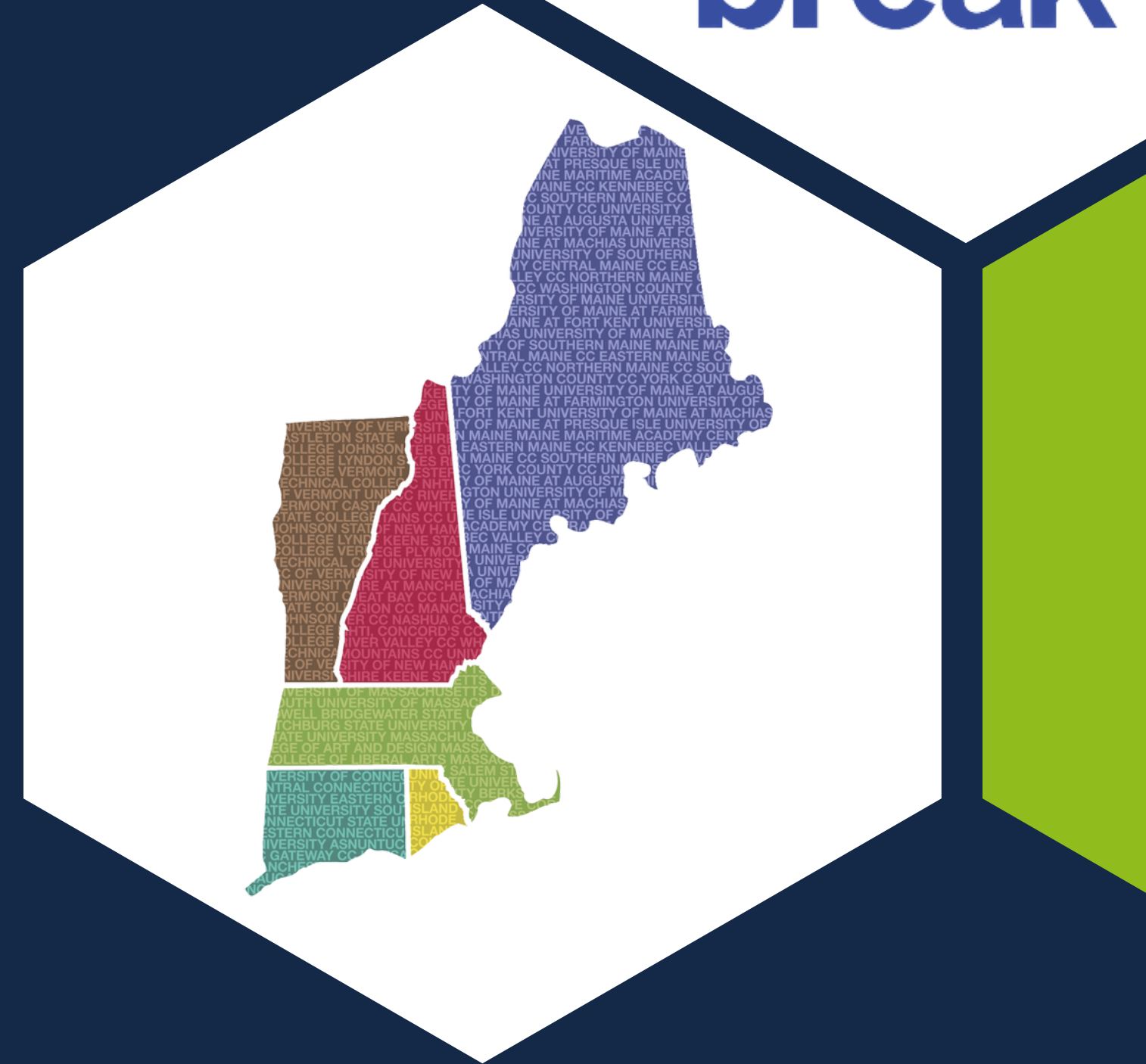


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Critical Questions

- What is the New England Board of Higher Education?
- What is Tuition Break?
- How Can You and Your Students Benefit from Tuition Break?



