

THE DOMINICAN DIFFERENCE

Personal attention. Strong academic programs.

There are many reasons why students from across the country choose Dominican College. Dominican is dedicated to providing educational excellence with a personal touch, fostering relationships between students and faculty through face to face or hybrid online classes.

WHO WE ARE

We are a private institution offering undergraduate and graduate degrees. Since 1952, Dominican College has provided students with the environment to cultivate unique bonds and life-long relationships.

The aim of Dominican College is to promote educational excellence, leadership, and service in an environment characterized by respect for the individual and concern for the community.

Our convenient location in the scenic Hudson Valley area, just 17 miles from New York City, feels like a home away from home, in our friendly, yet challenging, and supportive atmosphere.

DIRECTIONS TO DOMINICAN COLLEGE

Our beautiful Hudson Valley Campus is located in Rockland County, 17 miles north of NYC, at Orangeburg Road and Western Highway, Orangeburg, NY.

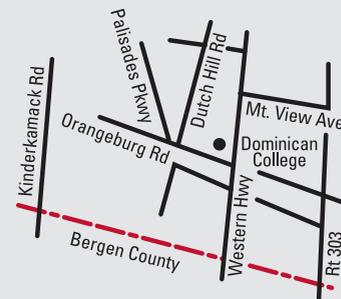
From Orange County: Take Rte. 32 to Rte. 6 to the Palisades Interstate Parkway South to Exit 6E to the second traffic light and turn left (Western Highway) to the College.

From New York City: Take the George Washington Bridge to the Palisades Interstate Parkway to Exit 6E and continue as above.

From Westchester County: Take the Tappan Zee Bridge to the New York State Thruway to Exit 12, Rte. 303 South, right on Orangeburg Road to the first traffic light, then right to the College.

From New Jersey: Take the Garden State Parkway North to the New York State Thruway South to Exit 12 and continue as above.

The College is readily accessible from numerous interstate highways, and is within an hour's distance of JFK, LaGuardia, Newark, Stewart and Westchester County Airports. The College may also be reached by public transportation via Transport of Rockland (TOR) Rte. 92 or Coach USA/Shortline Bus 20, to Orangeburg Road and Western Highway.



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DOMINICAN COLLEGE'S PROGRAM FOR TEACHERS OF STUDENTS WHO ARE BLIND OR VISUALLY IMPAIRED

Most of the course work is offered online. An on-campus residency is scheduled for 3½ days at the end of June. Two Sundays during the 4th quarter are required for VI534: "Orientation and Mobility for Teachers."

This delivery system provides program access to persons living a great distance from the College or who can not attend a traditional weekday program.

The program is based on a quarter system; Braille is a 2 quarter course. The program begins with the Fall term; students may not begin coursework in subsequent quarters. Students in need of a practicum experience may be able to fulfill it during the summer between years I & II.



PREPARE FOR SUCCESS
AT DOMINICAN COLLEGE

MORE THAN AN EDUCATION, A RELATIONSHIP

COURSE SCHEDULE

Year I:

Quarter I:

- :: Psychological Aspects of Blindness and Visual Impairment (VI 532)
- :: Literacy Braille and Instructional Strategies (VI535)

Quarter II:

- :: Literacy Braille and Instructional Strategies (VI535)

Quarter III:

- :: Assessment and Functional Implication of Visual Impairment (VI533)
- :: Nemeth Code and Other Specialized Braille Codes (VI538)

Quarter IV:

- :: Assistive Technology for the Blind and Visually Impaired (VI539)
- :: Methods for Academic Learners Who Are Blind or Visually Impaired (VI641)
- :: Orientation and Mobility for Teachers (VI534)

Year II:

Quarter I:

- :: Adaptive Methods for Developing Motor Skills in Students with Health and/or Physical Disabilities (SE621)
- :: Student Teaching and Advanced Seminar (VI17)

Quarter II:

- :: Methods for Young and/or Multiply Impaired Learners Who Are Blind or Visually Impaired (VI642)
- :: Positive Behavior Approaches (SE 623)

Quarter III:

- :: Introduction to American Sign Language (SE537)
- :: Research in Special Education (SE616)

TUITION REMISSION OPPORTUNITY FOR TEACHING IN NEW YORK STATE

Intensive Training Institute For Teachers of Students Who Are Blind or Visually Impaired

For those currently teaching or planning to teach in New York, the New York State Department of Education supports partial tuition remission for teachers seeking the certification title Teacher of Students Who are Blind or Visually Impaired. This financial incentive is intended to help reduce the current shortage of trained teachers of students who are blind or visually impaired, which exists nationwide as well as in New York. The incentive is known as the Intensive Training Institute for Teachers of Students Who are Blind or Visually Impaired (ITI-TVI).



CERTIFICATION

Certification in New York as a Teacher of Students Who are Blind or Visually Impaired is not automatic upon completion of coursework and student teaching. Applicants for this certification must apply to the New York State Department of Education and complete all additional requirements including passing the Content Specialty Test.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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