

2024 Graduate Report

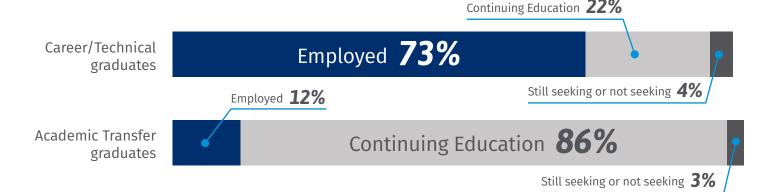
SUCCESS RATE

SCC graduates who are employed or continuing their education.

Of 1,477 graduates during the calendar year, only 4.0% of those who responded were neither employed nor continuing their education.

Employment and Transfer

A large majority of the 741 graduates from Career/Technical fields who responded are employed (73%), and a large majority of the 154 Academic Transfer graduates who responded are continuing their education (86%).



Community colleges often fall into two categories: either they are a technical school or they have a little technology and heavy on academic transfer. Southeast Community College has everything. We have trades, technology and academic transfer. We are truly a comprehensive community college.

- Dr. Paul Illich, President

One of our challenges in Nebraska is to ensure the state has a qualified workforce. We produce on average 7,000 graduates every five years. In 2024, 96% of our graduates are employed or continuing their education while 87% of our students stay right here in Nebraska. We are directly addressing the state's workforce shortage.

- Paul Illich, President

Gathering Data

Information about the post-graduation status of SCC graduates was collected directly from the graduates at or near the time of graduation and from the National Student Clearinghouse. The information was collected by the Career Services Offices at the time of graduation through personal conversations, classroom visits, calls, emails, mailings, texts, and social media.

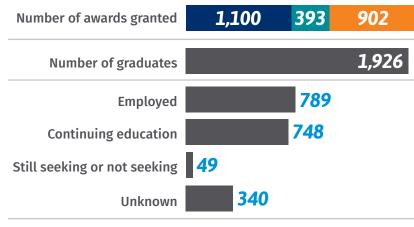
Wage and employment information is self-reported by graduates for their first job after graduation. Self-reported continuing education status was supplemented with information from the National Student Clearinghouse.

All percentages and location-based counts use the unique number of graduates. The data table is based on the number of awards.

A total of 815 auto-awarded credentials were granted in 2024. Students who fulfilled the requisite criteria were awarded a credential. These credentials were excluded from all data in this report because this does not typically reflect the students' final intended credential.

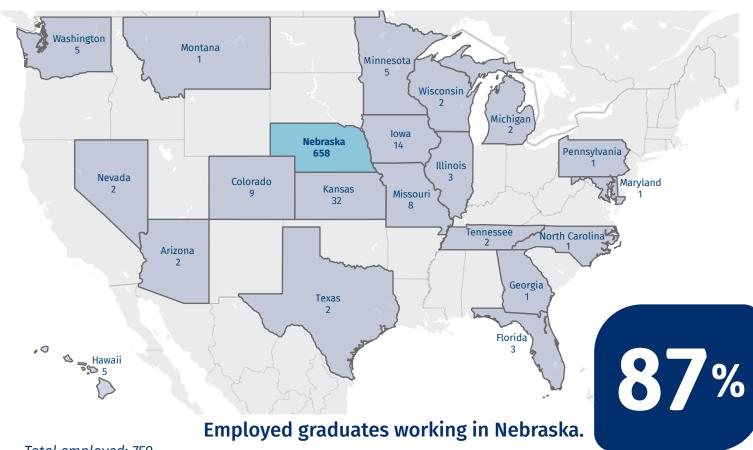
2024 Graduates in Numbers

Associates Diploma Certificate



During 2024 2,395 Number of awards granted 1,926 Number of graduates 356 Number of graduates granted multiple awards 815 Number of auto-awards granted 1,586 Number of graduates who responded 82.3% Response rate Percent employed in Nebraska

