

DSCC Fact Sheet

Gibson County Center - Fall 2012

History of the Gibson County Center

The State Board of Education approved the creation of Dyersburg State Community College in 1967. The first classes were offered in fall 1969. A grant from the Tennessee Law Enforcement Agency helped subsidize classes in police science, which were offered in Trenton in 1973. During 1987 Dyersburg State Community College President Dr. Karen Bowyer and the community leaders in Gibson County began to explore the idea of a higher education facility in Gibson County. In August 1988, Governor McWherter promised to provide state matching funds if the local community could raise \$500,000. \$718,477.46 was raised for the new facility.

The newly constructed Gibson County facility next to Peabody High School in Trenton was opened on December 19, 1991. Classes began in January, 1992. On January 28, 1994, the Tennessee Higher Education Commission upon the recommendation of the Tennessee Board of Regents approved the establishment of an educational center in Gibson County and the extension of Associate of Science and Associate of Applied Science degree programs to that center.

Since it opened in 1992, 1187 certificates and degrees have been awarded to students who have been enrolled at the DSCC Gibson County Center, located in Trenton across from Peabody High School. In addition 6,313 students have attended classes at this center.

The Center houses six master classrooms, four of which include Symposium systems; an ITV interactive classroom; a mathematics lab with 30 computer lab stations; a computer lab with 20 computer stations; a Learning Resource Center

Statement of Vision

Dyersburg State Community College will elevate the region's educational attainment thereby enhancing the quality of life in West Tennessee.

About DSCC

Dyersburg State Community College is an open access, learning-centered institution that serves seven counties in West Tennessee. Founded in 1969, DSCC's vision is to enhance the quality of life in West Tennessee by elevating the region's educational attainment. The home campus of DSCC is in Dyersburg, and centers are located in Covington and Trenton. Students are enrolled in Criminal Justice, Nursing and Allied Health, Business and Technology, transfer, and college preparatory programs. DSCC is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award the associate degree. Learning is enhanced by a variety of campus organizations, state of the art technology, service learning opportunities, and sports programs. The college also serves the community by offering a variety of continuing education courses and online degree programs.

Enrollment at the Gibson County Center

Unduplicated Enrollment.....	326
(Number includes 67 students from Peabody High School)	
Duplicated Enrollment*	449
Full Time Equivalent	183.13
Average Age.....	27.40
*including online students assigned	

Gibson County Center Enrollment - Historical Fall 2008-Fall 2012

	HC	FTE
2008.....	240.....	137.90
2009.....	280.....	187.73
2010.....	290.....	175.87
2011.....	283.....	163.53
2012.....	326.....	183.13

Demographic Information

Race:

Black.....	98
Hispanic	3
White	217
Multi-Racial.....	2
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander.....	1
Unknown	5

Age:

16 - 24.....	181
25 - 34.....	60
35 & Over - 30	85

Gender:

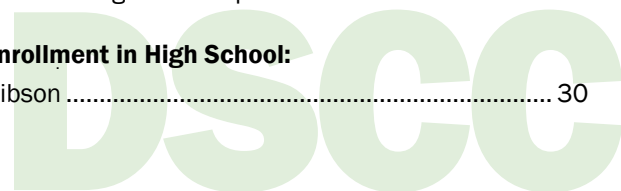
Female	221
Male	105

Students by Level

Freshmen.....	157
Sophomore	63
Undergraduate Special	106

Dual Enrollment in High School:

Gibson	30
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Enrollment at the DSCC Gibson County Center

Degree	H/C	FTE
Associate of Science in Teaching	4	2.47
Associate of Applied Science	129	84.87
Associate of Arts	6	3.20
Associate of Science	72	50.20
Certificate	2	.87
Certificate <= 1 year	1	.93
Certificate >1 yr < 2yrs	8	3.60
Undeclared	104	37.00
Total	326	183.13

Major	H/C	FTE
Associate of Science in Teaching	6	3.27
Business Related Technology	12	7.27
Computer Info Technology	9	7.00
Early Childhood Education	33	19.53
Emergency Services	19	14.67
Health Information Technology	6	4.87
Justice Services	5	3.20
Non-Degree	104	37.00
Nursing	56	33.73
Tennessee Transfer Pathway	38	26.93
University Parallel	38	25.67
Total	326	183.13

Gender	F	M	Total
Black or African American	73	25	98
Hispanic or Latino	2	1	3
Multi-racial	1	1	2
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1	0	1
Unknown	4	1	5
White	140	77	217
Total	221	105	326

Online Learning Resource Center (Library)

75,000 e-books
 85 Databases containing over
 5,000 magazines, journals, and newspapers

Student Type	H/C	FTE
Continuing	111	69.20
First Time Freshman Summer	1	.80
First Time High School	68	26.13
New First Time Freshman	79	55.93
New Special/Non-Degree	12	4.33
New Transfer	19	10.73
Readmitted	35	15.20
Summer 1st Time Freshman Ret. Fall	1	.80
Total	326	183.13

High School Attended	H/C	FTE
Bradford High School	6	4.13
GED Recipients	27	16.87
Gateway Christian Schools	10	5.73
Gibson County High School	42	27.53
Gibson High School	1	.80
Humboldt High School	18	10.33
Milan High School	19	9.07
Obion County Central High School	9	5.40
Peabody High School	108	50.67
Westview High School	7	3.67
Other	79	48.93
Total	326	183.13

County Residence by City	Zip_Code	H/C
Bradford	38316	9
Dresden	38225	3
Dyer	38330	38
Dyersburg	38024	4
Humboldt	38343	34
Jackson	38301, 38305	16
Kenton	38233	9
Martin	38237	17
McKenzie	38201	1
Medina	38355	2
Milan	38358	26
Newbern	38059	3
Rutherford	38369	7
South Fulton	38257	1
Trenton	38382	126
Union City	38261	5
Other		25
Totals		326



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