

**EDGECOMBE COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

**FACT BOOK**

**2023-2024**



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# EDGECOMBE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## 2022-2023 Profile

<b>President</b>	Dr. Gregory K. McLeod	
<b>Location</b>	Edgecombe County, North Carolina	
<b>Founded</b>	1967 Main Campus, Tarboro, North Carolina 1972 Branch Campus, Rocky Mount, North Carolina Public Comprehensive Community College	
<b>Accreditation</b>	Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges	
<b>Degrees Granted</b>	Associates in Arts Associate in Science Diploma Certificate High School Certificate	
<b>Calendar</b>	Semester	
<b>Semester Tuition and Fees</b>	In-State	\$ 1,270 (15+ Credit Hours)
	Out-of-State	\$ 4,150 (15+ Credit Hours)
<b>Philosophy</b>	Open Door Admissions	
<b>Employees (Full-Time)</b>	146	
<b>Faculty</b>	PT Curriculum Faculty	67
	PT Con-Ed Faculty	91
<b>Library Collection</b>	36,111 Units of Print and Audio-Visual Material	
<b>Total Building Area</b>	320,229 sq.ft. Gross Area	
<b>Annual Operating Budget</b>	\$23,007,212	

**EDGECOMBE COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

<u><i>Board Member</i></u>	<u><i>Appointing Agency</i></u>	<u><i>Expiration</i></u>
Mr. Jerry W. Spruell – Chair	County Commissioners	2025
Mr. Carl Warren – Vice Chair	County Commissioners	2028
Mr. John Batts III	Governor	2028
Ms. June Cherry	Board of Education	2027
Mr. Timmy L. Cordell	Governor	2025
Ms. Barbara Campbell Davis	County Commissioners	2027
Ms. Josie Brown Davis	Governor	2026
Ms. Amy Dixon	Board of Education	2027
Ms. Gloria Wiggins-Hicks	County Commissioners	2026
William Lewis III	General Assembly	2028
Mr. William (Kenny) Parker	Governor	2028
Mr. Ricky Thompson	Board of Education	2026
Ms. Tiffany Wolf	SGA Representative	2024-25
Dr. Gregory K. McLeod - President		

Information provided by the Presidential Cabinet

## THE COLLEGE

Edgecombe Community College is located in the eastern part of the state in Edgecombe County, which is approximately seventy-five miles east of the capital, Raleigh and two hour's drive inland from the North Carolina coastline. Tarboro, the County Seat, is particularly beautiful and offers brick paved sidewalks, a Downtown Historic District and the historic Town Common among other attractions. The county is rural with a majority of the land used for farming. The major crops produced in the area are tobacco, corn, peanuts, wheat and cotton. Over the past eighteen years, farm employment has declined due to mechanization while employment in manufacturing has increased.

The county's population is approximately 49,275 people with the racial composition being 56% Black, 38% White, and 6.3% Hispanic while (as of 2023) 77% of the total population being eighteen years of age or older.

The College is a member of the North Carolina Community College System. The Community College System of North Carolina was approved by the General Assembly of North Carolina in 1963 and is provided for in the General Statutes of North Carolina, Chapter 115-A. General supervision of the system falls under the State Board of Community College.

The mission of the North Carolina Community College System is to open the door to high-quality, accessible educational opportunities that minimize barriers to post-secondary education, maximize student success, develop a globally and multi-culturally competent workforce, and improve the lives and well-being of individuals by providing:

- Education, training and retraining for the workforce including basic skills and literacy education, occupational and pre-baccalaureate programs.
- Support for economic development through services to and in partnership with business and industry and in collaboration with the University of North Carolina System and private colleges and universities.
- Services to communities and individuals which improve the quality of life.

A Comprehensive Community College includes the areas of a College Transfer Program, Technical/Vocational Education, Continuing Education, and Adult Basic Education.

## HISTORY TIMELINE

- 1967** Edgecombe Technical Institute founded as an extension unit of Wilson County Technical Institute.
- 1968** Edgecombe Technical Institute dissolves relationship with Wilson County and begins association with Edgecombe County. Thurman A. Horney appointed the college's first president.
- 1970** Charles McIntyre is appointed and begins his twenty-four year term as the college's second president until his death in 1994.
- 1971** Final step to full institutional independence. General Assembly declares all NC Technical Institutes independent of local boards of education and grants power of governance to twelve-member Board of Trustees.
- 1972** First site for the Rocky Mount campus is obtained when the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare conveys former US Post Office Building in Rocky Mount to Edgecombe Technical Institute. The building is renovated to provide office, classrooms, and laboratory space. Edgecombe Technical Institute is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.
- 1974** Edgecombe Technical Institute Board of Trustees approved purchase of the Allen-Mims and Walker-Ross Buildings across from the Rocky Mount Center.
- 1976** Board of Trustees authorizes construction of a new multi-purpose building on the Tarboro Campus. The building now houses the student bookstore, student lounge, classrooms, administrative offices as well as a 500-seat auditorium.
- 1980** Edgecombe Technical Institute becomes Edgecombe Technical College.
- 1986** The Walk-Ross Building is demolished and replaced with a new, modern classroom and office building that now serves as the focal point of the Rocky Mount Campus.
- 1987** Cosmetology program relocates to newly renovated facilities adjacent to the new Rocky Mount Center. NC Legislature grants Edgecombe Technical College to Community College status opening the door for expanded educational opportunity through the college transfer program.
- 1990** Construction of an LRC Building is completed on the Tarboro Campus.
- 1994** Dr. Hartwell Fuller is appointed Edgecombe Community College's third president by the Board of Trustees.
- 1996** A 16,600 square foot Rocky Mount Campus addition completed.
- 1997** The Governor's Commission on Workforce Preparedness awards a \$100,000 JobReady Implementation Grant to the college and its fellow JobReady Partnership partners: Edgecombe County Business and Industry and the Edgecombe County School System. CST Plant groundbreaking ceremonies held. ECC is instrumental in the recruiting of this Japanese automobile parts manufacturer. ECC introduces four interactive courses conducted via the Virtual Classroom. The Virtual Classroom uses the Work Wide Web,

email, on-line discussion, on-line testing, and other internet resources to provide instruction that is more flexible, convenient, and meaningful for students. The State Board of Community Colleges approves Edgecombe Community College as a multi-campus institution. ECC participates in NCCCS system-wide curriculum re-engineering and semester transition. This change makes it easier for students to transfer between NC Community Colleges and to UNC System Universities. The semester system begins Fall 1997.

- 1998** ECC earned reaffirmation of accreditation from the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Commission on Colleges. JobLink Career Satellite Center is established on the Tarboro Campus in a partnership with the Employment Security Commission, Vocational Rehabilitation, and the Workforce Development and Training Center. ECC is chosen to assume responsibility for the Workforce Development and Training Center under a grant established to assist dislocated workers. Working in concert with the JobLink partners the Center is relocated to the Rocky Mount Campus. ECC assists in the recruiting of three new industries to the county: Air System Components, Carolina System Technology and EFCO, a metal fabrication industry for the hotel-motel market.
- 1999** Hurricane Floyd hits Edgecombe County. This turns out to be the worst flood in 500 years. Forty percent of the county is under water. Nearly 200 students do not come back, many of them cannot be found. The College sets up a distribution center to assist students and employees whose homes were flooded.
- 2000** The College initiates a focused effort to increase student numbers so as not to lose excessive funding. QVC moves to Edgecombe County. The College becomes a CISCO Academy and begins CISCO network training. The College emphasizes the development of on-line courses. A number of them are offered. The College begins planning new facilities with State Bond money. Fred Tolson is employed as architect for the new AC&T Center. Preliminary plans were developed. A new program is started: the Facility Maintenance Worker Program.
- 2001** The roof on Building E is replaced with a metal "A" roof. The roof on the Rocky Mount Cosmetology Building is replaced with a metal roof. The site preparation for the new AC&T Center is completed in July and August. A new program is started: the Motorcycle Mechanics Program.
- 2002** Some activity begins in the construction of the AC&T Center in December.
- 2003** The AC&T Center construction continues. The exterior of the building is almost completed and interior construction is progressing. The College has its highest enrollment ever, over 2,500 curriculum students. The Middle College High School begins.
- 2004** The AC&T Center is completed. The first graduation is held in the new auditorium. Dr. Hartwell Fuller, President, announces his retirement as of August 31, 2004. Dr. Deborah L. Lamm becomes the College's fourth President on November 8, 2004.
- 2005** Community focus group meetings were conducted by the President. The first issue of the Marketing Career Focus was published. Middle College transitioned to Early College. A Dean structure was implemented. Cosmetology renovations began in Rocky

Mount. ECC was the recipient of a Bio-Tech Grant and a Library Grant. The first Performing Arts Series in partnership with Edgecombe ARTS Council was established.

