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**FLATHEAD VALLEY  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

# Find your future **HERE**



**3,080** TOTAL STUDENTS

**16%** ARE FIRST-GENERATION,  
DEGREE-SEEKING  
COLLEGE STUDENTS

**80+** DEGREES AND  
CUSTOMIZED  
TRANSFER TRACKS

MORE THAN **\$1M** SCHOLARSHIPS  
AWARDED TO  
FVCC STUDENTS  
LAST YEAR

## **DIVERSITY EQUITY & INCLUSION**

### Join us.

At Flathead Valley Community College, excellence is affordable. We're a diverse community of enthusiastic learners, high-level researchers, student-focused staff and outstanding faculty.

Our faculty and staff know you by name and your success is our success.

We're learning with purpose and giving back to the communities we come from. Join us in Northwest Montana – we can't wait to meet you.



**FLATHEAD  
VALLEY**

**KALISPELL  
MONTANA**

We recognize each student arrives with unique circumstances, and we're committed to fostering an individualized student experience that provides equitable opportunities for all students to achieve their goals.

Several active groups support this mission:

- Appreciating Individuality, Challenges & Excellence (AICE)
- Genders & Sexualities Alliance (GSA)
- Global Friends
- Native American Student Association

# Learn from the BEST



**FVCC faculty are industry experts, renowned researchers, diligent volunteers and everything in between.**

Most of all, they are committed educators dedicated to your success. They're here to share their passion and prepare you for a career, global research or an advanced degree.

## Award-Winning

FVCC associate professor of education Dr. Eliza Sorte-Thomas was awarded the **Lifetime Achievement in Literacy Education** by the Northwest Montana Literacy Council. In no way a conclusion to an incredible career that took her all over the world, Dr. Sorte-Thomas is motivated more than ever to inspire the next generation of teachers in the Flathead Valley.



"It's touching to be acknowledged for all the hard work, but no teacher does it for any kind of award."

*Dr. Eliza Sorte-Thomas,  
Associate Professor of Education*



FVCC associate professor of chemistry Jessica Ennist, Ph.D. along with David Long, Ph.D. created a course-based research experience for chemistry students to make undergraduate research available to all enrolled general chemistry students at the college.

"Our FVCC students have had enormous success by participating in our faculty-led undergraduate research experiences."

*Dr. Jessica Ennist, Associate Professor of Chemistry*



## Course-Based Research Experiences

# Find your classroom **HERE**

FVCC advisors are here to help you explore transfer options, build an academic plan customized to your needs, and connect you with campus resources at your next institution.

**Save BIG** by completing your lower-level general education requirements at FVCC.

[fvcc.edu/transfer](https://fvcc.edu/transfer)



**General Education in Action:** Students venture out on frozen Flathead Lake to conduct a lab assignment.



# Learn with purpose and get HIRED

FVCC's career and technical programs help you build the hands-on skills you need to get the job you want.

Average salaries for a few of FVCC's career programs\*

**\$50k**

Welders

**\$56k**

Physical Therapist Assistants

**\$72k**

Surveyors

[fvcc.edu/academic-areas](http://fvcc.edu/academic-areas)



**57**

degrees, certificates and apprenticeships to meet Montana's workforce needs



# Find your PATH

Hike  
Bike  
Ride  
Shred  
Paddle  
Play  
**LIVE**  
the Northwest  
Montana life



35 minutes to  
**Whitefish Mountain Resort**

20 minutes to  
**Flathead Lake**  
40 minutes to  
**Glacier National Park**



Opportunities for  
**adventure**  
in all directions

# Success starts HERE

**We're here when you need us.**

Access the FVCC network of student support services dedicated to your success.

## STUDENT SERVICES

Academic & Transfer Advising

Career Services

Disability Services

Financial Aid Guidance

Mental Health Support

Tutoring

## TRIO Support

FVCC TRIO provides comprehensive academic support for first-generation, low-income college students and/or students with disabilities. Funded by the U.S. Department of Education, TRIO offers a wide range of services and a place for students to call home.

[fvcc.edu/student-services](http://fvcc.edu/student-services)



“As a first generation college student, I was really nervous to begin college. TRIO tutors, staff and all my instructors genuinely cared about me and my success and it showed. I started at FVCC at my lowest and finished a self-confident, strong college graduate.”

