SAVE on TUITION & choose from HUNDREDS OF DEGREE PROGRAMS at out-of-state public colleges & universities in

Maine
Massachusetts
New Hampshire
Rhode Island
Vermont

What is Tuition Break?
The New England Board of Higher Education’s Regional Student Program (RSP) Tuition Break enables eligible students to be charged a tuition rate that is significantly lower than the regular out-of-state tuition rate.

Tuition rates and savings vary by institution and are posted on NEBHE’s website. The current average annual savings for a full-time student is $8,000.

How to be eligible
Connecticut residents are eligible for degree programs that are not offered by Connecticut’s public colleges or universities, and are offered through Tuition Break by public colleges and universities in the other five New England states.

Other ways to be eligible
Some colleges allow proximity eligibility – for students who live closer to an out-of-state college. Some community colleges allow eligibility for most or all of their programs.

How to apply
• Select a college that offers a degree program approved through the RSP Tuition Break.
• Complete the college’s admissions application and declare an RSP Tuition Break degree program as the intended major.
• Once accepted to the college, confirm with admissions that the college has granted RSP Tuition Break status.
# Bachelor’s Programs for Connecticut Residents

Listed by Area of Study:  
- Arts & Liberal Arts  
- Business & Management  
- Engineering & Technology  
- Health & Human Services  
- Science & Math  

## Arts & Liberal Arts

### Analytics
- University of New Hampshire at Manchester

### Archaeology and History
- University of Massachusetts Boston

### Architecture (BARCH)
- University of Maine at Augusta
  - (B.Arch, Transfer articulation agreement with Boston Architectural Center's master's program)

### Architecture (BFA)
- University of Massachusetts Amherst
  - (Portfolio required)

### Artisanry (BFA)
- University of Massachusetts Dartmouth
  - (Concentrations in Ceramics, Jewelry, Metals, Textile Design, Fiber Arts)

### Book Arts
- University of Maine at Machias

### Business Psychology
- University of Maine at Farmington

### Cinema Production
- Lyndon State College (VT)

### Classical Languages (Greek and Latin)
- University of Massachusetts Boston

### Communication Design (BFA)
- Massachusetts College of Art and Design
  - (Concentrations in Graphic Design, Illustration, Animation)

### Communications Media
- Fitchburg State University (MA)
  - (Highly competitive; Film and Video, Graphic Design, Interactive Media, Photography, Professional Communication, Communication Studies and Theater)

### Comparative Literature
- University of Massachusetts Amherst

### Creative Writing (BFA)
- Johnson State College (VT)
  - (Portfolio required)

### Dance
- Bridgewater State University (MA)
- Rhode Island College
- Salem State University (MA)
  - (Audition required)

### Data Science
- University of Massachusetts Dartmouth
- University of Vermont
  - (Approved for eligible students who matriculated in Fall 2017 or later)

### Electronic Journalism Arts
- Lyndon State College (VT)

### Environmental Design (BFA)
- Massachusetts College of Art and Design
  - (Concentrations in Architectural Design, Fashion Design, Industrial Design)

### Ethnic and Gender Studies
- Westfield State University (MA)

### Film Media
- University of Rhode Island

### Film Studies
- Rhode Island College

### Fine Arts Three-Dimensional (BFA)
- Massachusetts College of Art and Design
  - (Concentrations in Ceramics, Fibers, Glass, Metals, Jewelry, Sculpture)

### Fine Woodworking and Furniture Design
- Johnson State College (VT)

### Francophone Studies
- Rhode Island College

### Game Design
- Fitchburg State University (MA)

### Greek
- University of Vermont

### Holocaust and Genocide Studies
- Keene State College (NH)

### Interdisciplinary Studies
- Maine Maritime Academy

### International Affairs (dual major)
- University of New Hampshire

### Japanese
- University of Massachusetts Amherst
  - (Approved for eligible students who matriculated in Fall 2017 or later)

### Latin
- University of Vermont

### Legal Studies
- University of Massachusetts Amherst
  - (Sophomore, junior and senior level entry only)

### Linguistics (American Sign Language)
- Framingham State University (MA)
- University of Southern Maine

### Marine Affairs
- University of Rhode Island
  - (Admission highly competitive)

### Media (BFA)
- Massachusetts College of Art and Design
  - (Concentrations in Photography, Film, Video, Interrelated Media)

