



NORTHWEST FLORIDA
STATE COLLEGE



RAIDER HISTORY



Photo Source: NH 53287 Doolittle Raid on Japan, 18 April 1942, Archives Branch, Naval History and Heritage Command, Washington, DC

Northwest Florida State College first opened its doors in 1964 and has become a premier two-year state college earning a reputation for educational excellence and community involvement. As part of Florida's public system of 28 state and community colleges, NWF State College offers bachelor's degree programs, associate degrees and certificates offering postsecondary education opportunities to more than 17,000 students annually.

Who are the Raiders?

It began more than 50 years ago in a secrecy-shrouded mission on an isolated airfield in the Florida panhandle. It would culminate when a band of daring fliers dubbed "Doolittle's Raiders" soared off the deck of the aircraft carrier USS Hornet and bombed Japan for the first time in World War II.

The little-known airstrip was Eglin Field, now Eglin Air Force Base. The leader of the Raiders was then Lt. Col. Jimmy Doolittle, who led the squadron of B-25s on the daring raid -- a feat for which he was awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor.

"The significance of the mission, many believe, was a turning point in the war," said the late Lt. Gen. Kelly Burke, a Raiders fan. "The raid was an unprecedented feat requiring extraordinary courage and airmanship."

To heighten knowledge of the legacy and heritage behind the Raiders name at the college, Burke donated a painting to the college, which commemorates the flight of Doolittle's Raiders. The painting, entitled, "The Giant Begins to Stir" bears the original signature of a surviving crewman from each of the 16 participating aircraft, including Doolittle. The painting hangs in the administration building on the Niceville campus. The college also owns copy of Lt. General James H. Doolittle's autobiography which is signed by Doolittle.

A proud name and a proud tradition, Northwest Florida State College is honored to use the name Raiders and pay tribute to the heroes of the past who have shaped our future today.

RAIDER LIFE

...GET INVOLVED! ▶▶▶

College is much more than academics. Valuable experiences are gained through co-curricular activities that can go beyond the classroom.



Call us today for a
VIP campus tour!

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RAIDER LIFE ORGANIZATIONS

- African American Student Association
- Brain Bowl
- C/H Fellowship of Christian Athletes
- Cheerleaders
- Early Childhood Student Association
- Ensemble Groups
- Film Club
- Forensics
- Gay-Straight Alliance
- National Society of Leadership and Success
- NonTrad2Grad
- Pacesetters
- PEA
- Phi Theta Kappa
- Radiography Club
- RaiderRep Student Ambassadors
- Society for Human Resource Managers
- Student Activities Board
- Student Government Association
- Student Nurses' Association



“Everyone from the teachers to the people sitting at the front desk wants to help you. I always felt like everyone at NWF wanted to see me succeed.”

— Meseret Baldwin - ESOL, GED and Future Nurse

▶▶▶ Getting involved in Raider Life creates a successful environment, an encouraging atmosphere and motivation from peers.

Other opportunities include:

- Scholarships
- Travel to interesting conferences and workshops
- Networking
- New friendships
- Resume building

ATHLETIC SPOTLIGHT

Northwest Florida State College is home to Raider Athletics, one of the nation's premier junior college athletic programs. The Raiders field teams in the sports of men's and women's basketball, baseball and softball with all four teams consistently ranked in the regional and national polls. As an NWF student, all home athletic events are free with a valid RaiderCard.

Chris Duarté Career Highlights:

- First Team All-Conference as both a freshman and sophomore
- 2019 Panhandle Conference Player of the Year
- 2019 FCSAA/NJCAA Region VIII Player of the Year
- 2019 NJCAA National Player of the Year
- 2019 NJCAA First Team All-American
- 2018 NJCAA Academic All-American (3.78 GPA)
- 1,015 career points



Men's Basketball

- 2-time NJCAA National Champions (1995, 2015)
- 9-time State Tournament Champions (1995, 2001, 2003, 2010, 2012, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019)
- 5-Peat Panhandle Conference Champions (2015 - 2019)
- 5 consecutive NJCAA National Tournament appearances

Women's Basketball

- 6 National Tournament appearances in the last 7 years
- 5 NJCAA National Tournament Elite Eight appearances in the last 7 years

Baseball

- 2015 FCSAA State/Region VIII Champions
- 2015 NJCAA National Champions
- 2019 Panhandle Conference Champions
- 2019 FCSAA State/Region VIII Runner-Up

Softball

- 9 postseason appearances in the past 11 years
- Produced NWF's first NCAA Division-I National Champion (Hannah Sparks-University of Oklahoma)

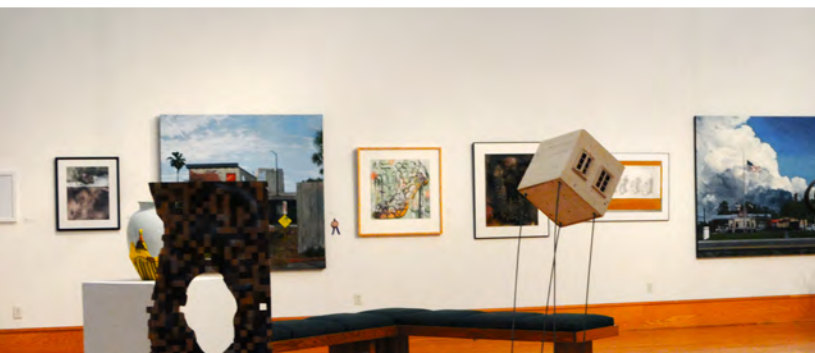
Chris Duarté
Associate in Science in
Sports, Fitness &
Recreation Management



MATTIE KELLY ARTS CENTER

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The Mattie Kelly Arts Center is located along the beautiful Emerald Coast in Northwest Florida. For more than 20 years, MKAC has been providing world-class productions to patrons in the Southeastern United States. In addition to hosting Broadway shows, the Arts Center is also home to the Northwest Florida State College Department of Humanities, Fine & Performing Arts, and hosts a myriad of student-run shows. The Arts Center boasts a variety of theaters, galleries and even an outdoor amphitheater that makes it an ideal venue for any style of performance.



