



## [CEI Receives Seven-Year Reaffirmation of Accreditation](#)

College of Eastern Idaho (CEI) is accredited by the [Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities](#) (NWCCU). CEI recently received its seven-year reaffirmation of accreditation on July 21, 2023. Please view the [Reaffirmation of Accreditation letter](#) here. CEI's current accreditation status is also published on the [NWCCU's website](#).

CEI has been a continually accredited institution since 1982. Accreditation is an ongoing assessment process. In 2023, the NWCCU performed an extensive study of CEI's institutional quality. As part of the evaluation process, CEI prepared and submitted [the 2022 Policies, Regulations, and Financial Review](#) and the [2023 Evaluation of Institutional Effectiveness](#). The college underwent a full review, including an external evaluation visit from its peers. The NWCCU found that CEI is substantially compliant with all standards, policies, and eligibility requirements.

Said differently, accreditation is an evidence-based process where CEI proves that it is fulfilling our mission to provide open access to affordable, quality education that meets the needs of students, regional employers, and community. CEI's continued accreditation shows that the college is a stellar, fiscally responsible educational institution.

The accreditation process also shows that CEI is committed to being a welcoming, data-informed institution whose graduates are respected and sought by our regional employers. Our students choose us to become highly trained employees, leaders, and entrepreneurs. CEI faculty and staff work every day to meet their ambitions. CEI has built assessment protocols, financial policies, and other safeguards to ensure that this is a sustainable institution now and that CEI credentials will be invaluable long into the future. For further information, please see [CEI Accreditation](#).