

## Financial Aid: Ineligible Majors and Discontinued Programs

The U.S. Department of Education certifies NOVA's participation for student financial aid programs. To be eligible for financial aid the academic program must be at least 16 semester credits in length. At NOVA, all associate degree programs will qualify for financial aid. All credit-based certificate programs are also eligible.

There are some Career Studies Certificate and Certificate programs which are NOT eligible for financial aid. If you are in one of these, you may discuss your options with your academic advisor to determine if there is an associate degree or certificate program which would be eligible for financial aid that is compatible with your career goals. If you are in an ineligible program and applied for financial aid, it will be noted on your NOVA Connect [To Do List](#).

### Certificate and Career Studies Certificate Programs – NOT Eligible for Financial Aid

221-299-06	Application Programming	221-732-01	Network Administration
221-882-01	Driver Education Instructor	221-732-01	Network Engineering (Specialist)
221-299-09	IT Technical Support	6950	Uniform Certificate of General Studies (UCGS)

### Discontinued Associate Degree

9681	Civil Engineering Technology, A.A.S.	2121	International Business Specialization, A.A.S.
2513	Digital Marketing Specialization, A.A.S.	2514	International Marketing Specialization, A.A.S.
9682	Drafting Specialization, A.A.S.	2510	Marketing, A.A.S.
8311	Electrical Engineering Specialization, A.S.	9683	Mechanical Engineering Technology, A.A.S.
9091	Emissions Specialization, A.A.S.	7753	Nutrition Management, A.A.S.
2123	Finance Specialization, A.A.S.	5301	Photography Specialization, A.A.A.
5290	Fine Arts, A.A.	648B	Psychology Specialization, A.A.
5300	Fine Arts, A.A.A.	8821	Psychology Specialization, A.S. (Social Sciences)
4270	Fire Science Technology, A.A.S.	2122	Public Management Specialization, A.A.S.
2351	Food Service Management, A.A.S.	2515	Public Relations Specialization, A.A.S.
2125	Healthcare Administration Specialization, A.A.S.	6693	Recreation Parks, and Leisure Studies, A.S.
7750	Hospitality Management, A.A.A.	6361	School-Age Child Specialization, A.A.S.
7752	Hotel Management Specialization, A.A.S.	8821	Social Science/Psychology Specialization, A.S.

### Discontinued Career Study Certificate

221-400-02	Administration of Justice: Security Management	221-648-04	Japanese Studies
221-648-01	African-American Studies	221-648-05	Latin American Studies
221-920-02	Diesel Mechanics Technology	221-251-02	Marketing
221-648-02	Chinese Studies	221-251-04	Marketing: Marketing Management
221-514-23	Electronic Media in Design, Rendering and Animation	221-179-01	Massage Therapy
221-146-01	Emergency Medical Technician – Basic	221-286-01	Medical Transcription
221-146-03	Emergency Medical Technician – Intermediate	221-460-20	Outdoor Recreation and Resource Management
221-514-23	Electronic Media in Design Rendering and Animation	221-146-05	Paramedic
221-352-02	Graphic Design: Web Design Specialist	221-629-03	Paraprofessional Teacher Assistant
221-190-01	Health Science	221-460-30	Recreation Programming and Administration

### Discontinued Certificate

9300	Architectural Drafting	2970	Graphic Design: Multimedia Design
2500	Contract Management	2670	Hospitality Management: Meeting, Event, and Exhibition Management
2450	Culinary Arts		

Note: Other programs that you initially selected may no longer be offered. Financial aid cannot be awarded for programs that were discontinued more than 7 years ago (prior to Fall 2016) or were discontinued more than 3 years ago (starting in Fall 2016). Programs that were discontinued more than 7 years ago may not be included on this list. Please check with an academic advisor about any questions regarding your program of study.