# El Paso Community College Fact Book





# Fall 2024

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### EL PASO COMMUNITY COLLEGE

### **COLLEGE INFORMATION**

Address	9050 Viscount Blvd., El Paso, TX 79925
Mailing Address	P.O. Box 20500, El Paso, TX 79998
Main Phone Number	915.831.EPCC
President	Dr. William Serrata
Established	June 1969
Colors	Teal and Purple
Mascot	Tejano

### **ACCREDITATION**

El Paso County Community College District is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) to award associate degrees. Degree-granting institutions also may offer credentials such as certificates and diplomas at approved degree levels. Questions about the accreditation of El Paso County Community College District may be directed in writing to the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, GA 30033-4097, by calling (404) 679-4500, or by using information available on SACSCOC's website (www.sacscoc.org).

### **VISION STATEMENT, FALL 2024**

EPCC will be a progressive educational leader transforming our future.

### **MISSION STATEMENT, FALL 2024**

The mission of El Paso Community College is to ensure affordable, high quality education and career pathways from start to finish.

#### STRATEGIC GOALS, FALL 2024

- 1. Provide Quality Education to Meet Students' Diverse Needs
- 2. Drive Student Success
- 3. Foster Engagement and Increase Partnerships
- 4. Sustainability

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#### ADDITIONAL COLLEGE INFORMATION

Year Founded: 1969

Peer Group: Very Large College

Degrees Offered: Associate of Arts,

Associate of Arts in Teaching,

Associate of Science,

Associate of Applied Science Degrees,

and Certificates

Hispanic Serving Institute: Yes

Open Door Enrollment: Yes

Specialized Admissions for Health Careers: Yes

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### ABOUT THE EL PASO COMMUNITY COLLEGE FACT BOOK

The Fact Book is designed to provide a "snapshot" of the Fall 2024 semester at El Paso Community College. This public document is designed to provide easy access to data and information about El Paso Community College that may be used in grant writing, planning and assessment efforts or other data-centered endeavors. This current edition focuses mainly on Fall 2024, although several tables and charts do provide data for a full year.

The College's Office of Institutional Planning, in collaboration with the Office of Institutional Research, created this publication using data from student records, the EPCC Dashboards, the U.S. Census Bureau, and the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board. Both offices have made every effort to ensure the accuracy of this information.

The Fact Book is divided into two major sections. The first section displays a teal border at the bottom of each page focusing mainly on data for faculty, staff and the community in El Paso County located in El Paso, Texas. The second section displays a light blue border at the bottom of each page, focusing on students attending El Paso Community College, and it is with pride that we present the Fall 2024 Fact Book. We encourage you to review this publication in its entirety to appreciate all that El Paso Community College has to offer the community and surrounding areas.



#### **Former EPCC Student Publishes Book**

Abi Olvera, a former EPCC student, published her first book titled "The Underdog's Guide to Scholarships: Get big money for your dream college." Ms. Olvera is a 2010 EPCC graduate who went on to get a bachelor's at the University of Richmond and a master's at Yale while receiving scholarships. She currently works for the Department of State as a Foreign Service Officer. While at EPCC, she joined various student extracurriculars, volunteered, and got excellent grades which allowed her to get full scholarship offers from universities across the country. Ms. Olvera acknowledges EPCC in her book opening, "To El Paso Community College because, as your slogan goes, you really are 'the best place to start!"

**EPCC Accepted the Bellwether 2024 Legacy Finalist Award** EPCC accepted the Bellwether 2024 Legacy Finalist award at the 2024 Community College Futures Assembly in San Antonio, Texas. The award is for the Bridges Program that started in 1993 as a dynamic partnership between El Paso Community College (EPCC) and the University of Texas at El Paso (UTEP) to effectively train research-oriented students who bridge from community college to university to complete baccalaureate degrees in biomedical fields. The Bridges program provides students rigorous training including mentored research experiences, interactive training workshops, community-building activities, and professional development opportunities.

#### Student-Parent Resource Center Opens at the Valle Verde Campus

Valle Verde is the fifth campus to open a fully operational family friendly center (FFC) for student parents. The announcement was made through an Open House celebration at the facility and provides a welcoming study space for EPCC students and their children to promote learning through a two-generational approach. The Valle Verde Campus Parent Resource Center is a room that has a play space for children including toys, books, crawling area, and child-sized furniture. Desks and computers are available for adults or older children to study. EPCC was one of four institutions awarded the Ascend at the Aspen Institute - Postsecondary Leadership Circle (PLC) Activation Fund grant, which help fund this center.

#### **EPCC Science Students Among World's Best at Global Symposium**

Computer Science instructor, Dr. Christian Servin, along with two Computer Science students and Student Technology Services (STS) Peer Leaders, Ivan Alonso and Emiliano Garcia, presented at the Technical Symposium of the Special Interest Group in Computer Science Education (SIGCSE TS) program held in Portland, Oregon. The EPCC team's work was competitively selected for inclusion in a category that included more than 30 submissions from different countries. Their work is considered among the top six assignments in the computer science community for 2024 globally and is the first time that the Nifty Assignments session has accepted a community college assignment in this track. EPCC's winning assignment now is a part of a body of work that also includes assignments from Tier One universities including Stanford, UC-Berkeley, Princeton and others.

#### **EPCC Early College Graduate Earns Engineering Degree**

Robert Dickerson is the first Early College High School graduate to complete a degree in Mechanical Engineering alongside a high school diploma. The Pebble Hills High School student credits his family with help through the maze of high school and college courses. "They are very impressed with the level of education EPCC provided me, while also allowing me to be a high school student," added Dickerson. He planned to attend Texas A&M in College Station in fall 2024.

The Best Place to Start and Finish!

### EPCC ACCOLADES AND AWARDS CONTINUED

#### **EPCC Advanced Technology Center Partners with UTEP Aerospace**

El Paso Community College (EPCC) made its partnership official with UTEP Aerospace Center and Workforce Solutions Borderplex for the ADTech program. The program's first cohort will train eight students in the Welding and Machining programs at the Advanced Technology Center. This fast-paced training of a total of 140 hours will allow students to learn different skills in both programs to prepare them to be Instrumentation Process Technicians. After their training is completed, students will be placed in the high-tech industry earning high wages.

