

# The Free College Benefit just got better!



Members & their families can earn a degree for free online. The Free College Benefit helps union families continue their college education without piling on thousands of dollars in student debt.

## Free associates degree for you and your family at Eastern Gateway

Eastern Gateway Community College is a public, non-profit school in the University System of Ohio and is regionally accredited by the Higher Learning Commission. Credits you earn can transfer to other schools, saving you money!

The **FOP Free College** offers working families a debt-free and convenient higher education opportunity for current and retired union members, their families. Family members do NOT need to be financial dependents or living with the member to be eligible.

### How Enroll In EGCC?

1. Apply to EGCC by visiting - [FOPFreeCollege.org](http://FOPFreeCollege.org) & hit *Get Started Today* button
2. Complete the FAFSA form online by visiting [FAFSA.ed.gov](http://FAFSA.ed.gov) - **be sure to include EGCC's school code 007275**
3. Submit proof of high school or GED completion
4. Schedule an advising appointment to enroll with courses with the help of one of our Enrollment Specialist.

**For More Info**

**888.590.9009**

**[FOPFreeCollege.org](http://FOPFreeCollege.org)**



The Free College benefit covers the cost of tuition, fees and books after any PELL or other federal grant, or employer reimbursement is applied. The remaining amount will be cleared with the Free College scholarship. As long as your financial aid file is complete, there is no cost to the student and students are never asked to take out any loans.

# A Bachelors degree for you and your family for FREE!

An Associate degree or 60 or more transferable college credits are required to enroll. Students who have not yet earned an Associate degree or are just getting started in higher education can begin with the Free College program at Eastern Gateway Community College and then transfer into the Bachelor's Degree Completion programs at either Central State University or Paul Quinn College.

## Zero Out-of-Pocket Costs!

The **FOP** has partnered with Central State University (CSU), a regionally accredited public, non-profit university near Dayton, OH and now Paul Quinn College (PQC), a private four-year, liberal arts-inspired historically Black college (HBCU) in Dallas, Texas to give members and their families can earn a Bachelor's degree online with no out-of-pocket costs.

Students must apply for federal financial aid and use any grants to pay the tuition. Students must also use any employer-sponsored tuition assistance. The Student Success Grant covers the difference between any federal grants and employer assistance and your tuition, fees and e-books at CSU & PQC.

## For more info on Paul Quinn

Student Resource Center  
888.590.9009  
[Online@FreeCollegeBenefit.org](mailto:Online@FreeCollegeBenefit.org)

## Programs Offered

- Teacher Education
- Criminal Justice
- Business Management
- Interdisciplinary Studies - Humanities
- Communications
- History
- Psychology
- Political Science

*And Many More!*

## For more info on Central State

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