



ASAP

Advancing Success in
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ACE

Advancing Completion
through Engagement

A Proven Model

A Transformational Impact



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Presentation Outline

ASAP|ACE is @ SUNY!

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REPLICATION OF NATIONALLY-RECOGNIZED DEGREE COMPLETION MODEL THANKS TO SUPPORT FROM NYS

- ❑ SUNY ASAP|ACE helps students **stay on track** and **graduate on time** with **academic, financial, and personal support**
 - ASAP: Associate degree completion
 - ACE: Bachelor's degree completion
- ❑ **25 SUNY Campuses** launched in Spring 2024
 - 13 community colleges (ASAP)
 - 12 state-operated campuses (ACE)
- ❑ Reached **total enrollment of 4,270 students** in **Fall 2024**
 - **3,750** students supported by **SUNY Transformation Fund**
 - **450** students supported by **private grant funding**



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Broad National Recognition



CUNY ASAP Doubles Graduation Rates in New York City and Ohio

<https://www.mdrc.org/publication/cuny-asap-doubles-graduation-rates-new-york-city-and-ohio>



Community College Student Support Program Yields Results

<https://www.insidehighered.com/quicktakes/2022/11/04/community-college-student-support-program-yields-results>

ACCELERATE, COMPLETE, ENGAGE (ACE):
SUCCESSFULLY ADAPTING THE ASAP MODEL FOR BACHELOR'S STUDENTS
APRIL 2023

<https://www1.cuny.edu/sites/asap/wp-content/uploads/sites/8/2023/04/CUNY-ACE-Study-Four-Year-Graduation-Results-April-2023.pdf>



Ohio Programs Based on CUNY's Accelerated Study in Associate Programs (ASAP) Boost Earnings During the Pandemic
Programs Also Substantially Increased Graduation Rates and the Attainment of Associate's and Bachelor's Degrees

<https://www.mdrc.org/news/press-release/ohio-programs-based-cuny-s-accelerated-study-associate-programs-asap-boost>



CUNY's 'ACE' Program At John Jay College Exceeds Target Goals For Timely Degree Completion

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Impact and Success

- ❑ **SUNY ASAP|ACE** is modeled on the highly successful CUNY ASAP|ACE program, which has been found to:
 - **Dramatically increase completion rates** (CUNY, 2024)
 - ASAP (3-year associate graduation): 53% vs. 25% for comp. group
 - ACE (5-year bachelor's graduation): 69% vs. 57% for control group
 - ACE (2-year transfer graduation): 68% vs. 39% for comp. group
 - ❑ **Narrow opportunity gaps** (CUNY, 2024)
 - Increased completion rates for Black & Hispanic males
 - ❑ **Realize cost efficiencies and benefits** (Center for Benefit Cost Studies in Education, Teachers College, 2017)
 - Lower cost per graduate and significant savings and tax returns realized for graduates



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Benefits of the Program

❑ Financial Resources to Remove Barriers to FT Attendance

- Cost of Attendance Award (\$400 for ASAP / \$550 for ACE)
- Transportation/Monthly Stipend (\$50/month)
- Textbook/Materials (\$150 per semester)

❑ Wraparound Supports to Enhance Integration and Belonging

- High-Touch Advisement (one dedicated Advisor)
- Career Development and Academic Support Activities
- Pre-semester Orientations

❑ Structured Pathways to Build Academic Momentum

- Consolidated Course Schedules
- Blocked Courses for First-Year Students
- Winter and Summer Course Taking



