

Program Eligibility

On Point for College is an open enrollment program. We work with students interested in pursuing post-secondary opportunities, including two and four year degrees, certificate, and training programs.

Our ideal candidates are:

- High school juniors or seniors
- High school graduates, recent or otherwise
- GED/TASC recipients or in TASC classes
- Planning to attend college or a vocational or certificate program
- Interested in taking college prep classes

On Point for College Today:

10,000+ Students have gone to college with On Point's help since 1999.

95% Of On Point students are the first in their families to attend college.

3,000+ Of On Point students are enrolled in college currently.

73% Of students complete freshman year & return for sophomore year.

2,600+ On Point students have earned at least one college degree.

86%+ Of each dollar donated goes towards student services.

Our Services



On Point for College provides a comprehensive suite of services that allows us to meet our students wherever they are along their post-secondary journeys. To do this, we offer:

- One-on-one advising, including help with preparing college & financial aid applications
- Campus tours during the spring & fall semesters for prospective students
- Transportation to & from non-local colleges for semester breaks, emergencies, and placement exams
- A set of basic college & residence hall supplies so no student arrives unprepared
- Ongoing support and advisement throughout their college careers, including visits from On Point staff and connection to on-campus resources
- Career planning, including guidance in selecting a course of study, help with resumes, interview skills, job shadowing, internships, and networking

Program Sites

For a full listing of On Point sites and schedules visit our website at onpointforcollege.org/mobile

Cayuga County

Booker T. Washington Community Center
23 Chapman Ave, Auburn, NY 13021

Cortland County

Onondaga Cortland Madison BOCES
Cortlandville Campus, McEvoy Building
1710 NYS Rte 13, Cortland, NY 13045

Herkimer, Madison & Oneida Counties

On Point for College Utica
500 Plant St, Utica, NY 13502

Onondaga County

On Point for College Syracuse
488 W Onondaga St, Syracuse, NY 13202

Oswego County

Citi BOCES
179 County Rte 64, Mexico, NY 13114

The Hub

9 4th Ave, Hillside Commons, Oswego, NY 13126

From the Students

"On Point gave me an opportunity to be more than what society hoped for me to be. They are more than a resource to me. On Point is my family!"

- Antwann Kearse, A.A.S. SUNY Morrisville, B.S. University at Buffalo

"My wife and I are examples of how On Point helps students to break barriers through advisement, financial aid, transportation, college visits and more. We wouldn't be where we are today without On Point."

- Bikash Regmi, B.S. and M.S. SUNY Poly

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Program Overview

Since 1999, On Point has helped more than 10,000 first-generation youth to get into college, stay there, and succeed afterwards.

We help students identify and apply for their best fit post-secondary educational opportunities, whether that's college, a certificate program, or another type of program. We also help them connect to the campus and community resources needed to succeed.

And since 2008, we've helped them develop the tools and skills they need to transition into careers.



"As a professional educator, I am in a position to recognize On Point for College as one of the most successful community-based college access and success programs in the nation.

– *Lorrie Clerno, President, D'Youville College*

"Colleges in New York State know that if On Point for College students are enrolled at their college, these students will receive the support and guidance they need to help them succeed."

– *Linda LeMura, President, Le Moyne College*



On Point for College helps with every step of the college and career journey, from application through graduation and beyond!

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