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JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP, NEW JERSEY

Cougars Climb  
**HIGHER**





# A World-Class Education *in* Your Hometown

Kean Skylands offers transfer students the opportunity to climb higher and earn world-class, affordable bachelor's degrees on a breathtaking, rural campus that's close to home in Jefferson Township, New Jersey.

Kean University's newest campus sits on 40 acres of pristine land, an hour's drive and a world away from Kean's main campus in Union.

Kean Skylands is like no other campus in New Jersey. Here students study in a former abbey converted into a 30,000-square-foot lodge with renovated classrooms, state-of-the-art labs, student lounges, a gym and event space. Take a stroll through the treetops along an elevated walkway from the main building to attend classes in the "tree house" and a three-level cabin surrounded by nature.

This unique experience comes with the low tuition rates that led to Kean being named the most affordable, comprehensive university in New Jersey.



AERIAL VIEW OF KEAN SKYLANDS CAMPUS AND ELEVATED SKYWALK



# Studying *at* Kean Skylands

Skylands is situated near neighboring county colleges: County College of Morris, Passaic County Community College, Sussex County Community College and Warren County Community College and we ensure a smooth transition to our four-year institution.

Kean Skylands is committed to helping transfer students climb higher and reach their educational goals.

"There is no better way to inspire and teach the environmental biologists of tomorrow than with the forests, rivers and lakes of the Skylands as our lab."

Daniela Shebitz, Ph.D.  
Executive Director and Associate Professor, School of Environmental and Sustainability Sciences

## IDEAL LOCATION

Kean Skylands is near major roadways 15, 23 and 80. Our beautiful campus is a convenient and breathtaking place to complete your bachelor's degree.

## SUPPORT SERVICES

Kean offers extensive advising, tutoring and academic support services, along with a vibrant internship and career placement program. If you want an internship, we'll help make it happen. We're here to assist you every step of the way.

## MILITARY FRIENDLY®

Are you a veteran? Kean earned gold status and ranked number one on the Military Friendly® list of the largest public universities in the nation. We provide extensive services to former U.S. military personnel.



## FINANCIAL BENEFIT

Kean students benefit from low tuition and generous financial aid and scholarship packages — making a Kean degree so affordable to all.

## TRANSFER FRIENDLY

Phi Theta Kappa has recognized Kean as one of the most transfer-friendly universities in the nation for five consecutive years. Kean creates a seamless transfer experience through community college partnerships and the Pathway to Kean program. These initiatives help you maximize your credit transfer and save money on the cost of completing your four-year degree at Kean.



## HYBRID LEARNING

Skylands offers small class sizes, flexible class schedules and a combination of in-person and online learning options. This creates a personalized experience where students can better balance classes, work and family commitments.





# Where Will You Focus?

Kean Skylands offers four degree-completion programs that combine in-person and online instruction — all delivered using a robust curriculum designed to prepare you to climb higher in your future career.

## Biology (B.S.)

### - Environmental Option

Biology is the study of living organisms and the world around us. You gain a greater understanding of the role science plays in society and prepare for jobs where you can impact our environmental sustainability.

- Research the effects of human activity on biodiversity
- Learn to safeguard the natural world against environmental threats

## Management (B.S.)

### - General Business Option

Management professionals harness capital, resources and people to improve the bottom line for businesses of all kinds. You attain the specific skills demanded in the labor market around the globe.

- Study strategies and trends to make business decisions for corporations, startups and nonprofits
- Understand human resources, supply chain management and other key business functions

## Criminal Justice (B.A.)

Criminal justice is about upholding the law and keeping the community safe. You get immersive training in identifying new potential safety threats and learn how to respond swiftly to criminal activity in an ever-changing global environment.

- Gain real-world insight into the American legal system and contemporary issues in policing, corrections, victimology and advocacy
- Practice investigation techniques, including crime scene methodologies

## Psychology (B.A.)

Psychology embraces all aspects of the human experience — from the functions of the brain to the behavior of nations, from child development to care for the elderly. You acquire a nuanced insight into how the mind works, which allows you to easily transition from the classroom to clinical and corporate settings.

- Study the diagnosis and treatment of psychological conditions
- Understand consumer behavior and develop research skills

New programs are added regularly. Please visit our website for a complete program listing.

