

Community College Basic Information Guide 2004



*Powerful solutions for
Oregon's economic recovery.*

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Community Colleges serve Oregon businesses.

Business and Industry Training Services

More than **500** Oregon businesses depend on community colleges to provide customized employee training each year with more than **1,800** assessments trainings, basic skills courses, customized classes and workshops. We've trained more than **24,000** employees.

Professional Technical Programs

Community colleges train people for immediate employment in **nursing**, agricultural technology, business management, **medical technology**, web design, **juvenile corrections** and automotive technology.

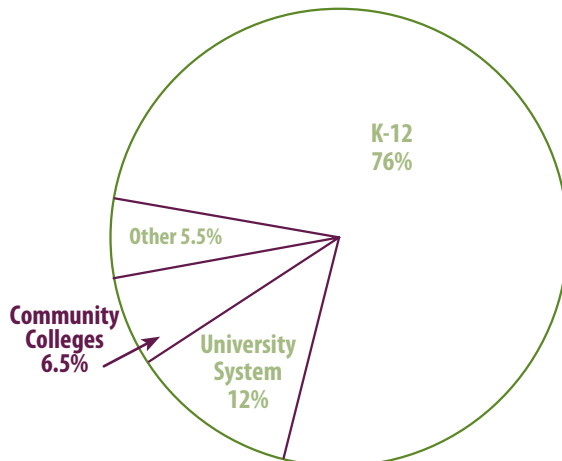
Small Business Development Centers

SBDC clients generated **2,676** new jobs, added **\$25 million** in state and federal taxes, and trained more than **8,000** small-business people.

Fifty-nine percent of Oregon's General Fund goes to education...

K-12 Education	45%
Other Education	14%
Human Services	21%
Public Safety	11%
All Other	9%

but only 6.5% of Oregon's education funds go to community colleges.



In 2003-04...
Oregon's community colleges served 330,595 students.
Oregon's university system served 108,972 students.
Oregon's K-12 system served 553,315 students.

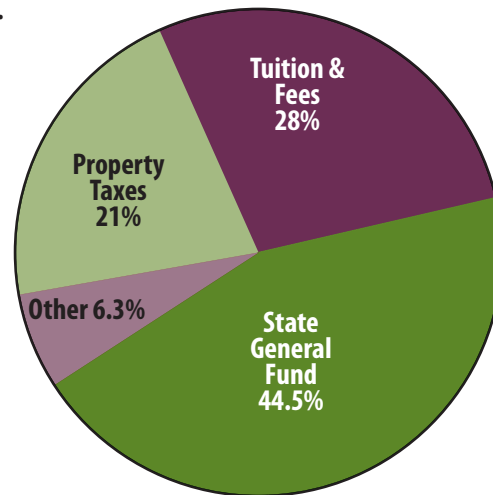
Community Colleges provide Oregon's best value in terms of education investment.

Community College Funding

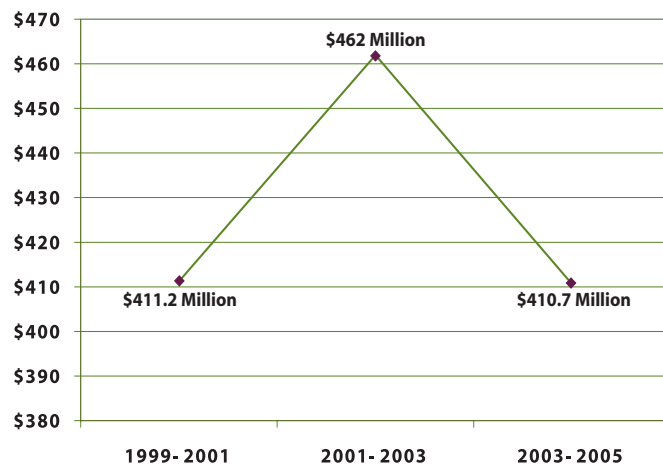
Average Tuition and Fees Projected 04-05

- \$2,834 per year for in-district, full-time
- Avg. cost per credit hour \$57.64 (excluding fees)
- Local college boards set tuition and fees

The percentage of community college costs funded by the state has decreased in recent years.



In fact, state funding for the community college support fund has actually fallen by \$51.3 million since the 2001-03 legislative budget and \$5 million since the 1999-2001 budget.



Oregon Community Colleges served 330,595 students in 03-04.

College	Enrollment	FTE
Blue Mountain (Pendleton)	11,921	1,973
Central Oregon (Bend)	13,225	3,556
Chemeketa (Salem)	50,476	10,612
Clackamas (Oregon City)	25,290	7,982
Clatsop (Astoria)	6,928	1,372
Columbia Gorge (The Dalles)	5,335	970
Klamath (Klamath Falls)	5,306	1,413
Lane (Eugene)	29,734	10,690
Linn-Benton (Albany)	23,563	6,341
Mt. Hood (Gresham)	23,756	8,150
Oregon Coast (Newport)	2,983	441
Portland (Portland)	83,498	22,737
Rogue (Grants Pass)	14,247	4,212
Southwestern Oregon (Coos Bay)	11,697	2,912
Tillamook Bay (Tillamook)	2,421	286
Treasure Valley (Ontario)	7,708	1,941
Umpqua (Roseburg)	12,507	3,249
Total Students	330,595 in 03-04	
Total Reimbursable FTE*	88,837 in 03-04	
*FTE means full-time equivalent or 510 student contact hours		

Gender

- 53.7% women
- 42.6% men
- 3.6% unreported

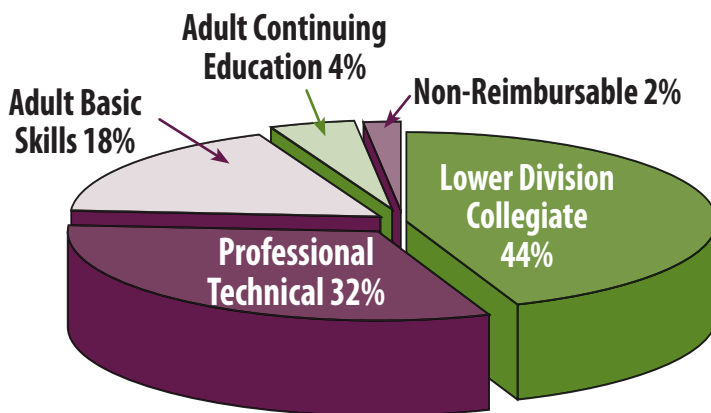
Age

- Average age 35.34
- 62.2% over age 25

Ethnicity

- Native American 1.5%
- Asian-American 2.9%
- African-American 1.5%
- Hispanic-American 6.9%
- Caucasian 63.1%
- International 4.1%
- Undeclared 20.2%

Most community college students in 2003-04 were in professional-technical training or are taking lower division courses before transferring to a 4-year institution.



Adult basic skills includes ESL, adult basic ed, GED, post-secondary remedial & adult high school.

Oregon's commitment to diversity is best served by community colleges.

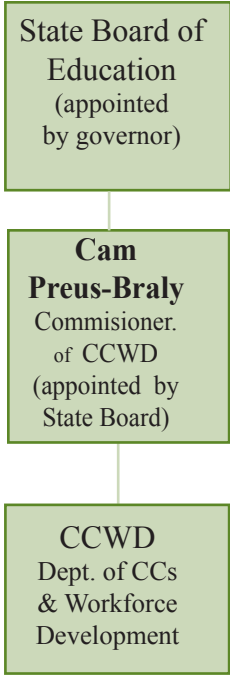
- Community colleges educated over 42,500 students from ethnic minority communities in 2003-2004.
- Community colleges are the largest provider of college education to Oregon's ethnic minorities.
- Community colleges educate about twice as many minority students as do the public universities.

Community College governance ensures both flexibility and accountability for students and taxpayers.

Oregon Community Colleges are governed individually by **locally elected boards** who are responsive to individual community needs. Local boards employ presidents for their colleges and approve local budget decisions.



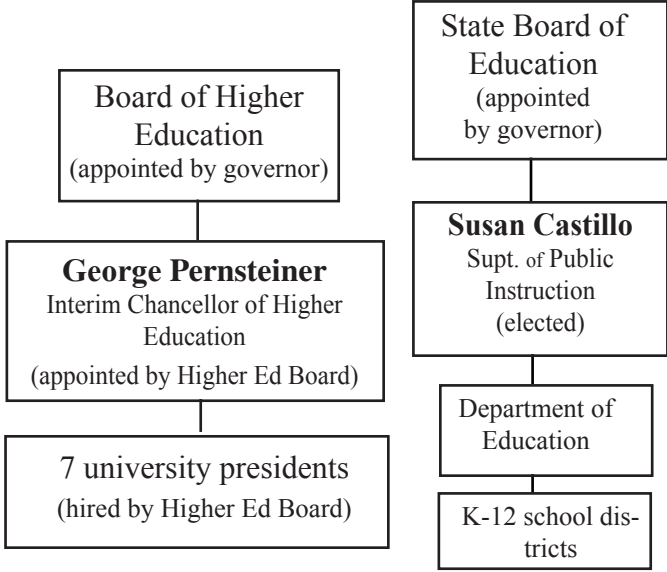
Community Colleges are regulated by the State Board of Education which, through the Department of Community Colleges and Workforce Development, distribute funds and approve programs.



The Oregon Community College Association is an advocacy organization governed by a Board made up of officials from each community college.



University system & K-12 Governance



- Sometimes the State Board of Education and the Board of Higher Education meet together as “Joint Boards” to cooperate on issues that affect K-12, the Community Colleges and the University system. The Oregon State Board of Education also oversees the K-12 system.
- Community Colleges also partner with the Oregon Student Assistance Commission, the Economic and Community Development Department, other state agencies and hundreds of institutions and private businesses to provide the most efficient and effective education service delivery in the state.