*Julie Blake, TRIO participant & Honors student  
Associate of Arts, Associate of Applied Science-  
Small Business Management, Certificate of Applied  
Science-Entrepreneurship*



## HONORS Program

Access cross-disciplinary courses with the FVCC Honors Program. Seminar-style classes co-taught by distinguished faculty present perspective on issues of today to help spark the innovation of tomorrow.

- Tuition scholarship for participants
- One-on-one mentoring from faculty
- Seamless entry into the honors program at UM-Missoula and MSU-Bozeman
- Dedicated study area, classroom and library for honors students to connect and thrive together

[fvcc.edu/honors](http://fvcc.edu/honors)



# Find your FIELD



## Business & Technology

Accounting Technology, AAS/CAS  
 Business Administration, AAS  
 Entrepreneurship, CAS  
 Health Care Office Management, AAS  
 Information Technology and Security, AAS  
 Medical Coding, AAS  
 Payroll Accounting, CAS  
 Small Business Management, AAS  
 Social Media Marketing, CTS

## Transfer Tracks - AA/AS

Accounting  
 Business

## Science & Engineering

Agriculture and Food Systems, AAS  
 Biotechnology, CTS  
 Natural Resources Conservation and Management, AAS

## Transfer Tracks - AA/AS

Agriculture  
 Biology  
 Biotechnology  
 Chemistry

Earth Science  
 Ecology  
 Engineering  
 Environmental Biology  
 Environmental Science  
 Environmental Studies  
 Forensic Science  
 Forestry  
 Geography  
 Geology  
 Parks, Tourism and Recreation Management

Physics  
 Pre-Dental  
 Pre-Dental Hygiene  
 Pre-Medicine  
 Pre-Nursing  
 Pre-Pharmacy  
 Pre-Physical Therapy  
 Pre-Veterinary Medicine  
 Natural Resources Conservation  
 Wildlife Biology

## Occupational Trades

Commercial Driver's License (CDL) Training Courses  
 Electrical Apprentice, CTS  
 Electrical Technology, AAS/CAS

Electronics Technician, AAS/CAS/CTS  
 Firearms Technologies, AAS/CTS  
 Heating, Ventilation, Air-conditioning and Refrigeration (HVAC) Apprenticeship, CTS  
 Heavy Equipment Operator, CTS  
 Industrial Machine Technology, AAS/CAS  
 Machinist Technician, CTS  
 Nondestructive Testing, CAS  
 Surveying, AAS  
 Welding and Fabrication Technology, AAS/CAS  
 Welding and Inspection Technology, AAS  
 Welding Technology, CTS

## Nursing

Certified Nurse Aide (CNA) Course  
 Practical Nursing, CAS  
 Registered Nursing, ASN

## Social Science

Criminal Justice, AAS  
 Early Childhood Education, AAS  
 Substance Abuse Counseling, AA

## Transfer Tracks - AA/AS

Criminal Justice  
 Early Childhood Education  
 Economics

Elementary Education  
 History  
 Pre-Social Work  
 Psychology  
 Secondary Education  
 Sociology

## Culinary Arts

Culinary Arts and Catering, AAS

## Health Science

Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) Course  
 Healthcare Core, CTS  
 Medical Assistant, CAS  
 Medical Laboratory Technology, AAS  
 Paramedicine, AAS  
 Phlebotomy Courses  
 Physical Therapist Assistant, AAS  
 Radiologic Technology, AAS  
 Surgical Technology, AAS

## Transfer Tracks - AA/AS

Health and Human Performance  
 Medical Lab Sciences  
 Speech Pathology

## General Studies

Associate of Arts, AA  
 Associate of Science, AS

## Transfer Tracks - AA/AS

Undecided/Exploring

## Humanities

Goldsmithing and 3D Jewelry Design, AAS/CAS  
 Graphic Design, AAS/CAS

## Transfer Tracks - AA/AS

Art  
 English  
 Graphic Design  
 Liberal Studies  
 Music  
 Theatre Arts

## Math & Computer Science

Programming and Game Development, AAS  
 Web Technology, AAS  
 Computer Science  
 Mathematics

## Degrees & Certificates

### AAS

Associate of Applied Science

### ASN

Associate of Science Nursing

### AA

Associate of Arts (transfer tracks)

### AS

Associate of Science (transfer tracks)

### CAS

Certificate of Applied Science

### CTS

Certificate of Technical Studies



[fvcc.edu/programs](http://fvcc.edu/programs)





# Visit FVCC

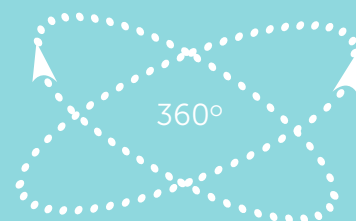


## In-Person Tour



Take a guided private or group tour of our Kalispell campus to experience what life is like as an FVCC student.

