**FAST FACTS 2018**

**NUMBER & TYPE OF COLLEGES (2018)**
- Public: 980
- Tribal: 35
- Independent: 88
- Total: 1,103

**DEGREES AND CERTIFICATES AWARDED (2016-2017)**
- Associate Degrees: 833,093
- Certificates: 533,579

**CREDIT BY ATTENDANCE**
- Full Time: 2.6M (37%)
- Part Time: 4.5M (63%)

**DEMOGRAPHICS OF STUDENTS ENROLLED FOR CREDIT**
- Hispanic: 24%
- Black: 13%
- White: 47%
- Asian/Pacific Islander: 6%
- Native American: 1%
- 2 or More Races: 3%
- Other/Unknown: 4%
- Nonresident Alien: 2%

**OTHER SIGNIFICANT DEMOGRAPHICS**
- First generation to attend college: 36%
- Single parents: 17%
- Non-U.S. citizens: 7%
- Veterans: 4%
- Students with disabilities: 12%
- Students with prior bachelor’s degree: 7%

**DEMOGRAPHICS OF STUDENTS ENROLLED FOR CREDIT**
- Women: 56%
- Men: 44%

**GENDER**
- Average: 28
- Median: 24

**NON CREDIT**
- 59% Credit
- 41% Non-Credit
- Total: 12.1M

**HEADCOUNT ENROLLMENT (FALL 2016)**
- Estimated change: Fall 2016 - Fall 2017: -1.7%

**DEGREES AND CERTIFICATES AWARDED (2016-2017)**
- Certificates: 533,579
- Associate Degrees: 833,093

**A BETTER MEASURE OF SUCCESS**
- Fall 2010 Cohort
- VFA metrics are a better measure of community college student success than traditional IPEDS metrics.

**VFA vs. IPEDS**
- VFA: 59%
- IPEDS: 25%

**AVERAGE: 28**
- Median: 24

**AGE**
- 51% <21
- 39% 22-39
- 10% 40+

**OTHER SIGNIFICANT DEMOGRAPHICS**
- First generation to attend college: 36%
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**VFA measures:**
- All entering students
- 6 years to complete
- 9 separate outcomes

**Traditional IPEDS measures:**
- First time, Full time
- 3 years to complete
- Only graduates

March 2018
AVERAGE ANNUAL TUITION AND FEES (2017-2018)†

$3,570

Community Colleges (public, in district)

$9,970

4-Year Colleges (public, in state)

PUBLUC COMMUNITY COLLEGES WITH ON-CAMPUS HOUSING10

28%

$26,200

High School

$36,000

Associate Degree

$42,600

Bachelor's Degree

$60,100

MEDIAN EARNING OF FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES BY EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT11

Less than High School Diploma

Less than High School Diploma

COMMUNITY COLLEGE REVENUES BY SOURCE (2015-16)†

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% OF FEDERAL AID RECEIVED BY COMMUNITY COLLEGE (2015-2016)‡

- Pell Grants: 34%
- Federal Work-Study: 18%
- Subsidized Direct Loans: 14%
- Unsubsidized Direct Loans: 6%

STUDENT FINANCIAL AID (2015-2016)¶

- Any aid: 58%
- Federal grants: 34%
- Federal loans: 13%
- State aid: 23%
- Institutional aid: 7%

% OF STUDENTS APPLYING (2011-2012)§

- Any aid: 72%
- Federal aid: 62%

SOURCE:

† AACC membership database, January 2018.
‡ NCES. (2018). IPEDS Fall 2016 Enrollment Survey [AACC analysis].
§ AACC membership database, 2018 [AACC analysis].
© NCES (2018). IPEDS 2016-17 Completion Survey [AACC analysis].
¶ NCES (2018). 2015–16 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:16)