

# College Resources

These websites provide college information and resources for educators to use with students to learn about, navigate and prepare for future educational opportunities.

- Higher Education Coordinating Commission/Office of Student Access and Completion
  - [FAFSA/ORSAA](#)  
Support students in obtaining federal and state aid for college, career training, or graduate school. The FAFSA is a required step to obtain federal funds such as the Pell Grant as well as many Oregon funds. In Oregon, students who are not U.S. citizens nor eligible non-citizens are not eligible for federal aid and may be considered for some state financial aid programs by submitting the Oregon Student Aid Application (ORSAA), the State of Oregon's alternative to the FAFSA.
  - [Oregon Grants and Scholarships](#)  
Find key information and support students in applying for state financial aid programs.
  - [Counselor and Advisor Resources](#)  
Counselors and academic advisors are key partners in helping students reach their academic goals. This site offers counselor resources and support so they can best serve Oregon students.
- Oregon Goes to College
  - [Events, Toolkits and Resources](#)  
Oregon Goes To College makes the college exploration and application process easier. It is the one-stop shop in Oregon for general information about college, checklists for each grade and events to support seniors in the college.
  - [Oregon Colleges and Universities](#)  
Explore the hundreds of colleges, universities, and career and trade schools across Oregon.
  - [Summer Camps and Programs](#)  
Many colleges and organizations in Oregon offer summer camps and programs. Learn something new, build leadership skills, explore careers and of course, have fun! Visit each programs' website for information on dates, rates, ages and application deadlines.
- ECMC
  - [Opportunities Guide and Workbook](#)  
The Opportunities guide helps high school students choose the right

college, understand admission requirements, identify types of financial aid and more.

- [Financial Literacy Awareness Basics](#)

Financial Awareness Basics—was designed to help students make informed decisions about their financial future.

- [Believing the College Dream Curriculum - Grades 4-8](#)

Think 4th grade is too early to start planning for college? Neither do we. That's why we created Believing the College Dream, so you can start talking to your middle schoolers now.

- [Realizing the College Dream Curriculum - Grades 9-12](#)

Realizing the College Dream helps educators increase college attendance among low-income, first-generation students