Think a college education is not for YOU?

Think again!

Many students with four year college degrees are returning to community colleges to earn technical degrees so that they can find jobs.

Many community college graduates earn certificates or associate degrees.

Students with community or junior college degrees are often employed for higher starting salaries than four year degree students.

Ask your guidance counselor about the exciting new SOAR program when you schedule for Career and Technical programs. You can begin earning credits immediately.

Pennsylvania SOAR/Programs of Study
(Not all programs available at all schools)
Accounting Technology/Technician & Bookkeeping
 Administrative Assistant & Secretarial Science
 Agricultural Mechanization
 Autobody/Collision & Repair Technology/Technician
 Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technician
 Biotechnology
 Building/Property Maintenance & Manager
 Cabinetmaking & Millwork
 Carpentry/Carpenter
 Child Care & Support Services Management
 Commercial & Advertising Art
 Computer Systems Networking & Telecommunication
 Computer Technology/Computer Systems Technology
 Construction Trades, Others
 Dental Assisting/Assistant
 Drafting & Design Technology/Technician
 Electrical & Power Transmission Installers
 Electromechanical Technician
 Electrical, Electronic & Communications Engineering
 General Office Occupations & Clerical Services
 Graphic Communications
 Health/Medical Assisting Services
 Health Professions & Related Clinical Sciences
 Heating/Air Conditioning/Ventilation & Refrigeration
 Homeland Security, Law Enforcement, Firefighting & Protective Services
 Institutional Food Worker
 Logistics, Materials & Supply Chain Management
 Machine Tool Technology/Machinist
 Mason/Masonry
 Medical/Clinical Assistant
 Medium/Heavy Vehicle & Truck Technology/Technician
 Plumbing Technology/Plumber
 Sales/Distribution & Marketing Operations
 Vehicle Maintenance Technology, Other
 Welding Technology/Welder

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WHAT DO I HAVE TO DO TO EARN FREE COLLEGE CREDITS?

- Enroll in a SOAR/Program of Study
  - Earn a high school diploma
- Maintain a 2.5 grade point average in your technical courses
- Achieve competent or advanced on the End of Program evaluation
- Complete a competency task list
- Earn Industry Certification
- Successfully apply to the college of your choice that offers your SOAR/Program of Study

CHECK IT OUT

The College Transfer website contains information about the thirty-four participating colleges. It will tell you which programs they offer and how many credits you will receive.

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WHO WILL HELP ME?

Your first step is to share this with your parents. Together you can then contact your school guidance counselor.

Need more information?
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Once you are enrolled in a SOAR/Program of Study Career and Technical Education program, your Technical instructor will work with you to earn the requirements.

WHAT will you be doing when you graduate?

- Working?
- Living with your Parents?
- Going to college?

College as the next step for Career and Technical students makes sense.

A new opportunity called SOAR/Programs of Study makes earning college credits through your Career and Technical program possible.