### Key Facts

(Data from 2017-2018 academic year. Reflects headcount unless otherwise noted.)

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<th>Year Founded</th>
<th>Enrollment</th>
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<td>1925</td>
<td>Headcount (all sources) 6,787</td>
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<td>FTES (all sources) 2,636</td>
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<td>Headcount (state-funded) 4,169</td>
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**Service Area**

Lewis and Thurston counties

**Legislative Districts**

19, 20, 35

**Highest Enrolled Programs**

- Associate in Arts
- Registered Nursing
- Business Administration
- Criminal Justice
- BAS in Applied Management
- Welding Technology

**Students in Selected Programs**

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<th>Type of Program</th>
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<td>Applied bachelor's</td>
<td>169</td>
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<td>Apprentices</td>
<td>32</td>
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<td>Corrections</td>
<td>1,308</td>
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<td>I-BEST</td>
<td>62</td>
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<td>International</td>
<td>28</td>
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<td>Running Start</td>
<td>464</td>
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<td>Worker Retraining</td>
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**Race/Ethnicity**

- African American 2%
- Asian 3%
- Hispanic/Latino 18%
- Native American 5%
- Pacific Islander 1%
- Other, Multiracial 1%
- White/Caucasian 77%

*May not add up to 100% because students may be counted in more than one race. Percentages calculated on reported value.

**Gender**

- Female 64%
- Male 36%

**Median Age:** 26

**Family and Finances**

- Students receiving need-based financial aid in eligible programs 51%
- Students who work 44%
- Students with children 37%

**Type of Student**

- 45% workforce education
- 24% academic/transfer
- 23% other
- 7% basic skills

**Attendance**

- 53% full-time
- 47% part-time

### Points of Interest

**A Leader in Competitive eSports**

Centralia College is a trendsetter for the Pacific Northwest in competitive gaming, not just in the collegiate scene, but as a focal point for anything eSports. Currently, Centralia College has 62 students training and competing for a variety of games, with a main focus on Overwatch, League of Legends, Smash Bros, NBA 2K and Rocket League. Centralia College boasts top regional players in Smash Bros, Dragon Ball Z Fighters, OSU! and Rocket League. Within the next academic year, Centralia College aims to host its own major eSports tournaments to draw collegiate competition and international attention.

**Clean Energy Jobs**

The Pacific Northwest Center of Excellence for Clean Energy at Centralia College is the lead recipient of a $10 million Department of Labor grant for the Washington Integrated Sector Employment (WISE) project. WISE provides job training and support to students seeking careers in clean energy, construction, and manufacturing. WISE reaches out to unemployed adults, veterans, women and minorities and is being implemented statewide, across eight two-year colleges and in coordination with state agencies and employers. The WISE grant concluded Sept. 30, 2018 and supported training and education for 2,981 participants, which was 150 percent of the goal. Of those, 917 have attained new employment in their field, which was 115 percent of the goal.

**A Commitment to Scholarships**

The Centralia College Foundation had another record-setting year in 2018 and distributed nearly $770,000 in scholarships to 350 Centralia College students at Scholarship Night events in September. This is an increase from last year, which was also a record-setting year.