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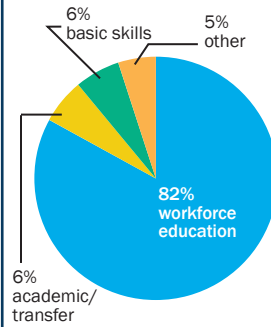
KEY FACTS (DATA FROM 2018-2019 ACADEMIC YEAR. REFLECTS HEADCOUNT UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)

Year Founded	Enrollment	
1942	Headcount (all sources)	6,688
	FTES (all sources)	4,253
Service Area	Headcount (state-funded)	6,233
Pierce County	FTES (state-funded)	3,941

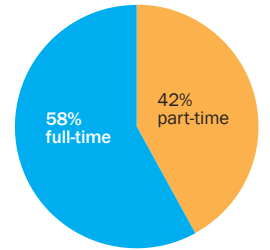
Legislative Districts	Students in Selected Programs	
2, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31	Applied bachelor's	21
	Apprentices	43
Highest Enrolled Programs	I-BEST	204
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computer Networking and Information Systems Security • Retail Business Management • Nursing Assistant • Aviation Maintenance Technician • Cosmetology • Practical Nursing 	International	40
	Running Start	88
	Worker Retraining	400

STUDENT PROFILE — STATE-FUNDED

Type of Student



Attendance



Race/Ethnicity*

African American	17%
Asian	14%
Hispanic/Latino	13%
Native American	4%
Pacific Islander	4%
Other race	1%
White/Caucasian	61%

Gender

Female	65%
Male	35%

Median Age: 30

Family and Finances

Students receiving need-based financial aid in eligible programs	50%
Students who work	56%
Students with children	39%

*May not add up to 100% because students may be counted in more than one race. Percentages calculated on reported value.

POINTS OF INTEREST

Co-Op Certificates to Fit Industry Needs Clover Park Technical College offers a popular 30-credit co-op certificate in mechatronics. Industry-employed students attend classes two days a week and apply what they've learned to their role at work the rest of the week. Mechatronics subjects are grouped into two content categories: the generation and transmission of power, and the control of complex systems. No pre-requisites are required. Co-op certificates are appealing to employers because they allow a short-term commitment to upskilling their workforce in only job-relevant skills.

Guided Pathways Success As a part of CPTC's Guided Pathways efforts, the college is redesigning programs to ensure students complete college-level math and English their first year. The college is also starting to eliminate the traditional "developmental math" pathway and instead enroll students in college-level math along with a co-requisite course that provides supplemental instruction. This approach helps students keep up with course material and complete college more quickly. These efforts are showing early signs of success as CPTC's rate of college-level math completion within the first year of college has risen from 16 percent to 27 percent in four years.

Advanced Manufacturing Excellence In September of 2019, CPTC held the grand opening of its 68,000 square-foot John W. Walstrum Center for Advanced Manufacturing Technologies. The building houses four in-demand programs: Fundamental Skills for Manufacturing and Engineering (FSME), Manufacturing Technologies, Mechatronics, and Nondestructive Testing. The LEED Silver certified building offers expanded space for students, an interactive "fifth lab" space, and an interior bridge crane to meet the needs of the growing and evolving manufacturing industry.