“ With what I’ve learned at NWF State College, I really think the sky is the limit as to what I can do. ”

— Caitlin TaraBori - A.A. Business
MKAC Production Manager

PROGRAM LISTING

Associate in Arts (AA)

Arts, Humanities, Communication & Design

AS Music Production Technology

AS Theatre & Entertainment Technology:

- Acting
- Costuming
- Dance
- Music Theater
- Technical Theater

CCC Audio Technology (Recording Arts)

CCC Digital Media/Multimedia Authoring

CCC Graphic Design Support

CCC Stage Technology

(Theater & Entertainment)

Degree Types:

AA..... Associate in Arts
AAS.... Associate in Applied Science
AS Associate in Science
BAS Bachelor of Applied Science
BS Bachelor of Science
CCC.... College Credit Certificate
CCP.... Career Certificate Program

Business

BAS Management & Supervision:

- Health Care Management**
- Human Resources Management**
- Military Science & Leadership**
- Supervision**

BAS Project Management:

- Acquisitions
- Logistics
- Project Management
- Quality Improvement
- Technology Management

AAS Applied Management

AS Accounting Technology

AS Business Administration

AS Culinary Management

AS Hospitality & Tourism

AS Industrial Management
Technology

AS Paralegal Studies

CCC Accounting Technology
Management

CCC Business Development &
Entrepreneurship

CCC Business Management**

CCC Business Specialist (Marketing)

CCC Chef's Apprentice

CCC Culinary Arts

CCC Culinary Arts Management
Operations

CCC Event Planning Management

CCC Food & Beverage Management

CCC Food & Beverage Operations

CCC Food & Beverage Specialist

Business (continued)

CCC Guest Services Specialist

CCC Office Management**

CCC Rooms Division Management

CCC Rooms Division Operations

CCC Rooms Division Specialist

Education

BS Early Childhood Education:

- Birth through Four**

BS Elementary Education

AS Early Childhood Education

Health Sciences

BS Nursing**

AS Health Services Management

AS Nursing

AS Radiography

CCC Medical Coder/Biller

CCP Dental Assisting

Industry, Manufacturing & Construction

CCC CNC Machinist/Fabricator

CCP Welding Technology

CCP Welding Technology (Advanced)

Public Safety

AS Criminal Justice Technology

AS Emergency Medical Services

CCC Emergency Medical Technician

CCC Fire Officer Supervisor

CCC Paramedic

CCP Correctional Officer Basic

CCP Firefighter I/II

CCP Firefighter/Emergency Medical
Technician

CCP Law Enforcement Officer Basic

Social & Behavioral Sciences

AS Sports, Fitness & Recreation Mgmt.

CCC Child Care Center Management
Specialization

CCC Child Development Early
Intervention

CCC Infant/Toddler Specialization

CCC Preschool Specialization

STEM

AS Computer Programming
& Analysis

AS Cybersecurity

AS Engineering Technology:

- Digital Design & Modeling
- Digital Manufacturing
- Electronic
- Mechanical Design & Fabrication

AS Unmanned Vehicle
Systems Operations

CCC Computer Programmer

CCC Computer Programming
Specialist

CCC Digital Forensics

CCC Digital Manufacturing Specialist

CCC Engineering Technology
Support Specialist

CCC Rapid Prototyping Specialist

** Offered fully online

Northwest Florida State College is accredited by
the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
Commission on Colleges.

www.sacscoc.org or 404.679.4500

New Student Admissions Checklist

5 steps
to success:

1. Apply Online

Fill out a FREE application online at www.nwfsc.edu/apply.

2. Request Transcripts

Official in-progress and final high school transcripts need to be sent to NWF State College for current high school students. Transfer students will need to send official final high school transcripts and transcripts from all institutions.

3. Take Placement Test

Submit ACT and SAT scores or sign up to take the FREE PERT Test at www.nwfsc.edu/testing.

4. Meet with a Student Success Navigator

This is suggested for all degree-seeking students.

5. Register

Register for classes and pay tuition and fees online on your RaiderNet account.

Tuition Rates

Associate Degrees	Cost Per Credit Hour	Average Year Cost
Florida Resident	\$104.01	\$3,120.30
Alabama Resident	\$105.01	\$3,150.30
Out-of-State (on campus)	\$398.02	\$11,940.60
Out-of-State (online)	\$105.01	\$3,150.30

Bachelor Degrees

Florida Resident	\$122.59	\$3,677.70
Alabama Resident	\$123.59	\$3,707.70
Out-of-State (on campus)	\$450.86	\$13,525.80
Out-of-State (online)	\$123.59	\$3,707.70

Fill out and mail in this inquiry card to learn more! 

You must have your Associate in Arts or 60 credit hours to qualify for our Bachelor degrees.

Name (please print) _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Academic Program(s) of Interest _____

Intended Term to Begin (i.e. Fall 2020) _____

Other interests (i.e. Student Clubs) _____

Please fill out this inquiry card and send it back to us to learn more about how we can help you take flight!

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