



Future Flight

National Virtual College Fairs

Thinking about college? Here's your chance to hear firsthand from those-in-the-know at hundreds of colleges and universities nearby, across the country, and around the world. How? Attend a NACAC Virtual College Fair! See the fall schedule below. Parents invited, too. Sign up at virtualcollegefairs.org and start exploring.



Fall Schedule

[Sign Up](#)

Log in on these fair dates to meet with 600+ colleges and universities. They'll be online to talk with high school juniors and seniors. Find out when they're having Zoom sessions and drop in to attend!

Click below to see which colleges will be there on each fair date:

[Sunday, Sept. 13](#) (or download [PDF version](#)) 12 - 8 p.m. ET [Sunday, Oct. 18](#) (or download [PDF version](#)) 12 - 8 p.m. ET

[Monday, Oct. 12](#) (or download [PDF version](#)) 1 - 9 p.m. ET [Sunday, Nov. 8](#) (or download [PDF version](#)) 2 - 10 p.m. ET

Each virtual fair is a free, one-day event. Attend as often as you like. Parents invited, too. Simply sign up at virtualcollegefairs.org now and register for one or more fairs. On the event date, use your phone or computer to log in. Learn, connect, ask questions, and discover your best college fit!

Career Connection:

Electrician



Are you interested in becoming an Electrician?

Electrical work involves the installation and maintenance of the inside wiring for lighting and distribution systems in residential, industrial and commercial structures.

Workers generally focus on two areas of this field: construction and maintenance. Work settings vary, and

electricians are often self-employed. The Median Salary for an electrician is \$56,180 annual.

A successful electrician needs proper training, a good sense of balance, hand-eye coordination, physical fitness and a solid work ethic. Experienced electricians can become supervisors, project managers or superintendents in the construction field.

If you are interested in becoming an Electrician, Gateway Community College offers a great program to help get you started. Please take time to review and tour the program by clicking on this [link](#).

Featured Halls of Knowledge

Western Undergraduate Exchange (WUE)

Are you ready for an Adventure? Do you want to attend a college outside of Arizona?

The Western Undergraduate Exchange (WUE) enables students in 16 Western states and territories to enroll at participating public colleges and universities outside of their home state and pay reduced tuition. WUE is a program of the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education, a regional higher education agency that supports states, students, and institutions throughout and beyond the American West.

Welcome to Your College Savings Finder.
Search among hundreds of undergraduate degrees offered at the WUE rate of 150% of resident tuition (or less) by 160+ public colleges and universities across the West. Find the school and program that fits your geographic and educational goals.

Start [here](#) to save an average of \$9,000 a year!



Scholarship Highlights

Scholarship of the Week

The Flinn Scholarship



The Flinn Scholarship isn't about what you get. It's about who you become and the impact you make. With the world-class education made possible by the Flinn Scholarship, you can become an agent of discovery, creativity and leadership who will make a difference.

The Flinn Scholarship—valued at more than \$120,000—covers tuition, fees, housing, and meals at one of Arizona's public universities, plus study abroad. Each year, about 20 top high-school seniors are chosen to learn from amazing faculty, business leaders, and civic innovators and join a vibrant, eclectic community—including a powerful alumni network.

What's the Flinn Scholar blueprint? There is none. Scholars emerge from throughout Arizona and become leaders in every discipline you can imagine.

For More Information Click [Here](#)

Find Scholarships

- Your Student View: >Parent and Student Resources>College Scholarship Eligibility
- College Depot: <https://www.phoenixpubliclibrary.org/collegedepot/Pages/Scholarships.aspx>
- U.S. Department of Labor's Scholarship Search Tool. <https://www.careeronestop.org/toolkit/training/find-scholarships.aspx>

Terms to Learn

Stackable Scholarships: Many students try to win and combine several scholarships, or stack them. This allows them to increase their financial aid and make college more affordable. Winning several sources of financial aid is a great solution to affording college. You should definitely try to win as many scholarships as possible.

Un-Stackable Scholarships: Many universities set strict policies against the stacking of their own scholarships. Universities set their own policies about stacking scholarships. They may prohibit stacking academic and leadership scholarships. In this case, they would allow the student to use the higher of the two.



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What's important is that you pay attention to the scholarship's guidelines. To avoid losing your scholarship money, be sure to check your University's scholarship policies about stacking.