

2026 CAREERS THAT WORK!



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Since 1999 high schools have selected students to receive the Careers That Work! scholarship. Because of high school awareness and awarding of the program, thousands of students and their families have benefited from the \$1,000 tuition scholarship. We have been told this scholarship is often the “tool” that helps transition students to higher education. We believe by working together we can assist students with gaining an education for the future.

Each high school in the Northwest is given five \$1,000 tuition scholarships to award to students who choose to attend one of our participating colleges. Since 1999, high schools in the Northwest have awarded thousands of Careers That Work! scholarships to help with the cost of tuition.

This catalog is a reference resource. Please note that all scholarships must be awarded at www.nwcareercolleges.org/scholarships.

If you have any questions about the Careers That Work! scholarship program, please call me personally at 360-259-1313.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Maryann Brathwaite".

Maryann Brathwaite
Executive Director



Scholarship Program - 2026
"Putting Students & Colleges Together"

CATALOG OF PARTICIPATION INSTITUTIONS

This catalog contains participating school names, contacts, program titles, and web addresses. Please visit the website of the Northwest Career Colleges Federation at www.nwcareercolleges.org to access more scholarship information. At that site you will find links to the individual websites of the participating schools for detailed school and program information.

An official of the high school selects scholarship recipients. If your awarded student is accepted for enrollment at the chosen college, the Scholarship will be credited to the awardees tuition commensurate with the college's scholarship disbursement policy. Scholarships are non-transferable and expire December 31, 2026. The deadline for student acceptance at the college is July 14, 2026. Awardees are urged to make contact with the college admissions office before graduation from high school. In some instances this scholarship may not be combined with another institution-based scholarship.

To initiate and complete the award process the NWCCF must be notified by the high school and provided specific information about the selected student. This is accomplished by submitting an award notification online.

**Please Submit the Award Online at:
www.nwcareercolleges.org/scholarships**

Award Deadline is June 16, 2026

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Evergreen Beauty College - Renton
Evergreen Beauty College - Yakima
Northwest College of Art and Design - Tacoma
Paul Mitchell the School - Federal Way
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Perry Technical Institute - Sunnyside
Perry Technical Institute - Yakima
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Pima Medical Institute - Seattle
Summit Salon Academy - Tacoma

PARTICIPATING INSTITUTIONS

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Contact: Caycee Clark
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Programs:

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Nail Technology

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Programs:

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1126 Pacific Avenue, Suite 101
Tacoma, Washington 98402

Phone: (253) 272-1126
Website: ncad.edu

Contact: Julie Perigard
jperigard@ncad.edu



Bachelor of Fine Arts:
Visual Communication

Paul Mitchell The School - Federal Way

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Federal Way, WA 98003

Phone: (253) 681-6704
Website: paulmitchell.edu/federalway

Contact: Emily Ransier
emilyr@northstar.paulmitchell.edu



Certificate Programs:
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Manicuring

PARTICIPATING INSTITUTIONS

Paul Mitchell The School – Richland

71 Gage Boulevard
Richland, Washington 99352

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Website: paulmitchell.edu/richland

Contact: Emily Ransier
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Certificate Programs:

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Paul Mitchell The School – Spokane

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Spokane Valley, Washington 99037

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Contact: Emily Ransier
emilyr@northstar.paulmitchell.edu

Certificate Programs:

Cosmetology
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Perry Technical Institute - Sunnyside

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Certificate Programs:

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Website: pmi.edu

Contact: Joe Burgmeier
jburgmeier@pmi.edu



Certificate Programs:

Dental Assistant
Medical Assistant
Pharmacy Technician
Veterinary Assistant

Associate of Applied Science Programs:

Veterinary Technician
Respiratory Therapy
Diagnostic Medical Sonography

Pima Medical Institute - Seattle

9709 3rd Avenue Northeast, Suite 400
Seattle, Washington 98115

Phone: (206) 322-6100
Toll Free: (800) 477-PIMA
Website: pmi.edu

Contact: Lisa Ramirez
lr Ramirez@pmi.edu



Certificate Programs:

Dental Assistant
Medical Assistant
Veterinary Assistant
Sterile Processing Technician

Associate of Applied Science Programs:

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Radiography
Veterinary Technician
Surgical Technology

Associate of Occupational Sciences:

Physical Therapist Assistant

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Tacoma, Washington 98409

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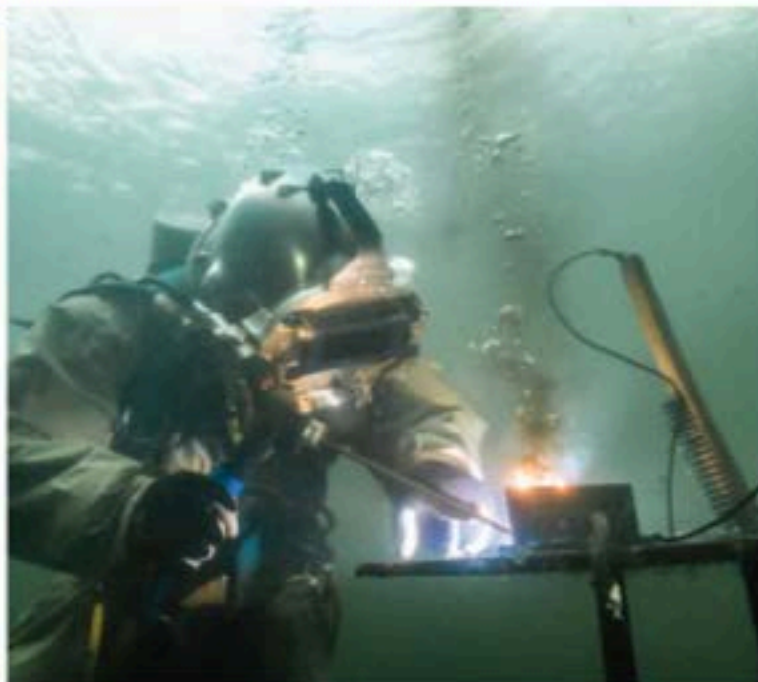
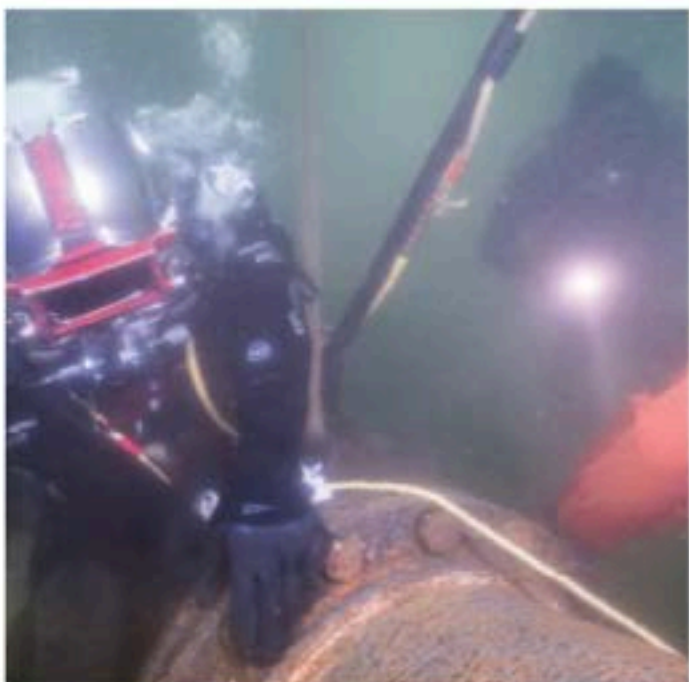
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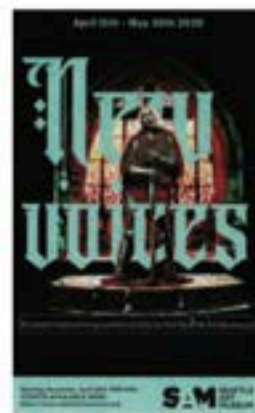


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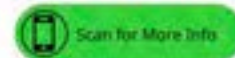
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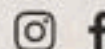
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