Education Will Pay You Back—For a Lifetime

- Students enjoy an attractive 16.1% rate of return on their NIC educational investment.

- Over the course of his or her working career, the average NIC student’s lifetime earnings will increase $3.60 for every dollar invested in their NIC education (in the form of tuition, fees, and forgone earnings).

- The average annual income of the typical associate’s degree graduate in the Northern Idaho at the midpoint of his or her career is $32,500, 35% more than someone with a high school diploma.

- Over the course of a working lifetime, associate’s degree graduates in the Northern Idaho earn $255,000 more than someone with a high school diploma (undiscounted).

Education Is Your Ticket to a Better Job

Projected 2021 Jobs in Northern Idaho by Skill Level

- By 2021 it is anticipated that there will be about 48,800 new and replacement jobs available in the Northern Idaho.

- About 24% of these jobs will require an education level equal to an associate’s degree or greater.

- Another 8% of available jobs in 2021 will require some kind of post-secondary certificate or vocational award.

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Student Perspective

Average Earnings in Northern Idaho

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