# HOW TO PAY FOR EDUCATION

RCC Navigators are ready to advise you on your next steps and determine what tuition assistance may be available to you. Call 804-333-6730.



## A Once-in-a-Lifetime Opportunity education & training at <u>little to no cost!</u>

# The G3 Scholarship: A new way for students to get ahead in a career

The typical tuition cost for a full-time degree seeking student at RCC is \$4,650 per year; however, with the G3 scholarship and other financial aid, that number could be brought down to \$0!

#### The G3 Scholarship is available to students who:

- Are Adults (18+ and not enrolled in high school)
- Are Virginia residents
- Complete the Financial Aid Application
- Classify as Low- or Middle-Income
- Take a minimum of 6 Credits
- Make Satisfactory Academic Progress
- Enroll in a Healthcare, Information Technology, Manufacturing/Skilled Trades, or Public Safety

As long as you are on track to finish in three years, you can take a break and remain on the G3 Scholarship.

## FastForward Credential Scholarships

FastForward is a short-term, credential grant program to train Virginians for top, in-demand jobs across the Commonwealth. FastForward covers 2/3 of the cost of tuition for a wide range of credential programs offered at RCC.

Most FastForward programs take between six and 12 weeks and are built so students can get their education quickly. FastForward helps students gain the skills they need quickly and affordably, while creating more opportunity for their future.

### Federal and State Grants and RCC Educational Foundation Scholarships

A number of need-based federal and state financial aid awards that typically do not have to be repaid are available to low-income students to pay for college costs, including tuition, fees, room and board, and other educational expenses.

The RCC Educational Foundation offers scholarships to recognize outstanding performance. Over 100 scholarships totaling approximately \$430,000 are available to RCC students. Scholarships can be combined with federal and state financial aid or used alone to cover the cost of RCC tuition and fees.