### Middle Eastern Studies
- University of Massachusetts Amherst

### Music Business
- University of Massachusetts Lowell

### Music Business and Industry
- Lyndon State College (VT)

### Music Technology (Music BA)
- Plymouth State University (NH)

### Natural and Applied Sciences
- University of Southern Maine

### Neuropsychology
- University of New Hampshire at Manchester

### New Media
- University of Maine

### Photography
- Fitchburg State University (MA)
- Salem State University (MA)

### Portuguese
- Rhode Island College
- University of Massachusetts Amherst
- University of Massachusetts Dartmouth

### Russian
- University of New Hampshire
- University of Vermont

### Russian and East European Studies
- University of Massachusetts Amherst

### Sculpture (BFA)
- University of Massachusetts Dartmouth

### Sign Language Interpretation
- University of New Hampshire at Manchester

### Social Thought and Political Economy
- University of Massachusetts Amherst
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University of Massachusetts Lowell  
(Audition required) |
| **Spanish for Business**  
Castleton University (VT) |
| **Sustainability (dual major)**  
University of New Hampshire |
| **Sustainability Studies**  
Lyndon State College (VT) |
| **Sustainable Community Development**  
University of Massachusetts Amherst |
| **Visual Communications**  
Lyndon State College (VT) |
| **Visual Design (BFA)**  
University of Massachusetts Dartmouth  
(Concentrations in Digital Media, Graphic Design, Illustration, Photography) |
| **Writing and Rhetoric**  
University of Rhode Island |
| **Youth Development**  
Rhode Island College |

**Business & Management**

| **Applied Technical Leadership**  
University of Southern Maine |
| **Arts Management**  
Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts  
University of Maine at Farmington |
| **Community Development**  
University of Massachusetts Boston |
| **Entrepreneurship**  
Plymouth State University (NH)  
Vermont Technical College |
| **Forest Technology-Business Management**  
University of Maine at Fort Kent  
University of New Hampshire |
| **Hospitality Management**  
Salem State University (MA)  
University of New Hampshire |
| **International Business and Logistics**  
Maine Maritime Academy |
| **International Maritime Business**  
Massachusetts Maritime Academy |
| **Labor Studies**  
University of Massachusetts Boston |
| **Outdoor Recreation Business**  
University of Maine at Farmington |
| **Public Management**  
Plymouth State University (NH)  
Rhode Island College |
| **Risk Management and Insurance**  
University of Southern Maine |
| **Service Operations Management**  
University of Massachusetts Dartmouth |
| **Social Entrepreneurship**  
Johnson State College (VT) |
| **Supply Chain Management**  
University of Rhode Island  
(RSP eligibility starts junior year) |
| **Sustainable Business**  
University of Southern Maine |
| **Textile Marketing**  
University of Rhode Island |
| **Tourism Management and Policy**  
Plymouth State University (NH) |

**Engineering & Technology**

| **Architectural Engineering Technology**  
Vermont Technical College |
| **Aviation Flight Training**  
Bridgewater State University (MA)  
University of Maine at Augusta |
| **Bioengineering**  
University of Maine  
University of Massachusetts Dartmouth  
University of New Hampshire |
| **Computer Systems Engineering**  
University of Massachusetts Amherst  
(RSP eligibility at sophomore, junior and senior levels)  
University of Massachusetts Dartmouth  
University of Massachusetts Lowell |
| **Cybersecurity**  
University of Maine at Augusta  
University of Southern Maine |
| **Electrical Engineering Technology**  
University of Maine  
University of New Hampshire at Manchester  
(Open only to students with AS degree in field) |
| **Electromechanical Engineering Technology**  
Vermont Technical College |
| **Electronic Engineering Technology**  
Vermont Technical College |
| **Emergency Management**  
Massachusetts Maritime Academy |
| **Energy Systems Engineering**  
Massachusetts Maritime Academy |
| **Facilities Engineering**  
Massachusetts Maritime Academy |
| **Homeland Security**  
University of New Hampshire  
University of New Hampshire at Manchester |
| **Industrial and Systems Engineering**  
University of Rhode Island |
| **Industrial Engineering and Operations Research**  
University of Massachusetts Amherst  
(Sophomore, junior and senior level entry only) |
| **Marine Engineering**  
Maine Maritime Academy  
(Qualifies for in-state tuition)  
Massachusetts Maritime Academy |
| **Marine Safety and Environmental Protection**  
Massachusetts Maritime Academy |
| **Marine Transportation Operations**  
Maine Maritime Academy  
(Qualifies for in-state tuition)  
Massachusetts Maritime Academy |
| **Nuclear Engineering**  
University of Massachusetts Lowell |
| **Ocean Engineering**  
University of New Hampshire  
University of Rhode Island |
| **Plastics Engineering**  
University of Massachusetts Lowell |
| **Power Engineering Operations**  
Maine Maritime Academy |
| **Power Engineering Technology**  
Maine Maritime Academy |
| **Professional Pilot Technology**  
Vermont Technical College |
| **Renewable Energy**  
Vermont Technical College |
| **Rural Safety Administration**  
University of Maine at Fort Kent |
| **Surveying Engineering Technology**  
University of Maine |
| **Sustainable Product Design and Innovation**  
Keene State College (NH) |
| **Vessel Operations and Technology**  
Maine Maritime Academy |

