

## CORE PILLARS OF DISTINCTION

### PERSONAL *focus*

- One-on-One Mentoring
- Warm, Friendly Community
- Known By Faculty & Staff
- Access to Administration
- Your "Hometown" University

### PRACTICAL *learning*

- Access to Industry Experts
- Hands-on Research Activities
- Credentials Built into Degrees
- Practical Skills Academy
- Accredited Programs

### PURPOSE-DRIVEN *approach*

- Leadership Development Program
- Career Assessments & Experiences
- Value-Focused Student Organizations
- Community Outreach Opportunities
- Faith Development Activities

## PROFESSIONAL SKILLS ATTAINMENT

**STRONG WORK ETHIC** DATA-INFORMED DECISION MAKING  
**EFFECTIVE COMMUNITY & COLLABORATION** **ADAPTABILITY**  
**ETHICAL STANDARDS & VALUES** **PROBLEM SOLVING APTITUDE**

## AWARD-WINNING RESULTS



THE MOST AFFORDABLE  
**PRIVATE NONPROFIT  
UNIVERSITY IN NC!**

- THE NEW YORK TIMES



**TOP 15  
BEST COLLEGES  
FOR VETERANS**

- U.S. NEWS & WORLD  
REPORT

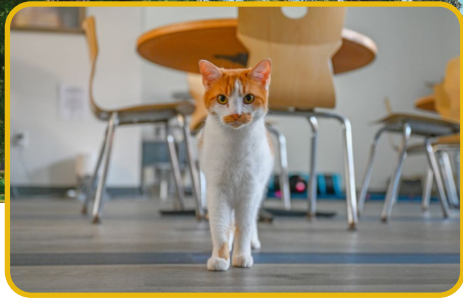


**TOP 50  
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COLLEGES SOUTH**

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# DISTINCTIVE CAMPUS FEATURES



## CAT LOUNGE

Offering a serene space for rescue or endowed cats to live, the Cat Lounge is also a space for students to study and socialize. Multiple research studies have shown that cats help reduce anxiety, stress and depression.



## BEEHIVES

As an affiliate of the Bee Campus USA program, NCWU has created and maintained a pollinator garden for the past several years containing three active beehives. Bishops' Honey can be purchased at [ncwustore.com](http://ncwustore.com).



## DISC GOLF COURSE & WALKING TRAIL

Our 18-hole course, managed by the Bishop Disc Golf Club, is free to play for the community and follows a majority of our walking trail that creates a 5K path around the perimeter of campus. Showing off the beauty of our University, the course mixes the challenges of the sport with a scenic tour of campus.



## THE FORTRESS (Esports Room)

The Bishop Gaming Association's state-of-the-art, glass-enclosed Esports gaming room, *The Fortress*, is equipped with some of the best equipment in the gaming industry. The BGA's Elite Team uses this space to compete in leagues or tournaments on a collegiate level.



## INDOOR SPORTS & EDUCATION FACILITY

NCWU's air-supported structure is a unique space fostering academic enrichment and enhanced athletic experiences unlike any other in the eastern NC area, featuring indoor tennis, squash courts, golf simulators and more!