- 2006** Cosmetology renovations on the Rocky Mount Campus were completed in April. A new building for the cosmetology program is under construction on the Tarboro Campus. In August the Workforce Development and Training Center (WTDC) moved into the former People's Bank Building in downtown Rocky Mount. The college's first Global Education Fall Institute was held in September to bring cultural awareness to the college and local communities.
- 2007** In March, a delegation of educators from Finland visited to discuss a potential partnership. ECC executives traveled to Finland in September as guests and has since committed to participating in a faculty and student exchange. Monika Fleming became the first recipient of the Keihin Endowed Faculty Chair in August. The college celebrated its 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in October and during this celebration four buildings were dedicated or rededicated, and three areas within one of these buildings were dedicated.
- 2008** In July, the new Cosmetic Arts Building opened completing the extensive renovations of the cosmetic arts on both campuses. In September, a New Historic Preservation Trades certificate program was established through a daylong Historic Preservation Trades School. Five hundred individuals received the N.C. Career Readiness certification. The Business Administration program became the second fully on-line degree program. Collaboration between the college and NC Wesleyan College has established the 2+ Wesleyan programs, a seamless degree option. A collaborative teaching and learning agreement between the college and several Finnish Institutions was signed. A group of ECC employees, students, and community members traveled to Paris through the ECC Travel Abroad Program. The college's Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP) was developed to emphasize reading across the curriculum. The SACS Reaffirmation process will be complete by June 2010, reaffirming ECC's accreditation.
- 2009** Green technology and sustainability were the focus of several new curriculum and continuing education programs, including certificate programs in alternative systems in automotive, emergency management systems in manufacturing, and green energy systems in facility maintenance. A new residential weatherization certificate program and a building operator's certificate program were created as part of the college's JobsNOW Initiative. Also, Historic Preservation, the cornerstone of sustainability programs at the college, was strengthened in October with the move of the Norfleet House (ca. 1820) to campus. Historic Preservation students are restoring the structure, which will become a Community Heritage Center.
- 2010** For the second year in a row, student enrollment set new records in Fall 2010. A total of 3,661 students attended the college in the fall, an all-time high. To meet the demands of increased enrollment and to provide training to respond to local employers' needs, ECC developed new classes and programs. A new two-year degree in Cyber-Crime was created and is the only program of its kind at a community college east of Greensboro. The Historic Preservation Trades certificate program was broadened to include one-year diploma and two-year degree options. The college continued to expand its distance learning courses and programs and added an on-line degree in Early Childhood Education. Edgecombe became the first community college in North Carolina to offer I-TRIZ, a unique problem-solving training method.



**2011** Recent program additions designed to strengthen the employability of ECC graduates include Engineering Transition Program with East Carolina University, Theatre Arts degree, Nursing Transition program with ECU, Barbering certificate, Geospatial Technology certificate, and Mammography certificate. Other offerings include highly regarded programs in health care, manufacturing, education, historic preservation, business, and technology. Following are Edgecombe Community College programs that are unique in its service region: Collision Repair & Refinishing, CT/MRI, Cyber-Crime, Esthetics, Geospatial Technology, Health Information Technology, Historic Preservation, Radiography, and Respiratory Therapy. A new initiative to strengthen the workforce readiness of ECC graduates centers around the Career Readiness Certificate (CRC) and the WorkKeys program, a nationally recognized job skills assessment system. All members of ECC's Class of 2011 were given an opportunity to complete CRC testing, and most did. Eighty-one percent of the 439 graduates in May 2011 received a CRC in addition to their ECC diploma.

**2012** In October 2011, Edgecombe was one of ten community colleges in North Carolina chosen to share an \$18.8 million federal grant for job training and workforce development in manufacturing. The grant was awarded to the NC Advanced Manufacturing Alliance, a consortium of the ten community colleges created to focus on training displaced workers for high quality jobs. Edgecombe's share of the grant was \$1.2 million, the largest award the college has ever received. A creative partnership with Vidant Edgecombe Hospital in Tarboro led to the development of a mobile simulation lab that will be used by health sciences students and Vidant's clinical staff. Because of Edgecombe's outstanding track record in health information technology education, Duke University Health System selected the college to train its ambulatory coders. The unique Historic Preservation program received a 2011 Honor Award for Preservation North Carolina. Also, G.I. Jobs recognized the college for its commitment to veterans by placing Edgecombe on its 2011 list of Military Friendly Schools in the United States.

**2013** On November 16, 2012, Edgecombe Community College celebrated the 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of its founding. College personnel, local and state officials, former employees, and members of the community assembled midday for a special ceremony. Since its beginning, the college has touched thousands of lives. The numbers tell the larger story of the college's growth and achievement over the past 45 years.

- 125 acres with 11 buildings
- About 3,000 curriculum students and approximately 8,000 continuing education students
- More than 100 degree, diploma, and certificate programs
- 22 health sciences programs
- 23 programs in business and technologies
- 10 programs in arts and sciences, including the large College Transfer program
- 11 programs that are unique to the area and two that are unique to North Carolina
- 292 distance education courses.

During spring semester, 2013, the college and its students received a number of significant honors. In May, ECC received the National Career Preparedness Award for its efforts to prepare students to be successful in careers and the workplace. Phi Theta Kappa, the college's honor society, won a national Honors Case Study Challenge Award in a competition sponsored by USA Today. In March, the Honor Society also brought home 12 awards from its regional convention. Class of 2012 Practical Nursing students

scored 100% on the National Council Licensure Examination for Practical Nurses. Seniors in the Medical Assisting program won first place in a state Quiz Bowl for medical assistants. In addition, the business club Phi Beta Lambda received nine awards at the state leadership conference.

**2014** In October 2014, construction began on the new Biotechnology and Medical Simulation Center on the Rocky Mount campus. This facility will usher in a new model for health care education – realistic training through the use of patient simulators. Through the new center, the college will be able to expand and prepare the next generation of health care workers in a state-of-the-art facility equipped with the latest technology.

Other important initiatives were implemented to increase student success. The college joined the Plus 50 Encore Completion Program, a national effort to retrain adults over 50 years of age. A new Weekend College was launched to make higher education more convenient and accessible to working adults. Also, VILLEDGE, a program held for the first time during the summer term, was designed to help students transition from high school to college.

**2015** Duke Energy and ECC announced a \$249,500 investment from the Duke Energy Foundation to strengthen the college's welding program through the purchase of new equipment, improved lighting, and facility upgrades. The college was recognized as a national model in manufacturing education by Tooling U-SME, a leader in manufacturing learning and development. Nursing and Early Childhood Education programs received advanced accreditation from national professional organizations. To address the need for a skilled manufacturing workforce, the college and Edgecombe County Public Schools launched the Advanced Manufacturing Program Academy for high school students. The college hired four career coaches to work in Edgecombe high schools to advise students on opportunities at ECC. For six consecutive years, ECC was designated a Military Friendly School by Victory Media. Also, the new Basic Law Enforcement Training Academy graduated its first class of fourteen students.