STATE AND REGIONAL IMPACT



Total employed: 759



2024 Programs of Study	Number of graduates	Employed in training- related job	Employed in non-training- related job	Continuing education	Still seeking, Not seeking, No response	Percent employed in Nebraska	Average Starting Hourly Salary	Average Starting Annual Salary
Advanced Manufacturing								
Electrical & Electromechanical Technology- Automation & Robotics (ASSOCIATES)	7	5	1	0	1	100%	\$37.00	\$76,960
Manufacturing Engineering Technology ASSOCIATES	9	5	0	1	3	60%	\$23.05	\$47,944
Nondestructive Testing Technology ASSOCIATES	12	12	0	0	0	42%	\$30.10	\$62,608
Precision Machining and Automation Technology ³ ASSOCIATES	1	1	0	0	0	100%	\$27.55	\$57,304
Precision Machining and Automation Technology ¹ DIPLOMA	1	0	0	0	1			
Precision Machining-Advanced CNC & Automation ASSOCIATES	8	8	0	0	0	88%	\$25.80	\$53,664
Precision Machining-General Machinist 1 CERTIFICATE	2	0	0	0	2			
Precision Machining-Tool Maker Mold & Die ASSOCIATES	7	6	0	0	1	100%	\$28.30	\$58,864
Welding Technology ASSOCIATES	27	12	0	5	10	100%	\$24.45	\$50,856
Welding Technology 4 CERTIFICATE	52	3	0	30	19	100%	\$25.40	\$52,832
Welding Technology ¹ DIPLOMA	3	0	0	2	1			
Agriculture								
Agriculture Management & Production ASSOCIATES	42	18	3	5	16	76%	\$24.00	\$49,920
Horticulture and Turfgrass Management ³ ASSOCIATES	7	4	0	0	3	100%	\$25.65	\$53,352
Livestock Management & Production (ASSOCIATES)	14	7	1	1	5	50%	\$22.05	\$45,864
Precision Agriculture 4 CERTIFICATE	8	1	2	0	5	100%	\$21.50	\$44,720
Arts & Education							·	
Baking/Pastry 6 ASSOCIATES	7	2	0	2	3	100%	\$13.80	\$28,704
Baking/Pastry 1 DIPLOMA	1	0	0	1	0		1	1 2/12
Culinary/Hospitality 4 ASSOCIATES	12	8	2	0	2	90%	\$15.90	\$33,072
Culinary/Hospitality 1 CERTIFICATE	2	1	0	1	0	100%	7.577	77
Culinary/Hospitality ¹ OPLOWA	1	1	0	0	0	100%		
Early Childhood Education-Infant/Toddler 1 CERTIFICATE	1	1	0	0	0	100%		
Early Childhood Education-Preschool ¹ CERTIFICATE	1	1	0	0	0	100%		
Early Childhood Education (A.A.) ² ASSOCIATES	11	3	0	8	0	100%		
Early Childhood Education (A.A.S.) 4 ASSOCIATES	5	4	0	1	0	100%	\$14.95	\$31,096
Early Childhood Education	9	8	0	0	1	100%	\$14.30	\$29,744
Graphic Design Media Arts ³ ASSOCIATES	14	9	1	0	4	100%	\$18.90	\$39,312
Technical Skills Instructor ⁶ ASSOCIATES	1	0	0	1	0	10070	\$24.10	\$50,128
Building & Construction		9	Ü	·	Ü		φ <u>2</u> 1110	430,120
Building Construction Technology ASSOCIATES	17	13	1	3	0	100%	\$21.60	\$44,928
Carpentry & Cabinetmaking Construction ¹ CERTIFICATE	2	1	1	0	0	100%	Ψ21.00	711,720
Concrete Construction Technician 1 ORGAN	2	2	0	0	0	100%		
Construction Process 1 CERTIFICATE	1	1	0	0	0	100%		
Residential Design and Estimating 1 CERTIFICATE	2	1	1	0	0	100%		
Design & Drafting Technology, Intro to Design Software 1	14	0	0	13	1	10070		
Design & Drafting Technology ASSOCIATES	21	20	0	1	0	100%	\$23.55	\$48,984
Electrical Technician (ASSOCIATES)	42	24	5	3	10	97%	\$27.50	\$57,200
Electrical Technician 1 CERTIFICATE	32	2	1	25	4	100%	727.50	757,200
Electrical & Electromechanical Technology- Industrial Maintenance Technician (ASSOCIATES)	13	10	1	0	2	91%	\$32.05	\$66,664
Electrician Construction (IBEW) ⁶ ASSOCIATES	2	3	0	0	0	100%	\$10.25	\$40.040
Electrician Construction (IBEW) 1 CERTIFICATE	6	4	0	2	0	100%	\$19.25	\$40,040
Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning &								
Refrigeration Technology ASSOCIATES Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning &	11	11	0	0	0	91%	\$23.60	\$49,088
Refrigeration Technology 1 DPLOMA	2	2	0	0	0	100%		
Land Surveying/GIS/Civil Engineering Technology (ASSOCIATES)	3	3	0	0	0	100%	\$25.50	\$53,040
Plumbing Technology DIPLOMA	5	3	1	1	0	100%	\$19.90	\$41,392
Plumbing, Heating and Air Conditioning Technology (ASSOCIATES)	4	4	0	0	0	75%	\$25.00	\$52,000

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Business-Client Relations 1 CERTIFICATE	1	0	0	1	0			
Business-Entrepreneurship ¹ CERTIFICATE	1	0	0	1	0			
Business-Event Venue & Operations Management ¹ CERTIFICATE	2	0	0	1	1			
Business-General (CERTIFICATE)	12	6	2	3	1	75%		
Business-General 1 DIPLOMA	6	1	0	2	3	100%		
Office Professional 4 ASSOCIATES	3	2	0	0	1	100%	\$19.80	\$41,184
Office Professional (CERTIFICATE)	8	2	1	3	2	100%		
Office Professional 1 DPLOMA	6	2	1	1	2	100%		
Healthcare								
Associate Degree Nursing ASSOCIATES	37	28	0	7	2	96%	\$41.25	\$85,800
Associate Degree Nursing (LPN - ADN Option) 3 ASSOCIATES	13	10	0	2	1	100%	\$31.00	\$64,480
Dietary Manager CERTIFICATE	13	7	0	1	5	100%	\$24.65	\$51,272
Dental Assisting ³ Associates	1	1	0	0	0	100%	\$21.90	\$45,552
Dental Assisting DIPLOMA	22	12	0	8	2	100%	\$20.10	\$41,808
Associate of Health Sciences ² Associates	38	3	1	25	9	75%		
Healthcare Management ⁶ ASSOCIATES	1	0	0	0	1		\$15.25	\$31,720
Healthcare Services 1 CERTIFICATE	1	1	0	0	0	100%		. ,
Long Term Care Administration 5,9 ASSOCIATES	5	2	0	3	0	100%	\$19.70	\$40,976
Long Term Care Administration ¹ CERTIFICATE	4	1	0	1	2	100%		
Medical Assisting DIPLOMA	21	15	1	1	4	94%	\$19.00	\$39,520
Medical Laboratory Technology ASSOCIATES	9	7	0	1	1	100%	\$24.45	\$50,856
Paramedic (ASSOCIATES)	11	8	0	1	2	75%	\$30.35	\$63,128
Pharmacy Technician ³ DIPLOMA	8	2	0	3	3	100%	\$16.70	\$34,736
Physical Therapist Assistant (ASSOCIATES)	19	8	0	0	11	100%	\$22.90	\$47,632
Polysomnographic Technology 4 CERTIFICATE	2	2	0	0	0	0%	\$20.10	\$41,808
Practical Nursing DIPLOMA	99	57	0	15	27	91%	\$27.95	\$58,136
Radiologic Technology (ASSOCIATES)	28	24	0	0	4	75%	\$27.75	\$57,720
Respiratory Care ASSOCIATES	25	23	0	0	2	70%	\$30.85	\$64,168
Surgical First Assist CERTIFICATE	11	10	0	0	1	70%	\$35.40	\$73,632
Surgical Technology Associates	30	25	0	4	1	88%	\$25.65	\$53,352
Public Service & Social Sciences							,	400/002
Adult & Juvenile Services and Corrections ⁶ (ASSOCIATES)	4	0	0	1	3		\$23.35	\$48,568
Alcohol and Drug Counseling 1 CERTIFICATE	6	1	0	5	0	100%	Ψ20.00	ψ.ο,σσσ
Criminal Justice (A.A.S.) 4 ASSOCIATES	12	3	1	4	4	100%	\$19.90	\$41,392
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Global Studies ² CERTIFICATE	11	0	1	9	1	100%		
Human Services ³ ASSOCIATES	18	7	1	5	5	100%	\$17.00	\$35,360
Law Enforcement & Homeland Security 6 ASSOCIATES	1	1	0	0	0	100%	\$24.80	\$51,584
Peer Support 1 CERTIFICATE	4	3	0	1	0	100%	72 1.50	701,007
Psychology ² ASSOCIATES	3	0	0	3	0	10070		

