



State of Ohio Certificate of Authorization

DEFIANCE COLLEGE DEFIANCE, OHIO

Associate of Arts
Bachelor of Arts
Bachelor of Science
Bachelor of Science in Nursing
Master of Arts in Education
Master of Business Administration

Please see the attached sheet for the programs of study offered, delivery formats and options available, and off-site locations.

Defiance College demonstrated compliance with requirements established pursuant to Chapter 1713 of the Ohio Revised Code for the courses, credentials, and sites specified.

Authorization continues through December 31, 2025

Dates of Authorization

Mike Duffey
Chancellor



Degrees and Programs Offered

Degree: Associate of Arts							
Program of study	Major	Minor	Concentration	Specialization	Accelerated	Distance Education	Hybrid/blended
Business Administration	X						
Criminal Justice	X						
Self-Designed	X						

Degree: Bachelor of Arts							
Program of study	Major	Minor	Concentration	Specialization	Accelerated	Distance Education	Hybrid/blended
Accounting	X						
Forensic Accounting (with Accounting major)			X				
Business Administration	X	X					
Communication Studies	X	X					
Design	X						
Two-Dimensional Design (with Design major)			X				
Three-Dimensional Design (with Design major)			X				
English	X	X					
History	X	X					
Global Studies	X	X					
Ministry Studies	X	X					

Religious Studies	X	X					
Self-Designed	X						
Economics		X					
Marketing		X					
Music		X					
Music Ministry		X					
Music Theatre		X					

Degree: Bachelor of Science							
Program of study	Major	Minor	Concentration	Specialization	Accelerated	Distance Education	Hybrid/blended
Athletic Training	X						
Biology	X						
Field Biology (with Biology major)			X				
Computer Science	X						
Criminal Justice	X	X					
Digital Forensic Science	X	X					
Exercise Science	X	X					
Coaching, Strength, and Conditioning (with Exercise Science major)			X				
Fitness and Wellness (with Exercise Science major)			X				
Forensic Science	X						
Mathematics	X	X					

Molecular Biology	X						
Psychology	X	X					
Restoration Ecology	X						
Self-Designed	X						
Social Work	X						
Sport Management	X	X					
Chemistry		X					
Autism Studies		X					

Degree: Bachelor of Science in Nursing							
Program of study	Major	Minor	Concentration	Specialization	Accelerated	Distance Education	Hybrid/blended
Degree completion program	X						

Degree: Master of Arts in Education							
Program of study	Major	Minor	Concentration	Specialization	Accelerated	Distance Education	Hybrid/blended
Education	X						
Sport Coaching (with Education major)			X				
Intervention Specialist: Mild to Moderate (with Education major)			X				

Reading and Literacy Development (with Education major)			X				
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Degree: Master of Business Administration							
Program of study	Major	Minor	Concentration	Specialization	Accelerated	Distance Education	Hybrid/blended
Business Administration	X						
Leadership (with Business Administration major)			X				
Sport Management (with Business Administration major)			X				

Degrees and Programs Offered (off-site locations)

Site name: Rhodes State College				
Address: 4240 Campus Dr., Lima, OH 45804				
Degree	Program of study	Percentage of degree/program that can be completed at the site	Accelerated	Hybrid/blended
Bachelor of Science in Nursing	Degree completion program	100%		X

Site name: Lima Memorial Hospital				
Address: 1001 Bellefontaine Ave., Lima, OH 45804				
Degree	Program of study	Percentage of degree/ program that can be completed at the site	Accelerated	Hybrid/ blended
Bachelor of Science in Nursing	Degree completion program	100%		X

Site name: St. Rita's Medical Center				
Address: 730 W. Market St., Lima, OH 45801				
Degree	Program of study	Percentage of degree/ program that can be completed at the site	Accelerated	Hybrid/ blended
Bachelor of Science in Nursing	Degree completion program	100%		X

Degrees and Programs Offered (Educator Preparation Programs)

Degree: Bachelor of Science						
Program of study	Licensure	Endorsement	Certificate	Accelerated	Distance Education	Hybrid/ blended
Early Childhood Education	X					
Early Childhood Generalist		X				

Middle Childhood Education	X					
Middle Childhood Generalist		X				
AYA Integrated Language Arts	X					
AYA Integrated Mathematics	X					
AYA Integrated Social Studies	X					
AYA Life Science	X					
AYA Life Science and Chemistry	X					
Multi-Age Health and Physical Education	X					
Multi-Age Intervention Specialist – Mild to Moderate	X					

Degree: Master of Arts in Education						
Program of study	Licensure	Endorsement	Certificate	Accelerated	Distance Education	Hybrid/blended
Intervention Specialist Licensure, Mild to Moderate	X	X				
Reading and Literacy Development (Reading Endorsement)		X				