

# VALENCIA COLLEGE

## Official College Catalog

This is the official Valencia College Catalog for the 2024-25 academic year\*.

This is the governing catalog for new students entering Valencia College in the 2024-25 academic year and for any Valencia student returning in the 2024-25 academic year whose governing catalog has expired. Valencia reserves the right to make changes in the regulations and offerings announced in this catalog as circumstances require. It is expected that the only changes will be the correction of errors and the inclusion of new courses and programs approved for offering in mid-year.

\*Pending District Board of Trustees approval in March 2024

## Accreditation

Valencia College is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) to award associate and baccalaureate degrees. Valencia College also may offer credentials such as certificates and diplomas at approved degree levels. Questions about the accreditation of Valencia College may be directed in writing to the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, GA 30033-4097, by calling (404) 679-4500, or by using information available on SACSCOC's website ([www.sacscoc.org](http://www.sacscoc.org) (<http://www.sacscoc.org/>)).

## Campus Locations

### Downtown Campus

Dr. Phillips Academic Commons  
500 W. Livingston Street  
Orlando, Florida 32801  
407-299-5000

### UnionWest

601 W Livingston Street  
Orlando, Florida 32801  
407-299-5000

### East Campus

701 North Econlockhatchee Trail  
Orlando, Florida 32825  
407-299-5000

### Lake Nona Campus

12350 Narcoossee Road  
Orlando, Florida 32832  
407-299-5000

### Osceola Campus

1800 Denn John Lane  
Kissimmee, Florida 34744  
407-299-5000  
407-847-9496 – Local in Osceola County

### Poinciana Campus

3255 Pleasant Hill Road  
Kissimmee, Florida 34746  
407-299-5000

### School of Public Service and Legal Studies

8600 Valencia College Lane

Orlando, Florida 32825  
407-299-5000

### West Campus

1800 South Kirkman Road  
Orlando, Florida 32811  
407-299-5000

### Winter Park Campus

850 West Morse Boulevard  
Winter Park, Florida 32789  
407-299-5000

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Valencia College recognizes that discrimination against individuals diagnosed as having Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS), or persons who have been determined to be positive for the Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV), but who have not developed the symptoms of AIDS, is prohibited by Florida law, which accords to such infected individuals every protection made available to persons with documented disabilities under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. 791), the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12131) and Chapter 760, Florida Statutes. See Valencia College policy 6Hx28:2-04, available online at <https://valenciacollege.edu/about/general-counsel/policy/>. The person designated to coordinate this implementation is the Vice President, Organizational Development and Human Resources, Valencia College, Post Office Box 3028, Orlando, Florida, 32802, telephone number 407-299-5000 x8155.

### Valencia is proud to be 100% smoke-free.

We are committed to providing a safe and healthy learning environment for our students, employees and visitors. In recent years, we have made improvements toward healthier campuses with the implementation of LEED-certified buildings, employee wellness programs and recycling efforts. Smoke-free campuses further promote the health, safety and well-being of members of the Valencia community by reducing exposure to secondhand smoke on Valencia campuses.

As of August 2012, all of Valencia's campuses are smoke-free. This includes all property and facilities owned, leased or operated by Valencia including: buildings, bridges, walkways, sidewalks, parking lots and garages, on-campus streets and driveways, grounds, on-campus LYNX

bus stops and shelters, exterior open spaces and personal vehicles in these areas. For more information on the policy or resources, visit [valenciacollege.edu/sharetheair](https://valenciacollege.edu/sharetheair/). (<https://valenciacollege.edu/sharetheair/>)