**2016** In January, the new Biotechnology and Medical Simulation Center opened on the Rocky Mount campus. Equipped with the latest patient simulation technology, this new facility will enable the college to expand and prepare the next generation of health care workers. ECC will receive more than \$2 million over the next five years to help increase retention and graduation rates of low income and African American students. Funded by the U.S. Department of Education, the Predominantly Black Institution grant is providing for two Student Success Centers, one on each campus. ECC joined the national effort to increase the number of college graduates while decreasing the financial burden for students by establishing the EDGE Scholarship Program, a three-year scholarship program that fully funds the education of qualified students. ECC set two graduation records by awarding the largest number of credentials to the largest number of graduates in college history. During the May 7 commencement, the college awarded 630 associate degrees, diplomas, and certificates to 508 students.

**2017** ECC was among six community colleges in North Carolina that competed in a high altitude balloon launch challenge, which was funded through a NASA and NC Space Grant. President Deborah L. Lamm received the Southern Regional Chief Executive Officer Award from the Association of Community College Trustees. The College opened a clothes closet for students. An initial donation of 600 tons of professional

clothing from the non-profit Dignity U Wear, via CSX Corporation, seeded the program named "Eagle's Nest." The College broke ground for a new Center for Innovation on the Tarboro Campus. The new building will take current training to the next level in a facility designed to simulate the manufacturing environment with the capacity to upgrade to next-generation equipment. The College introduced new welding and entrepreneurship programs. ECC celebrated its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary with a series of programs for the community, students, and employees.

- 2018** The College hired Dr. Gregory K. McLeod as its fifth president. Dr. McLeod came to ECC from Thomas Nelson Community College, replacing Dr. Deborah L. Lamm, who retired after fourteen years. The Biotechnology and Simulation Center on the Rocky Mount campus was named in honor of her. For the third year in a row, ECC students brought home gold medals from the SkillsUSA National Leadership and Skills Conference. A new Ophthalmic Medical Assistant program was added to the programs offered at the College. The College held its first student success program, No Greater Odds, which was attended by nearly forty community college and higher education professionals. A Single Stop office opened to connect students and their families to a broad range of social, financial, and legal services. The College received a \$25,000 grant from Durham-based Manpower Development Corporation to offer tuition-free Community Health Coach classes. ECC received a grant to provide funding for the construction of an Advanced Manufacturing Training Center to assist with customized training needs for area companies that need access to short-term training programs.
- 2019** Edgecombe Early College High School Principal Matt Smith was named 2019 North Carolina Principal of the Year. A Baking and Pastry Arts Program began at the College. The College received a charter for a chapter of the Associate Degree Nursing Alpha Delta Nu Honor Society. Alpha Delta Nu is the only national nursing honor society for Associate Degree Nursing (ADN) students. The first class enrolled in the new Advanced Manufacturing Academy at Edgecombe Community College. The class prepares students for careers in manufacturing and is a collaboration between ECC, Ramp East, and Turning Point Workforce Development Board. The College launched a unique certificate program in Unmanned Aircraft Systems (Drones). ECC will be the only community college in the state to offer the program. Reserved parking spaces for Edgecombe Community College students who are veterans or active duty military were unveiled during the Veterans Day Memorial and Recognition Ceremony held November 11 on the Tarboro campus. Edgecombe Community College was among the North Carolina colleges that celebrated the rebrand of a teacher education program that unites East Carolina University and 23 institutions of higher education.
- 2020** The COVID-19 coronavirus pandemic forced the College to cancel classes or move instruction online midway through spring semester. Like other community colleges in North Carolina and per State directive, ECC began shifting face-to-face courses to online delivery mid-March. The College closed to the public yet offered access to technology on both campuses during the pandemic shutdown. College loaned Chromebooks to students who lacked the technology to complete their classes. Commencement 2020 at Edgecombe Community College was a departure from previous graduation events as the college celebrated the Class of 2020 with a Drive-thru Graduation Parade. A new Agribusiness Technology program began offering classes in the fall, providing students with a strong background in sustainable farming, farm management, crop production, farm maintenance, animal science, and horticultural

science. Due to rising unemployment caused by the pandemic, the College held two food drives for students and area residents. The Phillips/Bricks Alumni Association endowed a scholarship at Edgecombe Community College that will support local students. The alumni association contributed \$6,100 to ECC to endow the scholarship, which is available to part-time or full-time students who are residents of Edgecombe County. Edgecombe Community College's chapter of the Phi Theta Kappa honor society was recently recognized for 20 years of participation in the Adopt-A-Highway program. The College recently received more than \$850,000 for the Rural College Broadband Access project from the North Carolina Community College System to address technology needs, access, and security. This funding will assist ECC with critical information technology infrastructure and network security improvements.

**2021** In an effort to help students and their families recover from the pandemic, Edgecombe Community College created a new scholarship program called the Edgecombe Pledge. This unique initiative funded in-state tuition and fees for all qualifying students who enrolled beginning in the Fall 2021 semester and extending through the Spring 2023 semester. Edgecombe Community College was one of thirteen two-year colleges from across the nation selected for Project Vision, a grant-focused initiative supported by the National Science Foundation (NSF). The five-year project will help smaller, rural two-year colleges create opportunities to seek funding for NSF grants. In addition to focusing on smaller, rural schools, the project also targets colleges with newer presidents. In August, the College introduced a new ambassador, an eagle mascot. In the 1980s, the college fielded a basketball team for local games and tournaments. The players needed a nickname and chose the eagle. Edgecombe's division of College and Career Readiness ranked number one in performance for the 2020-2021 program year. Benchmarks for the program are 36.5% and ECC students achieved 68.8%. The Basic Law Enforcement Training 10<sup>th</sup> academy had a 100% pass rate on their State Comprehensive Examination. Jerry and Faye Price established an endowed scholarship to support students in skilled trades and other small business-related programs. Edgecombe was selected as a top candidate for the 2023 Aspen Prize award. This award honors colleges with outstanding achievement in five critical areas: teaching and learning, certificate and degree completion, transfer and bachelor's attainment, workforce success, and equity for students of color and students from low-income backgrounds. Turning Point Workforce Development board approved local implementation of a healthcare career pathway for Edgecombe County students. The pathway is a collaborative effort with Edgecombe County Public Schools and local agencies to build education tracks that meet local workforce needs. Edgecombe Community College and Barton College were able to announce a Criminal Justice Transfer Agreement for students to enter their bachelor's degree program.

**2022** ECC's Division of College and Career Readiness ranked number two in performance among North Carolina community colleges for the 2021-2022 program year. A focus of the division is to assist adults who have not earned a high school credential by helping them prepare to take the high school equivalency exam. For the third year in a row, the college was designated a 2022-2023 Military Friendly® School. Ami Denton, program chair and director of the nursing program at ECC, received the 2022 Educator of the Year Award from the North Carolina Associate Degree Nursing Council. Members of ECC's Medical Assisting Class of 2022 passed on their first try the American Association

of Medical Assistants national certification exam to become a Certified Medical Assistant (CMA), resulting in a 100 percent pass rate for the class. This is the first medical assisting class at ECC to reach this achievement prior to graduation. For the second year in a row, ECC surgical technology graduates achieved a 100 percent pass rate on the national certification exam for surgical technologists. As reported in February 2022, in December 2021 the seven members of the 2021 graduating class sat for and passed national certification administered by the National Board on Certification in Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting. ECC's student honor society won thirteen awards at the awards ceremony held by the Phi Theta Kappa Carolinas Region. ECC students brought home three individual awards and two team awards from the SkillsUSA state competition held in April. Two SkillsECC teams placed 1st in the Skill Project Showcase at the state competition and one student placed 1st in Principles of Engineering (High School – Edgecombe Early College). ECC launched a program that enables students to earn an associate degree in Emergency Medical Science. The N.C. Office of Emergency Medical Services proposal, if passed, would impact only paramedic applicants who apply for credentials after July 1, 2023. In late 2021 ECC's Basic Law Enforcement Training (BLET) program moved the campus in the Havens Building, expanding the program's facilities to include showers, lockers, and a new multipurpose space for training and practical scenarios. The program recently added Crisis Intervention Team Training, better known as CIT, a 40-hour national certification that focuses on advanced methods of de-escalation. Graduates also receive 18 college credit hours toward an associate degree in criminal justice. Dr. Greg McLeod, president of Edgecombe Community College, is the subject of a new Trailblazer Profile, an initiative of the Belk Center for Community College Leadership and Research at North Carolina State University. During the 2021-2022 academic year, the ECC Foundation funded \$65,000 in scholarships benefitting 112 students. In addition to funding scholarships, the ECC Foundation sponsors the Student Ambassador program, the Endowed Faculty Chair Award, the Excellence in Teaching Award, and the Staff Award. Leaders at Edgecombe-Martin County Electric Membership Corporation presented \$1,000 to ECC to support student scholarships in the electrical systems technology program. Edgecombe-Martin EMC provides two \$500 scholarships to the college annually. In October, the Rocky Mount Rotary Club presented ECC with \$30,000 to support student scholarships. The Tarboro Rotary Club contributed \$4,000 to ECC public safety programs in August. The ECC Foundation's 36th Annual Golf Tournament raised more than \$26,000 for student scholarships at ECC.

