START YOUR
BUCKEYE LIFE
IN WOOSTER AT
OHIO STATE ATI

SO MANY PROGRAMS. ENDLESS CAREER POSSIBILITIES.
ENGAGE. DISCOVER. LEARN. CREATE.

#BeTheOne to make a difference in the world! At Ohio State ATI in Wooster, you can get started in a career in as little as two years, or you can complete the first two years of a bachelor’s degree. In fact, you can start any of Ohio State’s 200+ majors here and save about $3,000 in tuition and fees per year compared to the Columbus campus. As a nationally top-ranked* two-year institution, Ohio State ATI offers the personalized education, hands-on experience, and campus community you’re looking for. Come #BeTheOne who is ready for the future!

*Ranked no. 2 in the nation among two-year institutions in the awarding of degrees in agriculture and related sciences (Community College Week, top 50 list, 2016)
You’ll be in demand as a student who has real-world, applicable experience. Internship and job opportunities await. Thirty strong, career-focused degree and certificate programs can be combined to match specific career goals. All programs include opportunities for hands-on learning, and many of our students have job offers in hand before they graduate as a result of internship opportunities in several of our programs.

WHERE SOME OF OUR STUDENTS ARE EMPLOYED:

- Agland Co-Op
- Akron Veterinary Referral & Emergency Center
- Amazon
- Apple Farm Service
- Applied Geology and Environmental Science
- Biltmore Estate
- Bunge North America
- Bureau of Land Management
- Cargill
- Charles River Laboratories
- Columbus Crew
- Columbus and Franklin County Metro Parks
- The Country Club at Muirfield Village
- Dig-It Landscaping
- European Wax Center
- Eversound
- Farm Bureau Federation
- Ferguson Construction Co.
- Fieldcrest Farm
- Fifth Third Bank
- Firestone Country Club
- The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.
- Green Circle Growers
- Huntington National Bank
- John Deere & Co.
- Kalmbach Feeds
- Mars Petcare U.S.
- Muirfield Village Golf Club
- NASA Goddard Space Flight Center
- Nestlé
- Ohio Department of Natural Resources
- Ohio Environmental Protection Agency
- Oracle
- Polar Bears International
- Procter & Gamble
- T. Marzetti Co.
- Tesla
- Turner Construction
- U.S. Dairy Association
- U.S. Department of Agriculture
- The Walt Disney Co.
- Wild Flavors

FAST FACT:

Credits earned at Ohio State ATI can be applied toward bachelor’s degree programs at Ohio State’s Columbus campus.

FAST FACT:

Handshake is our college’s complimentary online career services site. It allows employers to post job/internship opportunities to students. As a student, you have lifetime access to the system and can apply for these jobs. Visit handshake.osu.edu.

Apply for admission to Ohio State ATI online at apply.osu.edu beginning Aug. 1 of your senior year.
Associate of Science programs (AS)

Associate of Science programs are specifically designed to help you transition from Ohio State ATI to the Columbus campus.

• Through Ohio State ATI programs, you can receive your associate degree and complete half of the degree requirements for a bachelor’s from the College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences (CFAES) at the Columbus campus.

• Once at Ohio State ATI, complete 30 credit hours and maintain at least a 2.0 GPA, and you will be automatically guaranteed acceptance into CFAES at the Columbus campus.

• Over half of our incoming students aspire to eventually transfer into a bachelor’s degree program. Curricular roadmaps provide pathways to bachelor’s degree programs and advise students in long-term course planning. Visit ati.osu.edu/pathways.

Agribusiness
Agricultural Communication
Agricultural Systems Management
Agriscience Education
Agronomy
Animal Sciences:
Specializations in Animal Health, Beef, Dairy, Horse, Small Ruminant, and Swine
Biochemical Sciences:
Specializations in Biology, Food Science, and Pre-Veterinary Medicine
Community Leadership:
Specializations in Community and Extension Education, and Leadership
Construction Systems Management

Environment and Natural Resources: Specializations in Environmental Science and Natural Resource Management
Food Business Management
Horticultural Science
Sustainable Agriculture

1+3 Program: Professional Golf Management.
The Professional Golf Management program at Ohio State is the only such program in Ohio and only one of three in the Midwest. The 1+3 program allows you to complete the first year of the program at Ohio State ATI before transitioning to Columbus to complete the final three years of your bachelor’s degree.

Associate of Applied Science programs (AAS)

Associate of Applied Science programs are hands-on and focused on developing practical knowledge and skills.

• Gain a paid internship experience and/or participate in a practical work experience that often leads to permanent employment.

• Additionally, pursue one of our nine-month certificate programs to enter the workforce with more enhanced, specialized training in your field of interest.

• Customize any program by adding a second major or certificate program to maximize your career options.