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## TOMORROW'S LEADERS TODAY



*"I'm completing my undergraduate degree at Kean because of the many opportunities their psychology department offers. In an experimental honors class, I conducted research that I was able to present at a conference. Through that experience, I learned the logistics of research and gained valuable professional skills. I'm now equipped to apply to graduate school."*

Jessica Onorati  
B.A. Psychology

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*"I chose Kean Skylands to continue my business management degree after my military career because they offered a wide range of courses, great schedule flexibility and the staff is incredible. Everyone is welcoming and both the professors and curriculum have enhanced my real-world skills. The campus is beautiful and technology is second to none – I'm glad I transferred to this University!"*

Jeremy Curcio  
B.S. Management

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## Affordable Education

Financial aid and scholarships make getting your degree even more affordable. With Kean's reasonable tuition and generous financial assistance, you're likely to borrow less money and graduate with less debt.

"Kean Skylands is an example of how we take students out of the traditional classroom to learn and experience pertinent biological topics in a more natural setting."

Brian W. Teasdale, Ph.D.  
Associate Dean  
Dorothy and George Hennings  
College of Science, Mathematics  
and Technology

### FINANCIAL AID

You can take advantage of three kinds of financial aid offered by the federal government: need-based grants, low-interest student loans and federal work-study. It's easy to apply for any of these forms of assistance, just create an FSA User ID and password and complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Do both at [studentaid.gov](https://studentaid.gov).

For help with your application or for more information, visit [kean.edu/financial-aid](https://kean.edu/financial-aid)

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### SCHOLARSHIPS

Kean offers an array of merit and need-based scholarships to make your world-class education attainable.

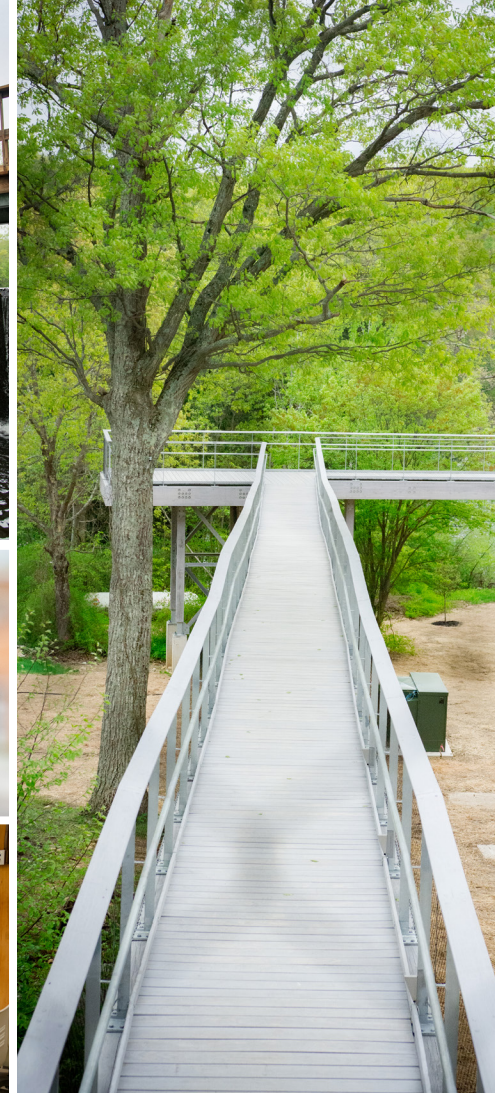
Transfer scholarships for incoming students who already have associate degrees are awarded to nearly 500 students every year.

For a complete list of Kean scholarships, visit [kean.edu/scholarships](https://kean.edu/scholarships)

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YOUR PATH TO  
CAREER SUCCESS AT  
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Learning outdoors increases academic performance, as well as physical and emotional well-being. At Kean Skylands, we encourage interdisciplinary learning in all of our programs, using nature as a uniting element. Our students have endless opportunities to conduct research in nature's laboratory.



"I love that we can truly see the benefits that nature has on our mental well-being the minute you step on campus. Having the ability to utilize the setting in my teaching was one of the reasons I wanted to be a part of the Kean Skylands community."

Danielle Servedio, Psy.D.  
Lecturer







Founded in 1855, Kean University has become one of the largest metropolitan institutions of higher education in the region, with a richly diverse student, faculty and staff population. Kean continues to play a key role in the training of teachers and is a hub of educational, technological and cultural enrichment serving over 16,000 students. The University's six undergraduate colleges offer more than 50 undergraduate degrees over a full range of academic subjects. The Nathan Weiss Graduate College offers six doctoral degree programs and more than 70 options for graduate study leading to master's degrees, professional diplomas or certifications. Through our main campus in Union and additional locations and instructional sites in Toms River, Manahawkin, Jefferson Township and Scotch Plains, New Jersey, Wenzhou, China and via Kean Online, Kean University continues to provide an affordable, accessible and world-class education to all students.

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Take the Kean Skylands 360°  
Virtual Tour

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