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Science & Technology								
Biotechnology ⁶ ASSOCIATES	8	1	0	3	4	100%	\$16.56	\$34,445
Biotechnology 1 CERTIFICATE	2	0	0	2	0			
Biotechnology ¹ DIPLOMA	1	0	0	1	0			
Computer Information Technology ASSOCIATES	8	6	0	0	2	83%	\$27.60	\$57,408
Computer Information Technology- Applications Development ASSOCIATES	23	11	1	6	5	100%	\$32.30	\$67,184
Computer Information Technology- Applications Development ¹ OPLOMA	4	1	0	2	1	100%		
Computer Information Technology-Computer Support 6 ASSOCIATES	10	4	0	3	3	100%	\$21.45	\$44,616
Computer Information Technology-Cybersecurity ASSOCIATES	19	6	0	7	6	100%	\$21.55	\$44,824
Computer Information Technology-General 1 CERTIFICATE	4	0	0	3	1			
Computer Information Technology- Network Management ³ (ASSOCIATES)	11	4	0	3	4	100%	\$28.80	\$59,904
Electronic Systems Technician 6 ASSOCIATES	1	0	0	0	1		\$20.40	\$42,432
Electronic Systems Technology ASSOCIATES	6	5	0	0	1	100%	\$22.40	\$46,592
Electronic Systems-AVD/Low Voltage Technician ⁶ ASSOCIATES	1	0	0	0	1		\$18.40	\$38,272
Energy Generation Operations ASSOCIATES	8	4	0	0	4	75%	\$34.30	\$71,344
Energy Generation Operations ¹ DIPLOMA	1	1	0	0	0	100%		
Geographic Information Systems Technician ⁶ ASSOCIATES	2	1	0	0	1	100%	\$19.40	\$40,352
Geographic Information Systems Technician 4 CERTIFICATE	5	0	0	2	3		\$23.30	\$48,464
Integrated Technologies ⁶ ASSOCIATES	4	1	0	1	2	100%	\$20.20	\$42,016
Transportation								
Auto Collision Repair Technology 8 ASSOCIATES	10	7	3	0	0	100%	\$25.60	\$53,248
Automotive Technology and Light Repair 1,8 CERTIFICATE	2	1	0	0	1	100%		
Automotive Technology 8 ASSOCIATES	26	16	2	3	5	100%	\$23.50	\$48,880
Automotive Technology 3,8 OPPLOMA	2	1	0	0	1	100%	\$20.35	\$42,328
Diesel-Ag Equipment Service Technology 8 ASSOCIATES	28	28	0	0	0	89%	\$23.05	\$47,944
Diesel Technology-Truck ⁸ ASSOCIATES	21	19	1	0	1	100%	\$23.10	\$48,048
Ford Automotive Student Service Educational Training (ASSET) 8 ASSOCIATES	8	7	0	1	0	100%	\$23.35	\$48,568
General Motors Automotive Service Educational Program (ASEP) 8 ASSOCIATES	8	8	0	0	0	100%	\$21.95	\$45,656
John Deere Construction & Forestry Equipment Tech 8 ASSOCIATES	12	12	0	0	0	42%	\$35.75	\$74,360
John Deere Tech ⁸ ASSOCIATES	46	46	0	0	0	37%	\$22.55	\$46,904
Powersports Technology 6,8 ASSOCIATES	2	2	0	0	0	100%	\$14.90	\$30,992
Powersports Technology 1,8 OPPLOMA	2	0	1	1	0	100%		
Professional Truck Driver Training 7 CERTIFICATE	70	36	4	4	26	88%		
Academic Transfer								
Associate of Arts ² Associates	76	0	1	51	21	100%		
Associate of Science ² Associates	39	0	0	24	12	100%		

All salaries are based on a 40-hour work week unless noted. Salary statistics reflect certificates, diplomas and associate degrees. The graduates in the "Still Seeking, Not Seeking, No Response" column are not included in the percentage calculations. Values may not add to 100% due to rounding.

- ¹ Salaries were not reported by a large enough sample and have been omitted for confidentiality.
- ² Transfer degree, no salary.
- ³ To obtain a sample large enough to report, salary information is based on graduates from the previous two years.
- ⁴ To obtain a sample large enough to report, salary information is based on graduates from the previous three years.
- ⁵ To obtain a sample large enough to report, salary information is based on graduates from the previous four years.
- ⁶ Salaries were reported from Lightcast at the 10th percentile salary level for the Standard Occupational Code(s) associated with the program.
- ⁷ Truck drivers may be paid by the hour, by the week, or based on the number of miles driven. The average starting pay for first-year truck drivers in Nebraska was \$46,000-\$49,000
- ⁸ Pay plans and benefits vary to include commissions and bonuses.
- ⁹ Must complete 640 hours of a state-specific Administrator-in-Training program.

