Gateways to Opportunity®
Entitled Institutions

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Blackburn College	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black Hawk College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-
Bradley University	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chicago State University	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	2 & 3	-	-	-
College of DuPage	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
College of Lake County	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
Concordia University Chicago	5 & 6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Danville Area Community College	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DePaul University	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern Illinois University	5	-	-	-	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-
Elgin Community College	2, 3, & 4	2, 3, & 4	2, 3, & 4	I	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-
Elmhurst College	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Erikson Institute	2, 3, 4, 5, & 6	-	2, 3, 4, 5, & 6	I, II, & III	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-
Governors State University	2, 3, 4, 5, & 6	-	2,3,4, & 5	I & II	-	-	-	-
Greenville University	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harold Washington College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
Harper College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	2, 3, & 4	-	-
Harry S. Truman College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-
Heartland Community College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	-	2 & 3	2 & 3	-	-
Highland Community College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	2, 3, & 4	-	4

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Illinois Central College	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Illinois Eastern Community Colleges	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Illinois State University	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Illinois Valley Community College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
John A. Logan College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
John Wood Community College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
Joliet Junior College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
Judson University	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kankakee Community College	2, 3, & 4	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Kaskaskia College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-
Kennedy-King College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-
Kishwaukee College	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lake Land College	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lewis University	2, 3, 4, & 5	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lewis & Clark Community College	2, 3, & 4	-	2	I	-	-	-	-
Lincoln Land Community College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
Loyola University Chicago	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	5	-	-	-	-	-
Malcolm X College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
McHenry County College	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moraine Valley Community College	2, 3, & 4	2, 3, & 4	2, 3, & 4	I	-	2 & 3	-	-
Morton College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
National Louis University	2, 3, 4, 5, & 6	-	2, 3, 4, & 5	I, II, & III	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-
North Park University Chicago	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northeastern Illinois University	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Illinois University	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	5	-	-	-
Northern Illinois University - SEED	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Illinois University - HDFS	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	5	-	-	-

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Oakton Community College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	2, 3, & 4	-	-
Olive Harvey College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
Olivet Nazarene University	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Parkland College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-
Prairie State College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
Quincy University	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-
Rasmussen College	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	2, 3, 4, & 5	I & II	-	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	4 & 5
Rend Lake College	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Richard J. Daley College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
Richland Community College	2 & 3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rockford University	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-
Rock Valley College	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Roosevelt University	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-	-	-
Saint Xavier University	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sauk Valley Community College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-
South Suburban College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-
Southern Illinois University Carbondale	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	2, 3, 4, & 5	I & II	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southwestern Illinois College	2, 3, & 4	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Spoon River College	2, 3, & 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Augustine College	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	2, 3, & 4	-	-
Triton College	2, 3, & 4	-	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
University of Illinois at Chicago	5	-	-	-	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-
University of Illinois- Urbana-Champaign	5	-	-	-	2, 3, 4, & 5	-	-	-

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Waubonsee Community College	2, 3, & 4	2, 3, & 4	2, 3, & 4	I	-	-	-	-
Western Illinois University	5	-	5	I	-	-	-	-

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