### A New Beginning for HS Equivalency Grads

More than 140 students GED graduates were honored in a heartwarming ceremony as they received their hard-earned diplomas, marking a significant milestone in their educational journeys. The event highlighted the determination and perseverance of adult learners who overcame challenges to achieve this critical academic credential. The High School Equivalency program helps agricultural, and farmworker families obtain the GED.



### **EPCC Celebrates Vocational Nursing Program's 30 Graduates**

EPCC celebrated 30 Licensed Vocational Nurse (LVN) graduates, ten of whom were graduates from Silva Magnet High School. We are proud of our 30 Vocational Nursing graduates. Most of them have already been hired in the El Paso community, which will help the ongoing nursing shortage in the area. Established in 1972, EPCC's nursing program is the oldest nursing program/school in our community. EPCC graduates approximately 175 nurses per year from our programs, with 65 full-time and part-time faculty.

#### **EPCC Cares Coordinator Earns Distinguished Service Award**

Dr. Carmen Castillo-Attar earned the 2024 Texas Counseling Association Distinguished Service Award for her 21 years of service. Originally starting out as a Counselor at CSD, Dr. Castillo-Attar is now the Coordinator for EPCC Cares, a new program created to provide mental health and social services to students. The Awards Ceremony and President's Reception took place in Dallas, Texas. Dr. Castillo-Attar has been a member of the Texas Counseling Association (TCA) since 2005, as a TCA Board Member, TCA Senator, TCA committee chair, and TCA Chapter President.

#### **Compass Award Winners Announced by Student Learning Outcomes**

Student Learning Outcomes (SLO) Department awarded their annual Compass Awards at the Transmountain campus. The Compass is a recognition of outstanding efforts by a Program/Discipline to enhance student learning through intentional assessment design. The 2024 Compass Award winners included EPCC Pathways Change Maker: Zoe Spiliotis, EPCC Assistant Professor of Art; Compass Award Honoree's Course Learning Outcomes: Government; Program Learning Outcomes: Nursing. The 2024 Compass Award recognized the outstanding assessment work from the following disciplines: Government, English as a Second Language, the Language Institute, Engineering, Teacher Preparation, Philosophy, and Nursing. Just as a compass empowers the user to navigate, assessment work allows us to understand how to guide our programs and disciplines in the direction of improving student learning.

#### **Excellence in Education Awards Announced**

Several faculty members were given Excellence in Education Awards for their exemplary work with their colleagues and their students and demonstrated excellence in their field. They represent the best of EPCC's employees and serve as outstanding role models. Full Time Faculty Achievement Awards were given to Dr. Kim Diaz, Assistant Professor, Philosophy; Ms. Rosalia Ortega, Associate Professor, Biology; and Dr. Jose A. Pacheco-Lucero, Professor, Biology. Adjunct Faculty Achievement Awards were given to Ms. Patricia S. Barrientos, Mathematics; Mr. Samuel W. Forsythe, English; and Ms. Karen H. Kaplowitz, Nutrition. The Faculty Achievement Award was given to Ms. Carrie A. Van Houdt, Assistant Professor of Psychology, who was also a state-wide Minnie Piper Award nominee, the highest honor that can be bestowed on a Faculty Achievement awardee.



### The Best Place to Start!



### **INTERNET & SOCIAL MEDIA**

EPCC Website	www.epcc.edu
EPCC X (formerly Twitter)	https://twitter.com/EPCCNews
EPCC Facebook	https://www.facebook.com/EPCCNews/
EPCC Instagram	https://www.instagram.com/epccnews/

### **TUITION & FEES, FALL 2024**

Resident

Non-Resident 12

Credit Hours • Tuition: \$1,392

• Fees: \$240

• Tuition: \$2,412

Fees: \$240

Source: El Paso Community College Fall 2024 Catalog

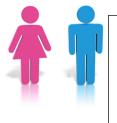
### **EMPLOYEES, FALL 2024**

Employees: 593
Faculty: 731

Part-Time
Full-Time
Faculty: 446

Source: Employee Ethnicity Statistical Report, October 2023, El Paso Community College Human Resources

### EPCC Faculty by Full and Part-Time Status and Gender, Fall 2024

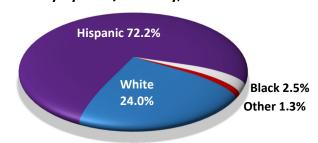


### Full-Time Females 257 (57.6%) Males 189 (42.4%)

Part-Time
Females
357 (48.8%)
Males:
374 (51.2%)

### Faculty by Race/Ethnicity, Fall 2024

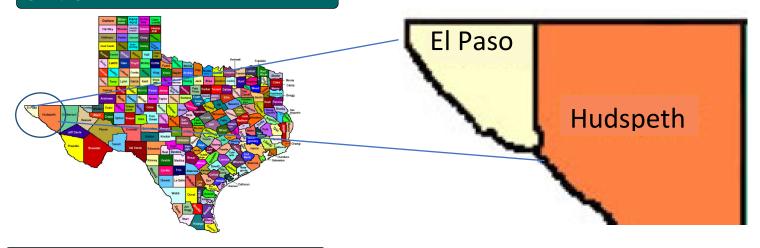
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Note: "Other" includes Pacific Islander, Asian, and Native American/ Alaska Native faculty

Source: Employee Ethnicity Statistical Report, October 2024, El Paso Community College Human

### **SERVICE AREA**



### **LOCATIONS**



Administrative Services Center 9050 Viscount Blvd., El Paso, TX 79925



**Valle Verde Campus** 919 Hunter Dr., El Paso, TX 79915



100 W. Rio Grande Ave., El Paso, TX 79902



**Transmountain Campus** 9570 Gateway Blvd. North, El Paso, TX 79924



Northwest Campus

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### THE COMMUNITY WE SERVE

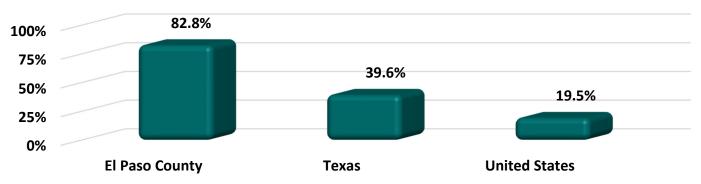
### Demographics for El Paso County, Texas, and the United States

