

# Fact Sheets

Fall 2024



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## **Associate Degree Programs That Lead To A Bachelor's Degree**

Complete an associate degree at Columbia State,  
then transfer to the college or university of your choice  
to complete your bachelor's degree.

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Quality Academic Programs  
Lower Tuition Costs Compared to Universities  
Tuition-Free Opportunities  
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## **50+ Associate Degree Programs**

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Students who complete the degree requirements  
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### STUDENT DEGREE CREDIT ENROLLMENT PROFILE

Measure	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	1-Year Change	5-Year Average Change
Total	5,814	5,219	5,018	5,112	5,578	9.12%	-0.81%
Full-Time	2,939	2,693	2,416	2,438	2,458	0.82%	-3.27%
Part-Time	1,769	1,541	1,447	1,371	1,480	7.95%	-3.27%
Full-Time Equivalent	3,747.1	3,378.4	3,081.1	3,054.2	3,087.9	1.10%	-3.52%
Male	1,765	1,601	1,480	1,496	1,480	-1.07%	-3.23%
Female	2,937	2,630	2,383	2,313	2,458	6.27%	-3.26%
Adults 25 & Over	2,028	1,468	1,136	956	901	-5.75%	-11.11%
Dual-Enrolled HS Students	1,106	985	1,155	1,303	1,640	25.86%	9.66%
Average Credit Hours*	11.4	11.5	11.3	11.5	11.4	-0.87%	0.00%

\*Excludes Dual Enrollment

### PREFERRED SERVICE AREA ENROLLMENT\*

County	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	1-Year Change	4-Year Average Change
Giles	.	136	107	127	146	14.96%	1.84%
Hickman	.	105	90	117	123	5.13%	4.29%
Lawrence	.	448	432	502	505	0.60%	3.18%
Lewis	.	49	52	80	76	-5.00%	13.78%
Marshall	.	348	317	335	318	-5.07%	-2.16%
Maury	.	1,075	1,040	1,077	1,195	10.96%	2.79%
Perry	.	11	8	13	17	30.77%	13.64%
Wayne	.	150	134	116	133	14.66%	-2.83%
Williamson	.	2,023	2,065	2,027	2,316	14.26%	3.62%

\*Degree Credit Enrollment. All classes were virtual in 2020.

### FACULTY & STAFF PROFILE\*

Category	# of Employees
Faculty – Part-Time**	195
Executive	6
Faculty – Full-Time	108
Professional Staff	108
Support Staff	71
Total	488

\*As Of Beginning Of Term

\*\*Excludes Classroom Aides

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**TOP TWENTY HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT\***

High School	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	1-Year Change	5-Year Average Change
Brentwood	147	114	141	143	83	-41.96%	-8.71%
Centennial	272	203	212	215	144	-33.02%	-9.41%
Columbia Central	257	219	229	235	202	-14.04%	-4.28%
Fairview	148	140	121	123	52	-57.72%	-12.97%
Franklin	269	188	184	182	96	-47.25%	-12.86%
Fred J. Page	132	105	106	100	102	2.00%	-4.55%
Giles County	86	68	43	47	57	21.28%	-6.74%
Homelife Academy	217	214	219	226	149	-34.07%	-6.27%
HS Equivalency	204	167	147	138	154	11.59%	-4.90%
Independence	273	223	238	255	166	-34.90%	-7.84%
Lawrence County	211	188	195	230	152	-33.91%	-5.59%
Lewis County	47	37	49	68	50	-26.47%	1.28%
Marshall County	167	163	147	156	100	-35.90%	-8.02%
Nolensville	121	142	108	119	70	-41.18%	-8.43%
Penn Foster	48	56	58	56	79	41.07%	12.92%
Ravenwood	218	228	195	166	90	-45.78%	-11.74%
Spring Hill	231	211	214	214	173	-19.16%	-5.02%
Summertown	96	76	65	99	68	-31.31%	-5.83%
Summit	246	246	259	245	193	-21.22%	-4.31%
Unknown	55	40	42	42	52	23.81%	-1.09%

\*Truncated to 90 or more enrollment as of January 23, 2025.



**ENROLLMENT BY RACE/ETHNICITY\***

Category	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	1-Year Change	5-Year Average Change
Alaskan Native	18	17	16	14	23	64.29%	5.56%
American Indian	15	13	15	11	11	0.00%	-5.33%
Asian	117	111	109	118	130	10.17%	2.22%
Black	369	350	293	322	345	7.14%	-1.30%
Hispanic	440	439	440	444	551	24.10%	5.05%
Unknown	57	64	85	80	72	-10.00%	5.26%
White	4,396	3,870	3,642	3,512	3,557	1.28%	-3.82%

\*Degree Credit Students



## FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE\*

County	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	1-Year Change	5-Year Average Change
Giles	126	113	78	92	101	9.78%	-3.97%
Hickman	95	88	75	77	70	-9.09%	-5.26%
Lawrence	375	334	302	325	314	-3.38%	-3.25%
Lewis	45	44	41	64	62	-3.13%	7.56%
Marshall	264	246	211	227	200	-11.89%	-4.85%
Maury	783	782	732	737	747	1.36%	-0.92%
Perry	13	11	5	11	13	18.18%	0.00%
Wayne	95	94	77	59	65	10.17%	-6.32%
Williamson	1,668	1,426	1,340	1,350	1,335	-1.11%	-3.99%

\*Degree Credit Enrollment

## DEGREES/CERTIFICATES AWARDED\*

Award	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	1-Year Change	5-Year Change
Associate of Arts	35	29	32	32	51	59.4%	25.8%
Associate of Applied Science	216	259	273	300	390	30.0%	13.1%
Associate of Fine Arts	6	0	0	0	0	.	-16.7%
Associate of Science	583	611	617	659	856	29.9%	12.0%
Associate of Science in Teaching	29	27	28	18	36	100.0%	2.7%
Technical Certificate	150	141	136	188	202	7.4%	7.7%

\*Academic Year Figures

## ENROLLMENT BY CAMPUS OF PREFERENCE\*

Location	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	1-Year Change	4-Year Average Change
Columbia	.	2,149	2,049	2,134	2,115	-0.89%	-0.40%
Williamson	.	2,268	2,116	1,963	1,852	-5.65%	-4.59%
Lawrence	.	518	476	516	470	-8.91%	-2.32%
Lewisburg	.	274	245	281	208	-25.98%	-6.02%
Clifton	.	93	67	50	45	-10.00%	-12.90%
Online	.	801	374	494	814	64.78%	0.41%

\*Enrollment by students' preferences. All classes were virtual in 2020.

# MORE THAN 80 AREAS OF STUDY

### Associate Degree Paths

Programs designed for students who plan to transfer to a four-year college or university to complete a bachelor's degree.

### Associate of Applied Science Degrees

Programs for students who plan to enter the workforce or wish to advance in their career upon completion.

### Technical Certificates

Programs for students who seek certification in their current or intended profession but do not wish to seek a degree at this time.

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## STUDENTS RECEIVING SCHOLARSHIPS/FINANCIAL AID\*

Source	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	1-Year Change	5-Year Average Change
State Lottery Awards	1,403	1,199	1,123	1,012	1,083	7.02%	-4.56%
Other Federal Loans	5	1	3	4	4	0.00%	-4.00%
Tennessee Promise	1,329	1,080	882	897	900	0.33%	-6.46%
TN Reconnect Grant	370	302	278	231	235	1.73%	-7.30%
Other State Aid	1,029	818	987	974	1,068	9.65%	0.76%
College Awards	75	44	60	65	104	60.00%	7.73%
Federal PELL Grant	558	245	395	397	1,886	375.06%	47.60%
Other Federal Aid	1,709	1,484	1,397	1,494	.	N/A	N/A
Work/Study	382	.	4	.	20	N/A	-18.95%

\*PELL grant eligibility formula change

## SCHOLARSHIPS/FINANCIAL AID AMOUNTS AWARDED\*

Source	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	1-Year Change	5-Year Average Change
State Lottery Awards	\$2,105,554	\$3,563,836	\$1,789,691	\$1,645,833	\$1,638,400	-0.45%	-4.44%
Other Federal Loans	\$15,169	\$4,310	\$17,009	\$20,949	\$15,939	-23.92%	1.02%
Tennessee Promise	\$1,706,981	\$2,713,986	\$1,035,461	\$1,210,364	\$1,163,524	-3.87%	-6.37%
TN Reconnect Grant	\$558,127	\$873,202	\$472,558	\$398,226	\$313,388	-21.30%	-8.77%
Other State Aid	\$614,163	\$957,914	\$915,750	\$949,500	\$962,000	1.32%	11.33%
College Awards	\$219,454	\$325,272	\$165,037	\$221,355	\$259,193	17.09%	3.62%
Federal PELL Grant	\$1,394,271	\$933,387	\$807,186	\$1,082,815	\$5,186,202	378.96%	54.39%
Other Federal Aid	\$3,824,863	\$6,641,157	\$3,477,797	\$4,202,123	.	N/A	N/A
Work/Study	\$79,000	.	\$2,000	.	N/A	N/A	-14.07%

\*PELL grant eligibility formula change

## STUDENT AGE SUMMARY\*

Measure	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	1-Year Change	5-Year Average Change
Average Age – All	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	0.0%	0.0%
Average Age – Female	22.5	22.2	21.6	21.0	20.9	0.0%	-0.01%
Average Age – Male	20.8	20.6	20.5	20.5	20.0	-0.02%	-0.01%
Median Age – All	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	18.5	0.0%	0.0%
Median Age – Female	19.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	0.0%	-0.01%
Median Age – Male	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	0.0%	0.0%

\*Degree Credit Students



# College Awards



## NON-DEGREE CREDIT ENROLLMENT

2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	1-Year Change	5-Year Average Change
13	12	25	25	37	48.0%	18.8%

## AVERAGE CLASS SIZE\*

2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	1-Year Change	5-Year Average Change
.	18.35	16.29	16.54	19.90	16.00%	8.00%

\*14-day enrollment data

## STUDENTS RECEIVING LOANS\*

Source	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	1-Year Change	5-Year Average Change
Federal Subsidized Loans	249	111	139	180	191	6.11%	-4.66%
Federal Unsubsidized Loans	317	151	147	188	196	4.26%	-7.63%
Other Federal Loans	5	1	3	4	4	0.00%	-4.00%

\*Unduplicated count within loan type type as of January 15, 2025

## LOAN AMOUNTS AWARDED\*

Source	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	1-Year Change	5-Year Average Change
Federal Subsidized Loans	\$499,301	\$322,188	\$272,473	\$418,588	\$424,197	1.34%	-3.01%
Federal Unsubsidized Loans	\$764,368	\$548,752	\$362,170	\$484,862	\$471,181	-2.82%	-7.67%
Other Federal Loans	\$15,169	\$4,310	\$17,009	\$20,949	\$15,939	-23.92%	1.02%

\*As of January 15, 2025

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