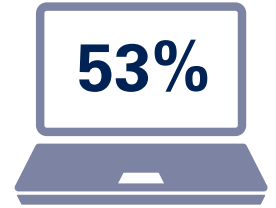
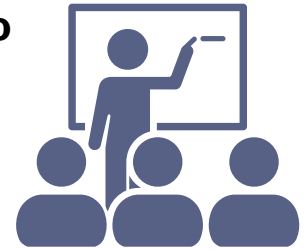


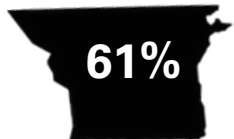

Degrees
61
Diplomas
18
Certificates
71
**Courses offered
completely online**
53%

Student/Faculty Ratio
17:1

73% of our courses are
taught by full-time faculty

Awarded in 2024-2025

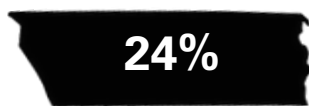
- 867 Associate Degrees
- 179 Diplomas
- 1,176 Certificates


**Named by USA Today as one
of the Top 250 Vocational
Schools in the U.S. in 2025**

About Our Students

Gaston County


15% from other counties/states

Lincoln County

23%

Full-Time

77%

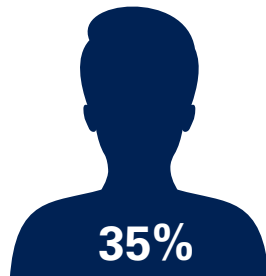
Part-Time


59%

Fully online

35%

Mix of online/in-person


65%

35%
Average Age
22
Ethnicity
41% White
13% Black
10% Hispanic
36% Other

Enrollment in 2024-2025

8,789 students took Curriculum courses. 8,665 students completed Continuing Education classes.

About Our Programs

- #1 Practical Nursing Program in North Carolina, 2021-2025 (practicalnursing.org)
- An NSA National Center of Academic Excellence for our Cyber Defense Program
- The only community college in North Carolina with a Textiles program and state-of-the-art Textile Training facilities
- Transfer admission guarantee partnerships with 11 North Carolina Universities
- 27 online courses nationally certified by Quality Matters



Financial Support

- Gaston College students received \$10M+ in aid from institutional, federal and state sources as well as other outside scholarships during the 2023-24 academic year
- 61% of students receive some financial aid while attending Gaston College
- The annual average of aid received by Gaston College students is \$4,229
- The Gaston College Foundation awarded \$682,705 in scholarships and grants to students in 2024



Athletics

- NJCAA Softball World Series Appearance, 2025 (4th place) and 2023 (13th place)
- Women's Cross Country National Championship Team Appearance, 2025 (23rd place)
- Beach Volleyball National Championship Appearance, 2024 (7th place) and 2023 (10th place)
- NJCAA Baseball World Series Appearance, 2023 (5th place)
- 65 student-athletes earned All-Academic honors in 2024-2025



Other Outstanding facts

- Award-winning WSGE 91.7 radio station located on our Dallas campus
- Gaston College has one of the top apprenticeship programs in North Carolina
- Gaston College students qualified and competed at the Skills USA National Competition from Medical Assisting (2025, 2024) and Audio/Video Production Technology (2024)

Gaston College is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges.



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Locations