Population	El Paso County	Texas	United States
Population, Estimate, July 1, 2024, (V2024)	875,784	31,290,831	340,110,988
Population, percent change - April 1, 2020 (estimates base) to July 1, 2024, (V2024)	1.2%	7.3%	2.6%
Population Characteristics			
Veterans, 2019-2023	47,304	1,408,009	16,569,149
Foreign born persons, percent, 2019-2023	23.1%	17.2%	13.9%
Age and Sex			
Persons under 5 years, percent	6.4%	6.3%	5.5%
Persons under 18 years, percent	25.7%	24.8%	21.7%
Persons 65 years and over, percent	13.5%	13.7%	17.7%
Female persons, percent	50.3%	50.1%	50.5%
Race / Hispanic Origin			
White, not Hispanic or Latino, percent	11.1%	39.6%	58.4%
Black or African American alone	4.5%	13.6%	13.7%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	1.1%	1.1%	1.3%
Asian alone, percent	1.5%	6.0%	6.4%
Native Hawaiian and other Pacific Islander alone	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%
Two or More Races, percent	1.6%	2.3%	3.1%
Hispanic or Latino, percent	82.8%	39.8%	19.5%
White alone*	91.0%	76.8%	75.3%

Notes: Vintage year 2024 is the most current year available from the U.S. Census as of June 2024. V2024 is in reference to a "vintage year" by the U.S. Census and refers to the final year of the series 2020 through 2024

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, El Paso County Quickfacts 2024

### Total Hispanic Population as of June 24, 2024



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, El Paso County Quick facts 2023.

<sup>&</sup>quot;White, not Hispanic or Latino, percent" refers to persons who are not Hispanic or Latino, who responded "No, not Spanish/Hispanic/Latino" and who reported "White" as their only entry in the race question.

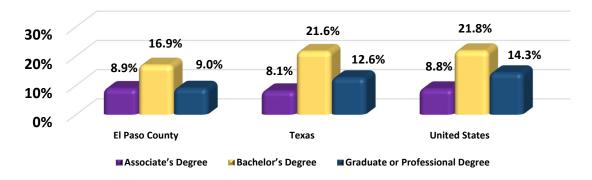
<sup>&</sup>quot;White alone" can include Hispanics who may be of any race and so are included in this category and any other applicable categories.

### **EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT**

### Highest Educational Attainment by Persons 25 Years and Older: 2024

Attainments	El Paso County	Texas	United States
No. of Persons 25 Years and Older	553,666	20,029,477	231,791,117
Less than 9 <sup>th</sup> grade	12.1%	7.1%	4.6%
9 <sup>th</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup> grade, No Diploma	6.8%	6.6%	5.6%
High School Graduates (includes equivalency)	26.0%	24.2%	25.9%
Some College, No Degree	20.3%	19.8%	18.9%
Associate's Degree	8.9%	8.1%	8.8%
Bachelor's Degree	16.9%	21.6%	21.8%
Graduate or Professional Degree	9.0%	12.6%	14.3%
Total High School or higher	81.1%	86.3%	89.8%
Total Bachelor's or higher	25.9%	34.2%	36.2%

### Percent of Persons 25 and Older with an Associate's, Bachelor's or Graduate/Professional Degree, 2024



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2023, American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates (Table S1501)

Notes: \*The data for 2023 is the most recent available from the U.S. Census. Percentages have been rounded to the nearest decimal place by the U.S. Census Bureau; therefore, totals may not sum exactly due to rounding.

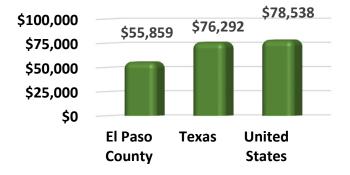




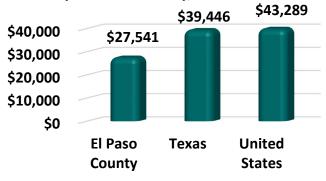
### **Income and Poverty Statistics, 2019-2023**

	El Paso County	Texas	United States
Median household income (in 2023 dollars), 2019-2023	\$58,859	\$76,292	\$78,538
Per capita income in past 12 months (in 2023 dollars), 2019-2023	\$27,541	\$39,446	\$43,289
Persons in poverty, percent	18.5%	13.7%	11.1%

# Median Household Income (in 2023 dollars), 2019-2023



# Per capita income (in 2023 dollars), 2019-2023

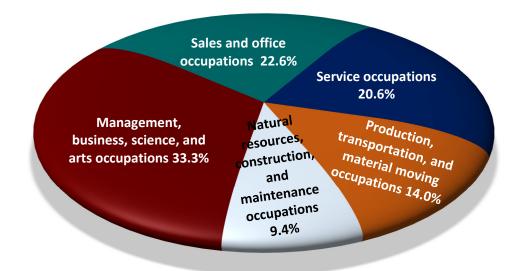


Source: U.S. Census Bureau, El Paso County, Texas, US Quickfacts 2024; \*Note: The data for 2019-2023 is the most recent available from the U.S. Census.



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### **Employed Civilians in El Paso County by Occupational Categories, 2024**



Occupational Category	Number	Percent
Civilian employed population, 16 years and over	388,577	100.0%
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	129,462	33.3%
Sales and office occupations	88,001	22.6%
Service occupations	80,144	20.6%
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	54,276	14.0%
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	36,694	9.4%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2023 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates Data Profile (S2406), El Paso County, TX Notes: \*The data for 2023 is the most recent available from the U.S. Census



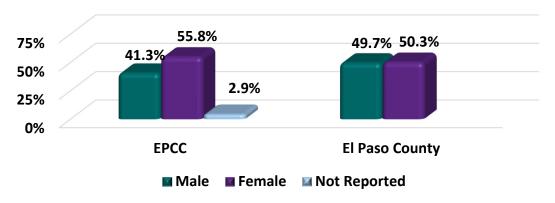


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### **COMMUNITY DEMOGRAPHICS**