## **2023**

In January, the college partnered with the John M. Belk Endowment on NC Reconnect, an initiative that unites community colleges with partners from across the state to reengage adult learners. At the heart of NC Reconnect are the 380,000 North Carolinians ages 25-44 who have some college but no degree. A targeted marketing campaign and outreach efforts resulted in more than a hundred of these local adult learners reenrolling at ECC for the fall semester. ECC was named a Best Community College by Intelligent.com, a higher education resource guide. The college ranked #29 among the 66 educational institutions in North Carolina that offer two-year associate degree programs. In March, the college graduated its largest class of Basic Law Enforcement Training cadets in the program's history. Twenty-one cadets graduated from the 12th Basic Academy of Basic Law Enforcement Training. ECC and University of Mount Olive officials announced a new transfer agreement that enables ECC agribusiness technology degree graduates to transfer

to UMO to complete a B.A. or B.S. degree in agribusiness. Phi Theta Kappa, the student honor society, won fourteen regional awards at an awards ceremony held by the Phi Theta Kappa Carolinas Region. ECC and Pitt Community College signed an agreement that guarantees admissions to two Pitt students into ECC's Surgical Technology program each year. Students will complete prerequisite courses at Pitt and transfer into the program at ECC. Pitt does not have a program in surgical technology. May graduates of the Associate Degree Nursing program scored 97 percent on the national licensure exam for registered nurses, besting the national pass rate by 10 percent. ECC and the University of North Carolina Wilmington renewed a partnership agreement that guarantees admission to UNCW for qualified ECC students. The UNCW PathWays program assures admission to UNCW for students who complete an associate in arts or associate in science degree at ECC. All 18 students who competed at the SkillsUSA state conference in April brought home an award. Three teams and two individuals placed first, winning gold medals in their competitions. In June, a team of ECC students won 2nd place in the national SkillsUSA competition. SkillsUSA offers a competition for students to demonstrate their career and technical skills. The student-led High Altitude Balloon Team won half of the awards presented at the North Carolina Space Grant High Altitude Balloon Competition in May. Eight awards were presented; the ECC team won four of the awards. ECC ranks #3 among community colleges nationwide for providing quality instruction at an affordable price, according to SmartAsset, an online site for financial information and advice. To determine the best community colleges in the country, SmartAsset analyzed data for 845 schools where students can earn an associate degree or technical training in two years. Thanks to a \$50,000 state grant, ECC is upgrading its cybersecurity system with a server that focuses on identifying potential security breaches before they occur. The system is a major step forward in protecting the college's data and assets from outside attacks. ECC's Practical Nursing program ranks #4 in the state according to a national nursing advocacy organization. The top seven schools on the PracticalNursing.org list received a 100 percent score, and ECC was listed as 4th based on program size. In addition, for the 12th year in a row, graduates of the Practical Nursing program achieved a 100 percent pass rate on the national licensure exam. A National Science Foundation three-year grant of more than \$306,000 is enabling industrial and technical trades instructors to advance manufacturing training to Industry 4.0 standards.

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## **Edgecombe Community College Vision**

### **Values**

#### Integrity

The college fosters responsible, accountable, and ethical behavior and encourages an environment of honesty, tolerance, and civility.

#### Quality

The college provides relevant, quality educational and training programs and services.

#### Opportunity

The college provides educational, global, and cultural programming that enable students and the community to achieve their goals.

#### Student Success

The college provides learning opportunities and support services to help students succeed.

#### Diversity and Equity

The college embraces differences and nurtures a culture of honor and respect.

#### Collaboration

The college promotes enriching partnerships and cooperative teamwork.

### **Edgecombe Community College Mission**

ECC's mission is to strengthen and enrich the educational, training, and lifelong learning opportunities for our community.

### **Goals**

#### Goal 1

To provide quality education and training programs

#### Goal 2

To elevate the profile and prominence of the college

#### Goal 3

To maximize college partnerships and collaborations in order to provide relevant training and workforce development opportunities

#### Goal 4

To demonstrate fiscal responsibility and create educational opportunities through grants and private donations

#### Goal 5

To encourage student engagement and success through innovative programs and services

#### Goal 6

To promote an atmosphere of diversity, equity, and inclusion

*Approved August 2020*

## **PROGRAMS OF STUDY**

Edgecombe Community College offers a comprehensive range of educational programs to meet the needs of the community.

### **I. Curriculum Programs**

Curriculum programs offer credit courses leading to degrees, diplomas, or certificates. The degree programs are two years in length. The diploma programs are one year in length, and the certificate programs are between three and nine months long.

#### **College Transfer Degrees**

- Associate in Arts
- Associate in Science

#### **Associate in General Education Degree Programs**

- Barbering
- Biotechnology
- Computed Tomography
- Dental Assisting
- Dental Hygiene
- Detention Officer Certification
- Healthcare Management Technology
- Health Information Technology
- Magnetic Resonance Imaging
- Medical Assisting
- Nursing BSN Transfer
- Nursing Licensed Practical
- Nursing Registered
- Ophthalmic Medical Assistant
- Radiography
- Respiratory
- Surgical Technology

#### **Degree Programs**

- Accounting and Finance
- Agribusiness Technology
- Biotechnology
- Business Administration
- Collision Repair & Refinishing Technology
- Criminal Justice Technology- Career Entry
- Dental Hygiene
- Early Childhood Education Birth-K Licensure
- Early Childhood Education Non-Licensure
- Early Childhood Education Traditional Non-Transfer
- Emergency Medical Science
- General Occupational Technology
- Geospatial Technology – Geographic Information Science
- Health Information Technology



- Healthcare Management Technology
- Human Services Technology
- Information Technology- Support Services
- Information Technology- Networking & Security
- Information Technology- Software & Web Development
- Manufacturing Technology
- Medical Assisting
- Medical Office Administration
- Nursing
- Nursing- Advanced Placement for LPNS
- Office Administration
- Radiography
- Respiratory Therapy
- Supply Chain Management- Distribution Management
- Supply Chain Management- Trucking Operations
- Surgical Technology
- Welding Technology

### **Diploma Programs**

- Accounting and Finance
- Agribusiness Technology
- Automotive Systems Technology
- Barbering
- Business Administration
- Collision Repair & Refinishing Technology
- Cosmetology
- Electrical Systems Technology
- General Occupational Technology
- Geospatial Technology- Geographic Information Science
- Health Information Technology Coding
- Industrial Systems Technology
- Information Technology-Supportive Services
- Information Technology-Networking & Security
- Information Technology-Software & Web Development
- Nursing – Practical Nursing
- Ophthalmic Medical Assisting
- School Age Education
- Supply Chain Management – Distribution
- Supply Chain Management – Trucking Operations
- Surgical Technology
- Therapeutic & Diagnostic Services: Nurse Aide
- Welding Technology

### **Certificate Programs**

- Accounting and Finance – Excel
- Accounting and Finance - Financial Services
- Accounting and Finance – QuickBooks
- Advanced Canine Handler Training

