**Notre Dame College – Closure Guidance for Students**

**Background:**

Notre Dame College (NDC) announced on February 29, 2024, that it will cease in-person instruction after the spring 2024 semester. The college has held authorization from the Chancellor of the Ohio Department of Higher Education to offer associate, bachelor’s, and master’s degree programs since 1969. More than 1,200 students were enrolled in degree programs at NDC at the time of closure.

**Options for Students:**

Students may transfer earned credits to another institution to continue their education. The institutions listed below have agreed to assist NDC students. If interested, please contact the institutions directly to determine which schools are a teach-out partner for your program.

Baldwin Wallace University

Cleveland State University

Hiram College

John Carroll University

Kent State University

Lake Erie College

Ursuline College

Walsh University

*\*list may not be exhaustive and subject to change.*

NDC students who were not able to complete their program may be eligible to apply for a closed school loan discharge through their loan servicer. Information on the loan discharge process can be found at <https://studentaid.gov/manage-loans/forgiveness-cancellation/closed-school#process>.

**Transcripts:**

NDC student transcripts will be housed at Lake Erie College. Please see the links below if you need to obtain a copy of your transcripts.

<https://www.lec.edu/transcripts-and-verification-services/>

**Additional Resources:**

<https://studentaid.gov/announcements-events/closed-school>

<https://www.hlcommission.org/component/directory/?Itemid=&Action=ShowBasic&instid=1580>