**Health & Human Services**

| **Adventure Education**  
Plymouth State University (NH) |
| **Aging Studies**  
University of Maine at Farmington  
University of Massachusetts Boston |
| **Chemical Dependency/Addiction Studies**  
Rhode Island College |
| **Cytotechnologist**  
University of Massachusetts Dartmouth |
| **Dental Hygiene**  
Rhode Island College  
University of Maine at Augusta  
Vermont Technical College |

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Bachelor's Programs for Connecticut Residents

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Diagnostic Medical Sonography
Rhode Island College

Early Childhood Special Education
University of Maine at Farmington

Elementary Education: Community Engaged Learning ∆
University of Maine at Machias

Elementary Education: Marine Biology
University of Maine at Machias

Fashion Design and Retailing
Framingham State University (MA)

Food Safety
Rhode Island College

Health Care Studies ∆
Salem State University (MA)
University of Maine at Farmington

Health Information Systems
University of Maine at Farmington

Mental Health and Human Services
Lyndon State College (VT)
University of Maine at Augusta

Mountain Recreation Management
Lyndon State College (VT)

Movement Science: Wilderness Leadership Concentration ∆
Westfield State University (MA)

Nuclear Medicine Technology
Rhode Island College
Salem State University (MA)

Occupational Therapy
University of New Hampshire
(Eligibility is effective only for the senior year; also eligible for master's program)
Worcester State University (MA)
(Entry-level master's degree program)

Outdoor Education
Johnson State College (VT)
University of New Hampshire

Parks, Recreation and Tourism
University of Maine

Radiologic Technology (Medical Imaging)
Rhode Island College
(Admission highly competitive)

Recreation Management: Program and Event Management
University of New Hampshire

Rehabilitation Services
University of Maine at Farmington

Textiles, Fashion Merchandising and Design
University of Rhode Island

Wellness and Alternative Medicine
Johnson State College (VT)

Science & Math

Aquaculture and Fisheries Technology
University of Rhode Island

Astronomy
University of Massachusetts Amherst

Atmospheric Sciences (Meteorology)
Lyndon State College (VT)
(Admission highly competitive)

Biology: Aquaculture
Salem State University (MA)

Biotechnology
Salem State University (MA)
University of New Hampshire at Manchester
Worcester State University (MA)

Building and Construction Technology
University of Massachusetts Amherst

Cartography and Geographic Information Systems
Salem State University (MA)

Climate Change Science ∆
Lyndon State College (VT)

Community and Environmental Planning
University of New Hampshire

Computer Info Systems: Meteorology
Lyndon State College (VT)

Ecogastronomy (dual major)
University of New Hampshire
(Eligibility begins no sooner than sophomore year, after student has declared a primary major and met certain requirements)

Equine Studies
University of New Hampshire

Fisheries Biology ∆
University of Maine at Machias

Food Science
Framingham State University (MA)
University of Massachusetts Amherst

Food Systems
University of Vermont
(Approved for eligible students who matriculated in Fall 2017 or later)

