**Founded**
- 1967: Community College Act passed by state Legislature

**Colleges & campuses**
- Colleges: 34
- Campuses and centers: 77
- Districts: 30

**State Funding**
- Operating (FY15): $619,731,000
- Capital (2013-15 biennium, new appropriations): $299,637,000

**State Board members**
- Shaunta Hyde, vice chair, Lake Forest Park
- Jim Bricker, Coupeville
- Dr. Elizabeth Chen, Federal Way
- Anne Fennessy, Seattle
- Dr. Wayne Martin, Kennewick
- Larry Brown, Auburn
- Jay Reich, Seattle
- Carol Landa-McVicker, Spokane
- Phyllis Gutierrez-Kenney, Seattle

**Enrollment**
- Total Headcount: 388,082
- State-funded FTES: 142,460

**Selected programs (headcount)**
- Applied Bachelor’s Degree: 857
- Corrections: 9,596
- I-BEST: 3,861
- International: 16,204
- Running Start: 20,100
- Worker Retraining: 12,690

**Enrollment by course intent**
- State-supported (FTEs)
  - Academic/transfer: 43%
  - Workforce education: 34%
  - Basic skills: 14%
  - Precollege: 9%

**Attendance**
- Full-time: 51%
- Part-time: 49%

**Fees & tuition**
- **2014-15**
  - Resident | Non-resident
  - **Lower division (15 credits)**
    - One quarter: $1,333 | $3,078
    - Academic year (3 quarters): $4,000 | $9,235
  - **Upper division (15 credits)**
    - One quarter: $2,504 | $6,037
    - Academic year (3 quarters): $7,512 | $18,111

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Our vision: Build strong communities, individuals and families, and achieve a greater global competitiveness and prosperity for the state and its economy by raising the knowledge and skills of the state’s residents. (SBCTC System Direction, 2006)

Our mission: Our state’s most urgent need is to educate more people to higher levels of skills and knowledge. This is the only way we can hope to sustain a prosperous economy that will provide opportunities for all of us, and our children. (SBCTC Mission Study, 2010)
Ethnicity

Students of color 42%

Students of color from largest to smallest percent:

- Hispanic
- Asian/Pacific Islander
- African American
- Native American
- Other Race

Gender

Female 56%
Male 44%

Median age

26

Family and finances

Students receiving need-based financial aid 49%
Students who work 43%
Students with children 28%

Faculty & staff FTE

Teaching faculty 7,259
Classified staff 3,758
Administrative 775
SBCTC employees 176

Athletics

Northwest Athletic Association of Community Colleges

Expenditures by program

State General Funds and Operating Fees

Expenditures by Program
Fiscal Year 2013-14

Nationally recognized education

Students in Washington’s public colleges and universities enrolled in the state's community and technical colleges. 57%

Public baccalaureate graduates in Washington who start at one of the state’s community or technical colleges. 40%

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