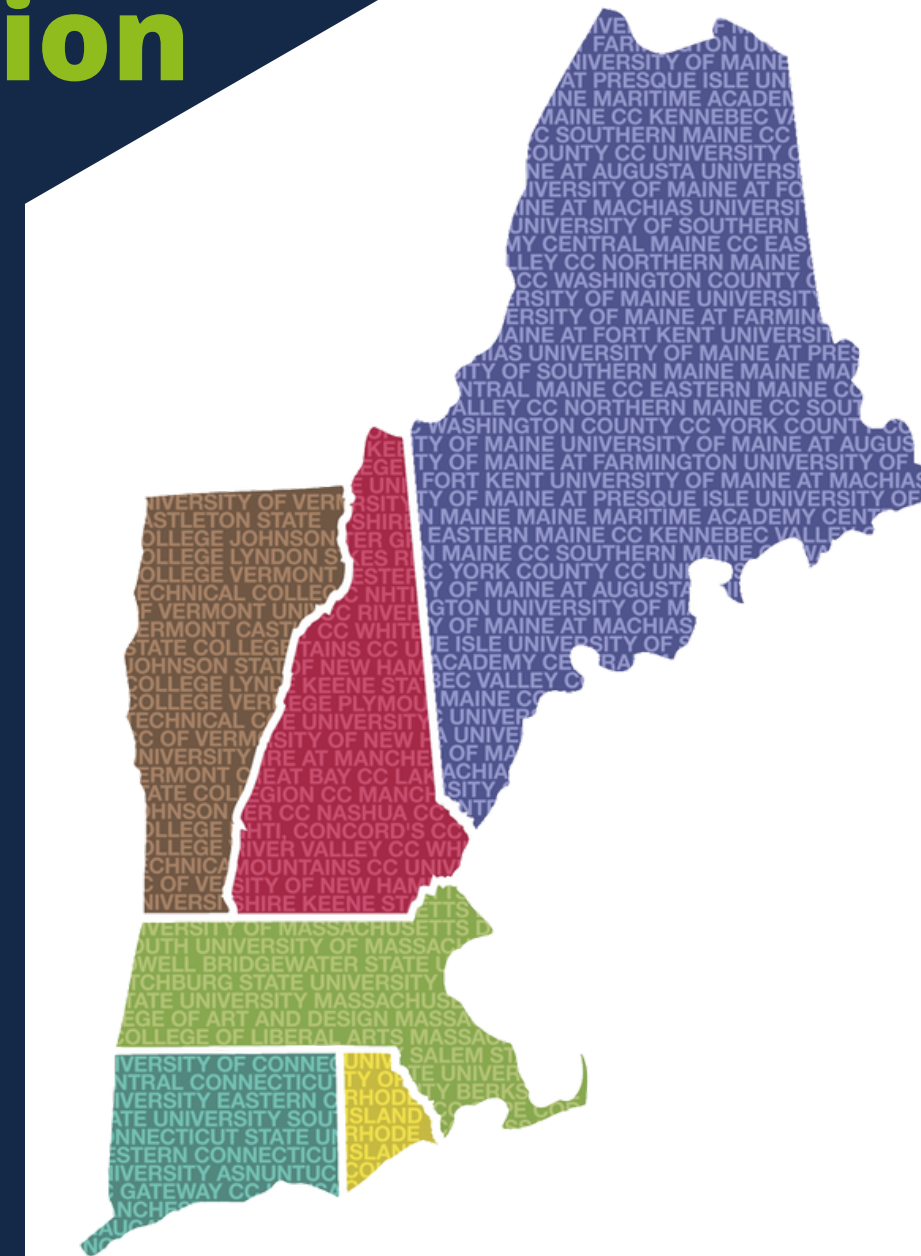
NEBHE: New England Board of Higher Education

Mission

The New England Board of Higher Education advances equitable postsecondary outcomes through convening, research and programs for students, institution leaders and policymakers.

Vision

Our vision is that everyone in New England will have lifelong access to affordable, high-value postsecondary education.



What is Tuition Break?

We help **New England residents** save on tuition at **out-of-state public** colleges and universities **within New England**.

Students pay **discounted tuition** when enrolled in an **eligible major** at a college or university **outside of their home state**.