Bioenergy and Water Treatment Management
Business Management:
Specializations in Agricultural Business and General Business
Construction Management
Crop Management and Soil Conservation:
Specializations in Crop Management and Soil Conservation
Dairy Cattle Production and Management
Floral Design and Marketing
Greenhouse and Nursery Management:
Specializations in Greenhouse, Greenhouse Engineering Technology, and Nursery

Horse Production and Management
Hydraulic Power and Motion Control
Landscape Horticulture
Livestock Production and Management:
Specializations in Beef, Small Ruminant, and Swine
Power Equipment
Turfgrass Management

Nine-Month Certificate Programs:
Bioenergy
Hydraulic Service and Repair
Turfgrass Equipment Manager
Ohio State ATI is not your average college campus. Specialized programs call for specialized facilities, and we’ve got them. As a student, you’ll have ready access to all of the facilities, equipment, and resources you’ll need to gain real-world experience in your major—on campus or nearby—every day.

**WHATEVER YOUR AREA OF INTEREST, WE’RE THE ONES WHO HAVE THE FACILITIES TO MEET YOUR NEEDS.**

Ohio State ATI’s 1,700-acre working agricultural learning laboratory includes a dairy facility; beef, swine, and goat operations; an equine center; and a land laboratory for crop and environmental research.

Ohio State ATI owns Hawk’s Nest Golf Club, an 18-hole course rated one of the best public access courses in Ohio and a real-world learning lab for our students.

On-campus resources include a student-managed flower shop, the latest software for computer-assisted design (CAD), and science labs equipped with state-of-the-art instrumentation such as electrophoresis equipment for DNA analysis.

Our campus is located next door to the Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center (OARDC), one of the largest research institutes of its kind in the United States and a source of internships and campus jobs for Ohio State ATI students.

**FAST FACT:**

Visiting campus in person is by far the best way to experience all that Ohio State ATI has to offer. During your visit, you’ll learn about admission, facilities, and support services, and you’ll tour campus and visit the apartment village, all while finding out more about your major of interest. Schedule your visit today at ati.osu.edu/visit.
FAST FACT:

Designed by renowned animal behaviorist Temple Grandin, Ohio State ATI’s Beef Cattle Handling Facility offers students and beef producers the most up-to-date instruction on animal handling. The progressive design includes a corral, dual alleyways with a hydraulic squeeze chute and breeding box, and sorting pens.
Our campus is a great place to live with lots to do. Our townhouse apartments are not your average residence hall rooms. You’ll enjoy all the comforts of home, plus cable TV, internet access, and free parking. Enjoy cooking in your apartment kitchen or swing by Café Carmen, conveniently located on campus. We have student clubs and organizations to suit every interest, a recreational sports program, and campuswide social activities. Opportunities are available for students who would like to maintain a part-time job while at Ohio State ATI.

**FAST FACT:**

Seventy-nine percent of Ohio State ATI students are involved in clubs or organizations on campus.
Ohio State provides many opportunities for Buckeyes to participate in activities and events on both the Wooster and Columbus campuses.

Here are a few of our campus clubs and organizations:

- Agronomy Club
- Collegiate 4-H
- Collegiate FFA
- Community Council
- Dairy Cattle Judging Team
- Hoof-n-Hide Club
- Landscape Club
- Phi Theta Kappa (international honor society for two-year colleges)
- Pre-Veterinary Club
- Student Activities Council
- Turf Club

FAST FACT:

Ohio State ATI is the largest institution of its kind in the country, enrolling approximately 700 students and offering 30 programs of study, including three certificate of competency programs.
Ohio State ATI’s student apartment village includes 16 residential buildings and three neighborhood courtyards. Admitted students receive housing contracts in mid-March; housing assignments are based on the dates completed contracts are submitted. Virtual tours of the apartments are available at go.osu.edu/ATI_housing.

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**Campus Apartments Contain the Following.**

**Bedrooms:**
bunkable beds (with twin, extra-long, 80-inch mattresses), desk and desk chair (1 per student), nightstand (1 per room), lamp (1 per room), dresser/wardrobe (1 per room), closet (1 per room)

**Kitchen:**
refrigerator, oven

**Living and Dining Areas:**
dining table and 4 or 5 chairs, guest chair, end table, entertainment unit, 2 lamps

**Apartmentwide:**
utilities (gas, water, electric, Wi-Fi, cable, long-distance phone service), window blinds, 1 recycling bin, 2 garbage cans

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**Questions?** Mick Steiner, Housing Coordinator
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Every member of the Ohio State ATI community is dedicated to helping you complete your program in a timely manner and stay on track for academic and career success. A full range of free, academic support services are available to you as a member of the Ohio State ATI community.

