

Opportunities at Triton



Options

What option will get you to your destination?

1. College
2. Employment
3. Military
4. Trade/Skill



Community College

Triton vs. Harper vs. College of Dupage

- ☐ Cost: In district vs. Out of district
- ☐ Programs
- ☐ Distance

Triton Pathways

Certifications

Short-term
certificate
programs: One year
or less (*typically*)

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Associate Degree

Associate of **Applied**
Science: 2-year degree
no transfer

Associate of Arts /
Associate of Science:
2-year degree +
TRANSFER

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Why Triton?



Triton Benefits

COST



Average cost of attendance after financial aid is LESS than \$10,000 for a 2-year degree (before fin. aid)

LOCATION



Located in River Grove - close proximity to family, friends, and work

FRESH START



Open admission policy for high school graduates / Opportunity to create new transcript for transfer-purposes

COMMUTER CAMPUS



Facilities do not include college housing; all students share the common characteristic of being a commuter-student

SCHOLARSHIPS



Abundance of scholarship opportunities for students who live in Triton's district

PROGRAM OPPORTUNITIES



Partnerships with many four-year universities

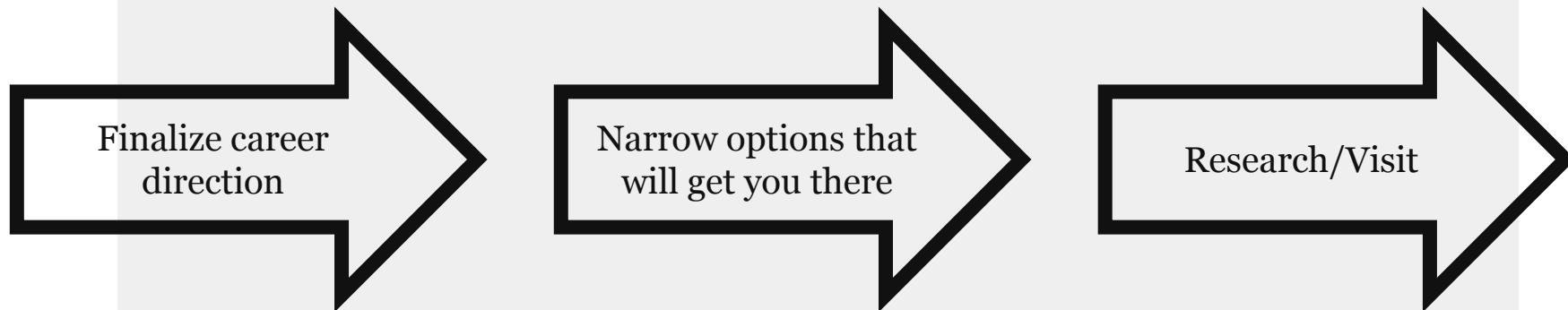
Scholarships

- Triton Trustee Honors Scholarship
 - Cumulative, unweighted 3.35 GPA after 7th semester
 - Must submit FAFSA or Alternative Application
- Triton Scholarship Opportunities
 - [Explore](#) (Triton scholarships)
 - [Explore](#) (Triton posts ongoing opportunities)
- Financial Aid & private scholarships
 - *Next year program*: Financial aid completion night
 - *Next year workshop*: Scholarship search engines
- Resources for undocumented students
 - [Explore](#)

Program Opportunities

- Triton Scholars Program
Academically rigorous two-year academic program
 - [Explore](#)
- University Center
Opportunity to earn bachelor's or graduate degree without leaving Triton Campus
 - [Explore](#)
- Guaranteed Admission Agreements
Provide early admissions into 14 universities if criteria is met
 - [Explore](#)
- Transfer Pathways
 - [Explore](#)
- 3+1 Agreement (Bachelor's)
3 years of coursework with Triton plus one with the university
 - [Explore](#)
- 2+2 Transfer Agreement (Bachelor's)
Complete associate's degree and seamlessly transfer to partner university
 - [Explore](#)

Next Steps



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Finalize career direction

Narrow options that will get you there

Research/Visit

Senior fall workshop: Applying to Triton

Actions Items

Spring (March – May)

- Research & Narrow Down Options – Revisit the programs or courses offered at Triton that align with interests.
- Meet with Counselors – Schedule a meeting with your school counselor
- Campus Visit or Virtual Info Session – Plan a visit to Triton or attend an online session to ask final questions.

Summer (June – August)

- Attend Leyden College Bootcamp (if applicable). Registration open April 28-May 16
- Create a Triton account

AND/OR

- Create a Common Application Account and add Triton as a college: [Instructions](#) [Video](#)
- Campus Visit or Virtual Info Session – Plan a visit to Triton or attend an online session to ask final questions.

Junior College Planning Night for Parents and Students

■ **Tuesday, April 22nd**

■ **6-7:30pm**

■ **West Leyden**

■ **Topics:**

- Application Process
- Components of the application
- Timeline
- Research Tools
- Campus Visits



COLLEGE BOOTCAMP

CLASS OF 2026

**WORKSHOPS
& CAMPUS
VISITS**



**EAST LEYDEN,
MEZZANINE
9:00 - 2:00**



**REGISTRATION
OPEN APRIL 28-
MAY 16**

**WORKSHOPS JUNE 3-5,
CAMPUS VISITS JUNE 9-13**

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**START COLLEGE APPLICATIONS, GET ORGANIZED, WRITE YOUR
PERSONAL STATEMENT, GET INDIVIDUALIZED SUPPORT,
FINANCIAL AID KNOW-HOW, ON CAMPUS EXPERIENCE AND
EXPERT TIPS THROUGHOUT THIS EXPERIENCE!**





Explore

*Use the time remaining to explore programs
and resources linked within the presentation.*