

Why College Now?

**Fall
2008**

- ❖ Earn **FREE** college credits, transferable to other CUNY, SUNY, and private colleges.
- ❖ Receive **FREE** textbooks.
- ❖ Attend classes on the Queens College campus, taught by QC faculty.
- ❖ Choose from a wide variety of courses:

FIRST-TIME STUDENTS:

- ♦Drama ♦ English: *The Classic Essay* (Writing) ♦Fitness Through Diet, Exercise, & Weight Control
- ♦History (Western Civilization) ♦Philosophy ♦Precalculus ♦Psychology ♦Sociology

RETURNING STUDENTS:

All of the courses listed above and...

- ♦Anthropology (*Cultural; Human Evolution*) ♦Art History ♦Astronomy ♦Economics ♦Environmental Sciences ♦Geology ♦History (*Japan; Russia; Western Civilization*) ♦Linguistics ♦Mathematics
- ♦Media Studies ♦Physics ♦Political Science ♦Urban Studies (*Poverty & Affluence*)

At NO COST TO YOUR FAMILY, and one course at a time:

- Begin your transition from meeting high school expectations to meeting college expectations, and
- learn just how different college can be from high school.
- Find out if you can handle the freedoms and responsibilities of college life, and if
- you possess the habits and attitude it takes to be successful in a college classroom.

We promise NOT to "throw you to the wolves!"

- Orientation before classes start: We'll show you the way around campus and around a college classroom, and how to make the most out of your semester at QC.
- An experienced college student will be assigned to you as a mentor and provide you with advisement throughout the semester.

- ❖ Pick up an **APPLICATION PACKAGE** from Mrs. Allred, Assistant Principal for Guidance, Room 421

Questions? Send them to collegenow@gmail.com or call 718-997-4297

- ❖ **Applications** must be completed and signed by Mrs. Allred by Friday May 16th

- ❖ **INTERVIEWS** will be conducted at Queens College between May 5 and May 23 and must be scheduled in advance through Mrs. Allred or the QC College Now office. ❖



COLLEGE NOW
at **QUEENS COLLEGE**

High School Students
Earn FREE College Credit

College Now is a collaborative initiative of the City University of New York (CUNY) and the New York City Department of Education. Its primary goals are to improve the academic achievement of high school students and to ensure that graduating students are ready to do college-level work.

The College Credit Program of *College Now* at QC offers qualified high school students a variety of introductory-level courses. Participants in the program attend classes taught by Queens College faculty on the college's beautiful hilltop campus.

COLLEGE NOW

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Admissions Criteria

- **An overall high school average of 80+**
- **For arts & humanities, science & social science courses:**
Minimum 80 on English Regents or 500 on Verbal SAT
- **If you don't have English Regents or SAT Verbal scores:**
A grade of 90 or better in current English class, 2nd marking period
(Bring report card for proof!)
- **For Math courses (no English requirements):**
Minimum of 80 on Math A Regents, or 500 on Math SAT
- **For Advanced Math courses:**
A score of 4 or 5 on the AP exam

Additional Admissions Criteria
for First-Time Applicants:

- Select courses from the *College Now*-dedicated list
- Come for personal interview with *College Now* staff
 - Attend Orientation before start of classes

Admissions Criteria
for Returning Students:

- **An overall high school average of 80+**
 - Successfully complete previous courses
(a grade of C- or better)
 - Be a *College Now* student in **good standing** with the program
- Good Standing:*
- Maintained good communications with *College Now* Mentor /Program throughout semester

Application Requirements

❖ **FIRST-TIME APPLICANTS**

To apply you must bring to your interview:

- **CUNY-*College Now* Application/Registration Form**
 - **Current High School Transcript**
 - **H.S. Report Card, 2nd Marking Period**
 - **SAT Score Report**
(only if used to prove eligibility)
 - **Course Selection/Parental Permission Form**
(signed by a parent/guardian)
 - **Teacher Recommendation**
 - **Student Contract**
(signed by a parent/guardian)
 - **Essay**
 - **Copy of UP TO DATE Immunization Record**
(with page containing doctor's name)
- **Filled out & signed Meningitis Response Form**
(No immunization required!)

❖ **RETURNING *College Now* STUDENTS**

To apply you must submit:

- **CUNY-*College Now* Application/Registration Form**
 - **Current High School Transcript**
IF previously admitted on English grade
 - **H.S. Report Card, 2nd Marking Period**
 - **Course Selection/Parental Permission Form**
(signed by a parent/guardian)
- **and, IF NOT TAKEN CARE OF YET:**
- **Updated Immunization Records &/or filled out and signed Meningitis Response Form**
(No immunization required!)