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The Fact Book for Fall 2020 is produced by the Office of Institutional Research and outlines enrollment, faculty, financial and other comprehensive information for NorthWest Arkansas Community College.

All enrollment data in this document is based on the official enrollment of the college at the end of the eleventh class day. All fiscal year data was collected at fiscal year end, June 30, 2020. The definitions and guidelines used to compile this information is provided by the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS) and the Arkansas Department of Higher Education. Definitions and guidelines unique to NWACC has a notation appearing on individual tables.

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The Fact Book will be updated prior to December 1 each year.
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North West Arkansas Community College is a comprehensive, public two-year college that serves to empower lives, inspire learning, and strengthen community through accessible, affordable, quality education. Faculty, staff, and administrative leadership share in the vision to positively change the lives of those we serve. NWACC's greatest attribute is its quality of instruction. Experts provide personalized instruction in small classes. Transfer courses are taught by instructors with a master's degree or higher.

## HEADCOUNT

7,411
Official eleventh day headcount was 7,411 students, a decrease of $11.6 \%$ from Fall 2019.

## 13,429 <br> SERVICE

NWACC served over 13,429
students in AY20.
This includes

- College credit
- Workforce Development
- Adult Education

FACULTY and STAFF

| Admin / Staff | Faculty |
| :---: | :---: |
| 249 | 153 |
| 58 | 348 |

RESIDENCY Students from Benton and Washington counties make up 90\% of the NWACC student body.


AWARDS
NWACC awarded
1,749 degrees and certificates in
Academic Year 2020

- an increase of $16 \%$.

PASS RATES

- an increase of

100\% Pass Rates in

- Registered Nursing
- Physical Therapist Assistant
- Fire Science



## MEDIAN STUDENT AGE 21



## FTE <br> 3,923

Full-time equivalent enrollment status decreased 13.8\% over

Fall of 2019

## TUITION STATUS

45.1\% In-District 48.5\% Out-of-District 4.6\% Out-of-State $0.8 \%$ International


## STUDENT

## RESIDENCE

$90 \%$ of the student body reside within the NWACC service area. $54 \%$ of students reside in Benton county and $36 \%$ reside in Washington county. $4.5 \%$ of students live in other parts of the state and $5.5 \%$ of students are from out-of-state.


STUDENT TYPE
New Freshman
1,314
Transfer 414
Continuing Students 2,983
High School Students $\quad 1,914$
Visiting Students 227

## First Time Freshmen Requiring Developmental Work

## MATH-

Number requiring Remediation: 656 (49.9\%)

## ENGLISH-

Number requiring Remediation: 557 (42.4\%)

## READING-

Number requiring Remediation: 423 (32.2\%)
ANY DEVELOPMENTAL PLACEMENT-
Number requiring Remediation: 844 (64.2\%)
DEVELOPMENTAL PLACEMENT IN 3 AREAS-
Number requiring Remediation: 290 (22.1\%)

STUDENT

## CHARACTERISTICS

Am Indian/Alaskan Native, 86
Asian, 236
Black or African American, 180
Hispanic or Latino, 1,651
Native Haw/Pac Islander, 39
White, 4,519
2 or more races, 379
Unknown, 268
Non-Resident Alien, 53

## Board of Trustees

## Administration

Members of the Board of Trustees of NorthWest Arkansas Community College are elected by zone in groups of three each even numbered year at the general election.

Board Members as of January 1, 2020 and the district they represent:

| Chair | Mr. Todd Schwartz | Zone 4 | Grace Lutheran Academy |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Vice Chair | Mr. Ron Branscum | Zone 5 | Arvest Bank |
| Secretary | Mr. Mark Scott | Zone 6 | Ozarks Community Hospital |
|  | Mr. Lucas Pointer | Zone 1 | BOK Financial |
|  | Dr. DeAnne Witherspoon | Zone 2 | Retired Optometrist |
|  | Ms. Rachel Harris | Zone 3 | Coty |
|  | Mr. Jerry Vest | Zone 7 | Regions Bank |
|  | Mr. Mauricio Herrera | Zone 8 | Herrera Law Group |
|  | Mr. Joe Spivey | Zone 9 | First National Bank |

President
Dr. Evelyn Jorgenson
Vice President of Student Services
Dr. Todd Kitchen
Vice President of Learning/CAO
Dr. Ricky Tompkins
Vice President of Career and Workforce Education
Mr. Tim Cornelius

Executive Director of Community \& Gov't Relations and Marketing Mr. Grant Hodges
Vice President of Finance and Administration
Mr. Al Massri
Executive Director of Advancement
Ms. Liz Anderson

## Presidents and Their Tenure

Dr. Bob C. Burns (1989-2003)
Dr. Becky Paneitz (2003-2013)
Dr. Evelyn Jorgenson (2013-present)

## Organizational Chart



## 1989

The NorthWest Arkansas Community College District was authorized on August 15, 1989 when voters in the Rogers and Bentonville public school districts passed a 3-mil tax.

## 1990

The first classes were attended by more than 1,200 students in the fall of 1990 at high schools, chambers of commerce, municipal and leased facilities throughout the district.

## 1995

Burns Hall opened its' doors to more than 2,400 students in August 1995. The main building is a multipurpose facility on 131 acres of land at Exit 86 off Interstate 49 at the city limits of Rogers and Bentonville, Arkansas.

## 2003

The Shewmaker Center for Workforce Technologies opened in 2003 and offers customized programs to area businesses
2007
The Becky Paneitz Student Center opened in the Spring of 2007. A parking complex began serving commuters traveling to the Bentonville campus.

## 2010

The opening of the Shewmaker Global Business Development Center occurred in the summer of 2010.

## 2013

A new Health Profession building was dedicated to service in January of 2013.

## 2014

The Melba Shewmaker National Child ProtectionTraining Center opened in Spring of 2014.

## 2015

NWACC's Adult Education Program relocated to the Shewmaker Center for Workforce Technologies in the Summer of 2015.

## 2016

NWACC becomes the largest community college in Arkansas.

## 2017

NWACC opened Brightwater: A Center for the Study of Food in January of 2017 where culinary students focus on three main areas: food as art, food as wellness, and food as business.

## 2019

The Integrated Design Lab (IDL) opened for the Fall 2019 term. The lab provides additional space for programs within workforce, communication and arts, and business computer information divisions.

## 2020

NWACC Washington County opened its' doors for the Spring 2020 semester. The facility houses general education, nursing, health information management, and emergency medical response classes.


## PRODUCTIVITY FUNDING

For 2021-22 two year College recommendations for productivity distribution, NWACC had the highest contribution to increase at $24.52 \%$.

NWACC received the highest recommendation for incentive funding for Fiscal Year 2021 at $\$ 1,178,718$.
NWACC showed the highest percent change for recommended funding for 2020-2021 at 12.94\%.

## SUPPORTING INSTITUTIONAL MISSION

The model should respectand be responsive to the diverse set of missions represented by each public institution of higher learning.

FORMULA STRUCTURE
The model should maintain clarity and simplicity.

## NWACC Mission Statement

Empower Lives, Inspire Learning and Strengthen Community through Accessible, Affordable, Quality Education.

## NWACC Vision Statement

Positively changing the lives of those we serve.

## NWACC Values Statement

In order to accomplish our mission and goals we

- Facilitate continuous learning for students and stakeholders
- Cherish academic, professional and personal integrity
- Respect our differences and view them as a strength
- Advance knowledge through individual and team challenges
- Anticipate and respond to needs by encouraging innovative ideas and technologies
- Develop the potential of the individual to achieve excellence
- Value human resources over physical resources


## Strategic Goals

Learner Community: Provide and continuously strengthen quality programs and processes that support student achievement and success.
Taxpayer Community: Strive to be effective and ethical stewards of taxpayer dollars by maximizing resources and containing costs to allow affordable tuition rates for our students
College Community: Provide an open and transparent environment where students, staff, faculty, and alumni feel welcome, safe, valued, connected and informed.
Pre-K through Grade 16 Community: Develop, expand, and enhance collaborative partnerships with local K-12 and university partners.
Business and the Broader Community: Enhance partnerships with and provide support to local business, industry and the general public by offering innovative approaches to curriculum, training and other relevant services.

## College Ends Statements

NWACC will become a premier educational provider in Northwest Arkansas by developing a responsive educational delivery system customized to the needs of learners and receiving organizations.

1. For the learner community, we will:

Provide expanded access to educational opportunities for the population in general, but especially for under-served learners in all age groups who are disconnected from education by choice or circumstance, and will actively support student retention and completion.
2. For the business community, we will:

Enhance partnerships and collaborations with business and industry through innovative approaches to design, and deliver training and education.
3. For the owner community (taxpayers), we will:

- Enhance NWACC's capacity to achieve its initiatives by diversifying its resource base.
- Provide educational and comprehensive programs, services, and facilities to the owner community (taxpayers).

4. For the pre-kindergarten through grade 16 community, we will:

Forge a systemic linkage with P-16 and university partners to achieve "seamlessness" in curriculum, technology, learner support and service delivery.
5. For the college community, we will:

Align the organizational infrastructure of NWACC with college growth.

## Accreditation

On December 15, 2020, the Institutional Actions Council of the Higher Learning Commission granted NorthWest Arkansas Community College continued accreditation through 2029-30.