- Advanced EMT
- Agribusiness Technology – Agriculture
- Agribusiness Technology – Animal Science
- Agribusiness Technology - Horticulture
- Agribusiness Technology- Management
- Automotive Systems Technology – Basic Automotive Servicing
- Basic Canine Handler Training
- Basic Law Enforcement Training (BLET)
- Business Administration – Business Leadership
- Business Administration – International Business
- Business Administration –Global Logistics & Distribution Management
- Business Administration – Marketing
- Collision Repair & Refinishing Technology – Non-Structural Damage
- Collision Repair & Refinishing Technology – Painting and Refinishing
- Collision Repair & Refinishing Technology – Structural Damage
- Computed Tomography
- Cosmetology - Instructor
- CPR
- Criminal Justice-Technology
- Criminal Justice- Crime Assessment
- Drones/Unmanned Aircraft Systems
- Early Childhood Education
- Electrical Systems Technology
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Esthetics Technology
- Facility Maintenance Worker – Construction Building
- Firefighter
- General Occupational Technology
- General Occupational Technology- Global Distinction (Cultural Sciences Concentration)
- General Occupational Technology-Global Distinction (Social Studies Concentration)
- Geospatial Technology – Geographic Information Science
- Geospatial Technology – Internet Mapping
- Geospatial Technology- Unmanned Aircraft Systems (Drones)
- Global Logistics & Distribution Management
- Health Information Technology – Ambulatory Billing/Coding
- Health Information Technology – Protected Health Information
- Human Services Technology – Substance Abuse
- Industrial Systems Technology
- Information Technology- Support Services
- Information Technology- Certification Prep
- Information Technology-System Admin
- Information Technology- Networking & Security
- Information Technology- CCNA Prep
- Information Technology- Software & Web Development
- Manufacturing Technology – Computer Integrated Machining
- Manufacturing Technology – Industrial Networks
- Manufacturing Technology – Manufacturing Automation
- Manufacturing Technology – Manufacturing Management and Operations

- Medical Assisting – Clinical
- Medical Assisting – Electronic Health Record
- Medical Office Administration – Medical Billing
- Medical Office Administration – Medical Office Coding
- Medical Responder
- Medication Aide
- Medication Aide Instructor
- Nurse Aide I
- Nurse Aide II
- Office Administration – Office Skills
- Office Administration – Office Software
- Paramedic
- Phlebotomy
- Supply Chain Management- Distribution Management
- Supply Chain Management Trucking Operations Management
- Technical Rescue
- Welding Technology

## II. Collaborative Agreement Programs

ECC collaborates with other colleges to offer degree and diploma program opportunities to students. Students may apply for admission to these programs and transfer completed arts and sciences general education courses from ECC.

### Degrees

- Biotechnology – Pitt Community College
- Dental Hygiene – Halifax Community College
- Healthcare Management Technology – Pitt Community College

### Diplomas

- Dental Assisting – Martin Community College

## III. High School Students – Eligible Programs

Through a partnership with N.C. Department of Public Instruction, N.C. Community College System, the University of North Carolina System, and many independent colleges and universities, North Carolina is helping eligible high school students to begin earning college credit at a community college at NO cost to them or their families.

### Certificate

- Accounting and Finance – Principles of Accounting
- Agribusiness Technology - Agriculture
- Agribusiness Technology – Animal Science
- Automotive Systems Technology – Basic Automotive Servicing
- Business Administration
- Collision Repair & Refinishing Technology – Non-Structural Damage
- Cosmetology
- Criminal Justice Technology

- Early Childhood
- Electrical Systems Technology – AMP, Electrical Wiring; Industrial Controls; Industrial Wiring
- Facility Maintenance Worker – Construction Building
- Geospatial Technology – Geospatial Technology Foundations
- Historic Preservation
- Human Services
- Information Technology Network Management – CCENT Prep
- Information Technology Software & Web Development – Software Dev Foundations; Web & Mobile Development Foundations
- Information Technology Support Services – Exploration; Support Foundations
- Manufacturing Technology
- Medical Office Administration – Medical Billing
- Nurse Aide I
- Supply Chain Management – Distribution Management
- Supply Chain Management – Trucking Operations
- Welding Technology

#### **Career & College Promise**

- Associate in Arts Degree
- Associate in Science Degree

#### **IV. Continuing Education Courses**

Continuing Education courses are non-credit courses based on the needs and interests of the local community. They are categorized as follows:

##### **Human Resources Development (HRD)**

- Computer Technology for the Workplace
- Job Smart
- Basic Financial Literacy
- I.R.A. Workshop
- NC Works
- ON Target for Employment
- Roadmap to Re-Entry
- SUPER Man & SUPER Woman Workshops
- Transitions to Employment
- Working Smart
- CRC Prep

##### **Literacy Programs**

- Adult Basic Education I and II
- High School Equivalency Program
- Adult High School Diploma Program
- Basic Skills Plus
- English as a Second Language (ESL)

## **Occupational Extension**

- Administrative Management Courses
- Computer Applications such as Simple Computers & Microsoft Office Series
- Consumer Education
- Cooking Series such as Baking and Pastry Arts and Food Service Sanitation
- Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)
- Customer Service Classes
- Education 2 Go Online Classes
- Employment Readiness Classes such IRA, Career Readiness Strategies, Resume Building and Job Smart
- Health Occupations such as Nurses Assistant I & II (Training and Refreshers), Medication Aide, Medication Aide Instructor, Phlebotomy, PHCAST, Geriatric Aide, Mammography, Community Health Coach, TEAS prep
- Hispanic/Latino Programs
- Historic Preservation Trades
- Teacher Certification Renewal
- Trades and Industry Education
- Automotive such as Emissions Inspection, Safety Inspection and Re-certification
- Small Engine Repair
- Intro to Autobody Repair
- Natural Hair Care
- Nail Technology
- Notary Public
- Welding
- Gunsmithing
- Construction Academy
- Forklift Training
- HVAC: Heating, Air Conditioning with Refrigerant Certification
- UAS Drone/Public Safety
- Tire Manufacturing
- Upholstery Repair
- Pathways to Manufacturing
- Real Estate Appraisal CEU Classes
- Real Estate Broker Pre-Licensing and Post-Licensing Classes
- Sign Language
- Workforce Career Development

## **Emergency Services Programs**

- Emergency Medical Services
  - EMT
  - AEMT
  - Paramedic
  - EMS CE
- American Heart Association courses:
  - Pediatric Advanced Life Support
  - Advanced Cardiac Life Support
  - CPR
  - First Aid
- Fire Service & Technical Rescue
- Emergency Services Leadership Series
- Emergency Preparedness Technology
- Emergency Medical Dispatch

## **Law Enforcement Programs**

- Basic Detention Officer Certification Course/Academy
- Basic Law Enforcement Training (BLET)
- Criminal Justice – Sworn Officer/Detention Officer/Telecommunicator
- Criminal Justice – Canine (K9) Specialized Training
- Law Enforcement Training

## V. **Business & Industry Services**

Business and Industry Services provides training to meet the specific needs of industry in Edgecombe County and the surrounding area. A combination of state-funded projects or courses, courses tailored to specific business needs, and open enrollment courses that support industry needs are offered.

