



**NEBRASKA'S**  
COORDINATING COMMISSION  
FOR POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION

**Nebraska Career Scholarships Annual Report  
Private Non-Profit Colleges & Universities  
2024-25 Year-end Report**

**Statutory Authority Neb. Rev. Stat. § 85-3006**

**Committee Draft  
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## **Nebraska Career Scholarship Program Participating Institutions**

Bellevue University  
Bryan College of Health Sciences  
CHI-Alegent Health School of Radiology  
Clarkson College  
College of Saint Mary  
Concordia University  
Creighton University  
Doane University  
Hastings College  
Midland University  
Nebraska Methodist college  
Nebraska Wesleyan University  
Union Adventist University  
York University

**Data Element A:** The total number of students enrolled in the program in the prior academic year, and the total number of students enrolled in the program as of September 30 for the current academic year.<sup>1</sup>

Academic Program	Fall 2024	Fall 2025
Computer Information Systems	2,638	2,177
Education	1,021	1,142
Engineering	63	72
Health Care	5,446	5,492
Mathematics	162	150
Totals	9,330	9,033

**Data Element B:** The total number of scholarship recipients in the program as of September 30 for the current academic year and the total number of such scholarship recipients who are newly enrolled in the program for the current academic year.

Academic Program	September 30, 2024		September 30, 2025	
	NCS Recipients Enrolled	Newly Enrolled NCS Recipients	NCS Recipients Enrolled	Newly Enrolled NCS Recipients
Computer Information Systems	35	7	23	3
Education	105	74	106	12
Engineering	10	10	6	0
Health Care	443	181	286	59
Mathematics	21	3	16	1
Totals	614	275	437	75

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<sup>1</sup> Totals were derived by adding the data from each of the institutions. Not all institutions awarded NCS to students in all academic programs.

**Data Element C:** The total number of students retained in the program and a comparison of the retention rates between scholarship recipients and non-scholarship students.

Academic Program	2023-24 Students			
	Total Retained to Fall 2024	Retention Rate of Total Students	Scholarship Recipients Retained to Fall 2024	Retention Rate of Scholarship Recipients
Computer Information Systems	1.491	69.0%	20	71.5%
Education	628	68.8%	3	100.0%
Engineering	55	88.0%	0	
Health Care	3.506	76.9%	249	75.2%
Mathematics	117	70.8%	18	83.0%
Totals	5,797		290	

Academic Program	2024-25 Students			
	Total Retained to Fall 2025	Retention Rate of Total Students	Scholarship Recipients Retained to Fall 2025	Retention Rate of Scholarship Recipients
Computer Information Systems	1.288	55.0%	19	66.7%
Education	670	74.5%	93	88.4%
Engineering	55	45.0%	6	78.0%
Health Care	3.428	71.7%	321	83.5%
Mathematics	65	56.8%	17	85.5%
Totals	5,506		456	

**Data Element D:** The total number of graduates for the immediately prior academic year, the number of scholarship recipient graduates for such academic year, and a comparison of the graduation rates for scholarship recipients and non-scholarship students.<sup>2</sup>

Academic Program	2024-25 Graduates			
	Total Number of Graduates	Graduation Rate of all Students	Total Number of Scholarship Recipient Graduates	Graduation Rate of Scholarship Recipients
Computer Information Systems	726	24.7%	3	16.1%
Education	247	28.4%	0	0%
Engineering	0	0%	0	0%
Health Care	1,256	34.2%	74	28.1%
Mathematics	40	39.1%	6	33.3%
Totals	2,269		83	

**Data Element E:** The number of scholarship recipients obtaining employment in the state within five fiscal quarters of completion of an eligible program of study using Nebraska Department of Labor (DOL) data.

The CCPE is currently working with the DOL to obtain this information. Once it becomes available a revised report will be issued.

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<sup>2</sup> Creighton & Midland Universities were unable to provide data. York University was unable to provide graduation rates.