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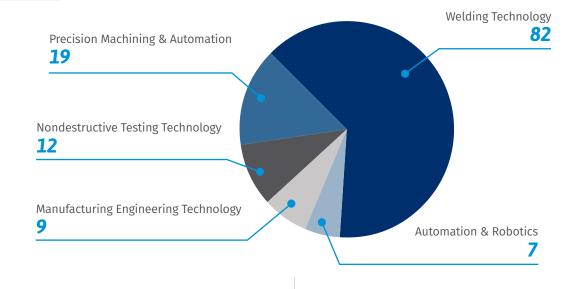
Total Certificates awarded	54
Total Diplomas awarded	4
Total Associates awarded	71
Number of graduates employed in their field of study	48
Total graduates continuing their education	38
Total number of graduates by family	124

Percent employed in Nebraska

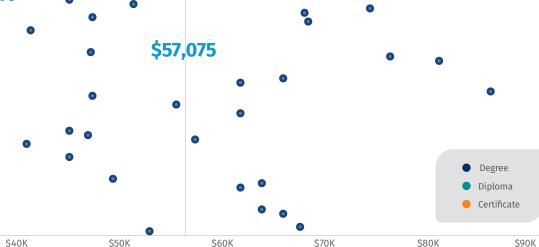
Advanced Manufacturing Programs

Southeast Community College's Advanced Manufacturing programs are at the forefront of the industrial industry by addressing critical workforce shortages in high-demand sectors. These programs emphasize hands-on learning with industry-standard equipment, ensuring our graduates possess both the technical competencies and problemsolving skills employers value. Strong partnerships with local manufacturers provide internship opportunities and direct pathways to employment after graduation. With median wages in these fields often exceeding national averages and projected job growth outpacing other sectors, SCC graduates are well-positioned for immediate workforce entry or seamless transfer to four-year engineering programs.

Awards







Advanced **Manufacturing** graduates have pursued these positions

- Associate Design Drafter
- Boiler Maker
- Bridge Welder
- CNC Machinist
- CNC Operator
- CNC Programmer/Operator
- Controls Electrician
- Designer II
- Drafter I
- Electrical and Instrumentation Tech
- Fabricator
- General Production
- Instrument and Controls **Technician**
- Maintenance Technician
- NDT Assistant Inspector
- NDT Technician I
- Owner
- Quality Control
- Radiography Technician
- Robotic Welding
- · Tool and Die Maker
- Welder



Companies who have hired Advanced Manufacturing graduates

4G Steel Fabrication LLC

Aerojet Rocketdyne

BMS Logistics

Boeing Company

Buller Built

Cleaver-Brooks

Commercial Plastics

Duncan Aviation

Fab402

General Dynamics

General Excavating Co

Green Plains York

Honeywell

Hughes Brothers Inc

Kawasaki Motors Manufacturing Corp

Klute Inc

Koch Fertilizer

LBT Inc

Lincoln Industries

Lincoln Machine Inc Marinette Marine

Marlatt Precision

Metal Works Mistras Group

Molex Inc

Nebraska Machine & Tool Nebraska Public Power District

Nestle Purina Pet Care Company

Norfolk Specialties

Olsson

Omaha Public Power District Phoenix National Laboratories

Puget Sound Naval Shipyard Robert I Nietfeld Farms

Sanders Brothers Metal Fabrication

Schenck Process LLC Tri-V Tool & Mfg

TSL Companies

Valmont Industries Vision Mechanical LLC

Zermatt Tool Inc

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Total Certificates awarded	8
Total Associates awarded	63
Number of graduates employed in their field of study	26
Total graduates continuing their education	6
Total number of graduates by family	59

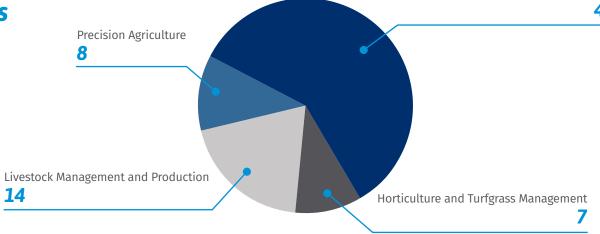
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Agriculture Programs

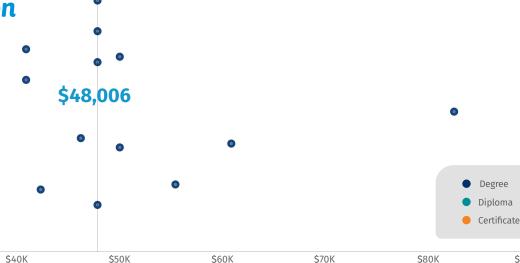
SCC's Agriculture programs prepare graduates for a dynamic industry experiencing technological transformation and growing demand for skilled professionals. As the agricultural workforce ages, these programs address critical needs across multiple sectors. Through hands-on learning at our working farm and partnerships with local producers, students gain practical experience with cutting-edge technology and sustainable practices. Graduates are equipped for immediate employment in production agriculture, agribusiness sales or seamless transfer to four-year agriculture programs, meeting the industry's demand for a workforce who understand both traditional farming and emerging agricultural technologies.

Agriculture Management and Production

Awards



Salary Distribution (and Median)



Agriculture graduates have pursued these positions

- Agronomist
- Custom Applicator
- Farm Manager
- Farm/Ranch Hand
- Farmer
- Golf Course Grounds Assistant
- Greenhouse Horticulturist
- Grounds Crew Intern
- Livestock Specialist
- Office Assistant
- Owner

\$90K

- · Precision Agriculture Advisor
- Sales Agronomist



I plan to find a job in the animal health field or a feedlot and my favorite thing about SCC by far is the hands-on learning approach. SCC is preparing me for the future by allowing me to learn how to do things directly. I'm not just going to be a textbook smart student, but I will also be able to understand the real-world situations in the ag world.

> - Kolbie Bartlett **Livestock Management & Production Expected graduation Spring 2026**

Companies who have hired Agriculture graduates

Ag Valley Coop Cooperative Producers Inc Country Lane Gardens Harvest Max Midwest Livestock Service Nebraska Harvest Center

Norder Supply Nutrien Ag Solutions Servitech Inc South Platte Crop Consulting Team Sloan Livestock The Prairie Club

