

## BATES TECHNICAL COLLEGE

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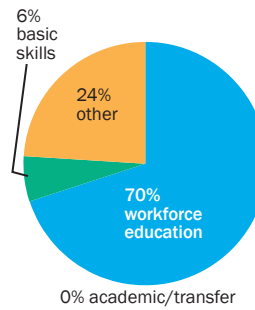


### KEY FACTS (DATA FROM 2017-2018 ACADEMIC YEAR. REFLECTS HEADCOUNT UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)

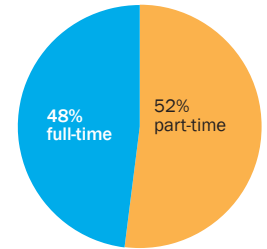
<b>Year Founded</b>	<b>Enrollment</b>	
1940	Headcount (all sources)	7,166
	FTES (all sources)	3,577
<b>Service Area</b>	Headcount (state-funded)	5,895
Pierce County	FTES (state-funded)	3,049
<b>Legislative Districts</b>	<b>Students in Selected Programs</b>	
2, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31	Apprentices	899
<b>Highest Enrolled Programs</b>	I-BEST	388
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early Childhood Education</li> <li>• Diesel and Heavy Equipment Technology</li> <li>• Practical Nurse</li> <li>• Electrical Construction</li> <li>• Fire Service</li> <li>• Welding</li> </ul>	International	8
	Running Start	12
	Worker Retraining	330

### STUDENT PROFILE — STATE-FUNDED

#### Type of Student



#### Attendance



#### Race/Ethnicity\*

African American	10%
Asian	7%
Hispanic/Latino	11%
Native American	3%
Pacific Islander	2%
Other, Multiracial	1%
White/Caucasian	68%

**Median Age:** 32

#### Family and Finances

Students receiving need-based financial aid in eligible programs	38%
Students who work	52%
Students with children	50%

#### Gender

Female	55%
Male	45%

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

## POINTS OF INTEREST

### Apprenticeship Partnerships Prepare Students for High-Demand Careers

Bates Technical College's close partnerships with a variety of apprenticeship programs and initiatives help connect students to careers that boost the local economy. The TOOL Center is a general construction 12-week pre-apprenticeship program that began as a WorkForce Central initiative formed in partnership with the college and the City of Tacoma. This program addresses a shortage of skilled workers in the construction industry. Bates is also affiliated with nine apprenticeship programs, ranging from the aerospace industry and firefighting to construction fields. As a partner in the first-ever Governor's Youth Apprenticeship Program, the college helps high school students develop job-ready skills through paid on-the-job training and mentorship.

### Breaking Ground on Health Care Facility, Building Partnerships

Bates will begin construction in 2019 on a new educational facility at its downtown campus designed to meet the growing demand for qualified health care employees in the South Sound. The health sciences and technology facility is expected to open in 2021. The Health Careers Collaborative is a partnership with the Tacoma School District, medical facilities and local higher education institutions, aimed at introducing high school students to health care-related careers as they work toward earning their diploma and securing transferable higher education credits.

### Technical High School Program Connects Students with Hands-On Education

Located on the Tacoma campuses of Bates Technical College, Bates Technical High School offers a variety of programs to enable students to earn a high school diploma, jumpstart a college education, make up credits, and/or train for a career. Bates Technical High School is a full-time special purpose high school program accredited by the Northwest Association of Accredited Schools. This innovative program allows students to earn their high school diploma and an associate degree concurrently and tuition free.