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ASAP|ACE Eligibility

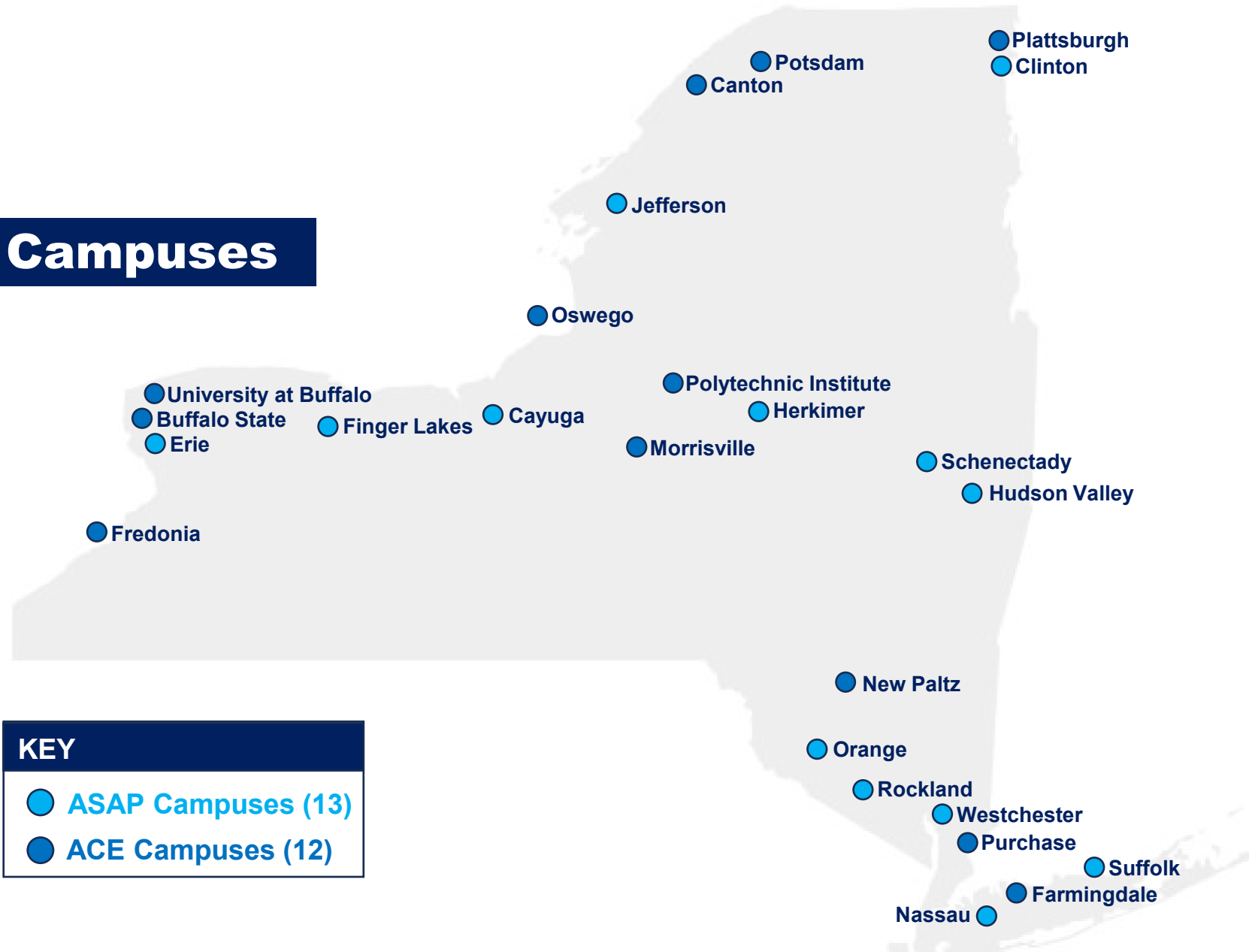
- ☐ Be a U.S. citizen/eligible noncitizen (Dream Act, Dream.US eligible)
- ☐ Be eligible for in-state tuition
- ☐ Be enrolled full-time (12 for ASAP; 15 for ACE)
- ☐ Be matriculated in an ASAP or ACE approved major
- ☐ Complete FAFSA and NYS TAP application annually
- ☐ Accept any federal and state grant aid
- ☐ Receive at least \$1 of Pell (veterans also eligible)
- ☐ Not be enrolled in EOP (TRIO/CSTEP with permission)
- ☐ Participate in all required ASAP|ACE program activities
- ☐ Take remedial courses immediately/continuously until college ready