### Community Demographics Reflected in EPCC Enrollment, Fall 2024



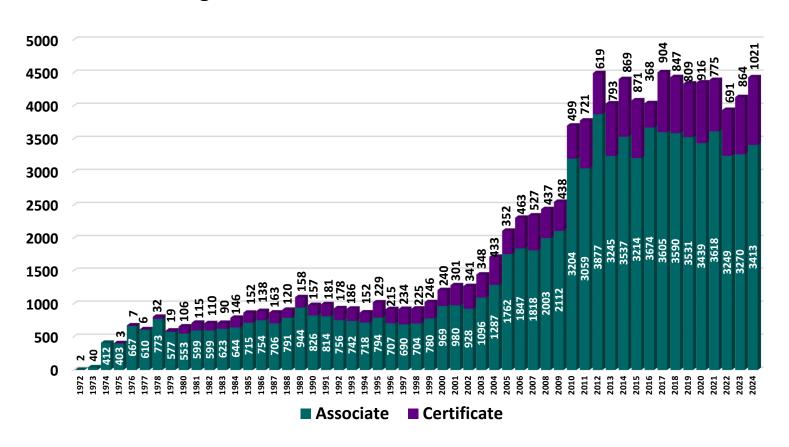
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, El Paso County Quick facts 2024; EPCC Dashboards





# CONTRIBUTING TO OUR COMMUNITY

### Degrees and Certificates Awarded, 1972-2024



Note: Numbers listed on top (in black) are the number of Certificates awarded for an academic year. No certificates were awarded until 1975, therefore the numbers listed for 1972 - 1974 are for Associate's Degrees awarded.

Sources: Student Banner Files; EPCC Dashboards





### Historical Tuition and Fees for El Paso Community College, 12 Credit Hours

Year	Tuition and Fees				
	Fall (In-State)	Fall (Out-of-State)			
1971	\$88	\$560			
1972	\$96	\$560			
1973	\$97	\$560			
1974	\$97	\$560			
1975	\$97	\$560			
1976	\$97	\$560			
1977	\$98	\$482			
1978	\$98	\$482			
1979	\$98	\$482			
1980	\$98	\$482			
1981	\$124	\$482			
1982	\$124	\$482			
1983	\$124	\$482			
1984	\$148	\$506			
1985	\$224	\$766			
1986	\$224	\$766			
1987	\$224	\$766			
1988	\$224	\$766			
1989	\$224	\$766			
1990	\$224	\$766			
1991	\$279	\$790			
1992	\$301	\$990			
1993	\$323	\$1,090			
1994	\$323	\$1,090			
1995	\$380	\$1,225			
1996	\$394	\$1,239			
1997	\$408	\$663			

Year	Tuition and Fees				
	Fall (In-State)	Fall (Out-of-State)			
1998	\$411	\$666			
1999	\$467	\$678			
2000	\$479	\$690			
2001	\$539	\$750			
2002	\$589	\$800			
2003	\$620	\$840			
2004	\$632	\$852			
2005	\$666	\$903			
2006	\$710	\$982.50			
2007	\$710	\$982.50			
2008	\$710	\$982.50			
2009	\$834	\$1,110			
2010	\$834	\$1,110			
2011	\$924	\$1,248			
2012	\$972	\$1,812			
2013	\$1,032	\$1,812			
2014	\$1,032	\$1,812			
2015	\$1,188	\$2,016			
2016	\$1,368	\$2,256			
2017	\$1,368	\$2,256			
2018	\$1,500	\$2,424			
2019	\$1,500	\$2,424			
2020	\$1,632	\$2,652			
2021	\$1,632	\$2,652			
2022	\$1,632	\$2,652			
2023	\$1,632	\$2,652			
2024	\$1,632	\$2,652			

Source: EPCC Catalogs 1971-1981; EPCC Credit Class Schedules, Fall 1981 – Fall 2018; https://www.epcc.edu/Admissions/Tuition/non-resident-fees, 2019-2024



### CREDIT STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS

### **FALL 2024 DEMOGRAPHICS FOR ALL STUDENTS**

Total Headcount (Unduplicated): 25,563

Full-Time: 8,150 (31.9%) Part-Time: 17,413 (68.9%)

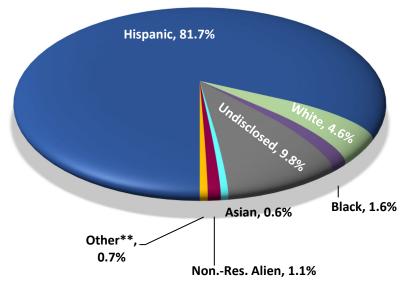
Female: 14,264 (55.8%) Male: 10,558 (41.3%)

Undisclosed: 741 (2.9%)

First Generation Students†: 6,177 (46.9%)

(6,177 of 13,170 total surveyed)





Median Age: 20 Average Age: 20 Mode (Most frequently found age): 19

Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) students\*: 14,366

Number of Students Served by the

Center for Students with Disabilities: 550

Enrollment by Major Type

Academic Major Students: 20,911

Vocational/Technical Major Students: 4,501

Undeclared, Non-Degree Seeking Students: 151

†A First-Generation Student is a student who is the first member of his or her immediate family to attend a college or university; neither of his or her biological or adoptive parents have ever attended a college or university. Percentage is calculated from those persons who self-reported being a first-generation student on an EPCC survey given biannually (=6,010 / 13,160 = 45.6%). Not all students enrolled completed the survey, therefore the percentage is based on the total who did complete it. (Source: THECB Glossary of Terms)

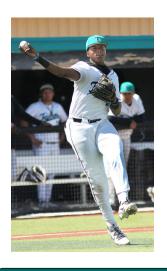
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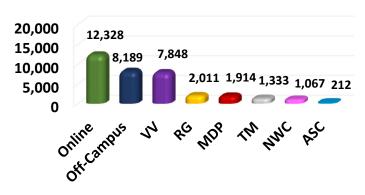




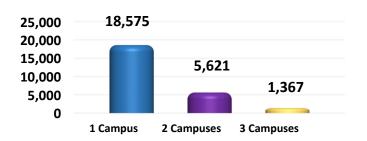


### **CREDIT ENROLLMENT**

## Enrollment of Students at Each Location Fall 2024



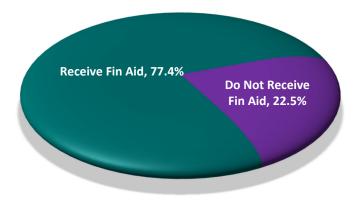
### Total Campuses Students Attend, Fall 2024



\*Note: Students are counted at each location they attend, therefore, numbers are duplicated.