## Campus 360 Tour



Check out our campus 360 tour anywhere, anytime. Your remote visit includes facilities tours, program highlights and aerial views of our Kalispell campus.

## Experience FVCC

Join us on campus for Experience FVCC for a day in the life as a college student. Tour campus, chat with faculty and ask all the questions you have about college at FVCC.

### DATES

**OCT 13** 2023    **NOV 10** 2023    **APR 5** 2024



# Live HERE

[fvcc.edu/housing](https://fvcc.edu/housing)



## FALL 2023-SUMMER 2024 COST PER STUDENT

**Studio Apartment (single)**  
\$3,708/semester  
\$2,838/summer

**Two-Bedroom Apartment (shared)**  
\$3,065/semester  
\$2,065/summer

All prices include essential utilities and Wi-Fi.



## Campus LIFE



Student engagement at FVCC provides opportunities to get involved with the local community, campus clubs and leadership organizations.

From student government to Phi Theta Kappa to campus rec activities, you'll find your niche at FVCC and connect with your peers.

[fvcc.edu/campus-life](https://fvcc.edu/campus-life)



## Food for thought *on campus*



Make your way to the Eagle's Nest Café in Blake Hall for homemade cuisine made with fresh, local ingredients, many grown on FVCC's campus farm.

Find a hot (or cold) drink and a snack at Common Ground coffee shop located in the Broussard Family Library and Learning Commons.

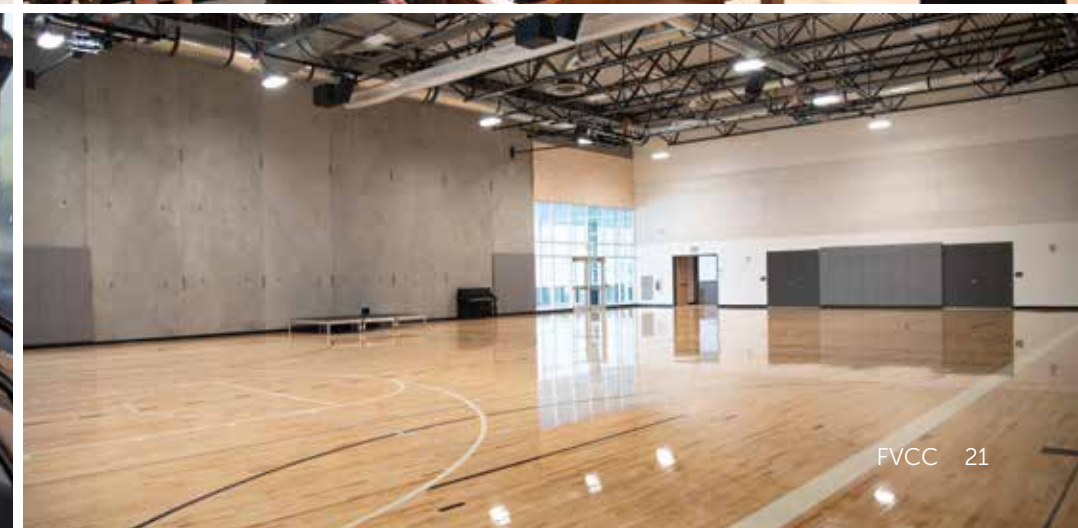
# Take the STAGE

## Paul D. Wachholz College Center

A hub of arts and activity, the new Wachholz College Center attracts major concerts, theater and dance performances, and fascinating lectures.

The athletic complex at the College Center creates a health and wellness space where you can shoot hoops in the two-court gymnasium, take a Pilates class, or get a workout in.

[wachholzcollegecenter.org](http://wachholzcollegecenter.org)



# Your future starts NOW



Montana high school juniors and seniors can start earning free college credits while still in high school with Running Start at FVCC.

