

Go Raiders! Allegacy Opens First On-Campus High School Branch in NC at Reagan High School



Would you have paid closer attention in high school math if you knew that it would have a direct impact on your finances? We thought so.

In our continuing commitment to the community we serve, Allegacy celebrates the grand opening of the **Raider Student Credit Union – the first student-run credit union at the high-school level in the state of North Carolina.**

The launch of the campus branch on August 25, 2008 is an extension of our partnership in education with Pfafftown's Ronald W. Reagan High School and a manifestation of our mission to teach students about financial literacy early in life.

"We are very excited to launch this student-run branch of our credit union at Reagan," said Ike Keener, Allegacy President and CEO. "It's a partnership that will lead to increased financial literacy and underscores our mission to help young people get off on the right foot and establish healthy financial practices that will last a lifetime."

The ribbon-cutting ceremony of the student-run credit union took place on September 15, with local dignitaries including Congresswoman Virginia Foxx (R-NC 5th) and State Superintendent of Public Instruction June Atkinson in attendance. Twelve students staff the campus branch as part of Reagan's Business Advanced Studies of the CTE curriculum.

"While all of the educators and administrators here at Reagan appreciate the importance of studying subjects like history, science and language, we also recognize that financial literacy is an essential part of delivering our Reagan Raiders a well-rounded education," said Reagan High School Principal Stanley M. Elrod. "The opening of the Raider Student Credit Union is a testament to our commitment to delivering our future graduates a top-notch education." ☺

Education is a Critical Tool for Financial Success.

Are you planning to send a child off to college? Do you already support a college student but need some help making ends meet? Or maybe you're going to go hit the books yourself.

Saving for a college education is tough, there's no doubt about it. And you've probably already realized that there are lots of different areas you could focus on while trying to put together a plan. Borrowing has become a necessary financing tool for many college students and their parents. The best approach to debt is a sensible one. If you make smart decisions now regarding your education loans, it will be easier to manage that debt in the future. Allegacy offers **Student Loans** that can assist students in their pursuit of higher education.

Allegacy Student Loan

If both the student and the co-signer are members of Allegacy and the student is enrolled at least part-time (6 credit hours) at a school accredited in the state, you're eligible to apply for Allegacy's Student Loan. Repayment begins within 6 months after graduation or upon departure from school. Find out more at

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