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SUNY Partner Campuses



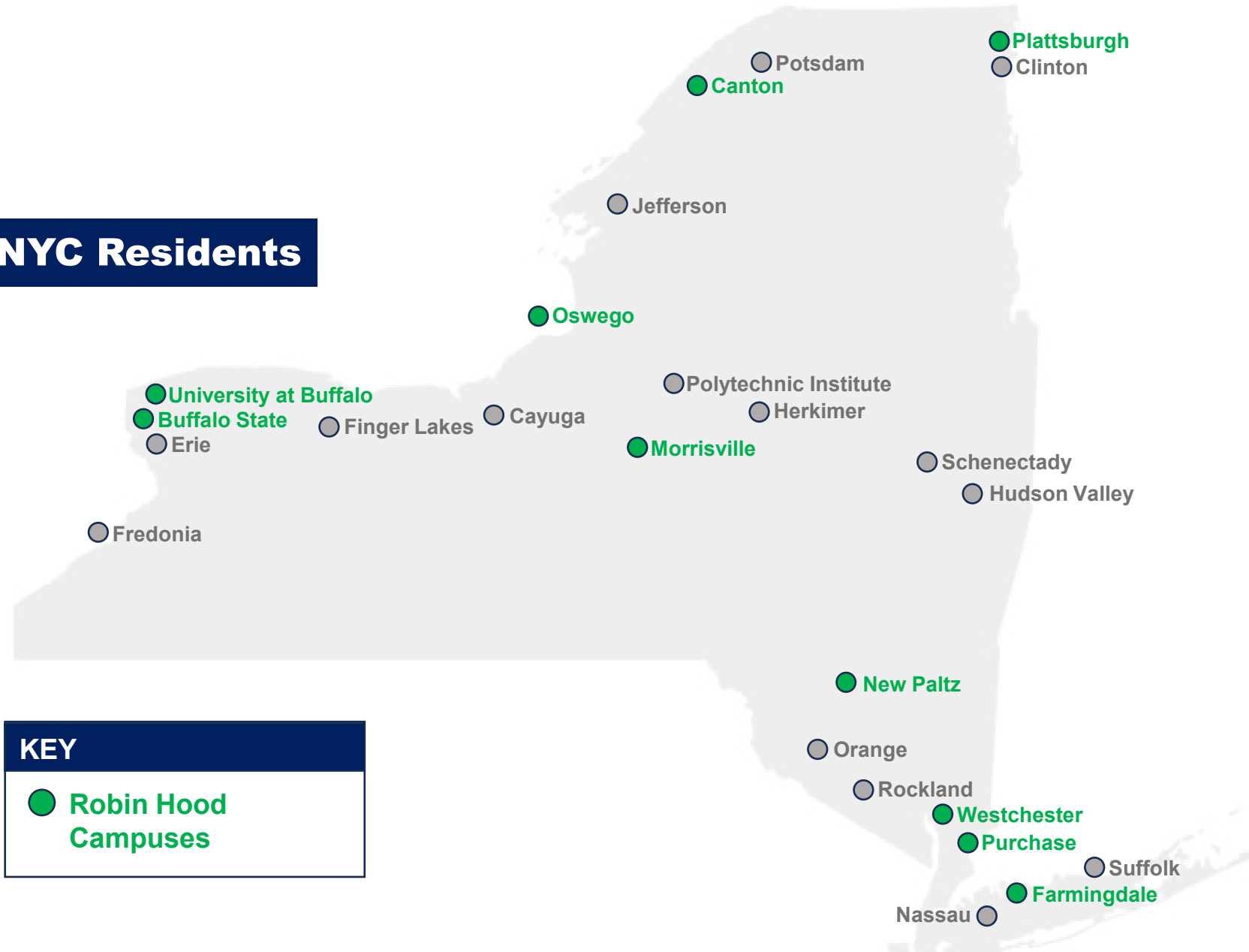


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Extra Capacity for NYC Residents