Total Certificates awarded

Total Diplomas awarded

Total Associates awarded

Number of graduates employed in their field of study

Total graduates continuing their education

Total number of graduates by family

62

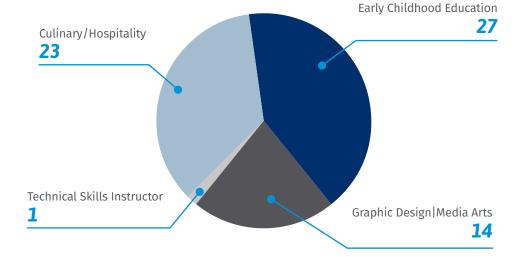
Percent employed in Nebraska

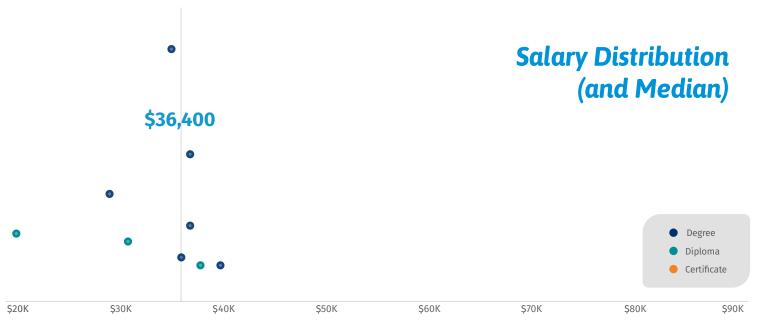
98%

Arts & Education Programs

SCC's Arts & Education programs prepare graduates for diverse career paths in high-growth sectors requiring creativity, technical expertise and human connection. The Arts & Education sectors face interconnected challenges that impact career prospects and workforce development including workforce shortages, technical advancements and funding constraints. Through industry partnerships, state-of-the-art facilities and experienced faculty, SCC prepares graduates who are adaptable, technologically literate and equipped with the skills needed to navigate this evolving landscape successfully.

Awards





Arts & Education graduates have pursued these positions

- Assistant Teacher
- Associate Teacher
- Barista
- Cook
- Designer
- · Graphic Designer
- Graphic Designer & Event
 Outreach Coordinator
- Interactive Designer
- Lead Teacher
- Line Cook
- Marketing and Sponsorship Manager
- Nanny
- Owner
- Paraeducator
- Prep Cook/Line Cook
- Preschool Teacher
- Preschool Teacher/Supervisor
- Printing & Marketing
 Specialist
- Sous Chef
- Toddler Lead Teacher



Companies who have hired Arts & Education graduates

future career. They have an insider perspective of the design world.

Agency 877 Aragon Tavern Buffalo County Fairgrounds Camp Rivercrest Course Ground Coffee Dish Restaurant Everyday Adventures Child Care Gateway Vista Holdrege Kindercare Immanuel Lutheran School KinderCare Learning Centers Lens Distortions Lincoln Christian School Malcolm Public Schools Microgreen Gals Nebraska Concrete and Aggregates Association

Nebraska Safety Center
Private Home Childcare
Private Nanny
Rosemont Daycare and Preschool
Sandhills Global
Sign Pro of Lincoln
Sweet Tea Marketing
The Charging Station
The Learning Garden Child
Development Center
UNL-University Dining Service/
University Housing
Walt Disney World
Willard Community Center
YMCA

- Ally Anderson

Graphic Design | Media Arts

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Total Certificates awarded	57
Total Diplomas awarded	9
Total Associates awarded	114
Number of graduates employed in their field of study	96
Total graduates continuing their education	47
Total number of graduates by family	165

Percent employed in Nebraska

Building & Construction Programs

SCC's Building & Construction programs address critical workforce shortages in an industry which is experiencing unprecedented demand. With an aging infrastructure requiring modernization and new construction driven by population growth, our graduates enter a robust job market offering competitive wages and advancement opportunities. Through industry partnerships, state-of-the-art labs and hands-on training, SCC ensures graduates possess the technical expertise and safety certifications employers demand. Strong relationships with local contractors, unions and engineering firms provide direct employment pathways or a seamless transfer to four-year construction management and engineering programs.

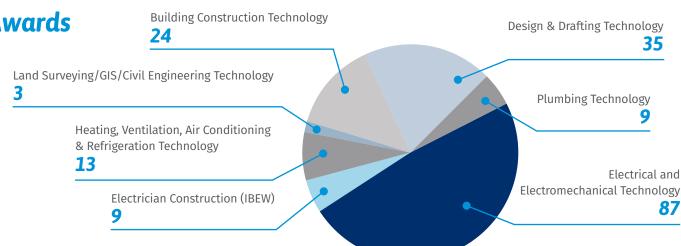
Electrical and

S80K

\$90K

87

Awards





\$50K

S60K

\$70K

Building & Construction graduates have pursued these positions

- 3D Piping Drafter
- · Airframe Interior Mechanic
- · Apprentice Electrician
- Apprentice Plumber
- Apprentice Steamfitter
- Apprentice Substation
- Bridge Designer
- Cabinet Builder/Foreman
- Carpenter
- Concrete Technician
- Controls Electrician
- Designer
- Drafter
- Electrical and Instrumentation
- Electrical Designer
- Electrical Technician
- · Highway Designer
- HVAC Technician
- Instrument and Controls Technician
- Instrumentation Technician
- · Junior Product Designer
- Maintenance Technician
- Mechanical Designer
- Mechanical Drafter
- Plumbing & Heating **Technician**
- Plumbing, Heating and Air Technician
- Residential Drafter
- · Right-of-Way Designer
- Self-Employed
- · Service Technician
- Structural Drafter
- Surveying Technician
- Technician
- Trim Carpenter



Companies who have hired Building & Construction graduates

34 Electric 3M Company A & R Electric Action Plumbing, Heating, and Air Conditioning Inc Advanced House Plans AP Electrical Solutions **BIC Construction** Big Step Construction Biggerstaff Plumbing Heating & Air Inc Blue River Electric LLC Capitol Heating & Air Conditioning Cleaver-Brooks County Line LLC Crete Lumber & Farm Supply Criss Co **CSF Exteriors** Danish Oak Davis Design Inc Diller Electric **Duncan Aviation** E & A Consulting Group **Envision Electric** Fire & Ice Mechanical Inc Flexcon Manufacturing Green Plains York

Hagen Electric LLC Hladik Trim & Construction Honeywell Hornady Manufacturing Inc JK Electric John Henry's Plumbing, Heating, Air & Electrical Kawasaki Motors Manufacturing Corp Kidwell Kiewit Klute Inc Koch Fertilizer Lavigne Construction Milestone Electric, A/C, & Plumbing Morrissey Engineering Nally Plumbing & Heating Nebraska Department of Transportation Nebraska Game & Parks Commission Nebraska Public Power District Nestle Purina Pet Care