Tuition Break Fast Facts

\$9,200

Average Annual Savings

2,700+

Majors Available at Reduced Tuition

38

Participating 4-Year Universities

8,843

Students Paid Reduced Tuition in 2022-23

43

Participating Community Colleges

Accessing Tuition Break

- 1** **Your state of residence** is Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island or Vermont.
- 2** **Research Tuition Break-eligible academic programs** at your colleges of interest (Full [program listings](#) available on our website).
- 3** **Submit your admission application** to the college(s) and list the eligible program on your application. Be sure to **research any additional eligibility requirements** at each.
- 4** **Ask questions and engage!** Request more information from the admissions office about tuition savings.



Program Categories

Specialized Programs

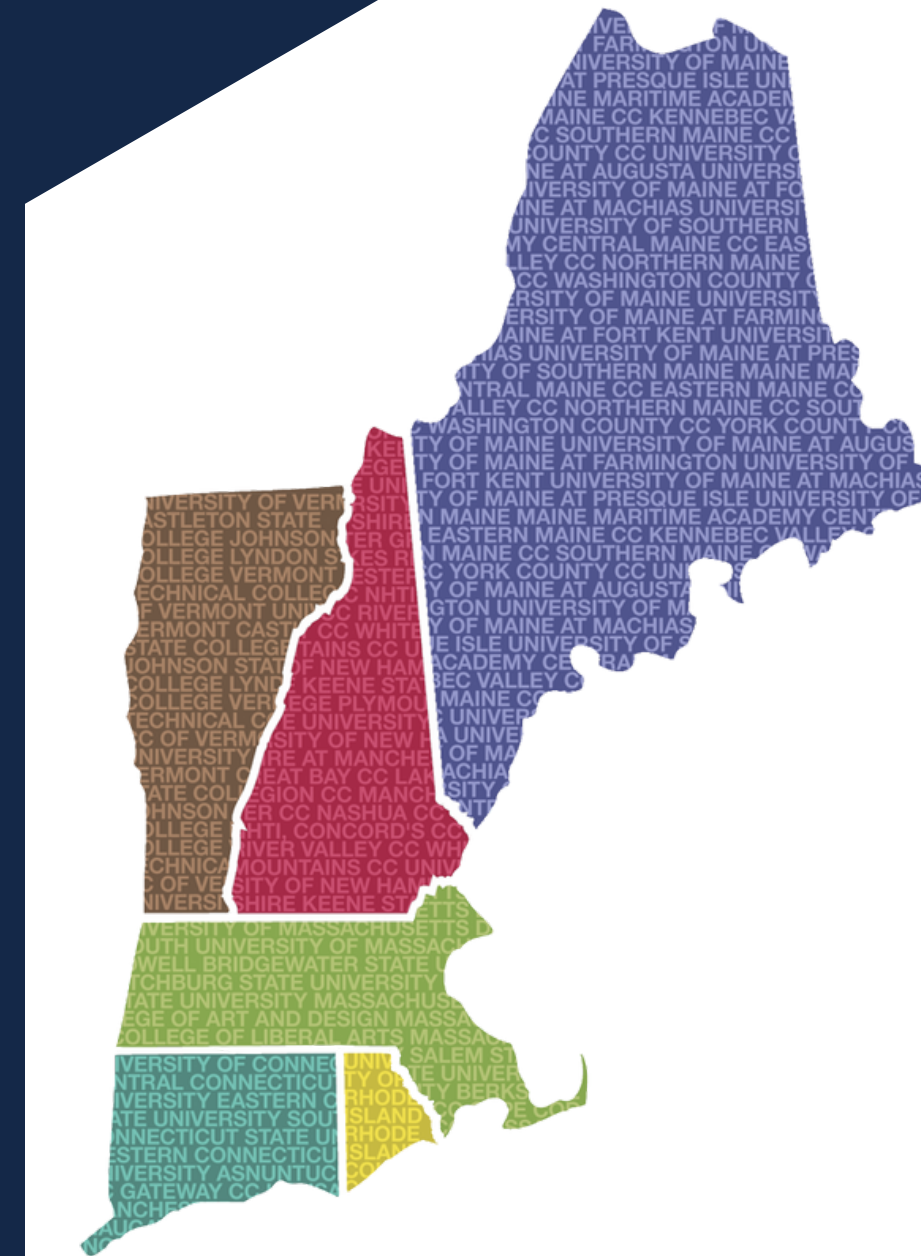
Discounted tuition is available to students who reside in New England states where this specific academic program is **not available at a public university.**

