Deciding whether to attend college as an adult is no minor matter. You have other commitments in your life and concerns about time allocation, finances, career and personal goals, and, if you’ve been out of school for a few years, concerns about whether you’ll be able to do the academic work required to succeed.

These are issues that confront many—if not most—returning adult students. At Youngstown State University, we have many personal and academic support services and professional staff here to help—with goal setting, career path, financial aid and scholarships, transfer of credits, study skills, time management, and, yes, even math and writing!

Be sure to start your exploration with the adult admissions coordinator at YSU. Come for a campus visit. If you call ahead, we can arrange meetings with faculty, career counselors, and other adult learners. As you ask questions and receive answers, you’ll find that Youngstown State University is a friendly, comfortable place where you’ll get the support you need to reach the goals you set.

**Visit us.**

We invite you to tour the YSU campus, meet with an academic advisor, and talk to students and faculty.

If you call ahead, we can arrange a tour, set up appointments with key people, and give you the personal attention you deserve.

If you have a disability and require special assistance, please let the Office of Undergraduate Admissions know in advance so we can accommodate you more efficiently.

**Contact us in any of the following ways:**

330-941-2000  
877-GO-TO-YSU (877-468-6978)  
Videophone: 866-757-1353

enroll@ysu.edu

Visit our web site at www.ysu.edu
Youngstown State University can help you make it happen!

ACCESSIBILITY

- Professional and peer mentoring available to all adult learners to ease the transition to college
- Basic math and algebra courses held exclusively for adult students
- YSU’s Office of Veterans’ Affairs offers special services for veterans
- Assistance with goal planning
- Help with math, writing, study skills, and time management through various assistance centers on campus

AFFORDABILITY

- YSU’s tuition will keep your higher education cost at a manageable level.
- Comprehensive financial aid is readily available, as is the help of professional financial aid counselors who will walk you through the paperwork.
- Many scholarship awards are targeted specifically to adult learners.

ACADEMIC OPTIONS

- Over 100 majors leading to bachelor’s and associate degrees and certificates
- 35 graduate programs, including doctorates in educational leadership and physical therapy
- The Bachelor of General Studies, a degree-completion program that provides credit for classes completed at YSU and other institutions
- CLEP (College-Level Examination Program) tests and department “test-outs” may provide YSU credit toward a degree
- Credit for life experience is often available from academic departments
- Credits earned at other regionally accredited universities are accepted at YSU. Go to www.transfer.org/uselect to find out more.

PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE

- YSU’s Individualized Curriculum Program allows you to structure your own major
- Many opportunities for internships and cooperative education with area businesses, agencies, and manufacturers.
- Professional practice coordinators will work with you to set up advantageous work schedules with cooperating employers.
- Internships often lead to full-time employment with cooperating employers.

CONVENIENCE

- Evening and weekend classes
- Classes in the allied health plus-2 bachelor’s degree (Bachelor of Science in Applied Science) all available online.
- On-campus day care