

DSCC Fact Sheet

Gibson County Center - Spring 2016

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. In 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, 1,444 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 7,050 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 equipped with 14 computers; and a combination science classroom/lab which includes 24 lab stations and four computers. The Center also has a large commons area and a bookstore.

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 programs such as Arts and Sciences, Nursing and Allied Health, and Business and Technology, as well as 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.....	183
Duplicated Enrollment*	272
Full Time Equivalent	94.73
Average Age.....	25.19

*including online students assigned

Gibson County Center Enrollment - Historical Spring 2011 - Spring 2016

	HC	FTE
2011	288.....	159.20
2012	281.....	156.27
2013	301.....	170.27
2014	238.....	143.00
2015	202.....	101.20
2016	183.....	94.73

Dual Enrollment in High School:

Peabody High School.....	66
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Demographic Information

Age:

< 17.....	57
18 - 20.....	42
21 - 24	23
25 - 34.....	28
35 - 64	33

Gender:

Female	125
Male.....	58

Students by Level:

Freshmen.....	59
Sophomore	46
Undergraduate Special.....	78

County of Residence:

Dyer	2
Gibson	141
Madison.....	6
Obion	8
Weakley	10
Other.....	16

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Degree	H/C	FTE
Associate of Science in Teaching	2	1.40
Associate of Applied Science	51	35.87
Associate of Arts	5	3.27
Associate of Fine Arts	1	1.13
Associate of Science	42	32.06
Academic Certificate < 1 year	1	0.40
Certificate >1 yr < 2yrs	3	1.87
Undeclared	78	18.73
Total	183	94.73

Major	H/C	FTE
Associate of Science in Teaching	1	0.40
Business	2	1.60
Computer Info Technology	3	2.20
Criminal Justice	2	1.80
Early Childhood Education	20	13.06
Emergency Services	1	1.00
Health Information Technology	3	2.20
Justice Services	1	0.80
Medical Informatics	1	0.80
Non-Degree	78	18.73
Nursing	22	14.67
Tennessee Transfer Pathway	31	24.20
University Parallel	18	13.27
Total	183	94.73

Gender/Ethnicity	Female	Male	Total
American Indian	1	0	1
Asian	1	0	1
Black or African American	21	10	31
Hispanic or Latino	8	2	10
Multi-racial	2	0	2
Unknown	1	1	2
White	91	45	136
Total	125	58	183

Student Type	H/C	FTE
Continuing	95	67.39
First Time High School	65	15.20
New First Time Freshman	2	1.40
New Special/Non-Degree	3	1.00
New Transfer	7	4.07
Readmitted	11	5.67
Total	183	94.73

High School Attended	H/C	FTE
Bradford High School	1	0.87
Dyersburg High School	1	0.20
Gateway Christian School	3	1.33
Gibson County High School	21	14.80
HSE (GED) Recipients	15	10.33
Humboldt High School	8	5.00
Milan High School	1	0.80
Peabody High School	89	34.07
Other	44	27.33
Total	183	94.73

Residence by City	Zip Code	H/C
Bradford	38316	2
Dyer	38330	18
Humboldt	38343	22
Jackson	38305	3
Martin	38237	5
Milan	38358	6
Rutherford	38369	4
Trenton	38382	88
Other		35
Total		183

Online Learning Resource Center (Library)

- 70,000 e-books
- over 100 Databases containing thousands of magazines, journals, and newspapers

Statement of Vision

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



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