

DJJ and University of Phoenix FAQ

How much do DJJ employees save?

All DJJ employees are eligible to save 10 percent on the cost of tuition for any associate, bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees, certificates and individual courses at University of Phoenix.

Can employees receive any college credit for prior training?

Many training courses offered by employers have been evaluated by University of Phoenix and may qualify for college credit toward an associate or bachelor's degree. The PLA process applies only to associate or bachelor's degree candidates, and awarded credits are limited to elective or general education requirements. Please visit phoenix.edu/georgiadjj to access the Corporate Credit Recommendation Guide and see which courses may qualify for college credit.

Does University of Phoenix accept transfer credits?

Yes, we accept transfer credits from regionally and select nationally accredited institutions of higher learning. However, certain transfer credits may not be applicable to your degree program.

In addition to online courses, does University of Phoenix also offer campus-based courses?

Yes. We offer a wide variety of online and campus-based programs, although program availability and format vary by location. University of Phoenix offers continuing enrollment, meaning that students can enroll year-round and many courses start every week. Please check with a University Enrollment Advisor for availability. Students can visit phoenix.edu/georgiadjj to browse our degree programs and search online or local campus programs.

Is University of Phoenix accredited?

Yes. University of Phoenix is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission and is a member of the North Central Association (ncahlc.org). Please visit phoenix.edu/about_us/accreditation.html for information about University of Phoenix accreditations and licensures.

How long will it take to complete a degree?

Students can complete their undergraduate degree in approximately four years or less, depending on the number of previously earned and applicable credits. Students can generally earn their graduate degree within 18-24 months. Your Enrollment Advisor will be able to offer a more accurate evaluation of the time needed to complete a degree.

How can a current University of Phoenix student identify as a DJJ employee?

Current University of Phoenix students can identify themselves as DJJ employees through the University of Phoenix eCampus site to receive the tuition reduction. To identify themselves via eCampus, students will need to log on, select the Account tab, and click on the Employer/Tribal Partnership Program link. They should then select Georgia Department of Juvenile Justice and answer all the pertinent questions.

Where can employees get answers to other detailed questions?

For additional information, visit phoenix.edu/georgiadjj or call 866.354.1800.



¹ While widely available, not all programs may be offered in both the online and on-campus formats. Please check with a University Enrollment Advisor.

² Certain states limit cumulative degree program credits awarded through Prior Learning Assessment. For details, please see the University of Phoenix Catalog.