Employee Statistics					
	Fall 2014	Fall 2015	Change		
Management	97	88	-9.3%		
Professional	124	125	0.8%		
Office & Admin. Support	107	103	-3.7%		
Other Support Services	89	84	-5.6%		
Full-Time Faculty	154	127	-17.5%		
Total Full-Time	571	527	-7.7%		
Adjuncts	564	550	-7.4%		

(Source: IPEDS Human Resources surveys)

% of Course Sections Taught by Adjuncts



Regional Population			
	7/1/2014	7/1/2015	Change
New Jersey	8,938,844	8,958,013	0.2%
Essex County	794,962	797,434	0.3%
Newark City	280,579	281,944	0.5%

Top 10 Colleges Essex Graduates Transferred to

- 1. Rutgers University
- 2. Montclair State University
- 3. New Jersey Institute of Technology
- 4. Kean University
- 5. New Jersey City University
- 6. Seton Hall University
- 7. William Paterson University
- 8. Berkeley College
- 9. Bloomfield College
- 10. Thomas Edison State College

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ESSEX FAST FACTS



Fall 2016

Mission Statement

Essex County College is an open access community college that serves the diverse needs of students through comprehensive educational programs, training, and continuing education. Essex County College is dedicated to academic excellence and the success of its students.

Institutional Accreditation

Essex County College is accredited by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education and is licensed by the State of New Jersey through the Commission on Higher Education to operate and award Associate degrees and certificates.

Professional Accreditation

- American Bar Association (ABA)
- Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)
- Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP)
- Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN)
- New Jersey Board of Nursing (NJ BON)
- American Physical Therapy Association's Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE)
- Commission on Opticianry Accreditation (COA)
- Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT)

Unduplicated Headcount			
	FY 2015	FY 2016	Change
Credit	15,395	14,986	-2.7%
Non-Credit	9,932	8,300	-16.4%
Total	25,327	23,286	-8.1%

Credit Enrollment			
	Fall 2015	Fall 2016	Change
Unduplicated Headcount	10,954	9,596	-12.4%
Total Credit Hours	117,979	102,675	-13.0%
Hours per student	10.8	10.7	-0.7%

Non-Credit Enrollment			
	FY 2015	FY 2016	Change
Open Enrollment	15,182	12,095	-20.3%
Customized Training	2,080	2,482	19.3%
Total Classroom Seats	17,262	14,577	-15.6%

Total Degrees Conferred			
	FY 2015	FY 2016	Change
Total	1,356	1,410	4.0%
A.A.	250	247	-1.2%
A.A.S.	249	213	-14.5%
A.S.	817	902	10.4%
Academic Certificate	14	10	-28.6%
Certificate of Achievement	26	38	46.2%

Fall-to-Fall Retention Rate			
	Fall 2014 Cohort	Fall 2015 Cohort	Change
FTFT Degree-Seeking	57.8%	58.6%	0.8%

(Source: IPEDS Fall Enrollment survey)

Three-Year Graduation Rate			
	Fall 2012	Fall 2013	Change
	Cohort	Cohort	
FTFT Degree-Seeking	10.4%	12.8%	2.4%

(Source: IPEDS Graduation Rate survey)

Per Credit Tuition & Fees			
	Fall 2015	Fall 2016	Change
In-County Tuition	\$116.50	\$119.50	2.6%
Out-of-County Tuition	\$233.00	\$239.00	2.6%
Student Activity Fee	\$7.50	\$7.50	0.0%
General Service Fee	\$32.00	\$32.50	1.6%

Fall 2016 Enrollments & FY 2016 Completions

Fall 2016 FY 2016 Enrollments Completions

Associate in Art (A.A.)	1,864	247	
Liberal Arts	1,144	114	
Education	429	96	
Liberal Arts: Communications Option	114	17	
Art	104	13	
Liberal Arts: Journalism Option	45	4	
Associate in Applied Sciences (A.A.S.)	1,055	213	
Human & Social Services	188	41	
Nursing	155	73	
Electronic Engineering Technology	97	8	
Business Administration	83	5	
Architectural Technology	72	7	
Mechanical Engineering Technology	62	2	
New Media Technology	58	11	
Civil Construction Engineering Tech.	57	11	
Vision Care Technology	57	14	
Physical Therapist Assistant	50	24	
Accounting	42	3	
Bus. Adm.: Financial Services Option	33	0	
Radiography	31	9	
Environmental Science	25	2	
Bus. Adm.: Hospitality Management	20	3	

Associate in Science (A.S.)	5,790	902
General Science	1,983	239
Business Administration	772	169
Social Sciences	587	151
Criminal Justice	582	94
Biology: Pre-Medicine	453	54
Engineering	362	38
Accounting	299	84
Computer Science	281	10
Computer Information Systems	135	10
Physical Education	86	9
Paralegal Studies	66	10
Music/Music Education	60	11
Chemistry	45	3
Mathematics	40	5
Health Science	21	13

Note: Programs with enrollments of less than 20 are not listed.

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Academic Certificate

Licensed Practical Nurse

Massage Therapy

Fall 2016 Credit Stud	lents: Sta	tus
	Number	Percentage
Full-Time	4,864	50.7%
Part-Time	4,732	49.3%
Male	3,970	41.4%
Female	5,626	58.6%
First-Time	2,265	23.6%
Transfer	148	1.5%
Readmit	222	2.3%
Continuing	6,961	72.5%
Degree Seeking	8,864	92.4%
Non-Matriculated	732	7.6%
Day	7,472	77.9%
Evening	2,124	22.1%

Fall 2016 Credit Students: Race/Ethnicity				
	Number	Percentage		
Black/African American	4,483	48.8%		
Hispanic/Latino	2,916	30.4%		
White	901	9.4%		
Asian	355	3.7%		
Other*	110	1.1%		
Unknown	631	6.6%		

*Other includes American Indian/Alaskan Native, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, and two or more races.

Fall 2016 Credit Students: Age				
	Number	Percentage		
< 18 Years Old	352	3.7%		
18-22 Years Old	4,499	46.9%		
23-29 Years Old	2,321	24.2%		
30-39 Years Old	1,315	13.7%		
40-49 Years Old	678	7.1%		
50+ Years Old	431	4.5%		

The median age is 22 years old.

	Fall 2016 Credit Students: Top 5 Cities of Residence		
		Number	Percentage
	Newark	3,941	41.1%
	Fast Orange	914	9.5%

Newark	3,941	41.1%
East Orange	914	9.5%
Irvington	854	8.9%
Bloomfield	554	5.8%
Orange	518	5.4%