

On behalf of the College President, Dr. Daisy Cocco DeFilippis, and the Admissions Staff, I am pleased to congratulate you on your **acceptance*** to Naugatuck Valley Community College for the Fall 2016. The semester begins on Monday, August 29, 2016. The entire College community joins me in extending congratulations. Our wish and our responsibility are to ensure you receive a positive and productive educational experience.

If you have not already done so, please schedule your appointment(s) referenced below. Advising and registration sessions begin on April 15th. Come in EARLY! Classes fill quickly and selections become limited. Please be sure to have your student/NetID number, which can be found in the subject line of your email.

1. **PLACEMENT TESTING:** Students need to take, or be officially waived from, the Accuplacer® (placement test). Testing accommodations for students with disabilities are available. Click here for an [Informational Video](#) on placement testing.
2. **START (STUDENT TESTING, ADVISING, REGISTRATION AND TUITION):**
All degree-seeking students are required to attend a START session. Non-degree and transfer students are encouraged to attend. Anticipate spending at least 2 hours on campus to complete a START session by appointment (testing must be waived or completed to attend). Express START walk-ins include testing (if needed) so the time spent on campus is longer, but allows you to complete the entire enrollment process in one visit.

HOW TO SCHEDULE YOUR APPOINTMENTS:

- **WATERBURY CAMPUS:** Click this link to schedule your [TESTING appointment](#). Click this link to schedule your [START session appointment](#).
- **DANBURY CAMPUS:** If you would like to take your placement test at the Danbury Campus, please call (203) 797-9361. START sessions are offered daily during normal business hours (excluding testing which must be scheduled by appointment). Students will be seen on a walk-in, first come first served basis for advising, registration and tuition payment arrangements. No appointment is necessary.

If you have not already done so, you should [APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID NOW!](#) As a reminder, a payment is expected at the time of registration. Click here for an [Informational Video](#) on the financial aid process. Registering early allows you to secure your classes with only a minimum payment of the fees. Beginning the first week in August, full payment of both tuition and fees will be required at the time of registration. An official financial aid award can be applied as payment. Other acceptable methods of payment include cash, check, VISA, MasterCard, Discover or the College payment plan. **Financial Aid is not available to Non-Degree Students.** For a complete list of tuition, fees and additional details, visit www.nv.edu/Paying-for-College.

If you have a documented learning disability and may require an academic adjustment, please visit our [Disabilities Services web site](#) for information and college contacts.

Finally, as a student within the Connecticut Community College system, you are automatically issued a student email address. This email address will be the colleges' primary method of communication with you. It is vital that you set up this college email account, and check it regularly for important information about your college enrollment. Your assigned email address can be found by logging into your myCommNet account. Click here for [instructions on first time log-in](#) and for setting up your new email account. Please note it may take up to 24 hours to be ready for use.

Sincerely,

Linda Stango

Linda Stango, Director of Admissions

** Acceptance to the College does not constitute acceptance into a specific program. Some programs have a selective admissions process. High School students expected to graduate in 2016 are conditionally accepted pending submission of High School completion by July 7, 2016.*