Forensic Science
University of Massachusetts Lowell

Forest Operations, Bioproducts and Bioenergy
University of Maine

Forestry
University of Maine
University of New Hampshire
University of Vermont

Genetics
University of New Hampshire

Geology and Geological Oceanography
University of Rhode Island

Human Dimensions of Climate Change
University of Maine

Marine Biology
Maine Maritime Academy
Salem State University (MA)
University of Maine at Machias
University of Massachusetts Dartmouth

Marine Science
Maine Maritime Academy
University of Maine

Marine, Estuarine and Freshwater Biology
University of Maine

Radiological Health Physics
University of Massachusetts Lowell

Sustainable Agriculture
University of Maine

Sustainable Agriculture and Food Systems
University of New Hampshire
University of Rhode Island

Sustainable Food and Farming
University of Massachusetts Amherst

Veterinary Technology and Animal Science
University of Maine at Augusta

Wildlife and Conservation Biology
University of New Hampshire
University of Rhode Island

Wildlife Ecology
University of Maine

Zoology
University of Maine

∆ newly approved program
## Examples of Programs: View complete list online.

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# Tuition Break: Participating Colleges and Universities

## Connecticut
**Connecticut State Colleges & Universities**
- Asnuntuck Community College
- Capital Community College
- Gateway Community College
- Housatonic Community College
- Manchester Community College
- Middlesex Community College
- Naugatuck Valley Community College
- Northwestern Connecticut Community College
- Norwalk Community College
- Quinebaug Valley Community College
- Three Rivers Community College
- Tunxis Community College
- Central Connecticut State University
- Eastern Connecticut State University
- Southern Connecticut State University
- Western Connecticut State University
- University of Connecticut

## Maine
**Maine Community Colleges**
- Central Maine Community College
- Eastern Maine Community College
- Kennebec Valley Community College
- Northern Maine Community College
- Southern Maine Community College
- Washington County Community College
- York County Community College
- Maine Maritime Academy
- University of Maine at Augusta
- University of Maine Farmington
- University of Maine at Fort Kent
- University of Maine at Machias
- University of Maine at Presque Isle
- University of Southern Maine

## Massachusetts
**Massachusetts Community Colleges**
- Berkshire Community College
- Bristol Community College
- Bunker Hill Community College
- Cape Cod Community College
- Greenfield Community College
- Holyoke Community College
- Massachusetts Bay Community College
- Massachusetts Community College
- Middlesex Community College
- Mount Wachusett Community College
- North Shore Community College
- Northern Essex Community College
- Quinsigamond Community College
- Roxbury Community College
- Springfield Technical Community College

**Massachusetts State University**
- Bridgewater State University
- Fitchburg State University
- Framingham State University
- Massachusetts College of Art and Design
- Massachusetts Maritime Academy
- Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts
- Salem State University
- Westfield State University
- Worcester State University
- University of Massachusetts

**University of Massachusetts**
- University of Massachusetts Amherst
- University of Massachusetts Boston
- University of Massachusetts Dartmouth
- University of Massachusetts Lowell
- University of Massachusetts Worcester

## New Hampshire
**New Hampshire Community Colleges**
- Great Bay Community College
- Lakes Region Community College
- Manchester Community College
- Nashua Community College
- NHTI, Concord’s Community College
- River Valley Community College
- White Mountains Community College
- University System of New Hampshire
- Keene State College
- Plymouth State University
- University of New Hampshire
- University of New Hampshire-Manchester

## Rhode Island
**Rhode Island**
- Community College of Rhode Island
- Rhode Island College
- University of Rhode Island

## Vermont
**Vermont State Colleges**
- Community College of Vermont
- Castleton University
- Johnson State College
- Lyndon State College
- Vermont Technical College
- University of Vermont

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### Tuition Savings

- **9,001 students saved $60 million-plus** on their 2016-17 tuition bills
- A full-time student saved an **average of $8,000**
- Since **1957**, New England students and families have saved over **$1 billion**

Tuition Break allows an eligible student to pay a discounted rate, which is significantly less than out-of-state tuition. The rate is based on a percentage (up to a maximum of 175 percent) of a college’s in-state rate.

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**Tuition Rate**

- **$15,000**

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4 in 10 students in New England transfer at least once in their college career.

**Thinking about transferring?**

You can save on tuition when you transfer from community college to an eligible program at an out-of-state public four-year institution in New England.

[nebhe.org/tuitionbreak/transfer](http://nebhe.org/tuitionbreak/transfer)