Company

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Communications Prairie Home Builders Progressive Electric Inc Reese Construction Rega Engineering Group Rutt's Heating & Air Conditioning Sampson Construction Co Inc Scheer Electric Smithfield Foods Southeast Community College Southwest Public Power District Steamfitters & Plumbers Local Union #464 Stephens & Smith Construction Co Inc **Summit Contracting Inc** Sygenta Timpte Inc Tru-Built Construction Turtle Roofing Woolsey Electric Zeng Countertops & Surfaces

Graduated Spring 2024

PayneCrest Electric &

\$30K

S40K

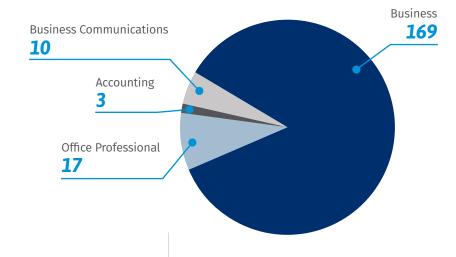
Total Certificates awarded	32
Total Diplomas awarded	16
Total Associates awarded	151
Number of graduates employed in their field of study	49
Total graduates continuing their education	65
Total number of graduates by family	187

Percent employed in Nebraska

Business Programs

SCC's Business programs provide the foundational skills which are essential across all industries, preparing our graduates for diverse career paths in an evolving economic landscape. The curriculum integrates modern technology with fundamental business principles, ensuring our graduates are proficient in the digital tools, data analysis and communication platforms essential for today's workplace. Strong industry partnerships provide internship opportunities and direct employment connections, while articulation agreements facilitate a smooth transfer to fouryear institutions. Whether entering the workforce immediately or continuing education, our graduates possess adaptable skills that remain relevant across economic cycles and technological changes.

Awards





Degree Diploma Certificate \$50K \$60K \$80K \$90K

Business graduates have pursued these positions

- 401K Associate
- Assistant Manager
- Billing Specialist
- Business Coordinator
- Business Office Associate
- Business Process Analyst
- Compliance Analyst
- Facilitator and Coordinator
- Financial Aid Advisor
- Human Resources Assistant
- Junior Accountant
- Marketing Communications Specialist
- Marketing Coordinator
- Medical Billing Specialist
- Office Assistant
- Office Manager
- · Online Sales Representative
- Operations
- Owner
- Personal Banker
- · Project Engineer
- Realtor
- Teller



SCC is preparing me for my future by giving me the assistance I need to feel confident in what I can do. My instructors give real-world examples that put my new skills to the test. I also like the balance between independent and collaborative work. I can build my efficiency skills when working by myself or with

- Ava Zabloudil Office Professional **Expected graduation Fall 2026**

Companies who have hired Business graduates

3M Company

Ameritas Life Insurance Corp

Beatrice Community Hospital & Health Center

Beatrice Health & Rehab

Buckle Inc

CHI Health

DAS Dept of Administrative Services

Duncan Aviation

Elite Business Solutions

Emerald Nursing & Rehab Lancaster

Farmers & Merchants Bank

First Interstate Bank

Fiserv

Genesis Health Clubs

Glenwood Telecommunications Inc

Home Real Estate

Kawasaki Motors Manufacturing Corp

Liberty First Credit Union

Lincoln Electric System

Main Street Market

National Rural Electric Cooperative

Association Nebraska Family Dentistry

NTT Data Services

Same Day Garage Door Repair

Sandhills Global Sav-Rx

Scheels

Speedway Motors Inc **Union Bank & Trust Company**

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Healthcare Programs

SCC's Healthcare programs address critical workforce shortages in one of America's fastest-growing employment sectors. With an aging population and expanding healthcare access, demand for skilled professionals continues to outpace supply across all specialties. Through clinical partnerships with regional healthcare systems, state-of-theart simulation labs and experienced faculty, our graduates possess the technical competencies and critical thinking skills essential for patient care. Strong employer relationships provide immediate job placement opportunities. In addition, our students are also prepared to transfer to four-year health science programs.

99 **Awards 30 28** 25 Polysonnographic Technician realth Care Services **Salary Distribution** (and Median) Degree Diploma Certificate \$120K \$30K \$70K \$80K \$90K \$100K \$110K

Healthcare graduates have pursued these positions

- Administrator
- Advanced Respiratory Therapist
- · Cardiac Certified Surgical **Technologist**
- Cardiac ICU Nurse
- Certified Dietary Manager
- · Certified Medical Assistant
- Certified Respiratory Therapist
- Charge Nurse
- Clinical Nurse
- Critical Care Nurse
- Dental Assistant
- Dietary Aide
- Dining Service Director
- Director
- Emergency Room Nurse
- Firefighter
- Hematology Medical Lab Technologist
- Home Health PTA
- ICU Nurse
- Licensed Practical Nurse
- Limited Radiographer
- Mammographer
- Med Surg Nurse
- Medical Laboratory Technician
- Medical Radiographer
- MRI/CT Technologist
- · Multi-Modality Technician
- Nurse
- Oncology Nurse
- Paramedic / Firefighter
- Patient Coordinator
- PCU Nurse
- Pharmacy Technician
- Physical Therapist Assistant
- Polysomnographic Technologist
- Radiology Technician
- Receptionist
- Registered Nurse
- Safety Coordinator
- Scrub Tech & Chart Abstractor
- Sleep Technician
- Supervisor
- Surgical First Assist Nurse
- Surgical Technologist
- Transplant Registered Nurse
- Trauma Nurse
- X-Ray Technologist

The Physical Therapist **Assistant program offers** so many opportunities to get hands-on experience and a true feel of what your future career entails. I always felt I was given ample opportunities to learn and grow throughout my time in the program. Between clinical rotations, career fairs and mock interviews, SCC provides you with countless realworld experiences to set you up for success following graduation.