### **Customized Training Program**

- The purpose of the Customized Training Program is to provide customized training assistance in support of full-time production and direct customer service positions created in the State of North Carolina, thereby enhancing the growth potential of companies located in the state while simultaneously preparing North Carolina's workforce with the skills essential to successful employment in emerging industries.
- Eligible businesses include: Manufacturing, Technology Intensive (i.e., Information Technology, Life Sciences), Regional or National Warehousing and Distribution Centers, Customer Support Centers, Air Courier Services, National Headquarters with operations outside North Carolina, and Civil Service employees providing technical support to US Military Installations located in North Carolina.
- To receive assistance, eligible businesses and industries must demonstrate two or more of the following criteria:
  - The business is making an appreciable capital investment;
  - The business is deploying new technology;
  - The business is creating jobs, expanding an existing workforce, or enhancing the productivity and profitability of the operations within the State; and,
  - The skills of the workers will be enhanced by the assistance.
- Resources may support: training assessment, instructional design, instructional costs, and training delivery for personnel involved in the direct production of goods and services. Production and technology support positions are also eligible for training support.
- Full-time probationary employees of qualified Customized Training companies are eligible for training delivered by the community college.
- The use of Customized Training funds requires that trainees are paid by the company for all time during training hours.
- For more information go to:  
[www.nccommunitycolleges.edu/Business\\_and\\_Industry/CustomizedTraining.htm](http://www.nccommunitycolleges.edu/Business_and_Industry/CustomizedTraining.htm)

### **Customized Courses for Individual Businesses**

Courses provided at times and locations that meet individual business needs. Examples include:

- **Safety**
- **Heart Saver CPR / First Aid**
- **NFPA 70E Arc Flash (LV & HV)**
- **Ergonomics**
- **OSHA General Industry 10 & 30 Hour**
- **Lock Out / Tag Out**
- **Hazwoper 24, 40**

- **Powered Industrial Vehicle (PIV)**
- **Operator License**
- **Train the Trainer**
- **Kepner-Tregoe Solutions**
- **Problem Solving & Decision Making**
- **Analytical Trouble Shooting**
- **Leadership Skills (Various 3-4 hour modules)**
- **Training for Trainers**
- **Lean Six Sigma Yellow & Green Belt**
- **Intro to Lean +6S introduction**
- **Microsoft Computer Applications (Word, Excel, PP, Outlook)**

For more information on Customized Training, Programs or other Business & Industry Services at ECC contact:

Clifford House  
Director of Customized Training  
Edgecombe Community College  
Barnhill-Jenkins Center for Innovation, Office 129  
2009 W. Wilson Street  
Tarboro, NC 27886  
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## SMALL BUSINESS CENTER

### What is the Small Business Center (SBC)

Edgecombe Community College's Small Business Center was established in 1986. The Small Business Center is part of a statewide network designed to create new jobs through the development of new businesses and the growth of existing businesses. The SBC is a community-based provider of training, counseling, and resource information for small business owners.

### Confidential Counseling (Free)

The Small Business Center provides free, confidential counseling services for new and existing businesses. Available on an as-needed basis, our counselors serve as sounding boards for ideas and concerns you may have about your business. The professional staff will help you find solutions to your challenging business questions. The center also has contact with vital local business and community leaders and other member agencies across the state that will help with your business venture.

### What is the Cost of the SBC Services?

Confidential counseling services and access to resource libraries are free of charge. Some seminars and workshops require a minimal registration fee, however most are free.

### Business Seminars and Workshops

The Small Business Center offers a wide variety of seminars, webinars, and workshops to help small businesses be successful. A minimal registration fee may be required for some courses, however most are free. Some of the topics include:

- How to Start a Business
- How to Write a Business Plan
- Financing a Business
- Marketing for Success
- Licenses, Recordkeeping and Taxes
- Introduction to Non-Profits and Grant Writing
- How to Improve Your Credit Score

### SBC Resource Center

Located on both the Tarboro and Rocky Mount campuses, the Small Business Center has a library of professional resources waiting to be tapped. Printed materials including books, pamphlets, magazines, and trade journals are available for your use. There is also a computer system dedicated to Small Business clients.

### A Powerful Business Alliance

In addition to providing training, counseling, and other resources, the Small Business Center will put you in touch with vital local business and community leaders.

For more information, contact the:

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Visit our website at: <https://www.edgecombe.edu/biz> for webinar/seminar offerings, counseling requests, and additional information.

# LIBRARY ACTIVITY

2023-2024

## Circulation

Books & AV	3,284
Reserves	0
Total	3,284

## Technical Services

### *Materials Added*

Books	840
AVs	1,169
Total	2,009

## Interlibrary Loan

### *Borrowed*

Books	9
Articles	0

### *Loaned*

Books	44
Articles	0

## Library Utilization

Orientations	12
Online Orientations	0
Orientation Headcounts	121
Reference Questions	3,128

## NC Live Searches

170,191

*Data Source: ECC Librarian*

# FULL-TIME EMPLOYEE DEMOGRAPHICS

2023-2024

Position Classification	White		Black		Other Minority		Total	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Exec/Management</b>								
Men	5	19%	8	30%	0	0%	13	48%
Women	9	33%	5	19%	0	0%	14	52%
Total	14	52%	13	48%	0	0%	27	100%
<b>Faculty</b>								
Men	15	22%	3	4%	0	0%	18	27%
Women	37	55%	10	15%	2	3%	49	73%
Total	52	78%	13	19%	2	3%	67	100%
<b>Professional</b>								
Men	2	13%	1	7%	0	0%	3	20%
Women	4	27%	8	53%	0	0%	12	80%
Total	6	40%	9	60%	0	0%	15	100%
<b>Clerical/Secretarial</b>								
Men	1	5%	0	0%	0	0%	1	5%
Women	10	45%	11	50%	0	0%	21	95%
Total	11	50%	11	50%	0	0%	22	100%
<b>Technical</b>								
Men	4	80%	0	0%	0	0%	4	80%

Women	1	20%	0	0%	0	0%	1	20%
Total	5	100%	0	0%	0	0%	5	100%
<b>Service/Maint.</b>								
Men	4	38%	2	30%	1	10%	7	70%
Women	0	0%	3	20%	0	0%	3	30%
Total	4	38%	5	50%	1	10%	10	100%
<b>Totals</b>								
Men	31	21%	14	10%	1	1%	46	32%
Women	61	45%	37	25%	2	1%	100	68%
Total	92	66%	51	35%	3	2%	146	100%

*Data Source: Office of College Director of Human Resources*

## FALL SEMESTER CURRICULUM FTE & ENROLLMENT

Curriculum	2020		2021		2022		2023		2024	
	Enroll	FTE	Enroll	FTE	Enroll	FTE	Enroll	FTE	Enroll	FTE
Accounting	22	9	33	9	18	6	21	8	32	
Agribusiness	9	3					30	8	14	
Associate in Arts	68	26	176	61	42	16	116	24	182	
Associate in Gen Edu	343	117	463	158	171	60	310	101	306	
Associate in Science	188	59	133	41	143	34	100	37	54	
Automotive Systems	8	2	10	4	2	1	19	5	17	
Barbering	11	7	11	10	14	12	13	12	22	
Biotechnology		0			1	1	1	0	0	
Business Administration	105	36	168	53	72	25	126	39	150	
Career & College Promise	140	31	65	15	85	22	127	25	157	
College & Career Readiness										
Collision Repair & Refinishing	13	3	20	8	10	3	19	6	26	
Computer Tech Integration			2	0					0	
Cosmetology	35	21	48	36	24	16	33	23	24	
Cosmetology Instructor			1	1						
Criminal Justice	61	20	112	33	33	12	54	17	43	
CT & MRI Technology			1	0	1	1			0	
Dental Hygiene										
Early Childhood - School Age	7	2	14	5					0	
Early Childhood	67	24	107	40	42	15	93	35	75	
Electrical Systems Technology	2	1	17	6	10	4	20	8	16	
Emergency Medical Science							4	1	5	
Engineering - Pre-major										
Entrepreneurship	1	1	5	2	1	0				
Esthetics Instructor		0								
Esthetics Technology	21	13	13	8	2	1	18	11	22	
Facilities Maintenance	3	1	17	6					1	
General Occupational					1	0				
Geospatial Technology	2	1	9	3	3	1	10	3	4	
Health Information Technology	45	23	69	32	37	16	27	10	41	
Historic Preservation	7	3	5	3	1	2				
Human Services Technology	55	20	77	24	43	16	48	16	36	
Industrial Maintenance			1	0						
Information Technology	32	11	45	18	19	7	36	12	39	
Lateral Entry			3	0						
Magnetic Resonance Image MRI	10	8	9	2	8	2	3	3	5	
Manufacturing Technology	10	4	7	3	5	2	9	4	4	
Mechanical Drafting										
Medical Assisting	11	6	18	10	13	6	35	9	41	
Medical Office Administration	53	17	146	41	46	15	53	17	79	
Nurse Aide			6	2						
Nursing - Associate	44	23	76	39	21	10	76	40	81	
Nursing - Practical	16	9	18	10	9	5	18	11	18	
Office Administration Technology	7	3	16	6	11	4	24	8	20	
Ophthalmic Medical Assistant			8	2	2	0				
Radiography	27	25	34	26	10	6	24	19	23	
Respiratory Therapy	31	19	25	15	17	8	32	19	27	
Shooting & Hunting Sports Mgmt.			1	0						

