



## **Naugatuck Valley STEM Inclusive Opportunity Network (NViSION)**

### **Program Description**

The NViSION Scholars Program provides students with \$1000-5000/year, as well as extensive student support services that include a summer bridge program to help students succeed in college-level courses.

Requirements: Students must have a minimum high school GPA of 2.5 with noted accomplishments in STEM courses. Students must be a US citizen, permanent resident, national, or refugee. Students must have demonstrated financial need as determined per FAFSA. Potential NViSION Scholars must commit to enrolling full-time at NVCC in a Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics degree programs until completion of the degree and/or transfer to a 4-year college or university. Please note: The summer component of this program runs July 20-August 6 Monday-Thursday 9 am – 1:30 pm.

### **How do I apply?**

Please mail/drop off this completed application to:

NViSION Program, STEM Division, E441  
Naugatuck Valley Community College  
750 Chase Parkway Waterbury, CT 06708  
or email to NViSION@nv.edu

You will be contacted with an update on your application status via email to the address indicated on your application. After submitting this application, we may ask you for additional documents to supplement it such as:

- ☐ High school report card or transcripts
- ☐ Letter of recommendation from a STEM teacher
- ☐ SAT test scores
- ☐ Completion of FAFSA [FAFSA.ed.gov](https://fafsa.ed.gov) – NVCC School code 006982
- ☐ Proof of Citizenship, permanent resident, national or refugee
  - passport, birth certificate, naturalization paperwork or visa documents
  - copy of the green card, a copy of the USCIS approval notice (which means that the change of status has been approved, but the green card itself is still forthcoming), or a copy of the I-551 stamp in the passport (which is similar to the approval notice described above).



## Naugatuck Valley STEM Inclusive Opportunity Network (NViSION) Program Application

Name (Last, First, MI): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B. (mm/dd/yyyy): \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Race: \_\_\_\_\_ Ethnicity: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of High School: \_\_\_\_\_ High School G.P.A. \_\_\_\_\_

High School City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date (mm/yyyy): \_\_\_\_\_

1. Are you a US citizen, national, refugee, or lawful US permanent resident? ☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Have you completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)? ☐ Yes ☐ No
3. Have you taken the NVCC Accuplacer Placement Test? ☐ Yes ☐ No
4. How did you hear about the NVCC STEM NViSION Program (If referred by a current member, please indicate his/her name)?  
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5. What major are you interested in pursuing? \_\_\_\_\_

6. What is your ultimate career goal? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you planning on being a full-time student (note: a commitment to full-time enrollment is a condition of acceptance into the NViSION program)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

8. Do you currently work? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, about how many hours per week do you work? \_\_\_\_\_

9. Do you plan to work while attending NVCC? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, where and about how many hours per week? \_\_\_\_\_

10. What is your estimated family income: ☐ \$0-\$31,000 ☐ \$32,000-\$39,000 ☐ \$40,000-\$48,000 ☐ \$49,000+

11. Which of the following science and math courses have you taken in high school?

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|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Biology  | <input type="checkbox"/> Algebra I    | <input type="checkbox"/> Statistics  | <input type="checkbox"/> Geometry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry  | <input type="checkbox"/> Algebra II   | <input type="checkbox"/> Precalculus |                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Physics  | <input type="checkbox"/> Trigonometry | <input type="checkbox"/> Calculus    |                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other STEM courses (e.g. engineering) Please specify _____ |                                       |                                      |                                   |

12. List any of the classes from question 11 that were taken at the honors or advanced placement (AP) level.

13. List any other awards and/or activities (e.g. clubs, volunteer work, sports teams) you have been involved in that you feel would be important for the selection committee to consider.

14. Are you a current NVCC student? ☐ Yes ☐ No If no, have you applied to NVCC? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you are not a current student and have not applied to NVCC, please do so at [www.nv.edu/apply](http://www.nv.edu/apply)

***I \_\_\_\_\_ (print name) certify that all information provided in this application package is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. NVCC has the sole responsibility for selecting students based on criteria as set forth in the program's descriptive brochure. I acknowledge that all decisions of the NViSION Program are final. Falsification of any information will result in rejection and/or removal from the NViSION program.***

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(Applicant Signature) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date)