Flexible Programs

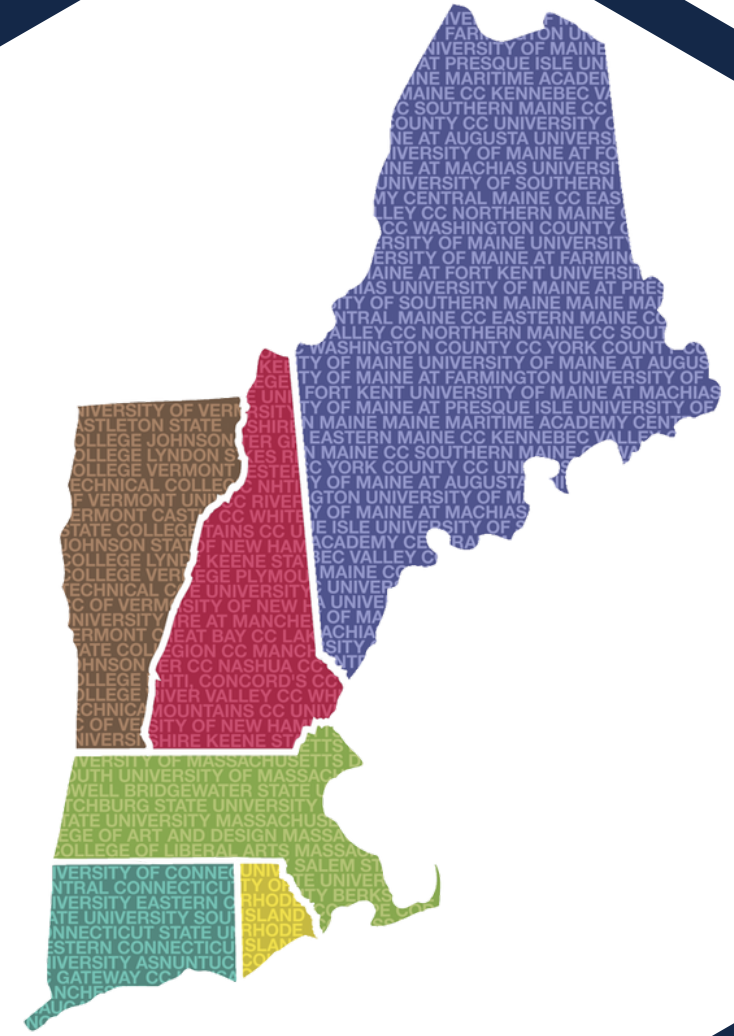
Discounted tuition is available to **all out-of-state residents of New England**, regardless of whether the program is available in their home state.

As of Fall 2023, **about a third** of our partner colleges will offer all of their academic programs through Tuition Break's Flexible Policy.

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FAQS



My chosen major isn't offered in my state and isn't listed as a Tuition Break program at the school I'm interested in.

Can I still access the Tuition Break discount?

No. Sometimes, a college or university decides not to offer certain majors, through Tuition Break.

Some programs are not offered by any New England public college (For example, Professional Golf Management).



Is Tuition Break Available for Advanced Degrees and Certificates?

In short, YES!

250+
Certificates

700+
**Graduate
Degrees**



Can I combine Tuition Break with other financial aid and cost-savings opportunities?

Yes! A few important points:

- **Complete the FAFSA** (Free Application for Federal Student Aid).
- Tuition Break is a **discount**, not a scholarship or grant.
- Financial aid is awarded based on need and/or merit at the **discretion of the college or university**.



How much of a discount is provided by Tuition Break?

\$9,200 is the average annual tuition savings per student.

This works by allowing an eligible student to pay a tuition rate that is significantly lower than out-of-state tuition.

The rate is based on a percentage (up to a maximum of 175%) of a college's in-state rate.