Special Credit	30	6	88	13	12	3	7	2	9	
Supply Chain Management	8	3	7	2	8	3	11	4	7	
Surgical Technology	10	5	12	3	5	2	14	6	14	
Welding	13	4	17	5	11	5	45	20	45	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>1,515</b>	<b>566</b>	<b>2,113</b>	<b>756</b>	<b>953</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>1576</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>1639</b>	

## SPRING SEMESTER CURRICULUM FTE & ENROLLMENT

Curriculum	2020		2021		2022		2023		2024	
	Enroll	FTE	Enroll	FTE	Enroll	FTE	Enroll	FTE	Enroll	FTE
Accounting	27	10	23	9	32	10	29	11	27	
Agribusiness	9	3					43	10	30	
Associate in Arts	125	48	54	26	81	21	115	23	166	
Associate in Gen Edu	394	135	278	92	235	79	254	80	257	
Associate in Science	176	48	190	56	149	39	125	37	87	
Automotive Systems	9	4	3	2	5	2	7	3	21	
Barbering	11	9	11	10	18	15	11	10	15	
Biotechnology		0				1	1	0	0	
Business Administration	135	45	79	30	92	31	112	37	117	
Career and College Promise	160	27	107	24	101	23	90	18	106	
College and Career Readiness										
Collision Repair and Refinishing	32	14	15	6	15	7	22	9	24	
Cosmetology	31	23	23	19	33	22	26	19	25	
Cosmetology Instructor										
Criminal Justice	76	25	49	16	43	14	39	11	55	
CT & MRI Technology	3	1	3	4	3	3	4	5	5	
Early Childhood - School Age	11	4	4	2						
Early Childhood	78	31	48	23	62	21	97	34	88	
Electrical Systems Tech	16	9	6	3	10	4	12	7	22	
Emergency Medical Science							4	1	5	
Engineering - Pre-major										
Esthetics Technology	34	21	17	18	20	12	24	15	15	
Esthetics Instructor	1	1								
Facilities Maintenance	21	6	2	1						
General Occupational					1	1				
Geospatial Technology	7	2	6	2	3	1	7	2	7	
Health Information Technology	54	24	39	16	38	15	33	12	29	
Historic Preservation	7	4	7	3						
Human Services Technology	54	18	46	21	50	17	35	10	28	
Industrial Systems									1	
Information Systems	43	17	29	13	27	10	32	10	32	
Lateral Entry										
Magnetic Resonance Image MRI	11	4	1	10	3	3	10	10	3	
Manufacturing Technology	4	1	2	1	6	2	11	4	10	
Medical Assisting	14	7	11	5	12	4	44	14	43	
Medical Office Administration	104	34	52	20	59	18	44	13	63	
Nurse Aide										
Nursing - Associate	56	31	54	25	24	12	71	40	70	
Nursing - Practical	14	7	21	8	14	7	16	8	16	
Office Administration	11	3	9	3	15	5	20	6	20	
Ophthalmic Medical Assistant	4	1	1	0	2	1				
Radiography	29	24	18	20	10	8	21	17	23	

Respiratory Therapy	28	23	19	10	15	12	28	24	28	
Shooting & Hunting Sports Mgmt.										
Special Credit	40	7	20	3	22	5	18	3	6	
Supply Chain Management	3	1	8	4	9	3	15	6	12	
Surgical Technology	8	5	10	8	4	4	5	4	8	
Welding	28	11	17	6	16	9	37	14	38	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>1,862</b>	<b>686</b>	<b>1,291</b>	<b>523</b>	<b>1229</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>1462</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>1502</b>	

*Data Source: Office of Institutional Effectiveness*

## GRADUATES

Year	Associate Degree	Diploma	Certificate	Total
1971-1972	13	34	2	49
1972-1973	25	48	13	86
1973-1974	48	75	10	133
1974-1975	52	56	10	118
1975-1976	91	43	22	156
1976-1977	91	64	83	238
1977-1978	102	91	56	249
1978-1979	91	76	48	215
1979-1980	84	59	45	188
1980-1981	81	61	56	198
1981-1982	86	53	42	181
1982-1983	95	64	38	197
1983-1984	95	47	36	178
1984-1985	107	45	34	186
1985-1986	91	48	44	183
1986-1987	72	24	58	154
1987-1988	74	30	66	170
1988-1989	68	44	82	194
1989-1990	90	48	114	252
1990-1991	104	68	35	207
1991-1992	95	88	2	185
1992-1993	132	76	66	274
1993-1994	156	90	80	326
1994-1995	143	88	145	376
1995-1996	165	70	128	363
1996-1997	192	60	74	326
1997-1998	202	55	63	320
1998-1999	121	40	1	162
1999-2000	100	42	0	142
2000-2001	103	40	3	146
2001-2002	115	41	28	184
2002-2003	148	66	53	267
2003-2004	162	70	44	276
2004-2005	174	55	28	257
2005-2006	173	58	21	252
2006-2007	203	56	26	285
2007-2008	188	31	28	247
2008-2009	186	75	52	313
2009-2010	211	78	8	297
2010-2011	266	75	66	407

2011-2012	312	127	69	508
2012-2013	295	84	55	434
2013-2014	257	116	64	437
2014-2015	302	101	172	575
2015-2016	364	109	157	630
2016-2017	333	87	126	546
2017-2018	286	80	166	532
2018-2019	288	72	218	578
2019-2020	266	90	221	477
2020-2021	192	43	122	357
2021-2022	217	49	160	426
2022-2023	219	59	121	399
2023-2024	201	42	197	440

**Data Source:** ECC Student Services



**CURRICULUM AND CONTINUING EDUCATION  
TOTAL ENROLLMENT**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Annual Unduplicated Headcount</b>	<b>Annual FTE</b>
1973-1974	4,154	938
1974-1975	5,742	965
1975-1976	6,347	1,145
1976-1977	4,973	1,191
1977-1978	4,488	1,426
1978-1979	7,115	1,542
1979-1980	6,070	1,671
1980-1981	6,990	1,662
1981-1982	6,206	1,666
1982-1983	7,384	1,740
1983-1984	5,811	1,612
1984-1985	6,094	1,546
1985-1986	7,427	1,735
1986-1987	6,388	1,653
1987-1988	6,917	1,410
1988-1989	7,765	1,565
1989-1990	8,893	1,764
1990-1991	9,405	1,858
1991-1992	7,563	1,950
1992-1993	8,551	1,870
1993-1994	7,841	1,647
1994-1995	8,327	1,561
1995-1996	8,674	1,617
1996-1997	8,286	1,813
1997-1998	7,329	1,848
1998-1999	7,874	1,878
1999-2000	7,771	1,800
2000-2001	9,001	1,893
2001-2002	12,610	2,205
2002-2003	10,902	2,331
2003-2004	10,895	2,458
2004-2005	9,138	2,453
2005-2006	9,648	2,401
2006-2007	9,206	2,305
2007-2008	9,263	2,142
2008-2009	10,095	2,195
2009-2010	10,066	2,606
2010-2011	10,168	2,773
2011-2012	9,904	3,119
2012-2013	9,199	2,884
2013-2014	8,489	2,711
2014-2015	7,748	2,480
2015-2016	6,778	2,130
2016-2017	6,541	2,254
2017-2018	6,114	2,185
2018-2019	6,301	1,748
2019-2020	5,685	1,681
2020-2021	4,390	1,340
2022-2023	5,382	1,849
2023-2024	5,355	1,773