- Kirsten Bures **Physical Therapist Assistant Graduated Fall 2024**



Companies who have hired Healthcare graduates

Advanced Medical Imaging Allergy, Asthma, & Immunology Associates PC Beatrice Community Hospital & Health Center Inc Beatrice Fire & Rescue Blome Family Dentistry Bryan Health CHI Health Children's Dentistry of

Lincoln Coddington Physical Therapy Community Medical Center Cottonwood Hospice **Doctors Outpatient Surgery** Center **Eastmont Towers**

Emerald Legacy Pointe

Fallbrook Family Health

Center Falls City Nursing & Rehabilitation Center Gastroenterology

> Gentle Family Dentistry **Good Samaritan Society** Hart & Arndt Family Health Heartland Urgent Care Henderson Healthcare

Hillcrest Home Care

Specialties PC Services

Johnson County Hospital Legacy Arbors Lincoln Family Medical Group PC

Lincoln Fire & Rescue Lincoln Orthopedic Physical

Therapy Lincoln Pediatric Group Lincoln Surgical Hospital Madonna Rehabilitation

Hospital Mayo Clinic Medbridge

Nebraska Hematology-Oncology Nebraska Medicine

Nebraska Orthopedic Surgery Center

Nebraska Surgery Center Nebraska VR-Vocational Rehab

Nemaha Valley Community Hospital

Oceans Dental Old Cheney Rehabilitation Oral, Facial & Implant Surgery

Center Parkview Haven Nursing

Home

Physical Therapy & Balance Centers

Physicians Laboratory Services **Pioneer Greens Dentistry**

Pioneer Manor Nursing Home Pioneer Periodontics &

Implant Dentistry PC Prairie Orthopedic and

Plastic Surgery **Primary Care Partners**

Relycare Pharmacy Saunders County Medical Center

Schoettger Orthodontics Southlake Village

Rehabilitation and Care Center

Southwest Pediatric Dentistry Southwest Surgery Center St. Croix Hospice

St. Mary's Hospital Sumner Place

Tabitha Health Care Services Tabitha Nursing and

Rehabilitation Thayer County Health

Services Valley County Health System

Williamsburg Dental LLC Women's Clinic of Lincoln PC York General

York Medical Clinic

2024 Key Stats

Total Certificates awarded

Total Diplomas awarded

Total Associates awarded

continuing their education

Percent employed

in their field of study

Total graduates

in Nebraska

Number of graduates employed

Total number of graduates by family

31

150

217

244

72

396

2024 Key Stats **Public Service & Social** 21 Total Certificates awarded **Sciences Programs** 47 Total Associates awarded

SCC's Public Service & Social Sciences programs prepare our graduates for essential careers addressing society's critical needs focused on improving the safety, health and well-being of individuals and communities. Our graduates develop an understanding of complex social issues and practical skills needed to enter the workforce through internships with local agencies, service-learning opportunities and learning from experienced faculty. Many of our graduates transfer to four-year colleges or universities in psychology, social work and criminal justice.

Percent employed in Nebraska

continuing their education

Number of graduates employed

Total number of graduates by family

in their field of study

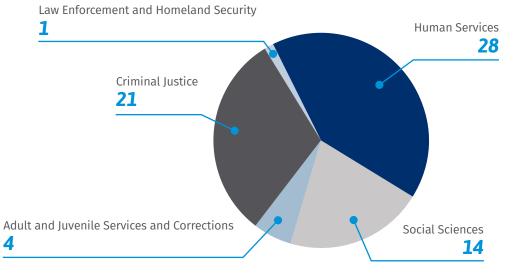
Total graduates

12

29

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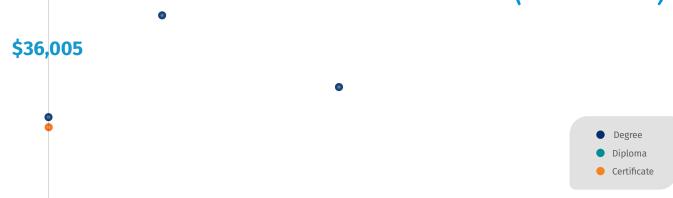
Awards



Salary Distribution (and Median)

S80K

\$90K



S60K

S70K

Public Service & Social Sciences graduates have pursued these positions

- Advocate
- Case Manager
- · Children's Advocate
- Community Support Care
- Correctional/Communications Officer
- Officer
- Peer Support Specialist
- Public Safety Dispatcher
- · Relief Youth Specialist
- Youth Treatment Specialist



Companies who have hired Public Service & Social Sciences graduates

Adams County Corrections Cedars Youth Services CenterPointe Fresh Start Home Friendship Home

Lancaster County Corrections Department Lincoln Police Department Mental Health Association of Nebraska Nebraska State Patrol

\$30K

\$40K

S50K

Total Certificates awarded	11
Total Diplomas awarded	6
Total Associates awarded	101
Number of graduates employed in their field of study	44
Total graduates continuing their education	31
Total number of graduates by family	115

Percent employed in Nebraska

Science & Technology **Programs**

SCC's Science & Technology programs position our graduates to succeed in an innovation-driven industry, addressing critical skills gaps in high-demand STEM fields. Through cutting-edge laboratories, industrystandard equipment and partnerships with regional technology employers, our graduates possess the knowledge and practical skills employers desire. Strong connections with local tech companies, research institutions and manufacturing facilities provide internship opportunities and direct employment pathways.

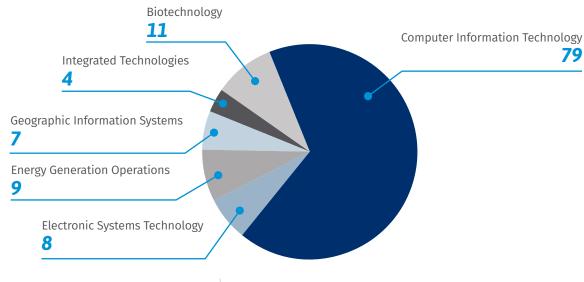
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Certificate

