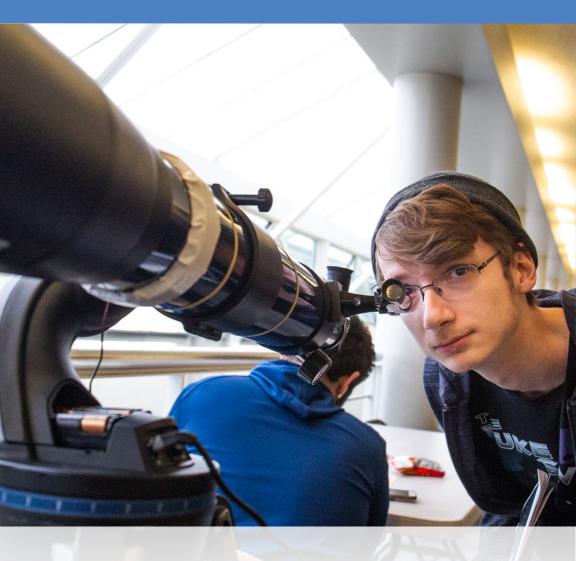
JUNIOR:

- · Attend financial aid education events.
- Consider possible career options, and investigate the type of education that is needed. stchas.edu/careers
- Request materials from schools that interest you, and visit their websites.
- Attend a college fair. stchas.edu/collegefair
- Consider becoming a dual-enrollment student and earn college credit at SCC.
- · Participate in extracurricular activities.
- Continue to work on your A+ Scholarship commitment.
- · Take the ACT in the spring.
- Review your high school class plan.
 Make sure you are meeting your high school graduation requirements.

 Register for a math class senior year.
- Get a job to earn and save money for college, or explore your skills through an internship or apprenticeship. stchas.edu/careers
- Research scholarship options. stchas.edu/scholarships

SENIOR:

- Sign up for a campus visit or take a virtual tour.
 stchas.edu/admissions/schedule-visit
- · Attend a college fair. stchas.edu/collegefair
- Select the schools to which you will apply. Make a list of deadlines for each school. Visit their websites to find out more information.
- Take career interest assessments and determine the education needed for careers that interest you.
- · Participate in extracurricular activities.
- Make sure your A+ Scholarship commitment is complete.
- · Volunteer in the community.
- Get a job to earn and save money for college.



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