

RENTON TECHNICAL COLLEGE

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KEY FACTS (Data from 2015-2016 academic year unless otherwise noted)

Year Founded: 1941

Service Area: King County

Legislative Districts: 5, 11, 30, 31, 33, 34, 36, 37, 41, 43, 47

Highest Enrolled Programs:

- Registered Nursing (RN)
- Applications Developer/Computer Science
- Automotive Technology
- Commercial Building/Industrial Engineer
- Early Childhood Careers

Enrollment:

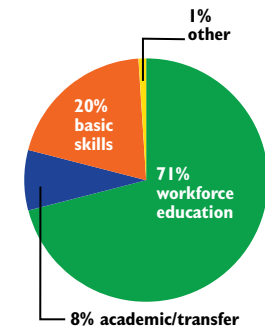
Headcount (all sources)	10,569
FTES (all sources)	4,176
Headcount (state-funded)	9,699
FTES (state-funded)	3,847

Students in Selected Programs (Headcount):

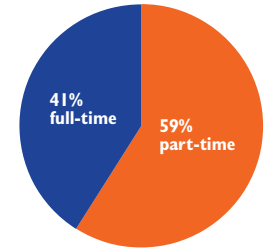
Applied Bachelor's Degrees	22
I-BEST	223
International Students	19
Running Start	199
Worker Retraining	252

STUDENT PROFILE — STATE FUNDED

Purpose for attending (FTE)



Attendance (Headcount)



Ethnicity:*

African American	14%
Asian	22%
Hispanic/Latino	17%
Native American	2%
Pacific Islander	1%
Other; Multiracial	5%
White/Caucasian	42%

Gender:

Female	38%
Male	62%

Median Age:

30

Family and Finances:

Students receiving need-based financial aid in eligible programs	41%
Students who work	47%
Students with children	40%

* May not add up to 100% because students may be counted in more than one race.

POINTS OF INTEREST

Focusing on Job Training Renton Technical College (RTC) emphasizes practical training and education leading to jobs. Since our creation in 1941, RTC has prepared skilled workers for aerospace, manufacturing, the trades, culinary services, information technology, and healthcare. We offer a range of apprenticeships in partnership with local unions, and many of our students complete their education in internships, externships or cooperative opportunities with local organizations.

What We Offer Renton Technical College offers more than 90 professional certificates, 53 associate degrees, one Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) degree in Application Development, and a wide selection of basic studies classes. Some of our more unique offerings include the Ford ASSET program (the only one in the state), and the Band Instrument Repair program (one of four in the United States). This year, RTC was awarded a \$200,000 grant by the National Science Foundation to support the development of a new BAS in Computer Network Architecture.

Recognition and Awards Renton Technical College was recognized as a Top 10 community college by the Aspen Institute in 2015. It is also an Achieving the Dream (ATD) Leader College and was recently awarded a two-year grant from ATD to increase adjunct faculty engagement on campus. Renton Technical College graduates have an estimated job placement rate of 85 percent.