\$110K

\$100K

Awards





\$70K

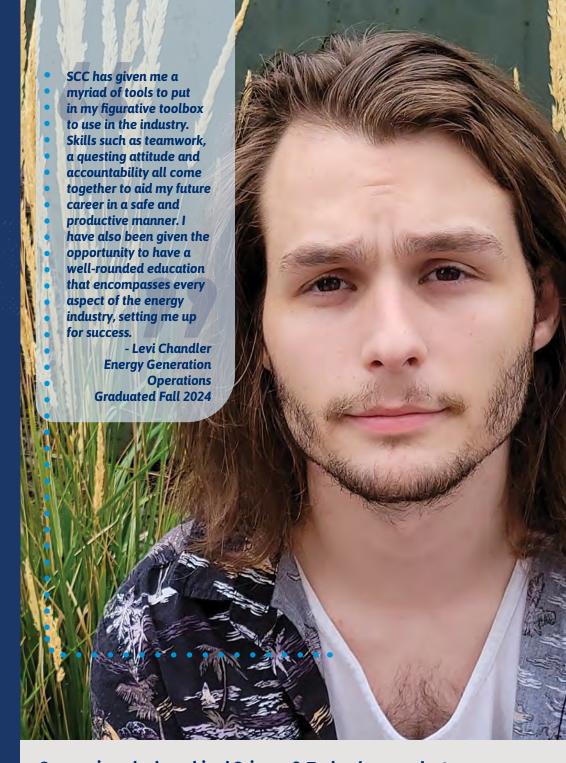
\$80K

\$90K

\$50K

Science & Technology graduates have pursued these positions

- Applications Developer
- Automation Control Engineer
- Avionics Bench Technician
- Business Analyst
- Client Support
- Consultation Agent
- Data Center Technician
- Data Entry Supervisor
- Data/Database Analyst
- Date Entry Clerk
- GIS Associate Technician
- Help Desk Technician
- IT Product Specialist
- IT Support Specialist
- Java App Developer
- Java Web Developer
- Junior IT Applications Developer
- Linux Administrator
- Network Technician
- Placement Engineer
- Plant Operator
- · Process Operator
- Production Technician
- Senior Implementation Analyst
- Service Technician
- Software Developer
- SQL Analyst IV
- Supervisor
- Technician Assistant



Companies who have hired Science & Technology graduates

Best Buy **Duncan Aviation** E Energy Adams LLC Five Nines Technology Groups LLC Foundant Technologies **Garner Industries** I A Woollam JEO Consulting Group Koch Fertilizer Li-Cor Biosciences MidAmerican Energy Midwest Holding Inc

Nebraska Department of Health and **Human Services** Nelnet Business Services Neogen Norland International Inc NTT Data Services Omaha Public Power District Sandhills Global Schneider Electric State of Nebraska CIO University of Nebraska -Lincoln USCIS Nebraska Service Center

72 Total Certificates awarded 4 Total Diplomas awarded 161 Total Associates awarded Number of graduates employed 181 in their field of study Total graduates 9 continuing their education 235 Total number of graduates by family

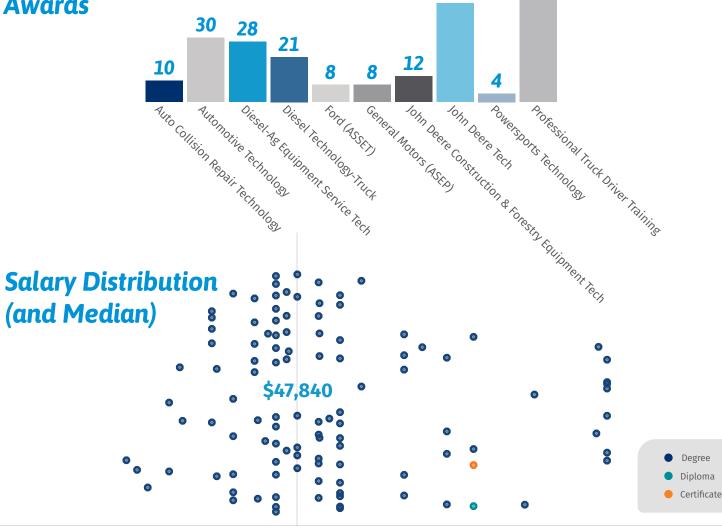
Percent employed in Nebraska

Transportation Programs

SCC's Transportation programs address critical workforce shortages in essential industries experiencing technological transformation. Through manufacturer partnerships with Ford, GM and John Deere, our graduates often have direct employment pathways with advancement opportunities. Our graduates are trained by industry-experienced instructors using state-of-the-art equipment to ensure they possess mechanical expertise and cutting-edge diagnostic skills for long-term career success.

70

Awards



\$50K

\$60K

\$70K

\$80K

\$90K

Transportation graduates have pursued these positions

- Agricultural Management Solutions (AMS, GPS) at a John Deere dealership
- Agriculture Equipment Technician at a John Deere agricultural dealership
- · Auto Body Technician
- Auto Collision Technician
- Automotive Technician
- Automotive Technician at a Ford dealership
- Automotive Technician at a GM dealership
- Bus Driver
- CDL Truck Driver
- · Combine Technician
- Construction Equipment Technician at a John Deere construction and forestry equipment dealership
- Delivery Driver
- Diesel Ag Technician
- Diesel Technician
- Disassembly Technician
- Machine Operator
- Parts Salesman
- Self Employed
- Self Employed Farmer/ **Technician**
- Service Technician
- Small Engine Technician
- Technician
- Technician/Operator
- Technician/Social Media Manager
- Tractor/Trailer Technician



Companies who have hired Transportation graduates

3 Box Trucking 4 Rivers Equipment 402 Trucking Inc AgriVision Equipment **AKRS** Equipment American Implement Anderson Ford of Lincoln B & J Automotive **B Street Collision Center** Becker Trenching & Water Benefiel Truck Repair & Towing **Brakes Plus** Brinkman Brothers Chevrolet Bruna Implement Butler Ag Equipment C & B Operations Cash Wa Distributing Co Certified Truck & Trailer Chesterman Coca-Cola ConAg Equipment Services Crete Carrier Corp Dakota Fluid Power Dexter Diesel Dillon Brothers Motorsports Dollar General Distribution Center

21st Century Equipment

Don Wietfeld & Sons Inc **Eustis Body Shop** Gage County Equipment Inc Gana Trucking and Excavating Geneva Implement Co Inc Geneva Tire & Service **GP Customs** Hamilton Equipment Company Heritage Tractor Horizontal Boring & Tunneling Co **Husker Automotive** Husker GMC **Husker Power Products** inMOTION Auto Care Inc John Kohl Auto Center Keim Farm Equipment Kyle's Service Center Landmark Implement Levander's Body Shop M & D Auto Service Mead Lumber of Lincoln Mechanix Garage Meyer Automotive Inc

MHC Kenworth

Murphy Tractor & