

Pueblo
Community College



COLORADO COMMUNITY
COLLEGE SYSTEM

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2011 Facts

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PCC Provides:

- **Open access** – During the past two years, enrollment increased **22%, up to 9,612 students** in the academic year 2010/11 (unduplicated headcount).
- **Career & Technical Education (CTE)** – In the academic year 2010/11, **1,105** CTE certificates and degrees were awarded to PCC students. More than **3,700** students were enrolled in CTE programs.
- **General Education (CTE)** – In the academic year 2010/11, **103** students graduated with an Associate of General Studies degree, **147** graduated with either an Associate of Arts degree or an Associate of Science degree.
- **Transfer** to public four-year colleges and universities – In the academic year 2010/11, **304** PCC students transferred to a four-year institution (only include in-state institutions).
- **Concurrent Enrollment** – In the academic year 2010/11, PCC served **more than 1,000** high school students, creating pathways from high school into higher education.
- **Remedial Education/Basic Skills** – Community colleges provide remedial education for students who lack the skills to do college-level work. In the academic year 2010/11, PCC served almost **3,500** students in one or more remedial courses, **37%** of the overall PCC headcount.
- **Workforce Development** – In the academic year 2010/11, PCC trained **5,710** area workers through its programs (duplicated count). PCC's five largest partners are Pueblo Workforce Center, Vestas Towers, Evraz Rocky Mountain Steel, GCC Rio Grande, and Sky Ute Casino.

PCC Student Information:

- In the Academic year 2010/11, PCC served more than **9,600** students, which represents a full-time-equivalent (FTE) student enrollment of **5,014**.
- **89%** of our students live in the following counties: Pueblo (62%), Fremont (13%), La Plata (8%), and Montezuma (6%). Below are some socio-economic characteristics and demographic estimates pertaining to our service area.

	Pueblo County	Fremont County	La Plata County	Montezuma County
Total population	159,063	46,824	51,334	25,535
Median age	38.7	43.6	38.4	42.9
Female	51%	42.3%	49.1%	50.6%
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	41%	12.3%	11.8%	11.0%
High school graduate or higher	86.8%	79.0%	94.5%	88.8%
Bachelor's degree or higher	19.5%	15.3%	40.3%	28.5%
Median household income	\$40,122	\$39,359	\$56,144	\$44,338
Families below poverty level	13.9%	7.5%	5.6%	15.9%

Source: US Census Bureau, 2008-2010 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates. <http://www.factfinder.census.gov>

- 63% of our students attended PCC part-time.
- 37% of our students are minorities.
- 30% of our students are Hispanic.
- 59% of our students are female.
- 48% of our students are under 25 years old.
- 98% of our students are Colorado residents.
- 64% of our students are first-generation students.

Tuition & Funding:

In the academic year 2010/11, resident tuition was **\$2,450** annually for a full-time student. Fees are in addition to tuition and vary by program.

STATE GENERAL FUNDS (FY 2010-11)

Fee-for-Service Contract	\$ 1,895,162
COF Stipend	\$ 8,978,509

OTHER REVENUE SOURCES (FY 2010-11)

Carl Perkins Grant (Federal).....	\$ 909,403
Tuition	\$ 25,979,578
Academic Fees & Academic Facility Fees	\$ 1,466,373
Amendment 50 Gaming and Community College Student Funding.....	\$ 458,849

Financial Aid:

In the Fiscal Year 2010/11:

- PCC students received **\$38,577,311** in state, federal, and institutional financial aid.
- State financial aid totaled **\$3,459,754**, while federal financial aid comprised **\$34,627,557** and institutional financial aid comprised **\$377,076**.
- Nearly **75%** of PCC students qualified for federal financial aid.
- Nearly **50%** of PCC students received federal financial aid, while **35%** received state financial aid and **4%** received institutional financial aid.

CCCS Provides:

- **Open access** – we admit anyone who wants to go to college and is college-ready. During the past two years, CCCS's enrollment increased **23%**, up 27,500 students. This growth is more than the total resident undergraduate enrollment at any state institution.
- **Career and Technical Education (CTE)** – In 2011, approximately 10,500 CTE certificates and degrees were awarded to postsecondary students at our 13 colleges. More than 19,000 resident postsecondary students were enrolled in CTE programs. The total number of secondary students enrolled in high school CTE programs topped 90,500.
- **Transfer** to public and private four-year colleges and universities – more than **10,200** students each year.
- **Workforce Development** – As of Academic Year 2011, more than

- 146,000** Colorado workers have been trained through our programs. Community colleges train more than half of the state's nurses and more than 90 percent of the first responders.
- **Concurrent Enrollment** – in 2011, CCCS colleges served more than **12,500 high school students** in undergraduate courses, creating pathways from high school into higher education. This is an increase of 33% from the previous year.
- **Remedial Education/Basic Skills** – Community colleges provide remedial education services for students who lack the skills to do college-level work. In 2010-11, the CCCS served **41,242** students with one or more remedial courses, 28.5% of the overall CCCS headcount. Of these students, 35% were less than 21 years old and 65% were older students.

CCCS Student Information:

- CCCS serves more than **144,750 undergraduate students** through 13 colleges. We train more than 17,000 workers each year through various other programs, making us the largest higher education system in the state, with more than 162,000 students.
- CCCS full-time-equivalent student enrollment is **62,940** in FY 2010/11. In Fall 2010, community colleges educated 43% of the resident undergraduates in public institutions in Colorado.
- Community colleges serve **47% of all minority undergraduate** students in higher education in Colorado.
- **29%** of our students are minorities. **56%** of our students are female. **53%** of our students are under 25 years old.
- **92%** of our students are Colorado residents.

Tuition & CCCS Funding:

Resident tuition at Community Colleges is **\$3,175.50 annually** for a full-time student. Fees are in addition to tuition and will vary by college.

Graduation and Retention Rates:

According to the National Center for Higher Education Management Systems, Colorado's two-year institution graduation rate is the sixth best in the nation. This achievement is the culmination of years of improvement from when the state was ranked 23rd in 2003.

CCCS FUNDING:

Unprecedented enrollment growth, cuts in state funding, and the loss of federal stimulus funds will reduce resident student FTE funding to \$2,011 per student FTE in FY 2011-12, down from \$3,168 in FY 2008-09. *

STATE GENERAL FUNDS (FY 2010-11):

Colorado Vocational Act.....	\$ 23,584,498
Industry Training	\$ 2,725,022
Career & Technical Education	\$ 900,000
Fee for Service Contract	\$ 5,894,086
COF Stipend	\$ 106,938,840

OTHER REVENUE SOURCES:

Carl Perkins Grant (Federal).....	\$ 16,957,762
Tuition	\$ 255,384,239
Academic Fees & Academic Facility Fees	\$ 11,652,406
Amendment 50.....	\$ 5,150,000
TOTAL.....	\$ 405,602,355

*Note: Funds are passed on to the K-12 school district and are not included in the CCCS total funding line.

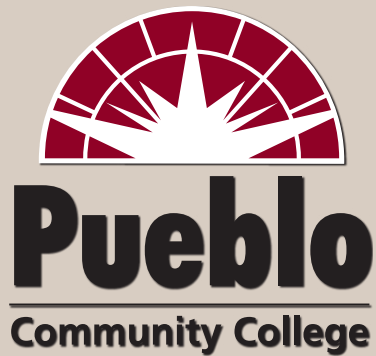
Amendment 50 Gaming & Community College Student Funding:

The Colorado Community College System received \$5.3 million from Amendment 50 gaming funds in FY 2010-11 and is expected to

receive a similar amount in FY 2011-12.

Financial Aid:

- Community College Students received \$388.1 million in state & federal financial aid in FY 2010-11.
- State financial aid was \$24.8 million, federal financial aid comprised \$363.3 million in FY 2008-09.
- Nearly 41% of CCCS students qualify for federal financial aid.
- Colorado Community Colleges have the highest share (39%) of the state's higher education students eligible for federal financial aid.



Our Mission

Our mission is to foster higher learning, student success, and service to our communities.

Our Vision

Pueblo Community College is a premier teaching institution providing students assured success pathways to relevant and progressive career, transfer, and personal growth opportunities.

Our Values

We affirm the value of our students, our employees, and the diverse communities we serve. The following values inform and guide our daily work:

- Open access to higher education
- Focus on learning
- Personalized teaching strategies and relationships
- Effective communication
- Appreciation of diverse cultures and backgrounds
- Preservation and advancement of our Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) designation
- Inventive thinking
- Digital-age literacy
- Responsible citizenship
- Institutional culture of continuous improvement



- To always **recognize** and **greet** you with a **smile**
- To **listen** to you
- To **respond** to your needs
- To **respect** and **value** you
- To **celebrate** your accomplishments and successes

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Pueblo, CO 81004

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SCCC East Campus

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SCCC West Campus

33057 Highway 160
Mancos, CO 81328