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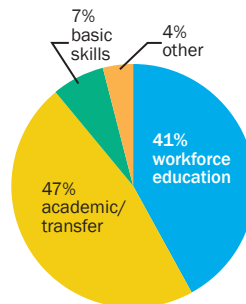


KEY FACTS (DATA FROM 2017-2018 ACADEMIC YEAR. REFLECTS HEADCOUNT UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)

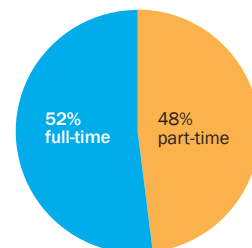
Year Founded 1962	Enrollment Headcount (all sources) 9,596 FTES (all sources) 4,454
Service Area Thurston County	Headcount (state-funded) 6,609 FTES (state-funded) 3,292
Legislative Districts 2, 20, 22, 35	Students in Selected Programs I-BEST 86 International 133 Running Start 1,322 Worker Retraining 162
Highest Enrolled Programs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Associate in Arts–Direct Transfer • Associate in Science–Transfer • Associate in General Studies • Associate in Pre-Nursing • Associate in Business–Direct Transfer • High School 21+ 	

STUDENT PROFILE — STATE-FUNDED

Type of Student



Attendance



Race/Ethnicity*

African American	6%
Asian	11%
Hispanic/Latino	14%
Native American	4%
Pacific Islander	2%
Other, Multiracial	1%
White/Caucasian	71%

Gender

Female	59%
Male	41%

Median Age: 24

Family and Finances

Students receiving need-based financial aid in eligible programs	46%
Students who work	50%
Students with children	26%

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

POINTS OF INTEREST

South Puget Sound Community College Feeds the Workforce For students who are ready to get out into the workforce quickly, our technical certificate and degree programs can be the perfect path. Our Workforce Transitions programs provide financial support to help connect students with a path into a high-demand, high wage career — right here in Thurston County and beyond. These programs can support:

- Professional technical training (over 30 degrees and certificates available).
- Job skills training — specific skills needed to gain employment.
- Pre-college skills (diploma, GED®, basic skills or ESL) to prepare for career training.

Direct Transfer and Articulation Agreements For students looking to transfer to a four-year college or university and beyond, SPSCC offers Direct Transfer Agreements in many areas to ensure students take the classes needed to move into a four-year program. The Associate in Arts (AA), Associate in Business, Early Childhood Education Associate in Arts, Associate in Pre-Nursing, and Associate in Science (AS) degrees (Tracks 1 & 2) are intended to transfer to four-year universities in Washington. SPSCC graduates also have a direct path to bachelor’s degrees at international universities in France, New Zealand, Ireland and England in areas of anthropology, art, biology, business, history, philosophy and politics. Coming soon, students studying humanities and social sciences will have the chance to transfer to a university in Australia.

Widespread Access to Education SPSCC maintains a breadth of locations for students to access our outstanding educational opportunities. Aside from the campuses located in the hearts of Olympia and Lacey, the college also provides classes at Yelm High School and the Yelm Extension School, and through online and hybrid courses. It also facilitates transportation for Running Start students in select regions and currently hosts 23 College in the High School classes across seven high schools in four districts.