

Retirement Plans

Planning and saving for retirement is an important responsibility throughout your working years. The earlier you begin to plan, the easier your retirement years can be. Ivy Tech Community College offers retirement plans depending on the employment status you hold with the College. You can choose to contribute to one plan or maximize your savings potential by contributing to both plans. Ivy Tech has partnered with Transamerica Retirement Solutions to administer the Ivy Tech Retirement Plans.

Prior to June 1, 2016, Ivy Tech retirement plans were administered by TIAA and AUL/OneAmerica.

Retirement Plan Comparison

Features	403(b) Defined Contributions Retirement Plan		457(b) Deferred Compensation Retirement Plan
Plan	College Contribution	Employee Contribution	Employee Contribution
Eligibility	Permanent Part Time position, scheduled to work at least a 1000 hours per calendar year. <i>Not Eligible:</i> Adjuncts, student or contract employees.	Immediately eligible upon date of hire	Immediately eligible upon date of hire
Vesting	100%	100%	100%
Contribution Options	Pre-tax contribution NA	Pre-tax contribution Roth after-tax contribution option available.	Pre-tax contribution No Roth after-tax contributions option
Distributions	Permitted at complete severance from employment at the College, or age 59 ½ and a reduction in hours from FT to PT.	Permitted at age 59 ½, complete severance from employment at the College, or severe financial hardship	Permitted at complete severance from employment at the College.
Early Withdrawal Penalty	Yes. 10% before age 59 ½ unless employee qualifies for an exception	Yes. 10% before age 59 ½ unless employee qualifies for an exception	No penalty on distributions regardless of age.
Loans	No loans allowed	One loan at a time across plans	One loan at a time across plans
IRS Limits for calendar year	IRS maximum of \$56,000 for 2019 Defined Contribution plans NA	IRS maximum of \$19,000 for 2019 if under age 50 Age 50 catch-up contribution allowed: If age 50 and over in current calendar year, an additional \$6,000 can be deferred	IRS maximum of \$19,000 for 2019 if under age 50 Age 50 catch-up contribution allowed: If age 50 and over in current calendar year, an additional \$6,000 can be deferred

Enrollment

To enroll in any of the Ivy Tech retirement plans, visit the participant website ivyretirement.trsrretire.com or call 800-755-5801.