

Outcomes of Service Learning & Community Service



NOVA is the largest educational institution in Virginia and the second-largest community college in the United States.

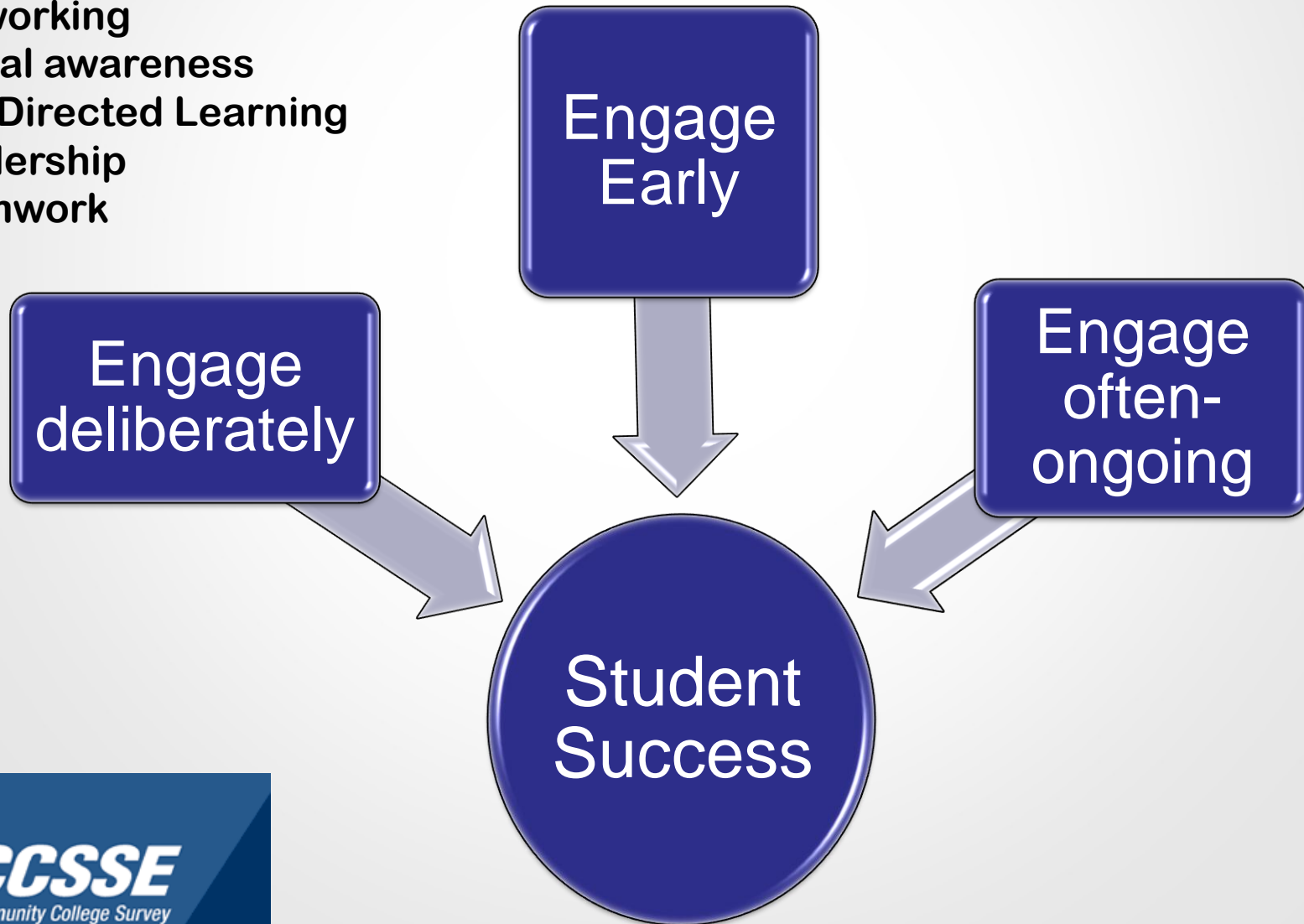
Over 72,000 students attend NOVA.



NOVA is also one of the most internationally diverse colleges in the United States, with a student body consisting of individuals from more than 180 countries.



- ❖ Networking
- ❖ Global awareness
- ❖ Self-Directed Learning
- ❖ Leadership
- ❖ Teamwork



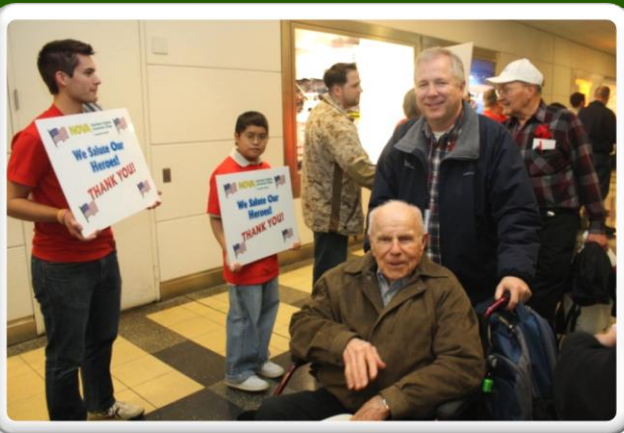
Honor Flight Network



**NOVA Salutes
Our Veterans**







Students meet and greet WWII Veterans at the airport who come to visit their WWII Memorial.

Was there a particular moment that you remember? " I was helping the WWII Veterans & Honorees board their buses and fellow Marine Corps Veteran, named George, stopped to speak with me and to share his story of where he was from, what he did in the Marines, where he went and to tell me 'Thank You' for serving. The only thing that I could tell him, was 'Thank You for your service. If it was not for him and all the other WWI & WWII Veterans, then young men and women, like me, probably would not of had the chance to join any of the services.' After telling each other 'Happy Birthday', the Marine Corps Birthday is 10 November 1775, and ending our conversation, as all Marines do, with a "Semper Fi!"

“The part that I will always remember for the rest of my life is what a veteran said when he was coming out of the gate. Everyone was cheering and waving their flags in the air, as the veteran walked towards me, He said “This is totally different from the first time, you cannot imagine the difference. As his tears came down from his eyes because of the emotions he was feeling at the moment, I realized the importance of us being there for them”.





Martin Luther King (MLK) Day of Service



- **Sensitivity to issues of culture and diversity.**
- **Understanding of global issues.**
- **Awareness of social responsibility and active citizenship.**
- **Apply Class Material to Real Issues.**





MLK Video

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