

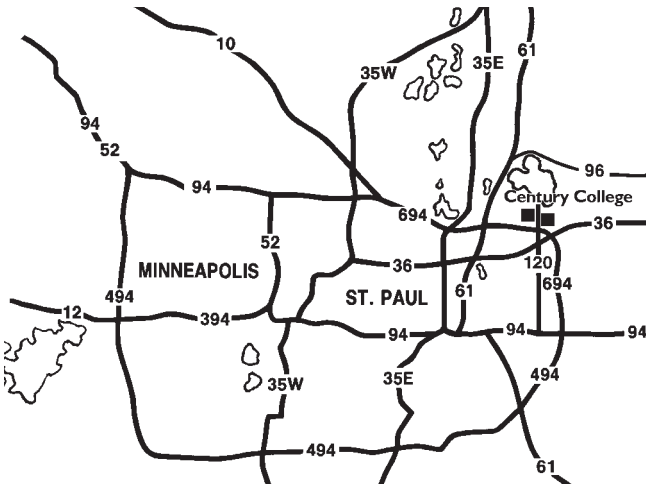
Education students will have access to a wide variety of support services on campus including counseling, registration assistance, tutoring and career advising. To find out all the options available at Century College, call the Counseling Career Center.

Financial aid (grants, loans and work-study positions) and scholarships are available to most students at Century College. Scholarship information is available through the Century Foundation Office at (651) 779-3338.

Directions to Century from downtown St. Paul:

I-35E north to I-694 east, exit at Hwy. 120 (Century Avenue). North approximately 1/2 mile. Century's East Campus is on the right side of the road, and West Campus is on the left side.

OR Call (651) 747-4039 for directions.



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Century College is an equal opportunity institution and a member of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system.

Education Program



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Education

The Education Program prepares individuals to enter the world of teaching and learning with three program options. The **Paraeducation Certificate** is designed to meet the requirements of the No Child Left Behind Act. Students completing this certificate meet the definition of “highly qualified” professionals as established by federal law. Students completing the Paraeducation Certificate will begin digital portfolios and will have the opportunity to work with students in educational settings.

The **Paraeducator Associate in Applied Science Degree** is also designed for individuals who want to become highly qualified paraprofessionals by completing a two-year degree in the field of paraeducation. Students completing the Paraeducator AAS Degree will begin digital professional portfolios and will have completed a minimum of 100 hours of approved practicum, field experience or service learning before graduation.

The third option in the Education Program is the **Education Associate in Science Degree**. This is a transfer-oriented degree that is designed to transfer into a four-year education program for students who wish to become teachers. This degree provides the student with specific training, general education experience working in educational settings, and a portfolio that will expand as the student earns additional degrees and participates in additional learning experiences. The education programs at Century College are designed for students of all ages who wish to begin a new profession or make a career change to the exciting field of education.



Program Options

- Paraeducation Certificate (16 credits)
- Paraeducator AAS Degree (64 credits)
- Education AS Degree (64 credits)

Curriculum at-a-glance

The following is a list of the types of courses that are included in the education program options.

Major Courses:

- Portfolios for Educators I, II, III
- Minnesota Education Standards
- Reading and Study Skills Strategies for Paraeducators
- Mathematics Support Strategies for Paraeducators
- Classroom Management

- Writing Support Strategies for Paraeducators
- Orientation to Education
- Basics in TESOL for Paraeducators
- Creating Culturally Responsive Classrooms
- Legal Issues in Education
- Special Education Issues for Paraeducators

Articulation Agreements

Articulation agreements provide students with educational plans that help them transfer into four-year colleges and universities. Century College has articulation agreements with many four-year institutions.

Important Telephone Numbers

Program Instructor:

Andrea Coffey, EdD(651) 747-4093
Admissions Office.....(651) 773-1700
Counseling & Career Center ... (651) 779-3285
Financial Aid Office(651) 779-3305
Program Dean:

Mark Felsheim, PhD(651) 748-2609

Financial Aid

Financial aid is available to those who are eligible. Students must apply for financial aid early as it can take 6-8 weeks to be processed. Please contact the Financial Aid Office for more information and a free financial aid application.