[fvcc.edu/runningstart](http://fvcc.edu/runningstart)

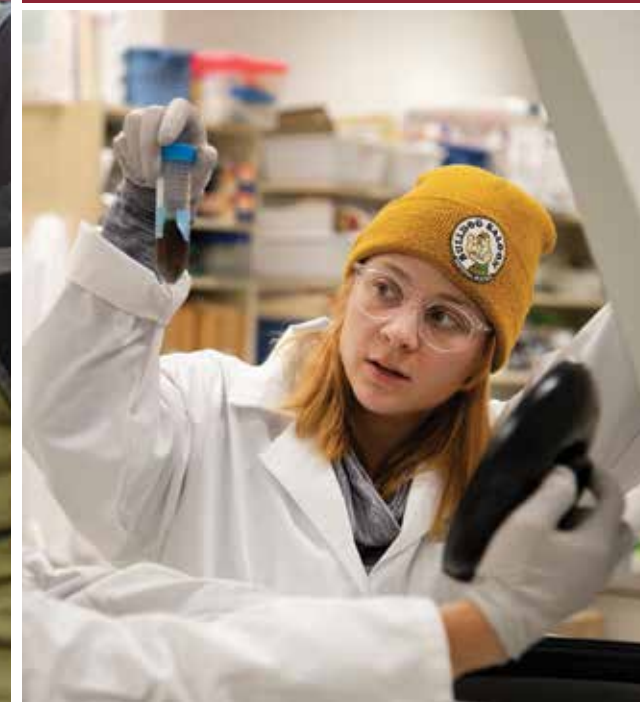


Finish a  
**COLLEGE  
DEGREE**  
in  
shorter time

Montana  
students  
can earn

6

**FREE**  
credits



Significantly  
**REDUCE  
THE COST**  
of your college  
education

# Let's talk VALUE

Transfer & career-ready degree programs

Small class sizes & close-knit campus community

Why choose FVCC?

Create a transfer plan and go anywhere

Live the Northwest Montana life

Excellent education at an affordable price

FVCC programs rival the quality of programs offered at top institutions across the country but at a fraction of the cost.

Averages 30% less than Montana universities. That's a **\$5,000 SAVINGS**

**Financial Aid**  
Degree-seeking students are eligible to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FASFA).

[fvcc.edu/financial-aid](http://fvcc.edu/financial-aid)

**Scholarships**

More than **\$1M** awarded to FVCC students last year

[fvcc.edu/scholarships](http://fvcc.edu/scholarships)



“My dream of being an art and theatre teacher is coming true thanks to scholarship support at FVCC. Without that support, I wouldn't be where I am today.”

*Shelbie Guckenberg, Associate of Arts transfer*

## ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP

Degree-seeking students with 30 or more FVCC credits at a 3.5 GPA or above may qualify for two free semesters of in-district tuition.

## TUITION WAIVERS

Take advantage of free tuition opportunities available to high school honors, FVCC honors, Running Start, and American Indian students.



“I started at FVCC for my first two years of college with my sights set on transferring to a four-year university and then onto medical school. The amazing support system and inspiring faculty at FVCC helped build my momentum and achieve things I never thought I could.”

*Steve Houtz, Associate of Science transfer*



# Get started **HERE**

## APPLY ANYTIME

*It's free!*

- ✓ Submit an application to admissions  
[fvcc.edu/apply](https://fvcc.edu/apply) | 406.756.3848
- ✓ Submit required documents  
(immunization records and transcripts)
- ✓ Apply for financial aid by completing the FAFSA | [fvcc.edu/financial-aid](https://fvcc.edu/financial-aid)  
FVCC CODE-006777
- ✓ Apply for scholarships – the application process is easy | [fvcc.edu/scholarships](https://fvcc.edu/scholarships)
- ✓ Apply for student housing in Founders Hall | [fvcc.edu/housing](https://fvcc.edu/housing)
- ✓ Take placement tests and meet with an advisor | [fvcc.edu/placement](https://fvcc.edu/placement)  
406.756.3880
- ✓ **REGISTER FOR CLASSES**  
For an advising appointment,  
call us at 406.756.3880  
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### IMPORTANT DATES

**JAN 2024**  
Apply to student housing by the end of the month.

Living on campus is popular and fills quickly.

**FEB 15, 2024**  
FVCC scholarships priority deadline



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Lincoln County Campus  
225 Commerce Way | Libby, MT 59923  
406.293.2721 | [fvcc.edu/lcc](http://fvcc.edu/lcc) | [lccinfo@fvcc.edu](mailto:lccinfo@fvcc.edu)

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FVCC's annual security report is available online at [fvcc.edu/campus-safety](http://fvcc.edu/campus-safety). This is a report required by federal law and contains policy statements and crime statistics for the college.