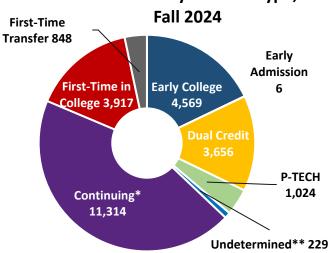
Sources: EPCC Dashboards; Banner Student Files

# **Enrollment by Students Receiving Any Financial Aid, Fall 2024**



Note: Financial Aid includes grants, loans, work study, scholarships, exemptions and contracts, based on total enrollment.

### Enrollment by Student Type,



Note: Students are counted at each location they attend, therefore, enrollments can be duplicated. Sources: EPCC Dashboards; Banner Student Files

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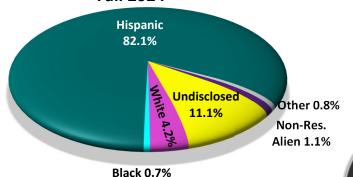
<sup>\*</sup>Continuing students are those who are not new to EPCC but are continuing their studies.

<sup>\*\*&</sup>quot;Undetermined" denotes students who have a discrepancy in their reporting high school record that have not yet been corrected.

#### FALL 2024 DEMOGRAPHICS FOR FIRST-TIME IN COLLEGE (FTIC) STUDENTS

First-Time in College Student: A student in his or her first semester of college attendance, who has never attended any college previously and is not a Dual Credit nor an Early College High School student.

### First-Time in College by Ethnicity, Fall 2024



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N = 3,918

Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) students\*: 2,782

Enrollment by Major Type

Academic Major Students: 3,201

Vocational/Technical Major Students: 713

Unknown: 6

Total FTIC Headcount (Unduplicated): 3,918

Full-Time: 2,490 (63.55.%) Part-Time: 1,428 (365.%)

Female: 2,083 (55%) Male: 1,692 (40.7%)

Undisclosed: 143 (4.3%)

Average Age: 19

Median Age: 18

Mode (Most frequently

found age): 18

First Generation Students†: 50.5%

(1,040 of 2,061 total surveyed)

Number of First-Time in College Students Served by the

Center for Students with Disabilities: 156

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### FIRST-TIME IN COLLEGE STUDENTS RETENTION AND PERSISTENCE



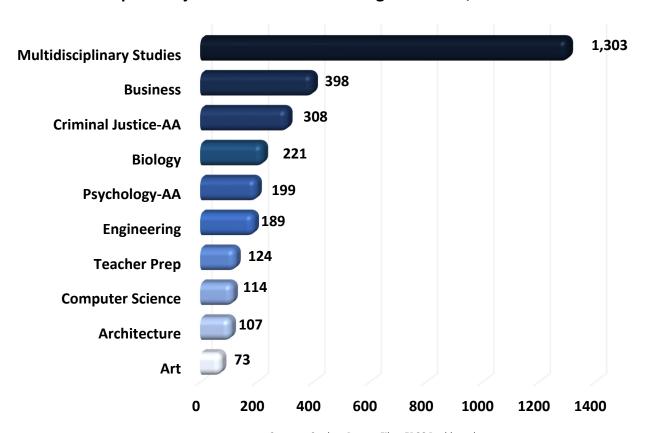




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Note: As first-time in college (FTIC) students submit transcripts to EPCC, FTIC numbers are adjusted when students are found to have attended college elsewhere prior to EPCC. Therefore, FTIC numbers here may not match previous editions of EPCC Fact Books.

Top 10 Majors of First-Time in College Students, Fall 2024



Sources: Student Banner Files; EPCC Dashboards

### FIRST-TIME IN COLLEGE STUDENTS BY HIGH SCHOOL

### Total First-Time in College Students by Last High School Attended, Fall 2024

High School	High Scho		High School	High Scho		High School	High Scho	
	No.	Percent		No.	Percent		No.	Percent
Canutillo Indepen	dent School D	istrict	Local Area Independent S	chool Dist	rict	Socorro Independent	School Dis	trict
Canutillo	59	1.5%	Anthony	10		Americas	143	3.6
Т	otal 59	1.5%	Fabens	21		Eastlake	184	4.7
			San Elizario	65		El Dorado	120	3.1
Clint Independe	nt School Dist		Santa Teresa	11	0.3%	Montw ood	197	5.0
Clint	51		All Other Local ISDs w ith			Options HS	10	0.3
Horizon	117		<10 Grads Attending EPCC	24		Pebble Hills	146	3.7
Mountain View	68	1.7%	Total	131	3.3%	Socorro	170	4.3
Т	otal 236	6.0%	M is ce llan e o u	s		All Other Socorro ISD HS w ith		
			All Other Local ISDs w ith			<10 Grads Attending EPCC	0	0.0
El Paso Independ	lent School Di		<10 Grads Attending EPCC	194	4.9%	Total		24.7
Andress	100	2.6%	Total	194	4.9%	Ys leta Independent S	chool Dist	rict
Austin	81	2.1%				Bel Air	124	3.2
Bow ie	97		No ISD			Del Valle	137	3.5
Burges	84	2.1%	HS-Texas	20		Eastw ood	111	2.8
Chapin	69	1.8%	TX Home Schooled	16	0.4%	Hanks	76	1.9
Coronado	77	2.0%	w ith			Parkland	81	2.1
El Paso	108	2.8%	<10 Grads Attending EPCC	1		Riverside	87	2.2
Franklin	133	3.4%	Total	37	0.9%	Ysleta	92	2.3
Irvin	52	1.3%	No ISD			All Other Ysleta ISD HS w ith		
Jefferson	93	3 2.4%	Other Countries	22	0.6%	<10 Grads Attending EPCC	8	0.2
Silva Magnet	24	0.6%	Other U.S. HS	103	2.6%	Total	716	18.3
						Early College High Scho		
Sunset (Evening) HS	13	0.3%	Mexico HS	189		Technology Early (		
All Other El Paso ISD HS			Total		8.0%	Empire ECHS	12	0.3
<10 Grads Attending EP0			Private High Sch			Hanks ECHS	12	0.3
Т	otal 938	3 23.9%	Lydia Patterson Inst. HS	16	0.4%	Mission ECHS	20	0.5
			All Other Private High Schools with			Montw ood ECHS	12	0.3
			<10 Grads Attending EPCC	29	0.7%	Parkland ECHS	13	0.3
			Total	45	1.1%	Pebble Hills ECHS	17	0.4
			Public Charter Sc	hool		Socorro ECHS	17	0.4
			Davinci Science and Arts	18	0.5%	Trailblazers ECHS	13	0.3
			El Paso A cad. East, West	31	0.8%	All Other ECHS w ith		
*Notes: * Miscellan	e ous include	s GED,	Harmony Sci, Acad; Innovation	26	0.7%	<10 Grads Attending EPCC	46	1.2
Grads from Other Co			Premier HS of El Paso; East EP	13	0.3%	Total	162	4.1
Mexico)		, and the second	Triumph HS East, West	17	0.4%	Pathways in Technology	Early Colle	ge HS
**Percentages may	not add to 10	00%	All Other Public Charter HS w ith			All Other P-TECHS w ith		
due to rounding			<10 Grads Attending EPCC	4	0.1%	<10 Grads Attending EPCC	7	0.2
Ü			Total		2.8%	Total	7	0.2