ROBIN HOOD



KEY	
	Robin Hood Campuses

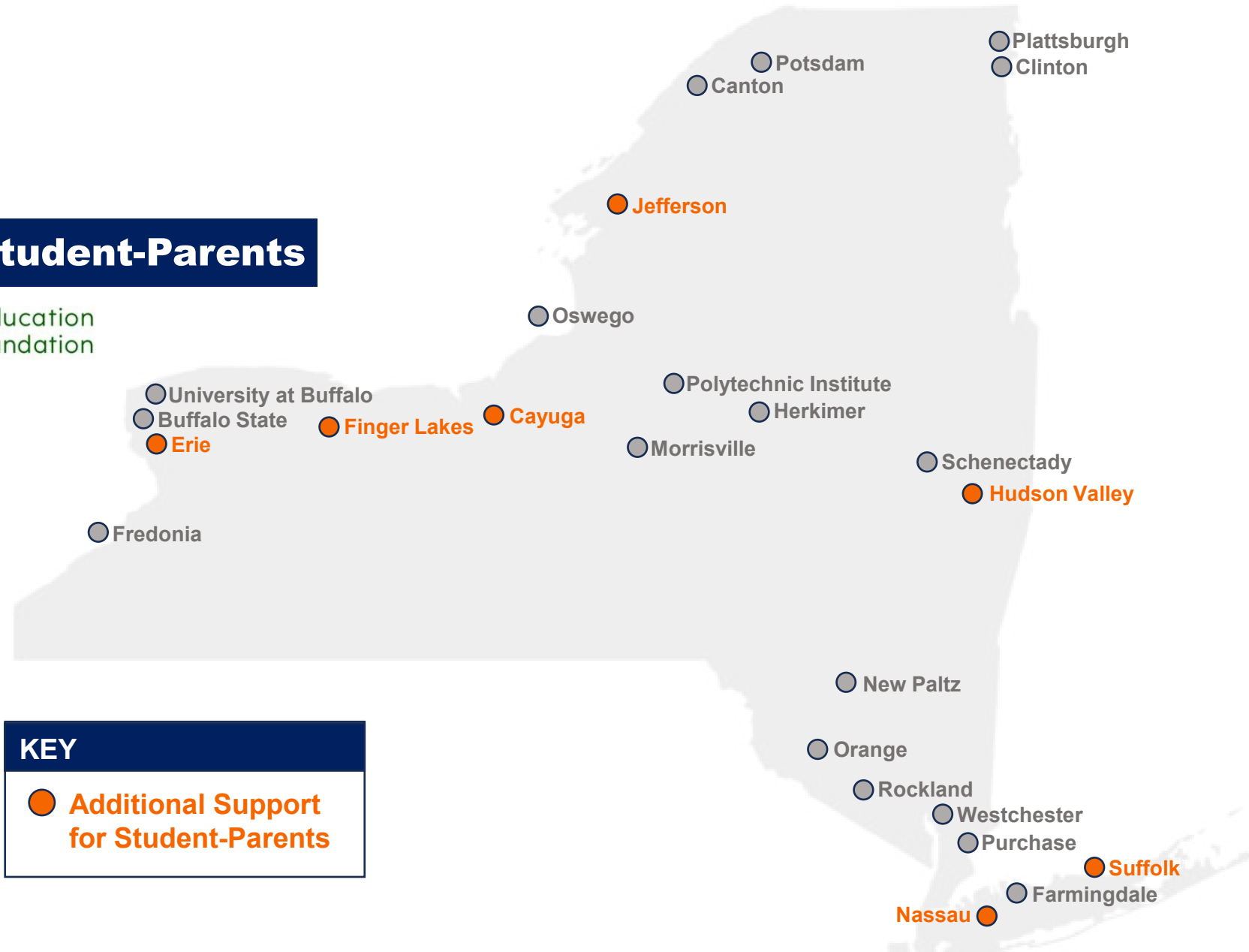


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Extra Support for Student-Parents

BRIGHTWAY Education
Foundation



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● Additional Support
for Student-Parents



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Enrollment (Fall 2024)

ASAP

Campus	Students
Cayuga	140
Clinton	131
Erie	150
Finger Lakes	150
Herkimer *	150
Hudson Valley *	159
Jefferson *	155
Nassau *	162
Orange	150
Rockland *	150
Schenectady *	160
Suffolk	160
Westchester	185
	2,002

ACE

Campus	Students
Buffalo State	192
Canton *	185
Farmingdale *	215
Fredonia *	150
Morrisville	200
New Paltz	185
Oswego	274
Plattsburgh	210
Polytechnic Institute *	150
Potsdam *	150
Purchase *	195
Univ. @ Buffalo	162
	2,268

* Campuses with waitlists

4,270

How To Learn More

visit suny.edu/asap-ace

Get Support to *Graduate on Time* with SUNY ASAP|ACE

SUNY ASAP|ACE helps students in both two-year and four-year degree programs stay on track and graduate on time with academic, financial, and personal support.

Find ASAP|ACE at Your Campus



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Participating SUNY campuses

Links to campus websites available below

Community Colleges (ASAP)

[Cayuga](#)
[Clinton](#)
[Erie](#)
[Finger Lakes](#)
[Herkimer](#)
[Hudson Valley](#)
[Jefferson](#)
[Nassau](#)
[Orange](#)
[Rockland](#)
[Schenectady](#)
[Suffolk](#)
[Westchester](#)

State-Operated Campuses (ACE)

[University at Buffalo](#)

[Buffalo State](#)

[Canton](#)

[Farmingdale](#)

[Fredonia](#)

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[New Paltz](#)

[Oswego](#)

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How To Learn More

ACE



ACE Overview

- The SUNY Advancing Completion through Engagement (ACE) program at Farmingdale is an exciting new initiative that provides holistic services for college students who have demonstrated financial need. The primary goal of ACE is to help students earn a bachelor's degree on time. Our staff will work with ACE students to succeed in college and beyond!

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Q & A