**FAST FACT:**
Ohio State ATI’s library is a popular study spot, complete with print and digital resources such as industry journals and online databases, as well as computers, printers, and phone chargers.
The majority of our professors are industry veterans and leaders in the industries in which they teach. They’ve mastered their specific areas of expertise the same way in which you will learn at Ohio State ATI: through firsthand, in-field experience. Our professors also maintain active networks of professional contacts that can help you connect with internships and employment opportunities.

The personalized attention you will receive from Ohio State ATI faculty is invaluable. We provide personal faculty advisors who are well prepared to assist you with course selection and registration, academic advice, and career guidance.

**STUDENT SUCCESS SERVICES**

Student Success Services is Ohio State ATI’s hub for student support. Take advantage of our wide range of programming, from new student orientation to assistance in coursework. We support your success as a student and beyond.

**Career Development:** Online and in-person career interest and skills assessment

**Counseling Services:** Career and personal counseling

**Disability Services:** Academic accommodations for students with documented disabilities

**First-Year Experience Programs:** Common concerns and questions of first-year students

**Program Excel:** A student support services program funded by a USDE Trio Grant

**Tutoring Services:** Individual or group sessions offered in-person or online

**OTHER ACADEMIC SUPPORT**

**The Learning Lab:** A great place to study, work on homework, and get academic help as needed

- Peer tutors offer assistance on a walk-in basis for English, chemistry, math courses, and more.
- Also available is eTutoring for chemistry, math, physics, and program-specific courses.

**FAST FACT:**

Ohio State ATI students have access to library resources from all Ohio State campuses and more than 80 other Ohio libraries.
At Ohio State ATI, we understand you might be concerned about your ability to afford a college education. Assistance is available from an array of programs funded by federal, state, university, and private sources. Students who demonstrate significant financial need may qualify for grants, while students with less need may obtain low-interest loans. Our aim is to make it financially possible for all students at Ohio State ATI to meet their educational goals.

FINANCIAL AID 101

Your college education is one of the most important investments your family will make, and Ohio State ATI gives you an outstanding return on your tuition investment. Many students rely on financial aid to reach their goal of a college education.

There are many different forms of financial aid: loans, work study, scholarships, and grants. So, what’s the difference between them all?

**LOANS** are borrowed funds that must be repaid. Both students and parents are eligible to apply for educational loans.

**WORK STUDY** is awarded based on financial need and is an employment opportunity for students to earn money. Students may apply for various campus jobs at Ohio State ATI’s agricultural learning lab, Café Carmen, greenhouses, Hawk’s Nest Golf Course, library, administrative offices, or OARDC.

**SCHOLARSHIPS** are funds that do not need to be repaid. These awards come from many places (your high school, your community, the federal government, the university, the college, private organizations, etc.) and vary in amount.

**GRANTS** are free types of assistance awarded through federal, state, or university funds to undergraduate students with high financial need.

The Ohio State University makes every effort to make a world-class education both accessible and affordable.

The **Ohio State Tuition Guarantee**, which keeps costs flat for four years for each entering class, provides incoming students and their families certainty about the cost of in-state tuition, general fees, housing, and dining.

Ohio State also provides federal, state, and university financial aid funds, such as the **President’s Affordability Grant**, to eligible students in an effort to help families secure the funds they need to help pay for college.

President Michael V. Drake
Estimated Costs

Review the charts below to determine your estimated costs based on whether you are a freshman or a transfer student, an Ohio resident, or a non-Ohio resident, and whether you will live on or off campus. In these charts, “off campus” implies that you are a second-year student or a transfer student who plans to live off campus, not with a parent or guardian. Ohio State ATI has a one-year, on-campus living requirement for all incoming freshmen unless you currently reside within 25 miles. You must complete a housing exemption form if you meet the commuter requirement as a freshman.

### 2019–20 ACADEMIC YEAR

#### Incoming Freshman or Transfer, Ohio Resident (living on or off campus)

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QUESTIONS? Julia Morris, Coordinator of Student Financial Aid  
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Students who complete the Ohio State ATI scholarship application are considered for scholarships that are available only to Ohio State ATI students. Scholarship criteria include factors such as academic performance, class rank, field of study, ACT/SAT scores, financial need, and geographic region.

FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION CHECKLIST

☐ Apply for admission to Ohio State ATI. The application can be completed online at apply.osu.edu. Students may begin applying Aug. 1, 2019.

☐ Students and parents should begin the financial aid application process by obtaining a Federal Student Aid ID (FSA ID) from the U.S. Department of Education. An FSA ID allows students and parents to sign a 2020–2021 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) electronically. To obtain your FSA ID, go to fsaid.ed.gov.

☐ Complete your 2020–2021 FAFSA online at fafsa.gov. Use The Ohio State University code 003090, which includes Ohio State ATI. The priority deadline for Ohio State ATI is Feb. 1, 2020.

