Charleston Bridge is a one-semester, residential program that will give select South Carolina high school students admission to the College of Charleston (CofC).

Students who are chosen will be uniquely positioned to spend fall semester of their first year of college as Trident Technical College (TTC) students who live and take classes on the CofC campus.

Bridge students who meet specific academic targets at the end of the fall semester will be admitted to the College of Charleston as full-time students and be on the way to earning a College of Charleston undergraduate degree.

How it Works

Candidates must have applied to the College of Charleston and be selected for the Charleston Bridge Program. Once they become Charleston Bridge students, they will:

• officially be Trident Technical College students, pay TTC tuition and be eligible for financial aid (through TTC) and state scholarships.
• be taught by TTC faculty in CofC facilities and classrooms.
• live in CofC residence halls and select one of the College of Charleston meal plans.
• use CofC academic support services designed for Bridge students.
• get a CofC ID card that will give them access to all CofC services and activities, including intramurals and student clubs.

Please note: Charleston Bridge students may not participate in CofC varsity sports, fraternities and sororities, or ROTC during their first fall semester.

The payoff for performing well in Trident Technical College courses? Crossing the bridge to the College of Charleston for the spring semester.

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