**Data Source:** *The Annual Statistical Report of the NC Community College System*

**CONTINUING EDUCATION  
Headcount by Year**

<b>Program</b>	<b>2016-17</b>	<b>2017-18</b>	<b>2018-19</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>2023-2024</b>
Basic Skills	1,662	1,249	1,029	668	248	846	410
Occupational Extension	3,274	3,650	3,459	3,380	2,795	2,983	4,056
Occupational Extension (Non-FTE)	25	51					
Focused Industry Training							23
New & Expanding Industry		33	93	42	21	223	
Community Service Self-Support	76	84	93	83	42	89	68
Small Business							
HRD						312	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,037</b>	<b>5,067</b>	<b>4,674</b>	<b>4,173</b>	<b>3,106</b>	<b>4,453</b>	<b>4,557</b>

**CONTINUING EDUCATION  
FTE by Year**

<b>Program</b>	<b>2016-17</b>	<b>2017-18</b>	<b>2018-19</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>2023-24</b>
Basic Skills	101	89	93	68	29	54	47
Occupational Extension	200	263	309	351	346	466	468
Occupational Extension (Non-FTE)	3	4					
Focused Industry Training							3
New & Expanding Industry		2	2	6	2	3	
Community Service Self-Support	5	6	3	10	4	11	5
Small Business							
HRD							
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>381</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>523</b>

*Data Source: Office of Continuing Education Registrar*

# CURRENT OPERATING BUDGET

## Expenditures from all Sources

<b>Source</b>	<b>2017-2018</b>	<b>2018-2019</b>	<b>2019-2020</b>	<b>2020-2021</b>	<b>2021-2022</b>	<b>2022-2023</b>	<b>2023-2024</b>
Academic Support	2,236,072	1,909,300	1,966,965	1,942,784	1,683,619	1,448,517	2,023,845
Instruction	8,856,441	9,118,851	8,268,314	8,740,943	8,442,302	6,696,110	8,199,184
Auxiliary Enterprises	2,218,000	1,600,000	1,420,000	1,142,245	223,597	1,102,446	517,196
Student Services	1,282,595	1,790,599	1,736,086	1,519,731	1,498,355	1,594,904	1,261,662
Plant Operations	1,457,300	1,347,105	1,662,527	1,558,617	1,503,758	3,066,744	1,913,270
Gen Institutional Support	3,561,578	4,104,945	3,739,799	3,712,705	3,217,524	3,654,856	3,717,241
Financial Aid	14,054,000	11,075,000	9,834,565	8,085,545	5,478,520	2,405,606	4,301,623
Capital Outlay	588,130	737,086	556,296	656,640	821,196	1,321,366	521,728
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 34,254,116</b>	<b>\$ 31,682,886</b>	<b>\$ 29,184,552</b>	<b>\$ 27,359,210</b>	<b>\$ 22,868,871</b>	<b>\$ 21,290,549</b>	<b>\$22,455,749</b>

## Revenues from all Sources

<b>Source</b>	<b>2017-2018</b>	<b>2018-2019</b>	<b>2019-2020</b>	<b>2020-2021</b>	<b>2021-2022</b>	<b>2022-2023</b>
State	15,701,116	15,844,021	15,072,833	14,829,711	15,257,850	14,291,870
County	1,656,000	1,656,000	1,871,304	1,899,796	1,924,796	2,668,999
Institutional	16,897,000	14,182,865	12,495,167	10,895,954	13,404,940	7,554,442
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 34,254,116</b>	<b>\$ 31,682,886</b>	<b>\$ 29,439,304</b>	<b>\$ 27,625,461</b>	<b>\$ 30,587,586</b>	<b>\$24,515,291</b>

**Data Source:** ECC President's Report

## LAND AND BUILDINGS

### Land

Edgecombe Community College began on its present site approximately 2.5 miles south of Tarboro on the Pinetops Road. The site was formerly a county prison unit and there were approximately 82 acres in the total land area.

In 1985 the College traded four acres for 28 acres in an area the College needed to expand its campus. The College now has 104 acres on the Tarboro Campus.

In Rocky Mount, the College has acquired the majority of one block, and a part of another for a total of about five acres.

**Total Land Owned .....109 Acres**

### Buildings

#### Tarboro Campus

Name	Year Constructed	Building Cost	Replacement Value	Assignable Area	Gross Area
McIntyre Building (A)	1977	823,700	2,042,342	16,776	24,496
Fountain Building (B)	1924	117,000	1,561,224	10,033	17,209
Learning Resource Building (C)	1990	1,425,000	1,881,486	14,402	20,500
Havens Building (E)	1970	383,000	2,503,899	21,424	27,600
Auto Body / Welding (D) (G)	1978	136,000	315,736	5,938	6,250
Maintenance (F)	1993	75,000	94,513	6,752	7,200
Building Trades	1995	3,500	12,950	616	616
Fleming Building (H)	2004	11,165,359	11,165,359	43,194	70,065
Cosmetology Building (I)	2008	1,246,021	1,291,112	7,250	8,085
Auto Body Building – Collision & Repair (J)	2014	1,050,000	1,050,000	6,200	7,000
Norfleet House (K)	1820	125,000	200,000	1,425	1,500
Center for Innovation (L)	2019	6,100,000	6,100,000	20,000	23,919
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>\$22,649,580</b>	<b>\$28,218,621</b>	<b>147,810</b>	<b>214,440</b>

#### Rocky Mount Campus

Name	Year Constructed	Building Cost	Replacement Value	Assignable Area	Gross Area
Classroom Building	1987	3,715,000	4,987,948	36,636	57,506
Cosmetology Building	1971	90,000	214,299	2,619	3,283
Biotech & Medical Simulation Center	2015	11,716,427	11,750,000	31,500	45,000
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>\$15,521,427</b>	<b>\$16,952,247</b>	<b>70,755</b>	<b>105,789</b>

#### Both Campuses

Name	Building Cost	Replacement Value	Assignable Area	Gross Area
Grand Totals	\$38,171,007	\$45,170,868	218,565	320,229

**Data Source:** Administrative Services

## EDGECOMBE COUNTY INFORMATION

Edgecombe County was formed in 1741 from Bertie County. Located in the eastern section of the state, it is bounded by Martin, Pitt, Halifax, Nash, and Wilson Counties. It was named for Richard Edgcumbe (1680-1758), afterwards first Baron Edgcumbe, a Member of Parliament, Lord of the Treasury, and holder of other political offices.

County Seat	Tarboro
Elevation	140 ft. Above Sea Level
Average Annual rainfall	48 inches
Total Area	507 Square Miles
Population	49,275
Population Density per Square Mile	97
Percent Population 65 & Older	22%
Percent Minority Population	62%
Hispanic Population	6.3%
Median Household Income	\$46,400
Percentage of Persons Living in Poverty	22%
Public School Membership	5,156
Public High School Graduation Rate	87%
Public High School Dropout Rate	4.40% (as of 2023)
Public School Per Pupil Expenditure	\$11,977
Public School Average ACT Score	21
Public School Average SAT Score	1040
Effective Countywide Tax Rate per \$100	\$0.89

### Incorporated Municipalities

Conetoe	Pinetops	Sharpsburg	Tarboro
Leggett	Princeville	(part)	Whitakers
Macclesfield	Rocky Mount	Speed	(part)
	(part)		

### Population by Year

<b>Year</b>	<b>Edgecombe</b>	<b>Nash</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Tarboro</b>	<b>Rocky Mount</b>
2010	56,552	95,840	152,392	11,503	57,477
2011	56,635	95,851	152,486	11,385	57,482
2012	55,954	95,708	151,662	11,358	57,433
2013	55,574	95,093	150,667	11,324	56,954
2014	54,933	94,357	149,290	11,308	56,325
2015	54,150	93,919	148,069	11,125	55,541
2016	53,318	93,968	147,286	10,942	55,466
2017	52,747	94,012	146,759	10,968	54,523
2018	52,005	94,016	146,021	10,844	57,477
2019	51,253	94,020	145,273	10,725	54,242
2020	50,501	94,024	144,525	10,896	53,524
2021	48,359	95,176	143,535	10,569	53,957
2022	48,301	95,789	144,090	10,668	54,013
2023	48,232	96,351	144,583	10,791	54,375
2024	49,275	97,282	146,557	10,918	54,222

**Data Source:** World Population Review