Sources: Student Banner Files; EPCC Dashboards







### **GRADUATES, ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-2024**



## Total Degrees by Award Type, 2023-2024

Certificates
1021 (23%)
Associate of Science
451 (10%)
Associate of Arts in Teaching
122 (3%)
Associate of Arts

2,373 (53%)

N=4,434

Sources: Student Banner Files; EPCC Dashboards

# Total Reverse Transfer Graduates for 2023-2024: 194 Colleges Attended by Reverse Transfer Graduates during 2023-2024

Reverse Transfer: A process established by the Texas Legislature in 2011 to help students who transfer from a public community college with at least 30 credit hours to a public university. The student must then complete a total of 66 credit hours between both institutions to receive an associate's degree from the Community College they previously attended.



Associate of Arts: 94
Assoc. of Arts in Teaching: 1
Associate of Science: 3



Associate of Arts: 7



Associate of Arts: 1



Associate of Arts: 5

Source: EPCC Student Banner Files, EPCC Dashboards

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### GRADUATES BY PROGRAM AND DEGREE TYPE

### Graduates by Program and Degree Type, Academic Year 2023-2024

Program	Associate of Arts	Associate of Applied Science	Associate of Arts in Teaching	Associate of Science	All Certificates	Total
Accounting-AAS		7				7
Accounting-Computer Acct						
Appl Cert					4	4
Accounting-Computerized						
Acct Appl Cert					4	4
Adv Tech Ctr: Robotic and						
Auto					10	10
Adv Tech Ctr-Industrial						
Maintenance		9				9
Advertising Graphics and						
Design		24				24
Advert Graphics and Dsgn						
Cert					27	27
Architecture-AS				43		43
Arts	41					41
Automotive Techn-						
Driveability Tech Cert					5	5
Automotive Techn-One-						
Year Cert					49	49
Automotive Techn-Two					22	
Year Cert		- 10			33	33
Automotive Technology		13		440		13
Biology				116		116
BMGT-Office		4				
Administration		1				1
Business Mgmt-Rele Estate		5				5
Business Mgmt-Office Asst					2	2
Cert					2	2
Business Mgmt-Real Estate Cert					15	15
Business Mgmt-Small Busi					13	13
Mgmt Cert					12	12
Business	266				12	266
Business Mgmt-AAS	200	9				9
Chemistry		9		6		6
Child Dev-Teaching		17		Ŭ		17
Child Dev-Infants and		17				1/
Toddlers					8	8
Child Dev Teacher Assistant					3	
Cert					16	16
Communications-Advert						
and Public Relations	18					18

Source: Student Banner files; EPCC Dashboards as of 7/14/25

	Associate of Arts	Associate of Applied Science	Associate of Arts in Teaching	Associate of Science	All Certificates	Total
Communications-Radio and						
TV Broadcast	28					28
Computer Aided Design-						
<b>Construction Specialization</b>					36	36
Computer Aided Design-						
Drafting and Design						
Technology		6				6
Computer Aided Design-						
Mechanical Specialization					10	10
Computer Science	73					73
Cosmetology Cert					29	29
Court Reporting Cert					1	1
Court Reporting Machine						
Shorthand Scopist					2	2
Criminal Justice-Law						
Enforcement Cert					4	4
Criminal Justice-AA	158					158
Criminal Justice-AAS		4				4
Culinary Arts Cert					9	9
Culinary Arts-AAS		9				9
<b>Culinary Arts-Pastry</b>		9				9
Culinary Arts-Pastry Cert					10	10
Dance	10					10
Dental Assisting		5				5
Dental Assisting Cert					6	6
Dental Hygiene		12				12
Diagnostic Medical						
Sonography		8				8
Diesel Mechanics					7	7
Diesel Mechanic Assistant						
Cert					27	27
Diesel Technology		8				8
Echocardiography (Adult)		8				8
Electrical Techn					50	50
Emer Med Serv Paramedic Cert					25	25
Emer Med Srvc Paramedic-						
AAS		11				11
Emergency Medical						
Technician					18	18
EMS Advanced EMT Cert					12	12
Engineering-Civil						
Engineering				32		32
Engineering-Elec & Comp						
Engr Prin				22		22

Program	Associate of Arts	Associate of Applied Science	Associate of Arts in Teaching	Associate of Science	All Certificates	Total
Engineering-Electrical Engineering				1		1
Engineering-Material Engineering				3		3
Engineering-Mechanical Engineering				26		26
Engineering-Industrial & Systems Engr				5		5
English	14					14
Fash Tech-Industrial						
Patternmaker					4	4
Fashion Tech-Design		4				4
Fashion Tech-Illustration		2				2
Basic Firefighter		8				8
Fire Science		4				4
Fire Tech-Basic Firefighter						
Cert					1	1
Fire Tech-Basic Firefighter						
Cert					18	18
Geology				6		6
Health Information						
Management		5				5
HVAC- Heat/Vent Air Co		9				9
HVAC- Heat/Vent, Air					17	17
HVAC-Adv Tech Ctr: Resident Hvac Tech					20	20
Hospitality Operations- Front Desk Operations Cert					1	1
Hospitality Operations- Hotel Operations		1				1
Industrial Maintenance- Mechanic Technician Cert					6	6
Info Tech Sys-Cyber						
Security		19				19
Info Tech Sys-Computer						
Programming		15				15
Info Tech Sys-Computer						
Sup Tec A+					22	22
Info Tech Sys-Data Support Spe					3	3
Info Tech Sys-Entry Level						
Computer					16	16
Info Tech Sys-Info Tech in Bus		2				2
Info Technology in Busi Cert					2	2
Information Networking		4				4