☐ Complete the Ohio State ATI and CFAES Scholarship Application, available online beginning Nov. 1, 2019 at ati.osu.edu/scholarship-application. Note: The priority deadline is Feb. 15, 2020. You must apply for admission in order to be eligible for scholarship consideration.

☐ Complete The Ohio State University Special Scholarships Application at sfa.osu.edu. Log in with your Ohio State name.#. The priority deadline is Feb. 1, 2020. You must have applied and have been admitted before you can complete the special scholarships application.

BEST PRACTICES WHEN COMPLETING THE OHIO STATE ATI AND CFAES SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION:

1. Complete your 2020–2021 FAFSA. Some scholarships are dependent on financial need.
   - Priority deadline: Feb. 1, 2020
   - FAFSA website: fafsa.gov

2. Complete and submit the Ohio State ATI and CFAES Scholarship Application.
   - Priority deadline: Feb. 15, 2020
   - Scholarship website: ati.osu.edu/scholarship-application

3. Select “Wooster/ATI” as your campus location. Scholarships are nontransferable between Ohio State campuses.

4. Be specific, and respond to every question. Tip: Ask a parent, counselor, or teacher to proofread your application.

If selected, you will be mailed a notice of award containing specific instructions on how to accept your award.

For a list of available scholarships, visit go.osu.edu/ATIscholarships.

NEXT STEPS:

Universities determine your financial need based on your FAFSA, so make sure you apply as soon as possible. File the FAFSA or the renewal FAFSA online at fafsa.gov. Be sure to include The Ohio State University code 003090, which includes Ohio State ATI, in the “School Section” on your application. The priority deadline is Feb. 1, 2020.
Digital Flagship

Having the right tools is important, which is why we provide a common device to support your learning and life at Ohio State.

Digital Flagship is a comprehensive, universitywide digital learning initiative to support educational innovation for students and economic development opportunities for the community.

This isn’t a device initiative. It is a student success initiative to blend learning technology throughout the university experience and increase student engagement and learning transformation—both inside and outside the classroom.

The device is university property while you’re at Ohio State. When you graduate, all Ohio State management will be removed and ownership of the device will transfer to you.

WHAT YOU WILL RECEIVE

**Apple iPad:** The gray, 10.5-inch, 256GB, Wi-Fi-compatible, iPad comes complete with a Microsoft suite and other apps.

**A Protective Case:** The high-quality case provides protection for your device and holds your Apple Pencil. (The STM Dux Shell is pictured.)

**Smart Keyboard:** The keyboard is easy to attach and allows you to type with your iPad as you would with a laptop.

**Apple Pencil:** The pencil can be used to navigate and make selections on your iPad, hand-write notes, draw, design, and more.

New Science Building

Projected to open in 2020, Ohio State ATI students will soon use a new science building on the Wooster campus. The $33.5 million, 60,000-square-foot building will house the Department of Entomology; will have laboratory, classroom, lecture, and office space; and will have a cafe and patio. The aim is to foster a “one campus” feeling, helping unify Ohio State ATI and OARDC.
VISITING CAMPUS

The best way to know if a college is right for you is to visit the campus, talk to an admissions counselor, meet students and professors, and check out the housing and educational facilities firsthand. Please visit ati.osu.edu/visit to learn more about visiting Ohio State ATI.

ADMISSION FOR OHIO RESIDENTS

If you are an Ohio resident who has graduated from an accredited Ohio high school, or has earned an Ohio-awarded GED and has never attended college (other than College Credit Plus during high school), you may enroll as an Ohio State ATI freshman. Transfer students who have attended any college since high school graduation must have a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or better from ALL previous college coursework to transfer to Ohio State ATI. (Non-Ohio residents’ and Ohio homeschooled students’ admissions criteria can be found online at ati.osu.edu/futurestudents.)

APPLYING FOR ADMISSION

Apply for admission online at apply.osu.edu.

When you take the ACT or SAT, write in The Ohio State University code, which also includes Ohio State ATI, so your scores are sent to us automatically. Our ACT code is 3312; our SAT code is 1009.

APPLICATION DEADLINES

Visit ati.osu.edu/futurestudents for deadline information.

APPLYING FOR NEED-BASED FINANCIAL AID

Complete and file a 2020–2021 FAFSA on or before the priority deadline of Feb. 1. The FAFSA determines your eligibility for all federal, state, and institutional need-based aid programs. The Ohio State University FAFSA code, which includes Ohio State ATI, is 003090.

Complete a FAFSA at fafsa.gov.

Priority deadline: Feb. 1

APPLYING FOR MERIT-BASED SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are awarded based on prior academic performance, class rank, GPA, and ACT or SAT scores. Complete the Ohio State ATI and CFAES Scholarship Application online beginning Nov. 1. The application is available online only: ati.osu.edu/scholarship-application.

Priority deadline: Feb. 15
WILL IT BE YOU?

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