## NWACC Facilities

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Main Campus
    One College Drive
    Bentonville, AR 72712
    479.986.4000 or 1.800.995.6922
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## NWACC Burns Hall

Becky Paneitz Student Center
Shewmaker Center for Workforce Technologies

- Adult Education
- Workforce and Economic Development

Shewmaker Center for Global Business Development
Center for Health Professions
The Melba Shewmaker National Child Protection Training Center Integrated Design Lab

Culinary
Brightwater: A Center for the Study of Food
801 SE 8th Street
Bentonville, AR 72712

## Main Campus

One College Drive
Bentonville, AR 72712
479.986.4000 or 1.800.995.6922

## NWACC Washington County

6101 Watkins Avenue

Springdale, AR 72762
479.927.3330 or 479.936.5131

## ALLPS School of Innovation (Regional Technology Center, RTC)

2305 Old Farmington Road
Fayetteville, AR 72701
479.444.3060

## Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)

| HLC <br> Criteria | Key Performance Indicator/Related Strategic Goals | $\begin{gathered} \text { 2019-NEW } \\ \text { KPIs } \end{gathered}$ | 2020 | Target2020 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Learner Community: Provide and continuously strengthen quality programs and processes that support student achievement and success. |  |  |  |
| 4.C. | 1. Prior Academic Year Credit Student Headcount | 11,322 | 11,390 |  |
| 4.C. | 2. Fall to fall retention rate | 46.7\% | 42.9\% | 48\% |
| 4.C. | 3. Annual Student Semester Credit Hours | 149,512 | 151,510 | 159,000 |
| 4.C. | 4. Total Degrees and Certificates Awarded-prior AY | 1,602 | 1,749 | 1,200 |
| 4.C. | 5. Underserved students receiving degrees and certificates | 268 | 300 | 225 |
| 4.C. | 6. Gateway Course Success Rate | 62.3\% | 70.0\% |  |
| 4.C. | 7. Licensure/Certification Exam Passage Rate in Required Programs | 92\% | 96\% | 95\% |
| 4.C. | 8. General Education courses reporting assessment target met | 82\% |  | 100\% |
|  | Taxpayer Community: Strive to be effective and ethical stewards of taxpayer dollars by maximizing resources and containing costs to allow affordable tuition rates for our students. |  |  |  |
| 5.A. | 9. Instructional Expenses as a Percentage of Total Expenditures | 48\% | 53\% | 50\% |
| 5.A. | 10. Primary Reserve Ratio* | 65\% |  | 40\% |
|  | College Community: Provide an open and transparent environment where students, staff, faculty, and alumni feel welcome, safe, valued, connected and informed. |  |  |  |
| 3.C. | 11. Employee Satisfaction | 3.92/5 | 4.16/5 | 4.0/5 |
| 3.C. | 12. \% Minority FT faculty and staff | 7.6\% | 8.3\% | 10\% |
| 4.C. | 13. Student satisfaction | 5.67/7 | 5.67/7 | 6/7 |
|  | Pre-K through Grade 16 Community: Develop, expand, and enhance collaborative partnerships with local K-12 and university partners. |  |  |  |
| 4.C. | 14. Three year success rate (full-time students--graduation plus transfer) | 42.0\% | 41.0\% | 36\% |
|  | Business and the Broader Community: Enhance partnerships with and provide support to local business, industry and the general public by offering innovative approaches to curriculum, training and other relevant services. |  |  |  |
| 1.D. | 15. Non-Credit Unduplicated headcount--prior Academic Year | 837 | 629 | 3,000 |
| 1.D. | 16. Adult Education Unduplicated headcount | 1,623 | 1,410 | 2,600 |

* The primary reserve ratio helps institution understand the affordability of its strategic plan. It provides a snapshot of financial strength and flexibility by indicating how long the institution could function using its expendable reserves without relying on additional net revenue generated by operations.


## Degree Programs

| 2 Year Degrees |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Associate of Applied Science (AAS) Degrees |  |
| Business Management | Fire Science |
| Computer Aided Design | Food Studies |
| Computer Information Systems | Graphic Design |
| Construction Technology | Health Information Management |
| Crime Scene Investigation (CJ*) | Law Enforcement |
| Criminal Justice | Law Enforcement Administration (CJI*) |
| Early Childhood Education | Legal Assistant/Paralegal |
| Electronics Technology (NTI^) | Nursing |
| EMT-Paramedic | Physical Therapist Assistant |
| Environmental \& Regulatory Science | Respiratory Therapy |

## Associate of Fine Arts (AFA)

## Associate of General Studies

## Transfer Degrees

Associate of Arts (AA)
Associate of Liberal Arts \& Science (AS-LAS)
AS Agri, Food \& Life Sciences
AS Business
AS Business Administration

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## Technical Certificates

Accounting Technology
Artisanal Foods
Baking Arts
Beverage Arts
Child Advocacy Studies
Computer Aided Design
Construction Technology
Crime Scene Investigation (CI*)
Criminal Justice
Culinary Arts
Dental Assisting
Early Childhood Education
EMT Paramedic
Entrepreneurship

## Environmental Mgmt \& Reg Sci

Environmental Regulatory Science
General Business
Graphic Design
Health Information Management
Horticulture
ntegrated Design
Law Enforcement Adm (CJ**)
Logistics Managemen
Media
Network \& Cyber Security
Pre-Health Care Studies
Pre-Radiologic Imaging Services
Retail Management

## Certificates of Proficiency

Artisanal Foods
Baking Arts \& Pastry
Beverage Arts
Child Advocacy Studies
Child Development Associate (CDA)
Cinematic Studies
Community Paramedicine
Computer Aided Design
Construction Technology
Crime Prevention and Corrections
Crime Scene Investigation (CI)*
Criminal Justice
Culinary Arts
Dental Assistant
Electrical Apprentice
Electronics Technology
EMT Basic

Environmental Mgmt/GIS Technician
Fire Protection
Forensic Science
Graphic Design
Horticulture
HVAC Apprentice
Justice Studies
Law Enforcement
Law Enforcement Adm (CI*)
Media
Nursing Aide
Nursing Assistant
Plumbing Apprentice
Pre-Health Sciences
Pre-Radiologic Imaging Services
Safety \& Health (available Online)
Workforce Readiness

## 2 Year Degrees Awarded

## By Academic Year

|  | 2015-16 | 2016-17 | 2017-18 | 2018-19 | 2019-20 | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| AAS Degrees |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business Management | 20 | 28 | 18 | 22 | 19 |  |
| Computer Aid Drafting and Design | 6 | 6 | 6 | 13 | 5 |  |
| Computer Information Systems | 16 | 12 | 14 | 17 | 8 |  |
| Construction Technology | - | 1 | 5 | 10 | 4 |  |
| Criminal Justice | 11 | 10 | 9 | 7 | 5 |  |
| Culinary Arts | 15 | 7 | 25 | 27 | 30 |  |
| Early Childhood Education | 11 | 8 | 7 | 8 | 9 |  |
| Electronic Technology | 2 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 1 |  |
| EMT-Paramedic | 4 | 4 | 14 | 11 | 8 |  |
| Environmental Reg, Safety, and Haz Mat | 7 | 7 | 4 | 6 | 6 |  |
| Fire Science Administration and Tech | 6 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 7 |  |
| Graphic Design | 13 | 17 | 11 | 9 | 8 |  |
| Health Information Management | 13 | 8 | 16 | 7 | 10 |  |
| Homeland Security \& Emergency Mgmt | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Law Enforcement Adm (CJI) | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Legal Assistance/Paralegal Studies | 13 | 8 | 11 | 11 | 5 |  |
| Nursing | 84 | 81 | 47 | 75 | 67 |  |
| Physical Therapist Assistant | 13 | 11 | 13 | 17 | 11 |  |
| Respiratory Therapist | 10 | 9 | 10 | 12 | 11 |  |
| TOTAL AAS Degrees | 245 | 227 | 223 | 263 | 214 | -19\% |
| Transfer Degrees |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Education AA | 218 | 205 | 201 | 176 | 151 |  |
| AS | 191 | 159 | 371 | 365 | 419 |  |
| AS-Agriculture | 9 | 11 | 9 | 15 | 17 |  |
| AS-Business | 35 | 33 | 27 | 31 | 32 |  |
| AS-Business Adm | 53 | 87 | 97 | 97 | 99 |  |
| AAT (Teaching) | 3 | - | - | - | - |  |
| TOTAL AA \& AS Degrees | 509 | 495 | 705 | 684 | 718 | 5\% |
| Associate of Fine Arts | - | - | 2 | 4 | 7 |  |
| General Studies | 28 | 31 | 18 | 46 | 62 |  |
| Total 2 Year Degrees* | 782 | 753 | 948 | 997 | 1,001 | 0\% |

*NOTE: This table reflects only students who completed degrees between July 1 and June 30 of each academic year

## Technical Certificates Awarded

By Academic Year

|  | 2015-16 | 2016-17 | 2017-18 | 2018-19 | 2019-20 | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Technical Certificates |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Accounting Technology | 0 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 1 |  |
| Artisanal Foods | - | - | - | 1 | 3 |  |
| Baking Arts | 4 | 3 | 9 | 13 | 10 |  |
| Business Management | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| CAD: Architectural Design | 1 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 1 |  |
| CAD: Civil/Landscape Design | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| CAD: Mechanical Design | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |  |
| Child Advocacy Studies | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 |  |
| Construction Technology | - | - | 5 | 10 | 4 |  |
| Criminal Justice | 1 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 2 |  |
| Culinary Arts | 7 | 7 | 11 | 7 | 23 |  |
| Early Childhood Education | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 7 |  |
| Dental Assisting | 12 | 9 | 6 | 12 | 17 |  |
| Emergency Medical Tech - Paramedic | 0 | 8 | 25 | 6 | 16 |  |
| Entrepreneurship | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 |  |
| Environmental Science | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Environmental Mgmt \& Reg Science | 0 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 0 |  |
| General Business | 0 | 9 | 5 | 8 | 8 |  |
| Graphic Design | 1 | 2 | 9 | 4 | 1 |  |
| Health Information Management | 13 | 9 | 17 | 7 | 13 |  |
| Homeland Security \& Emergency Mgmt | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Hospitality Management | 3 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 0 |  |
| Law Enforcement Adm (CJI) | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Logistics Management | 0 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 5 |  |
| Network \& Cyber Security | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 |  |
| Paraeducators of Special Needs Learners | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Pre-Health Care Studies | - | - | - | 85 | 139 |  |
| Pre-Radiologic Imaging Services | - | - | - | - | 1 |  |
| Retail Management | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 2 |  |
| Certificate of General Studies |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Studies | 4 | 151 | 15 | 158 | 161 |  |
| TOTAL Technical Certificates | 48 | 239 | 134 | 339 | 421 | 153\% |

*NOTE: This table reflects only students who completed degrees between July 1 and June 30 of each academic year

## Certificates of Proficiency Awarded

## By Academic Year

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2015-16 | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6 - 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 7 - 1 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 8 - 1 9}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 9 - 2 0}$ | \% Change |  |
| Certificates of Proficiency |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Artisinal Foods | - | - | - | - | 4 |  |
| Baking Arts | 1 | 3 | 14 | 13 | 15 |  |
| CAD: Architecture | 0 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 1 |  |
| CAD: Engineering | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| CAD: Mechanical Design | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Child Advocacy Studies | 2 | 4 | 9 | 8 | 5 |  |
| Child Dev Associate (CDA) Trai | 5 | 5 | 7 | 20 | 6 |  |
| Cinematic Studies | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |  |
| Construction Technology | - | - | 7 | 9 | 12 |  |
| Crime Prevention \& Correction | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |  |
| Crime Scene Investigation | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Criminal Justice | 1 | 5 | 5 | 11 | 7 |  |
| Culinary Arts | 7 | 8 | 12 | 12 | 24 |  |
| Dental Assistant | - | - | 13 | 33 | 8 |  |
| Electronics Technology | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |  |
| Emergency Medical Technolos | 59 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 4 |  |
| Environmental Science | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Environmental Mgmt/GIS Teq | 1 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |
| Fire Protection | - | - | - | 4 | 13 |  |
| Forensic Science | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Graphic Design | 2 | 8 | 12 | 13 | 9 |  |
| HVAC Apprentice | - | - | 5 | 3 | 1 |  |
| Homeland Security \& Emerger | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Horticulture | - | - | - | 2 | 0 |  |
| Hospitality Management | 5 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 0 |  |
| Law Enforcement | 2 | 1 | 16 | 6 | 3 |  |
| Law Enforcement Administrati | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Networking | 1 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Nursing Aide | - | - | - | 17 | 2 |  |
| Nursing Assistant | 1 | 2 | 28 | 13 | 31 |  |
| Pre-Health Sciences | 16 | 13 | 135 | 80 | 160 |  |
| Pre-Radiologic Imaging Service | - | - | - | - | 2 |  |
| Safety \& Health | 0 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 1 |  |
| Tax Specialist | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Workforce Readiness | 5 | 6 | 9 | 7 | 16 |  |
| Total Degrees and Certificates* | 944 | 1,083 | 1,380 | 1,602 | 1,749 | $\mathbf{1 6} \%$ |

*NOTE: This table reflects only students who completed degrees between July 1 and June 30 of each academic year

## Licensure and Certification Pass Rates

| Year | NWACC Exam Takers | \# of First Time NWACC Testers Passing Exam | NWACC Pass Rate Percentage | State <br> Average | National Average |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| National Council Licensure Examination - Registered Nurse |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2016 | 79 | 75 | 94.9\% | 91.0\% | 83.0\% |
| 2017 | 78 | 76 | 97.4\% | 84.9\% | 86.2\% |
| 2018 | 46 | 46 | 100.0\% | 81.9\% | 84.2\% |
| 2019 | 83 | 81 | 97.6\% | 84.7\% | 85.1\% |
| 2020 | 56 | 56 | 100.0\% | 79.9\% | 84.1\% |
| National Registry of EMT-Paramedic Licensure Examination |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2016 | 14 | 14 | 100.0\% | 66.0\% | 72.0\% |
| 2017 | 16 | 12 | 75.0\% | 61.0\% | 73.0\% |
| 2018 | 23 | 22 | 95.7\% | 70.0\% | 72.0\% |
| 2019 | 24 | 20 | 83.3\% | 73.0\% | 74.0\% |
| 2020 | 27 | 23 | 85.2\% | 58.0\% | 71.0\% |
| Arkansas Fire Academy Certification Examination |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2016 | 4 | 4 | 100.0\% | - | - |
| 2017 | 13 | 12 | 92.3\% | - | - |
| 2018 | 4 | 3 | 75.0\% | - | - |
| 2019 | 3 | 3 | 100.0\% | - |  |
| 2020 | 1 | 1 | 100.0\% | - |  |
| National Physical Therapist Assistant Exam (NTPAE) |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2016 | 11 | 10 | 90.9\% | - | 84.0\% |
| 2017 | 13 | 13 | 100.0\% | - | 85.0\% |
| 2018 | 17 | 17 | 100.0\% | - | 87.0\% |
| 2019 | 11 | 11 | 100.0\% | - | 83.0\% |
| 2020 | 12 | 12 | 100.0\% | - | 83.0\% |
| Registered Respiratory Therapist (WRRT/TMC-High Cut) Exam |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2016 | 8 | 8 | 100.0\% | - | 54.8\% |
| 2017 | 9 | 9 | 100.0\% | - | 72.1\% |
| 2018 | 9 | 9 | 100.0\% | - | 71.9\% |
| 2019 | 12 | 10 | 83.3\% | - | 69.2\% |
| 2020 | 11 | 10 | 90.9\% | - | 71.8\% |
| Certified Nursing Assistant |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2018 | 45 | 42 | 93.3\% | - | - |
| 2019 | 65 | 58 | 89.2\% | - | - |
| 2020 | 38 | 37 | 97.4\% | - | - |

## Student Semester Credit Hour Production by CIP Code

by Academic Year


Source: ADHE SIS Database
CIP Code: US Department of Education's 'Classification of Instructional Programs'

## Number of Sections of Courses Offered / Number of Faculty

## Fall Semester

| Fall | Sections <br> Offered | One Year \% <br> Growth | Five Year \% <br> Growth | Number of Teaching <br> Faculty | One Year \% <br> Growth | Five Year \% <br> Growth | Average Class <br> Size |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | 1,225 | $0.8 \%$ | $0.7 \%$ | 459 | $-4.4 \%$ | $-2.8 \%$ | 17.2 |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | 1,205 | $-1.6 \%$ | $-3.3 \%$ | 444 | $-3.3 \%$ | $-9.6 \%$ | 17.3 |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ | 1,249 | $3.7 \%$ | $2.4 \%$ | 431 | $-2.9 \%$ | $-9.5 \%$ | 17.3 |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 9}$ | 1,326 | $6.2 \%$ | $9.1 \%$ | 460 | $6.7 \%$ | $-4.2 \%$ | 17.0 |
| $\mathbf{2 0 2 0}$ | 1,204 | $-9.2 \%$ | $-0.6 \%$ | 426 | $-7.4 \%$ | $-12.0 \%$ | 18.7 |



NOTE: Average class size includes independent study and college courses offered on high school campuses.

## Credit Hours Taught by Full Time \& Part Time Faculty

Fall Semester

| Fall | Full Time <br> Faculty | FT Cr Hr | \% Taught by <br> FT | Part Time <br> Faculty | PTCr Hrs | \% Taught by <br> PT | Other FT <br> Teaching* | Other Cr <br> Hrs | \% Taught by <br> Other |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | 141 | 1,864 | $48.7 \%$ | 306 | 1,902 | $49.7 \%$ | 12 | 60 | $1.6 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | 145 | 1,894 | $51.4 \%$ | 283 | 1,725 | $46.8 \%$ | 16 | 66 | $1.8 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ | 145 | 1,950 | $51.8 \%$ | 270 | 1,765 | $46.9 \%$ | 15 | 47 | $1.2 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 9}$ | 158 | 2,020 | $52.2 \%$ | 291 | 1,820 | $47.0 \%$ | 11 | 33 | $0.9 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 2 0}$ | 143 | 2,130 | $51.8 \%$ | 270 | 1,920 | $46.7 \%$ | 13 | 65 | $1.6 \%$ |



*Other FT Teaching-Administrative and support personnel who taught class(es)

## Workforce \& Economic Development

## By Academic Year

|  | Headcount <br> (unduplicated) | Registrations | Sections | Businesses <br> Served |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2015 | 2,638 | 3,381 | 354 | 106 |
| 2016 | 3,625 | 4,320 | 347 | 61 |
| 2017 | 2,598 | 3,318 | 367 | 60 |
| 2018 | 2,421 | 2,992 | 351 | 52 |
| $2019^{*}$ | 837 | 1,209 | 146 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| $2020^{*}$ | 629 | 974 | 65 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |



[^1]
## Adult Education Enrollment

Adult Education offers non-credit classes designed to teach and review academic skills culminating with preparation for taking the High School Equivalence (GED) test battery. Other areas such as English as a Second Language (ESL) and computers are also offered.

| Program | 2015-16 | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6 - 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 7 - 1 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 8 - 1 9}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 9 - 2 0}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Adult Basic Education | 686 | 633 | 517 | 482 | 411 |
| English as a Second Language | 909 | 811 | 1,057 | 883 | 746 |
| Adult Secondary Education | 279 | 264 | 222 | 258 | 253 |
| Total Students Served | 1,874 | 1,708 | 1,796 | 1,623 | 1,410 |
| Total GEDs Awarded | 135 | 193 | 177 | 139 | 131 |



## Headcount Enrollment Summary

Fall 2019 and Fall 2020

*NOTE: Average and Median Age figures do not include High School Students

Historical Headcount Summary
Fall 1990 to Fall 2019

| Year | Total Headcount | Additional Students | Total \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1990 | 1,232 |  |  |
| 1991 | 1,632 | 400 | 32.5\% |
| 1992 | 1,889 | 257 | 15.7\% |
| 1993 | 1,972 | 83 | 4.4\% |
| 1994 | 2,037 | 65 | 3.3\% |
| 1995 | 2,244 | 207 | 10.2\% |
| 1996 | 2,941 | 697 | 31.1\% |
| 1997 | 3,240 | 299 | 10.2\% |
| 1998 | 3,542 | 302 | 9.3\% |
| 1999 | 3,923 | 381 | 10.8\% |
| 2000 | 4,058 | 135 | 3.4\% |
| 2001 | 4,292 | 234 | 5.8\% |
| 2002 | 4,731 | 439 | 10.2\% |
| 2003 | 4,915 | 184 | 3.9\% |
| 2004 | 5,266 | 351 | 7.1\% |
| 2005 | 5,467 | 201 | 3.8\% |
| 2006 | 5,732 | 265 | 4.8\% |
| 2007 | 6,470 | 738 | 12.9\% |
| 2008 | 7,216 | 746 | 11.5\% |
| 2009 | 8,006 | 790 | 10.9\% |
| 2010 | 8,365 | 359 | 4.5\% |
| 2011 | 8,528 | 163 | 1.9\% |
| 2012 | 8,341 | (187) | -2.2\% |
| 2013 | 8,020 | (321) | -3.8\% |
| 2014 | 8,098 | 78 | 1.0\% |
| 2015 | 7,744 | (354) | -4.4\% |
| 2016 | 7,761 | 17 | 0.2\% |
| 2017 | 7,715 | (46) | -0.6\% |
| 2018 | 7,979 | 264 | 3.4\% |
| 2019 | 8,383 | 404 | 5.1\% |
| 2020 | 7,411 | (972) | -11.6\% |

[^2]

## Headcount Enrollment by Semester

| Year | Fall Headcount* | Fall to Fall \% Change | Spring <br> Headcount* | Sp to Sp <br> \% Change | Summer I <br> Headcount | Summer II Headcount | Total Summer | Summer <br> \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 16-17 | 7,761 | 0.2\% | 7,156 | 1.8\% | 2,446 | 1,128 | 3,574 | 3.7\% |
| 17-18 | 7,715 | -0.6\% | 7,079 | -1.1\% | 2,385 | 1,175 | 3,560 | -0.4\% |
| 18-19 | 7,979 | 3.4\% | 7,351 | 3.8\% | 2,240 | 969 | 3,209 | -9.9\% |
| 19-20 | 8,383 | 5.1\% | 7,357 | 0.1\% | 2,201 | 775 | 2,976 | -7.3\% |
| 20-21 | 7,411 | -11.6\% |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Fall Headcount


Spring Headcount


Summer Headcount


[^3]
## Headcount by Student Type

## Fall Semester

|  | New Freshmen |  |  | Transfer Students |  |  | Continuing Students |  |  | Readmitted Students |  |  | Visiting Students |  |  | High School Students |  |  | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fall | Count | \% of <br> Total | Percent Change | Count | \% | Percent Change | Count | \% | Percent Change | Count | \% | Percent Change | Count | \% | Percent <br> Change | Count | \% | Percent <br> Change |  |
| 2016 | 1,486 | 19.1\% | 3.6\% | 575 | 7.4\% | -19.9\% | 3,359 | 43.3\% | -2.4\% | 697 | 9.0\% | -3.2\% | 269 | 3.5\% | 8.9\% | 1,375 | 17.7\% | 16.3\% | 7,761 |
| 2017 | 1,425 | 18.5\% | -4.1\% | 581 | 7.5\% | 1.0\% | 3,399 | 44.1\% | 1.2\% | 653 | 8.5\% | -6.3\% | 230 | 3.0\% | -14.5\% | 1,427 | 18.5\% | 3.8\% | 7,715 |
| 2018 | 1,520 | 19.1\% | 6.7\% | 630 | 7.9\% | 8.4\% | 3,245 | 40.7\% | -4.5\% | 643 | 8.1\% | -1.5\% | 228 | 2.9\% | -0.9\% | 1,713 | 21.5\% | 20.0\% | 7,979 |
| 2019 | 1,790 | 21.4\% | 17.8\% | 564 | 6.7\% | -10.5\% | 3,148 | 37.6\% | -3.0\% | 690 | 8.2\% | 7.3\% | 283 | 3.4\% | 24.1\% | 1,908 | 22.8\% | 11.4\% | 8,383 |
| 2020 | 1,314 | 17.73\% | -26.6\% | 414 | 5.59\% | -26.6\% | 2,983 | 40.25\% | -5.2\% | 559 | 7.54\% | -19.0\% | 227 | 3.1\% | -19.8\% | 1,914 | 25.83\% | 0.3\% | 7,411 |



New Freshmen: First-time entering undergraduate
Transfer: First Semester transfers to NWACC from another college or university
Continuing: Continued enrollment from previous semester
Readmitted: Enrolled at NWACC after not attending the previous semester
Visiting: Students of another college/university 'visiting' NWACC to receive credit to transfer back (added in 2014)
High School: Students still enrolled in High School

## Headcount by Majors - 2 Year Degrees

## Fall Semester

| Major | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| AAS Degrees |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business Management | 275 | 216 | 205 | 140 | 132 |
| Cert Respiratory Therapist | 19 | 25 | 29 | 28 | 29 |
| Computer Aided Drafting | 15 | 19 | 54 | 43 | 45 |
| Computer Info Systems | 135 | 133 | 127 | 128 | 119 |
| Construction Technology | 31 | 53 | 69 | 77 | 70 |
| Crime Scene Investigation | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Criminal Justice | 91 | 90 | 50 | 57 | 55 |
| Early Childhood Education | 81 | 71 | 59 | 49 | 65 |
| Electronics Technology | 12 | 17 | 16 | 12 | 11 |
| EMT-Paramedic | 60 | 37 | 25 | 6 | 39 |
| Environmental Regulations,... | 25 | 21 | 22 | 19 | 16 |
| Fire Science | 39 | 58 | 32 | 27 | 25 |
| Food Studies | 122 | 140 | 150 | 158 | 93 |
| Graphic Design | 82 | 77 | 76 | 77 | 77 |
| Health Information Mgmt | 36 | 32 | 29 | 37 | 34 |
| Homeland Security \& Emg Mgmt | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Law Enforcement Adm | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nursing | 104 | 113 | 81 | 149 | 122 |
| Paralegal | 52 | 45 | 41 | 49 | 39 |
| Physical Therapy Assistant | 14 | 25 | 7 | 19 | 15 |
| TOTAL AAS | 1,197 | 1,173 | 1,072 | 1,075 | 986 |
| Transfer Degrees |  |  |  |  |  |
| AA | 1,299 | 882 | 513 | 334 | 211 |
| AS | 1,098 | 1,653 | 2,173 | 2,491 | 2,015 |
| Agricultural, Life Science | 80 | 128 | 126 | 98 | 85 |
| Business | 1,016 | 980 | 1,040 | 1,030 | 864 |
| AAT | 5 | - | - | - | - |
| TOTAL Transfer Degrees | 3,498 | 3,643 | 3,852 | 3,953 | 3,175 |
| General Studies (AGS) <br> AFA (Fine Arts) | $\begin{gathered} 915 \\ 45 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 721 \\ 55 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 556 \\ 49 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 294 \\ 54 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 110 \\ 48 \end{gathered}$ |
| Undeclared | 116 | 98 | 47 | 298 | 208 |
| Non-degree seeking | 1,790 | 1,839 | 1,870 | 1,893 | 2,056 |

Note: Associate of General Studies majors include students working toward (but not admitted to) selective admissions programs such as Nursing.

## Headcount by Majors - Certificates

Fall Semester

| Major | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Technical Certificates |  |  |  |  |  |
| Accounting Technology | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| Artisanal Foods | - | - | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Baking Arts | 4 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Beverage Arts | - | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Business Management | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CAD | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Child Advocacy Studies | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Construction Technology | - | - | 1 | 3 | 3 |
| Criminal Justice | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Culinary Arts | 5 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Dental Assisting | 57 | 25 | 18 | 21 | 22 |
| Early Childhood Education | - | - | 1 | 3 | 5 |
| EMT-Paramedic Cert | 25 | 21 | 15 | 18 | 9 |
| Entrepreneurship | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Environmental Mgmt | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Environmental Reg Science | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Event Planning | - | - | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Funeral Science | 5 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 3 |
| General Business | 6 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 10 |
| Graphic Design | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Health Information Mgmt | - | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Horticulture | - | - | - | 1 | 2 |
| Hospitality Management | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Integrated Design | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| Logistic Management | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Media | - | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Networking-Cyber Tech | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Pre-Health Sciences | - | - | 284 | 542 | 639 |
| Pre-Radiologic Imaging Services | - | - | - | - | 4 |
| Retail Management | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Certificates of Proficiency |  |  |  |  |  |
| Artisanal Foods | - | - | - | 2 | 0 |
| Baking Arts | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 3 |
| CAD | 28 | 36 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| CDA Training | 8 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Child Advocacy Studies | 1 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| Cinematic Studies | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 6 |
| Community Paramedicine | - | - | - | - | 3 |
| Computer Networking | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Construction Technology | - | - | - | 2 | 5 |
| Crime Prevention \& Corr | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Criminal Justice | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Culinary Arts | 2 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 4 |
| Dental Assisting | - | - | 23 | 18 | 1 |
| Early Childhood Development | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | 0 |
| Electronics Technology | - | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| EMT Basic | 11 | 18 | 24 | 54 | 46 |
| Environmental Mgmt-GIS | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | 0 |
| Fire Protection | - | - | - | 1 | 0 |
| Forensic Science | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Graphic Design | 2 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 1 |
| Horticulture | - | - | - | - | 3 |
| Hospitality Management | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| HVAC Apprentice | - | - | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Law Enforcement | 1 | 0 | 22 | 27 | 1 |
| Media | - | - | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Nursing Aide | - | - | - | 38 | 0 |
| Nursing Assistant | 0 | 12 | 68 | 3 | 8 |
| Pre-Health Sciences | 10 | 24 | 14 | 16 | 12 |
| Safety \& Health | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Workforce Readiness | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| General Studies |  |  |  |  |  |
| Certificate | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL Certificates | 200 | 186 | 533 | 816 | 828 |

## Headcount by Race/Ethnicity

## Fall Semester

|  | 2016 |  | 2017 |  | 2018 |  | 2019 |  | 2020 |  |  | 5 Year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | $\begin{gathered} \% \text { of } \\ \text { Total } \end{gathered}$ | Total | \% of <br> Total | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { Total } \end{aligned}$ | Total | $\begin{gathered} \% \text { of } \\ \text { Total } \end{gathered}$ | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { Total } \end{aligned}$ | \% Change | \% Change |
| Hispanic or Latino Ethnicity | 1,310 | 16.9\% | 1,234 | 16.0\% | 1,730 | 21.7\% | 1,895 | 22.6\% | 1,651 | 22.3\% | -4.6\% | 29.4\% |
| Non-Hispanic Ethnicity |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Am Indian or Alaska Native | 147 | 1.9\% | 163 | 2.1\% | 98 | 1.2\% | 97 | 1.2\% | 86 | 1.2\% | -12.2\% | -43.4\% |
| Asian | 254 | 3.3\% | 221 | 2.9\% | 228 | 2.9\% | 245 | 2.9\% | 236 | 3.2\% | 3.5\% | 15.7\% |
| Black or African American | 192 | 2.5\% | 192 | 2.5\% | 190 | 2.4\% | 205 | 2.4\% | 180 | 2.4\% | -5.3\% | -6.7\% |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 28 | 0.4\% | 27 | 0.3\% | 32 | 0.4\% | 41 | 0.5\% | 39 | 0.5\% | 21.9\% | 50.0\% |
| White | 5,200 | 67.0\% | 5,222 | 67.7\% | 5,063 | 63.5\% | 5,304 | 63.3\% | 4,519 | 61.0\% | -10.7\% | -12.9\% |
| 2 or more Races | 237 | 3.1\% | 255 | 3.3\% | 341 | 4.3\% | 377 | 4.5\% | 379 | 5.1\% | 11.1\% | 94.4\% |
| Unknown | 234 | 3.0\% | 263 | 3.4\% | 175 | 2.2\% | 114 | 1.4\% | 268 | 3.6\% | 53.1\% | -23.9\% |
| Non-Resident Alien | 159 | 2.0\% | 138 | 1.8\% | 122 | 1.5\% | 105 | 1.3\% | 53 | 0.7\% | -56.6\% | -66.9\% |
| Total | 7,761 |  | 7,715 |  | 7,979 |  | 8,383 |  | 7,411 |  |  |  |

## Headcount by County of Residency

## Fall Semester

| Fall | Benton County |  | Washington County |  | Other Arkansas |  | Out of State |  | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Count | \% of Total | Count | \% of Total | Count | \% of Total | Count | \% of Total |  |
| 2016 | 4,214 | 54.3\% | 2,841 | 36.6\% | 468 | 6.0\% | 238 | 3.1\% | 7,761 |
| 2017 | 4,178 | 54.2\% | 2,762 | 35.8\% | 333 | 4.3\% | 442 | 5.7\% | 7,715 |
| 2018 | 4,336 | 54.3\% | 2,878 | 36.1\% | 340 | 4.3\% | 425 | 5.3\% | 7,979 |
| 2019 | 4,513 | 53.8\% | 3,058 | 36.5\% | 370 | 4.4\% | 442 | 5.3\% | 8,383 |
| 2020 | 4,013 | 54.1\% | 2,660 | 35.9\% | 333 | 4.5\% | 405 | 5.5\% | 7,411 |



## Washington County Facilities Enrollment

## Credit Courses

| Term | Fall 2016 |  | Fall 2017 |  | Fall 2018 |  | Fall 2019 |  | Fall 2020 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Count | \% of Total | Count | \% of Total | Count | \% of Total | Count | \% of Total | Count | \% of Total |
| Headcount | 1,157 | 14.9\% | 895 | 11.6\% | 739 | 9.5\% | 738 | 9.5\% | 249 | 3.2\% |
| Females | 586 | 50.6\% | 469 | 52.4\% | 418 | 56.6\% | 426 | 57.7\% | 184 | 73.9\% |
| Males | 571 | 49.4\% | 426 | 47.6\% | 321 | 43.4\% | 312 | 42.3\% | 65 | 26.1\% |
| Enrollment Status |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Student | 380 | 32.8\% | 311 | 34.7\% | 266 | 36.0\% | 324 | 43.9\% | 86 | 34.5\% |
| New Transfer | 94 | 8.1\% | 72 | 8.0\% | 71 | 9.6\% | 44 | 6.0\% | 16 | 6.4\% |
| Readmitted | 90 | 7.8\% | 53 | 5.9\% | 47 | 6.4\% | 62 | 8.4\% | 18 | 7.2\% |
| Continuing | 478 | 41.3\% | 358 | 40.0\% | 284 | 38.4\% | 195 | 26.4\% | 110 | 44.2\% |
| Concurrent | 72 | 6.2\% | 69 | 7.7\% | 62 | 8.4\% | 90 | 12.2\% | 16 | 6.4\% |
| Visiting | 43 | 3.7\% | 31 | 3.5\% | 9 | 1.2\% | 23 | 3.1\% | 3 | 1.2\% |
| Special | 0 | 0.0\% | 1 | 0.1\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 0 | 0.0\% |
| County of Residence |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Washington | 841 | 72.7\% | 676 | 75.5\% | 578 | 78.2\% | 530 | 71.8\% | 178 | 71.5\% |
| Benton | 179 | 15.5\% | 126 | 14.1\% | 88 | 11.9\% | 115 | 15.6\% | 48 | 19.3\% |
| Madison | 20 | 1.7\% | 12 | 1.3\% | 8 | 1.1\% | 11 | 1.5\% | 5 | 2.0\% |
| Carroll | 2 | 0.2\% | 6 | 0.7\% | 8 | 1.1\% | 1 | 0.1\% | 1 | 0.4\% |
| Other | 115 | 9.9\% | 75 | 8.4\% | 57 | 7.7\% | 81 | 11.0\% | 17 | 6.8\% |
| Enrolled in only Washington County | 347 | 30.0\% | 261 | 29.2\% | 146 | 19.8\% | 203 | 27.5\% | 54 | 21.7\% |

Washington County Facilities:
NWACC-Washington County, NTI, RTC, AATC, Washington County Sheriff's Office, Jones Center for Families, Greenland High School, Farmington High School, UAF Does not include Step Ahead students taking classes at their respective high schools.

## Headcount Enrollment by Tuition Status

## by Fall Semester

|  | In-District |  | Out-of-District |  | Out of State |  | Contiguous |  | International |  | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fall | Count | Percent | Count | Percent | Count | Percent | Count | Percent | Count | Percent |  |
| 2016 | 3,451 | 44.5\% | 3,612 | 46.5\% | 469 | 6.0\% | 61 | 0.8\% | 168 | 2.2\% | 7,761 |
| 2017 | 3,366 | 43.6\% | 3,674 | 47.6\% | 504 | 6.5\% | 38 | 0.5\% | 133 | 1.7\% | 7,715 |
| 2018 | 3,521 | 44.1\% | 3,774 | 47.3\% | 532 | 6.7\% | 49 | 0.6\% | 103 | 1.3\% | 7,979 |
| 2019 | 3,698 | 44.1\% | 4,031 | 48.1\% | 503 | 6.0\% | 61 | 0.7\% | 90 | 1.1\% | 8,383 |
| 2020 | 3,346 | 45.1\% | 3,597 | 48.5\% | 341 | 4.6\% | 71 | 1.0\% | 56 | 0.8\% | 7,411 |



Tuition status as defined by the institution:
In-District: Student must live in the Bentonville or Rogers School District for 6 months prior to the first day of classes Out-of-District: Student must have lived within the State of Arkansas for 6 months prior to the first day of classes

Out-of-state: Student must be a citizen of the United States
International: Student who is not a US citizen or legal resident
Contiguous: Live in Mo or OK counties that border Benton County

## Student Semester Credit Hours

by Semester

|  | Fall |  |  | Spring |  | Summer |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | SSCH* $^{*}$ | Fall to Fall <br> \% Change | SSCH* $^{*}$ | Sp to Sp <br> \% Change | Summer I <br> SSCH | Summer II <br> SSCH | Total Summer <br> \% Change |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 6 - 1 7}$ | 65,917 | $1.1 \%$ | 59,895 | $2.0 \%$ | 10,890 | 4,331 |  |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 7 - 1 8}$ | 65,078 | $-1.3 \%$ | 58,387 | $-2.5 \%$ | 10,791 | $4.3 \%$ |  |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 8 - 1 9}$ | 66,671 | $2.4 \%$ | 58,777 | $0.7 \%$ | 10,126 | 3,841 | $-3.9 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 9 - 2 0}$ | 68,274 | $2.4 \%$ | 58,326 | $-0.8 \%$ | 10,781 | 3,499 | $-6.9 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 9 - 2 0}$ | 58,849 | $-13.8 \%$ |  |  |  | $4.8 \%$ |  |





[^4]
## Student Semester Credit Hours by Tuition Status

|  | In-District |  | Out-of-District |  | Out of State |  | Total SSCH |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Count | Percent | Count | Percent | Count | Percent |  |
| Fall 2016 | 28,670 | $43.5 \%$ | 30,588 | $46.4 \%$ | 6,659 | $10.1 \%$ | 65,917 |
| Spring 2017 | 25,970 | $43.4 \%$ | 27,623 | $46.1 \%$ | 6,302 | $10.5 \%$ | 59,895 |
| Fall 2017 | 28,164 | $43.3 \%$ | 30,391 | $46.7 \%$ | 6,525 | $10.0 \%$ | 65,080 |
| Spring 2018 | 25,468 | $43.6 \%$ | 27,463 | $47.0 \%$ | 5,456 | $9.3 \%$ | 58,387 |
| Fall 2018 | 28,785 | $43.2 \%$ | 31,567 | $47.3 \%$ | 6,319 | $9.5 \%$ | 66,671 |
| Spring 2019 | 25,940 | $44.1 \%$ | 27,730 | $47.2 \%$ | 5,107 | $8.7 \%$ | 58,777 |
| Fall 2019 | 30,150 | $44.2 \%$ | 32,062 | $47.0 \%$ | 6,062 | $8.9 \%$ | 68,274 |
| Spring 2020 | 25,686 | $44.0 \%$ | 27,910 | $47.9 \%$ | 4,730 | $8.1 \%$ | 58,326 |
| Fall 2020 | 26,439 | $44.9 \%$ | 28,459 | $48.4 \%$ | 3,951 | $6.7 \%$ | 58,849 |


$\multimap$ In-District $\quad \simeq$ Out-of-District Out of State
*Fall and Spring off-schedule classes (such as Late Start and second 8-week) are not included to more accurately compare between semesters

## Student Semester Credit Hour (SSCH) and Full Time Equivalent (FTE)

by Fall Semester


FTE is derived from the total student semester credit hours (SSCH) divided by 15.

## Annual Student Semester Credit Hour (SSCH) \& Full Time Equivalent (FTE)

## by Academic Year and Location Taught

| Academic <br> Year | In-District <br> SSCH | Out-District <br> SSCH | Distance Learning <br> SSCH | Total <br> SSCH | Total <br> FTE | \% Change <br> FTE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 5 - 1 6}$ | 93,352 | 14,908 | 38,236 | 146,496 | 4,883 | $-4.9 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 6 - 1 7}$ | 93,832 | 14,423 | 41,296 | 149,551 | 4,985 | $2.1 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 7 - 1 8}$ | 94,061 | 12,071 | 42,388 | 148,520 | 4,951 | $-0.7 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 8 - 1 9}$ | 92,958 | 10,775 | 45,779 | 149,512 | 4,984 | $0.7 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 9 - 2 0}$ | 84,510 | 13,668 | 53,332 | 151,510 | 5,050 | $\mathbf{1 . 3 \%}$ |



Includes all credit hours (on-schedule and off-schedule) for reporting year

2019-20

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## High Schools in NWACC Service Area

Benton County High Schools

| High School | $\begin{aligned} & 2017 \\ & \text { Grads } \end{aligned}$ | Attended NWACC Fall 2017 | \% at NWACC <br> Fall 2017 | $\begin{gathered} 2018 \\ \text { Seniors } \end{gathered}$ | Attended NWACC Fall 2018 | $\%$ at NWACC Fall 2018 | $\begin{gathered} 2019 \\ \text { Seniors } \end{gathered}$ | Attended NWACC Fall 2019 | \% at NWACC Fall 2019 | $\begin{gathered} 2020 \\ \text { Seniors } \end{gathered}$ | Attended NWACC Fall 2020 | \% at NWACC Fall 2019 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bentonville | 1,060 | 167 | 15.75\% | 768 | 120 | 15.63\% | 726 | 132 | 18.18\% | 725 | 106 | 14.62\% |
| Bentonville West | - | - | - | 376 | 72 | 19.15\% | 418 | 82 | 19.62\% | 492 | 92 | 18.70\% |
| Decatur | 27 | 1 | 3.70\% | 35 | 6 | 17.14\% | 32 | 3 | 9.38\% | 35 | 2 | 5.71\% |
| Gentry | 101 | 13 | 12.87\% | 91 | 13 | 14.29\% | 117 | 15 | 12.82\% | 119 | 15 | 12.61\% |
| Gravette | 125 | 25 | 20.00\% | 139 | 25 | 17.99\% | 120 | 17 | 14.17\% | 128 | 18 | 14.06\% |
| Pea Ridge | 91 | 20 | 21.98\% | 78 | 20 | 25.64\% | 93 | 20 | 21.51\% | 164 | 19 | 11.59\% |
| Pea Ridge Manu \& Bus | 63 | 5 | 7.94\% | 54 | 3 | 5.56\% | 56 | 7 | 12.50\% | 0 | 0 |  |
| Rogers Heritage | 428 | 71 | 16.59\% | 418 | 75 | 17.94\% | 435 | 96 | 22.07\% | 478 | 89 | 18.62\% |
| Rogers New Tech | 106 | 30 | 28.30\% | 99 | 36 | 36.36\% | 174 | 54 | 31.03\% | 159 | 41 | 25.79\% |
| Rogers | 473 | 106 | 22.41\% | 451 | 103 | 22.84\% | 517 | 119 | 23.02\% | 544 | 88 | 16.18\% |
| Siloam Springs | 303 | 49 | 16.17\% | 302 | 31 | 10.26\% | 309 | 40 | 12.94\% | 321 | 28 | 8.72\% |
| Totals from Benton County High Schools | 2,777 | 487 | 17.54\% | 2,811 | 504 | 17.93\% | 2,997 | 585 | 19.52\% | 3,165 | 498 | 15.73\% |

Washington County High Schools

| High School | $\begin{gathered} 2017 \\ \text { Grads } \end{gathered}$ | Attended NWACC Fall 2017 | \% at NWACC Fall 2017 | $\begin{gathered} 2018 \\ \text { Seniors } \end{gathered}$ | Attended NWACC Fall 2018 | $\%$ at NWACC Fall 2018 | $\begin{gathered} 2019 \\ \text { Seniors } \end{gathered}$ | Attended NWACC Fall 2019 | $\%$ at NWACC Fall 2019 | $\begin{gathered} 2020 \\ \text { Seniors } \end{gathered}$ | Attended NWACC Fall 2020 | \% at NWACC Fall 2019 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Elkins | 82 | 12 | 14.63\% | 103 | 12 | 11.65\% | 101 | 9 | 8.91\% | 90 | 12 | 13.33\% |
| Farmington | 178 | 23 | 12.92\% | 160 | 26 | 16.25\% | 183 | 37 | 20.22\% | 187 | 30 | 16.04\% |
| Fayetteville | 655 | 49 | 7.48\% | 699 | 56 | 8.01\% | 533 | 72 | 13.51\% | 498 | 45 | 9.04\% |
| Greenland | 61 | 3 | 4.92\% | 62 | 11 | 17.74\% | 63 | 8 | 12.70\% | 59 | 10 | 16.95\% |
| Lincoln | 95 | 4 | 4.21\% | 89 | 12 | 13.48\% | 99 | 13 | 13.13\% | 74 | 3 | 4.05\% |
| Prairie Grove | 139 | 15 | 10.79\% | 134 | 24 | 17.91\% | 151 | 21 | 13.91\% | 126 | 8 | 6.35\% |
| Springdale SOI | - | - | - | - | - | - | 127 | 37 | 29.13\% | 122 | 23 | 18.85\% |
| Springdale Har-Ber | 676 | 104 | 15.38\% | 691 | 118 | 17.08\% | 695 | 129 | 18.56\% | 660 | 90 | 13.64\% |
| Springdale High | 651 | 123 | 18.89\% | 646 | 127 | 19.66\% | 578 | 122 | 21.11\% | 681 | 69 | 10.13\% |
| West Fork | 75 | 4 | 5.33\% | 79 | 10 | 12.66\% | 60 | 5 | 8.33\% | 90 | 6 | 6.67\% |
| Totals from Washington County High Schools | 2,612 | 337 | 12.90\% | 2,663 | 396 | 14.87\% | 2,590 | 453 | 17.49\% | 2,587 | 296 | 11.44\% |

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## Early College Experience

NWACC works as a partner with local high schools to offer students the opportunity to take college credit courses and experience the rigors of college study prior to graduation.

| Headcount by High School |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fall 2017 |  | Fall 2018 |  | Fall 2019 |  | Fall 2020 |  |
| School | HC | SSCH | HC | SSCH | HC | SSCH | HC | SSCH |
| Bentonville School District | 256 | 921 | 403 | 1,393 | 492 | 2,124 | 611 | 2,555 |
| Bentonville | 187 | 687 | 265 | 896 | 320 | 1,430 | 384 | 1,566 |
| Bentonville West | 69 | 234 | 138 | 497 | 172 | 694 | 227 | 989 |
| Decatur | 14 | 55 | 13 | 83 | 15 | 63 | 15 | 57 |
| Elkins | 12 | 43 | 12 | 48 | 11 | 33 | 12 | 49 |
| Farmington | 41 | 241 | 64 | 236 | 63 | 364 | 42 | 195 |
| Fayetteville | 98 | 396 | 144 | 622 | 189 | 734 | 183 | 734 |
| Gentry | 36 | 176 | 47 | 189 | 43 | 195 | 33 | 141 |
| Gravette | 42 | 174 | 39 | 133 | 42 | 162 | 38 | 120 |
| Greenland | 19 | 90 | 20 | 91 | 28 | 114 | 10 | 39 |
| Lincoln | - |  |  |  | 5 | 45 | 16 | 51 |
| Pea Ridge School District | 72 | 219 | 103 | 369 | 85 | 363 |  |  |
| Pea Ridge High School | 15 | 45 | 26 | 150 | 85 | 363 | 57 | 261 |
| Pea Ridge Manu \& Bus Aca | 57 | 174 | 77 | 219 |  |  |  |  |
| Prairie Grove | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | - | - | 3 | 10 |
| Rogers School District | 289 | 2,291 | 349 | 2,701 | 368 | 2,520 |  |  |
| Rogers | 142 | 968 | 133 | 983 | 127 | 829 | 128 | 665 |
| Rogers Heritage | 90 | 707 | 116 | 778 | 179 | 1,038 | 154 | 933 |
| Rogers New Tech | 57 | 616 | 100 | 940 | 62 | 653 | 39 | 406 |
| Crossroads |  | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Siloam Springs | 50 | 193 | 53 | 208 | 83 | 297 | 52 | 225 |
| Springdale School District | 170 | 788 | 284 | 1,445 | 244 | 1,153 |  |  |
| Springdale | 34 | 159 | 52 | 350 | 51 | 201 | 55 | 200 |
| Springdale Har-Ber | 101 | 439 | 107 | 507 | 83 | 345 | 118 | 487 |
| Springdale School of Innov | 35 | 190 | 125 | 588 | 110 | 607 | 118 | 700 |
| West Fork | 7 | 27 | 19 | 98 | 42 | 286 | 35 | 254 |
| Private Schools |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Arkansas Arts Academy | 17 | 78 | 8 | 27 | 12 | 54 | 13 | 57 |
| Fayetteville Christian | 1 | 3 | - |  | 2 | 7 |  |  |
| Lifeway Christian | 49 | 211 | 28 | 84 | 17 | 51 | 2 | 6 |
| Prism Education Center | 1 | 3 | 2 | 16 | 10 | 49 | 1 | 10 |
| Shiloh Christian | 108 | 704 | 95 | 525 | 72 | 348 | 90 | 498 |
| TOTAL | 1,283 | 6,616 | 1,684 | 8,271 | 1,818 | 8,917 | 1,825 | 8,653 |

## Early College Experience-Secondary Career and Tech Centers

## Partnership with Secondary Career and Technical Center

Through a partnership between Northwest Technical Institute (NTI) and NorthWest Arkansas Community College, Early College Experience provides access to high quality Career and Technical programs. Students can earn high school and college credit in Criminal Justice, Dental Assisting, Certified Nursing Assistant, and Patient Care Assisting.

## Headcount by Program

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Program | Fall 2016 | Fall 2017 | Fall 2018 | Fall 2019 | Fall 2020 |
| Criminal Justice | 15 | 23 | 20 | 19 | 11 |
| Dental | 39 | 12 | 20 | 9 | 12 |
| HVAC | - | - | 7 | - | - |
| Medical Professions | 34 | 27 | 60 | 23 | 15 |
| Total Enrollment | 88 | $\mathbf{6 2}$ | 107 | 51 | $\mathbf{3 8}$ |
| SSCH | 392 | $\mathbf{4 1 0}$ | 537 | 316 | 138 |

## First Time Freshmen* Requiring Developmental Course Work

|  | Fall 2016 |  | Fall 2017 |  | Fall 2018 |  | Fall 2019 |  | Fall 2020 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Number of First-time Students | 1,486 |  | 1,417 |  | 1,512 |  | 1,790 |  | 1,314 |  |
| MATH |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number Requiring Remediation | 907 | 61.0\% | 743 | 52.4\% | 855 | 56.5\% | 825 | 46.1\% | 656 | 49.9\% |
| ENGLISH |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number Requiring Remediation | 536 | 36.1\% | 511 | 36.1\% | 513 | 33.9\% | 761 | 42.5\% | 557 | 42.4\% |
| READING |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number Requiring Remediation | 416 | 28.0\% | 426 | 30.1\% | 470 | 31.1\% | 566 | 31.6\% | 423 | 32.2\% |
| ANY DEVELOPMENTAL PLACEMENT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number Requiring Remediation | 1,024 | 68.9\% | 890 | 62.8\% | 989 | 65.4\% | 1,112 | 62.1\% | 844 | 64.2\% |
| DEVELOPMENTAL PLACEMENT in 3 AREAS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number Requiring Remediation | 293 | 19.7\% | 246 | 17.4\% | 309 | 20.4\% | 355 | 19.8\% | 290 | 22.1\% |


*First time Freshmen are students who have not attended college since high school graduation - not all were tested.
2019-Began using new test, Accuplacer-Next Generation
2017 - New testing standards
(ACT 1052) on the ACT, SAT, ASSET, COMPASS, ACCUPLACER exams established by the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board and have been assigned to remediation.
${ }^{(1)}$ NWACC required score on MATH placement was raised to ACT-21 and COMPASS-65

## Average ACT Composite Scores



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## Full-Time,1st-Time Freshman Graduation \& Transfer Rates

|  | NWACC |  |  |  |  |  | ARKANSAS 2 Year Colleges |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Freshmen* in Fall of - | \# in Cohort* | Graduated within 3 years | Transferred to Another College/Univ | Graduation Rate | Transfer Rate | Success Rate | AR 2Y <br> \# in <br> Cohort | AR 2Y <br> Graduation Rate | AR 2Y <br> Transfer Rate | AR 2Y <br> Success <br> Rate |
| 2003 | 462 | 91 | 73 | 19.7\% | 15.8\% | 35.5\% | 6,178 | 21.7\% | 12.7\% | 34.4\% |
| 2004 | 511 | 108 | 70 | 21.1\% | 13.7\% | 34.8\% | 6,111 | 21.9\% | 15.2\% | 37.1\% |
| 2005 | 521 | 107 | 65 | 20.5\% | 12.5\% | 33.0\% | 6,222 | 22.6\% | 14.9\% | 37.5\% |
| 2006 | 551 | 108 | 69 | 19.6\% | 12.5\% | 32.1\% | 5,796 | 20.8\% | 16.7\% | 37.5\% |
| 2007 | 655 | 90 | 149 | 13.7\% | 22.7\% | 36.5\% | 6,550 | 22.3\% | 16.7\% | 39.0\% |
| 2008 | 667 | 78 | 154 | 11.7\% | 23.1\% | 34.8\% | 6,731 | 22.0\% | 11.9\% | 33.9\% |
| 2009 | 795 | 116 | 184 | 14.6\% | 23.1\% | 37.7\% | 8,337 | 20.5\% | 11.9\% | 32.4\% |
| 2010 | 836 | 118 | 177 | 14.1\% | 21.2\% | 35.3\% | 8,023 | 19.3\% | 9.2\% | 28.5\% |
| 2011 | 885 | 141 | 153 | 15.9\% | 17.3\% | 33.2\% | 7,883 | 22.0\% | 12.0\% | 34.0\% |
| 2012 | 913 | 123 | 198 | 13.5\% | 21.7\% | 35.2\% | 7,805 | 24.0\% | 12.8\% | 36.8\% |
| 2013 | 951 | 169 | 187 | 17.8\% | 19.7\% | 37.4\% | 7,582 | 26.6\% | 13.9\% | 40.5\% |
| 2014 | 947 | 189 | 157 | 20.0\% | 16.6\% | 36.5\% | 6,699 | 28.0\% | 11.5\% | 39.5\% |
| 2015 | 879 | 204 | 165 | 23.2\% | 18.8\% | 42.0\% | 6,553 | 29.4\% | 10.0\% | 39.4\% |
| 2016 | 934 | 221 | 159 | 23.7\% | 17.0\% | 40.7\% | 6,284 | 32.5\% | 13.2\% | 45.7\% |
| 2017 | 899 | 243 | 153 | 27.0\% | 17.0\% | 44.0\% |  |  |  |  |
| 2018 | 905 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2019 | 1,033 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2020 | 760 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

*Fall First-time, Full-time, Degree Seeking Freshmen

## Retention Rates

| Fall | Headcount* | Returned the <br> Next Fall | \% Retention | National Public 2-Year <br> College \% Retention** |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | 5,720 | 2,610 | $45.6 \%$ | $56.4 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | 5,573 | 2,611 | $46.9 \%$ | $57.4 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | 5,407 | 2,533 | $46.8 \%$ | $58.1 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ | 5,410 | 2,529 | $46.7 \%$ | $58.1 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 9}$ | 5,665 | 2,432 | $42.9 \%$ | $\#$ |


*Headcount without high school students or those students that graduated in the Academic Year
**Source: ACT, Inc. - National First to Second Year Retention Rates for Open Admission 2Y Colleges \# Report not available at time of publication

## Financial Aid - By Fiscal Year

|  | Number of Students Awarded |  |  |  |  |  | Amount Awarded |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | FY 16 | FY 17 | FY 18 | FY 19 | FY 20 | Percent Change | FY 16 | FY 17 | FY 18 | FY 19 | FY 20 | Percent Change |
| Federal Grants | 3,003 | 2,658 | 2,669 | 2,549 | 2,672 | 4.8\% | \$9,671,959 | \$8,751,685 | \$8,329,098 | \$8,695,407 | \$8,439,330 | -2.9\% |
| State Grants \& Scholarships | 1,467 | 1,260 | 962 | 882 | 717 | -18.7\% | \$1,656,695 | \$1,253,760 | \$937,057 | \$960,999 | \$857,994 | -10.7\% |
| Institutional Scholarships | 82 | 93 | 106 | 115 | 109 | -5.2\% | \$58,691 | \$81,421 | \$89,786 | \$91,000 | \$129,000 | 41.8\% |
| Work Study | 82 | 73 | 70 | 58 | 57 | -1.7\% | \$194,686 | \$219,210 | \$200,214 | \$194,301 | \$195,181 | 0.5\% |
| Federal Stafford Loans | 4,312 | 4,137 | 3,617 | 2,596 | 2,129 | -18.0\% | \$9,011,590 | \$7,353,809 | \$5,887,817 | \$5,408,949 | \$5,916,402 | 9.4\% |
| TOTAL Awards | 8,946 | 8,221 | 7,424 | 6,200 | 5,684 | -8.3\% | \$20,593,621 | \$17,659,885 | \$15,443,972 | \$15,350,656 | \$15,537,907 | 1.2\% |
| Average Amount Awarded |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$2,301.99 | \$2,148 | \$2,080.28 | \$2,475.91 | \$2,733.62 | 10.4\% |
| \# Students (Unduplicated) | 4,712 | 4,458 | 4,040 | 3,910 | 3,225 | -17.5\% |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Students Receiving Aid | 48\% | 46\% | 43\% | 42\% | 35\% |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Types of Financial Aid Available to NWACC Students

## Federal Aid Programs

Pell Grants
Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants (SEOG)
Stafford Student Loan
(Subsidized and unsubsidized)
Work Study
Academic Competiveness Grant

State Programs
Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarships
Arkansas Workforce Improvement Grant
Governor's Scholarship
Law Enforcement Assistance Program
Law Enforcement Officers Dependent Program
Second Effort Scholarship
GO! Opportunities Grant
State Teacher Assistance Resource Program (STAR)

## Institutional Scholarships

Over 40 institutional scholarships including the President Scholarship

## Financial Report Summary

|  | FY17 | FY18 | FY19 | FY20 | FY21 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Budgeted Operating Revenue | \$42.02 | \$43.47 | \$42.91 | \$44.10 | \$42.24 |
| Tuition/ Fees | \$23.17 | \$24.14 | \$23.27 | \$23.87 | \$23.14 |
| Local Tax Millage | \$6.26 | \$6.86 | \$7.11 | \$7.50 | \$7.13 |
| State Funds | \$11.70 | \$11.69 | \$11.75 | \$11.95 | \$11.36 |
| Other Sources | \$0.46 | \$0.16 | \$0.21 | \$0.28 | \$0.33 |
| Auxiliary | \$0.43 | \$0.62 | \$0.57 | \$0.51 | \$0.28 |
| Budgeted Operating Expenses | \$42.02 | \$43.47 | \$42.91 | \$44.10 | \$42.24 |
| Instruction | \$19.75 | \$19.88 | \$20.18 | \$20.74 | \$20.47 |
| Academic Support | \$4.29 | \$4.65 | \$5.13 | \$5.13 | \$4.38 |
| Student Services | \$4.76 | \$5.10 | \$5.96 | \$6.11 | \$5.32 |
| Institutional Support | \$6.45 | \$6.18 | \$5.74 | \$6.23 | \$6.37 |
| Physical Plant | \$5.41 | \$6.07 | \$5.20 | \$5.44 | \$5.16 |
| Scholarships | \$1.36 | \$1.59 | \$0.70 | \$0.46 | \$0.54 |

## Budgeted Operating Revenue



Budgeted Operating Expenses

\$ in millions

## Faculty and Staff

|  | Fall 2016* | Fall 2017 | Fall 2018 | Fall 2019 | Fall 2020 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| FT Faculty | 148 | 154 | 158 | 162 | 153 |
| FT Administration \& Staff | 250 | 257 | 248 | 250 | 249 |
| PT Faculty | 326 | 317 | 331 | 337 | 348 |
| PT Staff | 51 | 53 | 70 | 77 | 58 |
| Total | 775 | 781 | $\mathbf{8 0 7}$ | $\mathbf{8 2 6}$ | $\mathbf{8 0 8}$ |



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## Summary of Students Served

Academic Year

| Unduplicated Headcounts |
| :--- |
|   Workforce <br> Academic <br> Year Credit Students Development <br> Students <br> Adult Education     <br> Students     |
| Grand Total |
| $2015-16$ |

## Academic Year (AY)

NWACC Academic Year is July 1 - June 30, comprised of Summer II, Fall, Spring, Summer I semesters.

## ADHE

This is an acronym for the Arkansas Department of Higher Education. The ADHE has the authority to review, approve or discontinue degree programs at public colleges or universities.
Budgeted Operating Expense Categories (Source IPEDS website)
Instruction - academic instruction, occupational and vocational instruction, community education, preparatory and adult basic education, and remedial and tutorial instruction conducted by the teaching faculty for the institution's students.
Academic Support - support services that are an integral part of the institution's primary missions of instruction, research, and public service. Includes expenses for museums, libraries, galleries, audio/visual services, ancillary support, academic administration, personnel development, and course and curriculum development.
Student services - admissions, registrar activities, and activities whose primary purpose is to contribute to students' emotional and physical well-being and to their intellectual, cultural, and social development outside the context of the formal instructional program.

Institutional support - day-to-day operational support of the institution, excluding expenses for physical plant operations. Includes expenses for general administrative services, executive direction and planning, legal and fiscal operations, and public relations/development.
Physical Plant - operations established to provide service and maintenance related to grounds and facilities used for educational and general purposes. Also includes expenses for utilities, fire protection, property insurance, and similar items.
Scholarships - outright grants to students selected and awarded by the institution.

## Census Date

The end of the eleventh day of classes in a regular term and the end of the fifth day during each summer term.

## CIP Code (Classification of Instructional Programs)

A numerical classification and standard terminology for secondary and postsecondary instructional programs. CIP codes are used by colleges nationally to report various instructional program data to the U. S. Department of Education and other government and higher education organizations.

## Concurrent Credit Course

A course for which both high school and college/university credit is awarded to a high school student.

## Continuing student

A student previously enrolled during the previous regular academic term at NWACC. Summer sessions are not considered to be a regular academic term.

## Credit Hour

A unit of measure representing an hour ( 50 minutes) of instruction over a 16-week period in a semester. It is applied toward the total number of hours needed for completing the requirements of a degree, diploma, certificate, or other formal award.

## Enrollment

A student who is counted on a headcount basis as registered on the census date for the reporting term.

## Enrollment Status

A student's current attendance status in a postsecondary education institution. The following mutually exclusive categories are used: firsttime entering undergraduate student, entering undergraduate transfer student, continuing student, readmitted student and high school student.

## FICE Code

A six-digit identification code originally created by the Federal Interagency Committee on Education (FICE). It is used in IPEDS to identify institutions that are accredited at the college level by an agency recognized by the Secretary, U.S. Department of Education.

## Glossary - con't

## First-Time Freshman

An entering freshman who has never attended any college. Includes students enrolled in the fall term who attended college for the first time in the prior summer term. Also includes students who entered with advanced standing (college credits earned before graduation from high school).

## Fiscal Year

A twelve-month period running from July 1st through the following June 30th.

## Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)

A statistic derived from the student credit hour (SSCH) production of an institution. The number of undergraduate FTE students for an academic term is obtained by dividing the total number of undergraduate student semester credit hours by 15 . When computing an annual FTE, the student credit hours for all terms is summed and then divided by 30 undergraduate courses.

## Full-Time Student

An undergraduate student enrolled for 12 or more semester credit hours in a term.

## High School Student

A high school student who has not received a high school diploma or its equivalent but is enrolled in college-level courses.

## IPEDS

The Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System conducted by the National Center for Education Statistics. IPEDS began in 1986 and involves annual data collections. Survey questionnaires are sent to all postsecondary institutions eligible for federal student financial aid, as determined by the Office of Postsecondary Education, U.S. Department of Education.

## Off-Schedule

Refers to students who are enrolled in courses the first class meeting of which is after the 11th class day for Fall and Spring Semesters (census day). In the case of the summer sessions it is enrollment in courses the first class meeting of which occurs after the 5th class day (census day).

## On-Schedule

Refers to students who are enrolled in courses the first class meeting of which is before the 11th class day for Fall and Spring Semesters (census day). In the case of the summer sessions it is enrollment in courses the first class meeting of which occurs before the 5th class day (census day).

## Part-Time Student

Students enrolled for 1-11 credit hours.

## Readmitted student

A student previously enrolled at NWACC but not enrolled during the regular academic term immediately preceding the current term. Disregards summer session.

## Retention and Graduation Rates

Calculated using cohort of first time freshmen. The cohort is typically defined as the first-time, full-time, degree-seeking freshmen entering in the fall semester. The term "first-time" means that the student was not previously enrolled in a postsecondary institution, the term "full-time" means that the student enrolled for a minimum of 12 credit hours in the entering semester and the term "degree-seeking means that the student is seeking a certificate or degree.

## SSCH - (Student Semester Credit Hours)

Credit hours generated by all students in a semester

## Transfer Student

An undergraduate student entering NWACC for the first time with academic credit attempted or earned at another institution (whether or not the credit is accepted by NWACC). For reporting purposes, this category includes students enrolled in the fall term, who first enrolled as transfer students in the prior summer term.

## Unduplicated Headcount

A student is counted only once during an academic year (Summer I term through Summer II term) regardless of how many terms the student registers for or how many different classes the student takes during that time period.


[^0]:    *available in cooperation with the Criminal Justice Institute
    ^available in cooperation with Northwest Technical Institute

[^1]:    Banner numbers only - final number TBD.

[^2]:    Source: Reports submitted to ADHE

[^3]:    *NOTE: Off schedule classes are not included, such as Late Start and second 8-week

[^4]:    *Fall and Spring off-schedule classes (such as Late Start and second 8 -week) are not included to more accurately compare between semesters

[^5]:    Annual FTE is derived from the sum of student credit hours for all terms divided by 30

[^6]:    Source: Ark Dept of Education website and ADHE database

[^7]:    Average composite scores for Arkansas and U.S. provided by ACT and is based on current year graduates taking the ACT exam.
    *Less than 10 not shown

[^8]:    Source: Argos Report
    Does not include Work Study students

