

International Student Handbook 2021–2022



President's Message

When people walk through our doors and commit themselves to success, great things happen. Time and again, the power of increasing knowledge, skills, confidence, and the power of gaining a valuable education have changed students beyond their own expectations.

Our purpose is to provide you with marketable skills. We achieve this with dedicated faculty and staff who are committed to excellence.

I personally welcome you to the tradition of success at Davis College and to the excitement of fulfilling and exceeding your own expectations.

Diane Brunner President

Davis College Mission

Davis College is a private, two-year institution of higher education offering quality educational programs and services that meet the ever-changing demands of business. Our mission is to provide marketable skills that enhance the employability of our graduates. Our placement rate is consistently over 90%.

Davis College History

Davis College was founded in 1858. Over it's 162-year history, the College has provided career education programs that have responded to the business and economic needs. In 2008, the College was honored as one of Ohio's best employers by the Ohio Chamber of Commerce. Davis College also earned the Better Business Bureau® Torch Award for marketplace ethics. As was true of all past Davis College leadership, President Diane Brunner is dedicated to the promotion of higher educational standards and continuing the College's service to the community.

Student Population and Student Life

The student population at Davis College is small (100), diverse and dynamic. Ages of students range from 18-60, and the average age of the Da-







vis College student is 30. Students attend class on a full- or part-time basis, day and/or evening, four days a week or less (no Friday classes).

Student Activities

The College hosts professional development and career services programs and events to help students prepare for entry into a professional career. Academic departments host various career-related programs including guest speakers, tours and field trips. In addition, social activities are planned throughout the school year for students and their families.

Job Placement Rate

Class Size and Student/Teacher Ratio

Davis College has an average student/teacher ratio of 9:1. This small learning environment ensures that the student gets the personal attention needed to succeed.

Academic Programs

Davis College offers associate degree, diploma, and certificate programs in allied health, business, and design career areas including:

- Accounting and Human Resources (Associate Degree)
- Business Management (Associate Degree)
- Digital Marketing (Associate Degree)
- Early Childhood Education (Associate Degree)
- Graphic Design (Associate Degree)
- Interior Design (Associate Degree)
- Logistics and Supply Chain Management
- Medical Administrative Assistant (Diploma)
- Medical Assisting (Associate Degree and Diploma)
- Medical Billing and Coding (Associate Degree and Diploma)
- Project Management (Associate Degree)
- Real Estate (Certificate)
- Visual Communication Design (Certificate)



Courses are taught by instructors who have both academic credentials and real-world experience.

Accreditation and Transfer of Credits

Davis College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission. Accreditation allows Davis College credits to be eligible to transfer to over 900 colleges and universities in the United States. Davis College's accreditation provides a pathway for students to continue their education at a 4-year, bachelor degree granting institution.

Academic Support

An academic advisor is assigned to each student. Faculty members also serve as tutors and the college's International Student Coordinator is available for guidance and support.

Facilities

Classrooms at Davis College are equipped with Smartboards to utilize technology as part of course delivery. The Davis College campus offers hi-speed wireless Internet access for students. Over 100 computers are available for student use. In addition each student can acquire a laptop computer through the College's laptop loan program.

International Student Orientation

All international students participate in an orientation to Davis College.

Orientation includes:

- Meeting with the International Student Coordinator
- Orientation to campus and facilities
- Reviewing immigration requirements and regulations
- Reviewing Student Services
- Scheduling courses

English Language

An intensive language learning program is available for students who are not proficient in English.

Toledo, Ohio

Toledo is located in northwest Ohio, on the western end of Lake Erie, and borders the State of Michigan. It is located within driving distance of major U.S. cities including Chicago, Detroit, and New York.

Culture and the Arts

Toledo has many cultural opportunities including The Toledo Museum of Art, an internationally acclaimed museum. The Peristyle is the concert hall in the East Wing of the museum, and is the home of the Toledo Symphony Orchestra, and hosts many international orchestras as well. The Stranahan Theater is a major concert hall located on the city's south side. The Toledo Opera has been

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FOUNDED IN 1858

ENROLLMENT

- Davis College enrolls 2,300 students who attend online, on campus, day and evening.
- The student population is culturally diverse.



CAMPUS

- Davis College offers a safe, urban campus with easy access to many Toledo attractions.
- Classes sizes are small with 9:1 student:teacher ratio.



BEYOND DAVIS

- Davis credits are eligible to transfer to major colleges and universities.
- Job Placement is consistently over 90%.



ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROGRAM AVAILABLE

Davis offers a comprehensive English Language Program.



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presenting grand opera in the city since 1959. Its current home is the historic Valentine Theatre downtown.

Recreation

Toledo offers numerous recreation sites including the Toledo Zoo. The Toledo Metroparks system includes the University/Parks Trail and the Toledo Botanical Garden. The Imagination Station handson science museum is located in downtown.

Professional Sports

Toledo offers professional sports to attend including the Toledo Mud Hens baseball club. The Toledo Walleye is an ECHL hockey team. Toledo Speedway is a local auto racetrack that features, among other events, stock car racing and concerts.

Nearby Detroit, Cleveland, and Cincinnati offer additional professional baseball, basketball, football, and hockey sports to enjoy.