Source: Student Banner files; EPCC Dashboards as of 7/14/25

Program	Associate of Arts	Associate of Applied Science	Associate of Arts in Teaching	Associate of Science	All Certificates	Total
Info Tech Sys-Cisco						
Networking Training					18	18
Interior Design Tech-						
Personal Design					5	5
Interior Design Technology		5				5
Interior Design Tech-						
Kitchen and Bath Design					1	1
Kinesiology	59				_	59
Law Enforcement-CE-Basic	33					
Peace Officer					16	16
Machining Tech: Adv Tech						
Ctr: CNC Machinist					6	6
Massage Therapy-CE-						
Massage Therapy					41	41
Mathematics				11	'-	11
Medical Imag Tech-				11		
Radiography		10				10
Medical Assist-		10				
Administrative Medical						
Asst.					14	14
Medical Assisting Tech Cert					11	11
Medical Assisting					11	
Technology		5				5
Medical Laboratory		<u> </u>				
Technology		5				5
Multidisciplinary Studies	1551					1551
Multidisciplinary Stud in Sci	1991			142		142
Music Music	3			172		3
	3				26	26
Nail Technologist-CE Nursing-Fundamentals of					20	20
Nursing Cert					34	34
Nursing Cert		80			34	80
Nursing-Fund of Nursing		00				80
Cert					42	42
Nursing-LVN to RN					42	42
Transition		47				47
		47			2	
Paralegal Certificate Paralegal-AAS		8			Z	8
Paralegal-AAS  Pharmacy Technology Cert		8			10	
Pharmacy Technology Cert  Pharmacy Technology-AAS		8			10	10 8
Philosophy	2	8				2
	2					
Physical Therapist Assistant		6		1		6
Physics A A	442			1		1
Psychology-AA	112			27		112
Psychology-AS				37		37

Source: Student Banner files; EPCC Dashboards as of 7/14/25

Program	Associate of Arts	Associate of Applied Science	Associate of Arts in Teaching	Associate of Science	All Certificates	Total
Renewable Energy Tech- Photovoltaic (PV) Installers					8	8
Renewable Energy Tech Sys Cer					5	5
Renewable Energy Tech Sys		4				4
Respiratory Care Technology		15				15
Sign Language Interpreter Prep		9				9
Sign Language-Amer Sign Lang-Deaf Cert					32	32
Social Work-AAS		9				9
Social Worl-Drug/Alcohol Counselor					3	3
Speech Communication	2					2
Surgical Technology-AAS		13				13
Teacher Prep-EC-6, 4-8, EC- 12, Spec Ed			122			122
Teacher Prep-Multi Studies and Educ Prep	2					2
Teacher Prep-Teach Educ (All Grades Levels)	22					22
Theater	6					6
Travel and Tourism-AAS		5				5
Travel Counsel/Airline Reservations					5	5
Vocational Nursing- Fundamentals of Voc						
Nursing Cert					61	61
Vocational Nursing Cert					69	69
Adv Tech Ctr: Machining Weld					2	2
Welding Certificate					69	69

Source: Student Banner files; EPCC Dashboards as of 7/14/25



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As of 2024, more than 103,000
degrees and certificates have been awarded to EPCC students.

### STATE REPORTED GRADUATION RATES

Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board: 2024 Graduation Rates within 3, 4 and 6 Years, by Full and Part-Time Status





Note: The 2023 data is the most current available as of June 2025.

Source: Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, 2024 Texas Higher Education Almanac



Photo by Rudy Gutierrez

### PATHWAYS in TECHNOLOGY EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOLS (P-TECH), FALL 2024





El Dorado P-TECH



Pebble Hills P-TECH



Socorro P-TECH



Montwood P-TECH



Eastlake P-TECH



Fabens P-TECH



Americas P-TECH







Mountain View P-TECH























### EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOLS, FALL 2024

































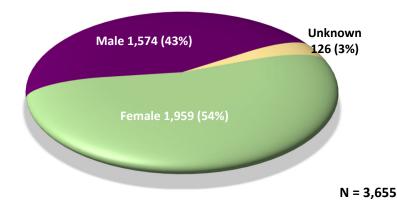






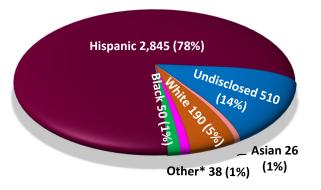
Dual Credit: A system in which an eligible high school student successfully completes a college course(s) that is paired to a high school course required for graduation and receives credit for the course on both the college and the high school transcripts (TEC §28.009) *Source: Texas Education* Agency

### Dual Credit Enrollment by Gender, Fall 2024



Sources: Student Banner Files; EPCC Dashboards

### Dual Credit Enrollment by Ethnicity, Fall 2024

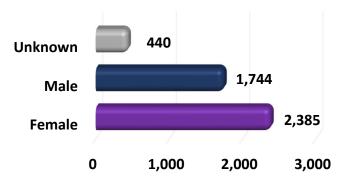


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### EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL

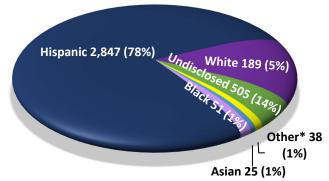
Early College High School: Open-enrollment high schools that allow students least likely to attend college an opportunity to receive both a high school diploma and either an associate degree or at least 60 credit hours toward a baccalaureate degree. *Source: Texas Education Agency* 

# Early College High School Enrollment by Gender, Fall 2024



Sources: Student Banner Files; EPCC Dashboards

### Early College High School Enrollment, by Ethnicity, Fall 2024



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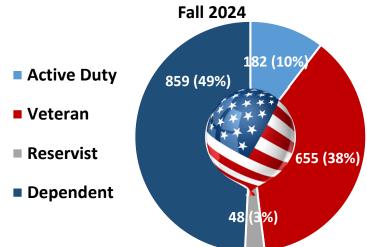
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### **MILITARY AFFILIATED STUDENTS**



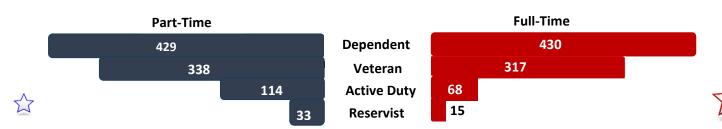
### Military Affiliated Student Enrollment,