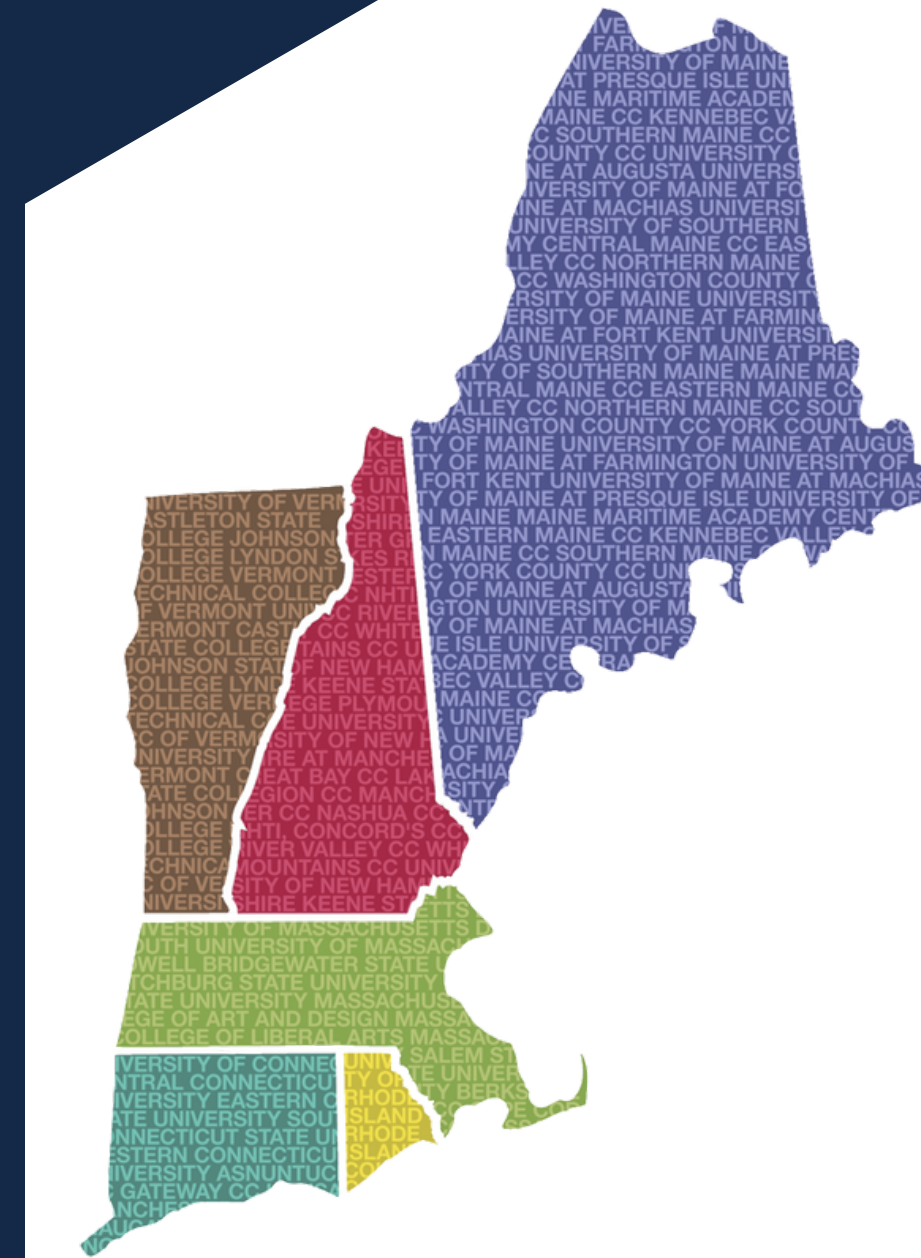
In-state tuition:	\$6,000
Out-of-state tuition:	\$18,000
Tuition Break tuition:	\$10,500
Amount Saved:	7,500

What happens if I change from a Tuition Break-eligible major to a non-Tuition Break major?

You will be charged the standard out-of-state tuition rate from that point forward.

But what if I'm already in a non-Tuition Break major, can I change to a Tuition Break major at that college?

Usually. You need to contact the registrar and/or the college's Tuition Break campus representative (Listed on our website!)



We're Here to Help!

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