Application Procedures

- Complete and submit online application. (http://www.daviscollege.edu/international. html)
- Submit academic records and transcripts from all secondary/high schools attended. If any post-secondary college or university has been attended, those transcripts should be sent as well. Records and transcripts must be in English and Certified English translations must accompany documents not available in English. (This does not apply for the Intensive Language Program ILP).
- Submit proper financial documentation to verify adequate funding to study at Davis Colleg.
 Fees for programs can be found on the Gainful Employment Tab on each Academic Program page on the Davis College website.
- Submit English proficiency scores. Davis College accepts a minimum 51 TOEFL iBT score, 5.0 IELTS, 75 Duolingo and/or 36 PTE







- Academic score for English language proficiency for admission. (This does not apply for the language program).
- 5. Submit a copy of your information pages of your passport.
- Pay \$175 USD application fee; or \$75 if a transfer student and no international mailing is required.
 - (Increase effective 7-1-2016) (https://squareup.com/store/davis-college)
- 7. Submit a foreign address and email address which are required for the I-20.
- 8. If you are transferring in from another institution, please complete a Transfer Form.

Once we receive your materials along with your \$175.00 USD application fee and you are accepted, you will be sent an acceptance letter from Davis College and an I-20 Form. Application fee includes one mailing of the I-20 to the student at foreign address. Additional mailing costs will be at the student expense and pre-paid.

Upon Arrival to Davis College

- An individual admissions appointment will be made for you to complete the enrollment process.
- An individual academic advising appointment forscheduling classes will be made for you.
- An orientation to Davis College will take place.
- Proof of health insurance will be required.

Application Deadline

Fall Quarter: June
Winter Quarter: August
Spring Quarter: November
Summer Quarter: January

Tuition and Fees Payment

Payment for tuition and fees is required before the first day of classes.

SNAPSHOT OF TOLEDO, OH

Founded 1833

LOCATION & POPULATION

Toledo is a mid-sized city located near the border of Michigan and near Lake Frie. The population is 274 975





CULTURE AND THE ARTS

Toledo is host to many cultura institutions including The Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo Symphony, and the Toledo Zoo

RECREATION

Toledo has many recreation opportunities including a nationally recognized metropark system and the Imagination Station.





PROFESSIONAL SPORTS

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Five Reasons to Choose Davis College

1. Academic Calendar: Four Start Dates

Unlike semester calendars where enrollment is typically for Fall and Spring, Davis College's academic calendar is divided into four quarters—Fall, Winter, Spring, and Summer. This calendar offers the student greater flexibility to enroll throughout the year.

2. International Student Services

Davis College is committed to make the student's experience worthwhile by offering various services that make the transition to the American higher education system as easy as possible. We will do everything in our power to make the student feel welcome, safe, and have a successful college experience.

3. Pathway to 4-year Institution

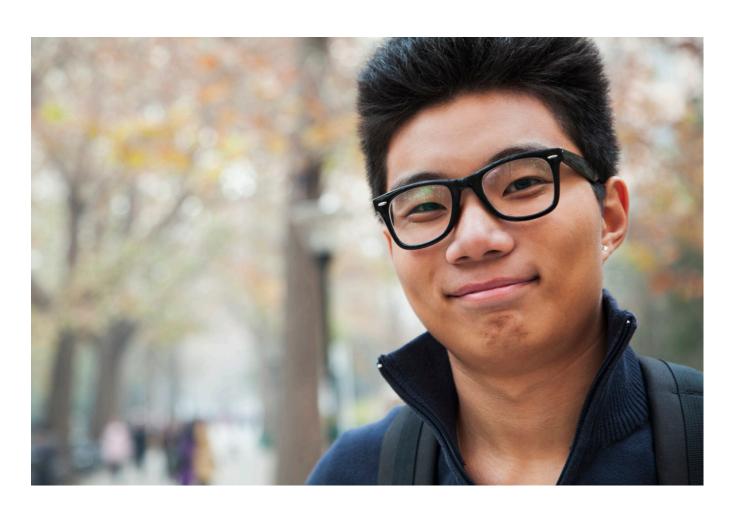
Davis College's credits are elligible to transfer to four-year institutions in the United States.

4. Small Classes - Personal Attention

9:1 student/teacher ratio ensures that the student gets the personal attention he/she needs to be successful in the classroom.

5. Safe Campus

Davis College is committed to providing a safe environment for all students, faculty, staff, and visitors.



Important Dates

Academic Year	Quarter	Application End Date	First Class	Last Class
2021	Fall/Aug.	Two weeks prior to the first class*	Aug. 27	Nov. 5
2021	Winter/Nov.		Nov. 15	Feb. 11
2022	Spring/Feb.		Feb. 21	May. 6
2022	Summer/May		May. 16	Jul. 22

^{*}I-20 application ends one month before the first class of each session. Late application will be enrolled to next intake. Admissions are decided on a rolling basis.

Tuitions and Fees

Tuition & fees based on 12 credits and varies according to classes and credits taken. Payment for tuition and fees is required before the first day of classes.

Estimated Expenses	Academic Year (3Qs)	Quarter (3 months)
Tuition and fees	\$13,650	\$4,550
Books and suppliers	\$1,000	\$300
Total	\$14,650	\$4,850

Other Costs:

Computer Lab (Per lab hr) \$25



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