Source: EPCC Student Banner Files, EPCC Dashboards

### **Enrollment of Military Affiliated Students,** by Gender, Fall 2024 595 **750** 414 500 237 232 115 63 250 27 35 12 **Active Duty** Reservist Dependent Veteran ■ Male ■ Female ■ Undisclosed Source: EPCC Student Banner Files, EPCC Dashboards

### **Enrollment of Military Affiliated Students by Full and Part-Time Status, Fall 2024**





Source: EPCC Student Banner Files, EPCC Dashboards





### STATE REPORTED LICENSURE RATES

### 2023-2024 Annual Licensure Report, Based on Program-Level Reporting

Major	Tested	Passed	%
Clinical/Medical Laboratory Technician	5	5	100%
Cosmetology/Cosmetologist, General	23	23	100%
Court Reporting and Captioning/Court Reporter	7	2	29%
Criminal Justice/Police Science	52	52	100%
Dental Assisting/Assistant	12	12	100%
Dental Hygiene/Hygienist	24	23	96%
Diagnostic Medical Sonography/Sonographer and Ultrasound Technician	46	45	98%
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)	104	81	78%
Fire Science/Fire-fighting	84	69	82%
Health Information/Medical Records Technology/Technician	3	3	100%
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/Technician	64	59	92%
Legal Assistant/Paralegal	1	0	0%
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	50	48	96%
Massage Therapy/Therapeutic Massage	46	46	100%
Medical/Clinical Assistant	10	6	60%
Nail Technician/Specialist and Manicurist	19	19	100%
Nursing Assistant/Aide and Patient Care Assistant/Aide	21	21	100%
Pharmacy Technician/Assistant	8	8	100%
Physical Therapist Assistant	10	9	90%
Radiologic Technology/Science - Radiographer	10	10	100%
Real Estate	3	3	100%
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	120	120	100%
Respiratory Care Therapy/Therapist	12	10	83%
Sign Language Interpretation and Translation	10	3	30%
Surgical Technology/Technologist	14	13	93%
Welding Technology/Welder	33	17	52%

 $Source:\ Texas\ Higher\ Education\ Coordinating\ Board;\ EPCC\ Office\ of\ Institutional\ Research$ 

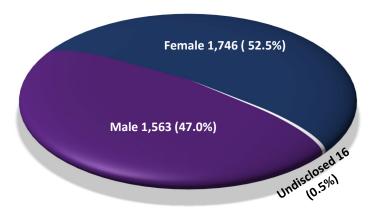


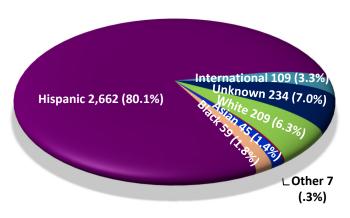


### **CONTINUING EDUCATION**

# Continuing Education Enrollment by Ethnicity, Quarter 1, Fall 2024

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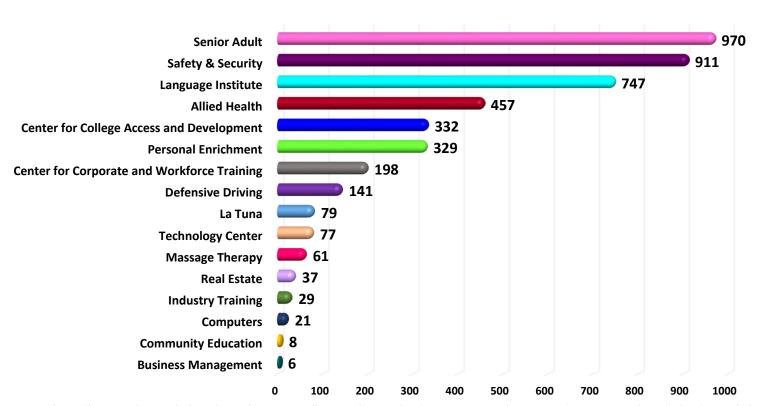
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"Other" category includes Native American/Alaskan Native, Pacific Islander, and International ethnicities.

Source: EPCC Student Banner Files

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### Enrollments in Continuing Education Disciplines, Quarter 1, Fall 2024



Note: The enrollment numbers are duplicated as students may enroll in more than one discipline in Continuing Education. Students are counted in each discipline in which they are enrolled. Source: EPCCD Student Banner Files

### **GLOSSARY**

**Cohort:** A group of individuals who meet a set of criteria (e.g., a group of students who register during the same semester or begin attending college for the first time at the same time).

**Developmental Student:** A student who takes a developmental course during his or her first semester in college (State definition). This designation is permanent with respect to the student's State record.

Face-to-Face Course: The traditional delivery method in which a course is taught in a face-to-face setting with an instructor.

**Fall-to-Fall Retention:** The percentage or number of students who register in the fall semester during a specified period of time and who register again the following fall semester.

**Fall-to-Spring Persistence:** The percentage or number of students who register in the fall semester during a specified period of time and who register again the following spring semester.

**First-Time In College (FTIC) Student:** A student in his or her first semester of college attendance, who has never attended any college previously.

**Full-Time Equivalent (FTE):** The total number of student credit hours divided by 15 for the Fall term (or for one semester only) and is divided by 30 for the entire academic or fiscal year.

Full-Time Student: Any student who is registered for 12 or more credit hours during any semester.

**Internet Course:** A type of delivery method in which a course is taught online and allows students access to course materials 24 hours a day. Faculty post materials, instructions, readings, and assignments online for students to complete on their own or in a group.

Part-Time Student: Any student who is registered for 11 credit hours or less during any semester.

**Reverse Transfer:** A process established by the Texas Legislature in 2011 to help students who transfer from a public community college with at least 30 credit hours to a public university. The student must then complete a total of 66 credit hours between both institutions to receive an associate's degree from the Community College they previously attended.

**Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB)**: This agency was created by the Texas Legislature and provides leadership and coordination for the Texas higher education system and works with the legislature, governor, governing boards, higher education institutions and other entities to help promote access to quality higher education across Texas.

**Unduplicated Enrollment:** The number of students registered during a specified period of time.

**V2024:** aka Vintage Year 2024. The final year of data produced in a time series of estimates of population that begins with the most recent decennial U.S. Census data and extends to the "Vintage Year." V2024 is the most current year of population estimates available as of July 1, 2024.







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