Seventeen Community Colleges serve Oregon

Blue Mountain Community College

PO Box 100, Pendleton, OR 97801-1000
Ph. 541-276-1260; Fax 541-278-5886
<http://www.bluecc.edu>
President: Dr. John Turner

Central Oregon Community College

2600 NW College Way, Bend, OR 97701-5998
Ph. 541-383-7700; Fax 541-383-7502
<http://www.cocc.edu>
President: Dr. James Middleton

Chemeketa Community College

PO Box 14007, Salem, OR 97309-7070
Ph. 503-399-5000; Fax 503-399-6992
<http://www.chemeketa.edu>
President: Dr. Gretchen Schuette

Clackamas Community College

19600 S. Molalla Ave, Oregon City, OR 97045
Ph. 503-657-6958; Fax 503-655-5153
<http://www.clackamas.edu>
President: Dr. Joe Johnson

Clatsop Community College

1653 Jerome Ave., Astoria, OR 97103-3698
Ph. 503-325-0910; Fax 503-325-5738
<http://www.clatsopcc.edu>
President: Dr. Greg Hamann

Columbia Gorge Community College

400 E. Scenic Dr., The Dalles, OR 97058-3434
Ph. 541-296-6182; Fax 541-298-3104
<http://www.cgcc.cc.or.us>
President: Dr. Frank Toda

Klamath Community College

7390 South 6th St., Klamath Falls, OR 97603
Ph. 541-882-3521; Fax 541-885-7758
<http://www.kcc.cc.or.us>
President: Dr. Fred Smith

Lane Community College

4000 E. 30th Ave., Eugene, OR 97405-0640
Ph. 541-463-5200; Fax 541-463-5201
<http://www.lanec.edu>
President: Dr. Mary Spilde

Linn-Benton Community College

6500 Pacific Blvd. SW, Albany, OR 97321-3779
Ph. 541-917-4999; Fax 541-917-4445
<http://www.linnbenton.edu>
President: Dr. Rita Cavin

Mt. Hood Community College

26000 SE Stark St., Gresham OR 97030-3300
Ph. 503-491-6422; Fax 503-491-7389
<http://www.mhcc.edu>
President: Dr. Bob Silverman

Oregon Coast Community College

332 SW Coast Hwy., Newport, OR 97365-4928
Ph. 541-265-2283; Fax 541-265-3820
<http://www.occc.cc.or.us>
President: Dr. Pat O'Connor

Portland Community College

PO Box 19000, Portland, OR 97280-0990
Ph. 503-244-6111; Fax 503-977-4960
<http://www.pcc.edu>
President: Dr. Preston Pulliams

Rogue Community College

3345 Redwood Hwy., Grants Pass, OR 97527-9298
Ph. 541-956-7500; Fax 541-471-3591
<http://www.roguecc.edu>
President: Dr. Peter Angstadt

Southwestern Oregon Community College

1988 Newmark Ave., Coos Bay, OR 97420-2971
Ph. 541-888-2525; Fax 541-888-7285
<http://www.socc.edu>
President: Dr. Steve Kridelbaugh

Tillamook Bay Community College

2510 First St., Tillamook, OR 97141-2599
Ph. 503-842-8222; Fax 503-842-2214
<http://www.tbcc.cc.or.us>
President: Ralph Orr

Treasure Valley Community College

650 College Blvd., Ontario, OR 97914-3498
Ph. 541-881-8822; Fax 541-881-2717
<http://www.tvcc.cc>
President: Dr. Jim Sorensen

Umpqua Community College

PO Box 967, Roseburg, OR 97470-0226
Ph. 541-440-4600; Fax 541-440-4637
<http://www.umpqua.edu>
President: Dr. Blaine Nisson

Oregon Community College Association

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Ph. 503-399-9912, Fax 503-399-9286
<http://www.occa17.com>
Executive Director: Andrea Henderson

What is OCCA?

The Oregon Community College Association represents the seventeen publicly chartered community colleges and their locally elected board members as well as the interests of the faculty, staff, administration and nearly 400,000 students in those colleges.

Founded in 1962, OCCA is an association whose purpose is to support the colleges before policy-makers and partners whose actions affect the well-being of community colleges across the state. The association does this through a variety of services but with primary focus on legislative advocacy.

OCCA is governed by a 34-member board of directors which includes each president and one board member from each of the seventeen colleges. The board member representatives are chosen by their own local boards and they, with the presidents, elect the association's executive committee to provide OCCA leadership each year.

OCCA staff provides the services and information that support the association's mission. Staff members are knowledgeable about issues ranging from appropriations and the community college funding formula to governance and educational policy. OCCA works closely with the state's Department of Community Colleges and Workforce Development, the Oregon Student Assistance Commission, the State Board of Education and the State Board of Higher Education.

For information about the Oregon Community College Association, its member colleges, post-secondary education or economic development issues, please call 503-399-9912.

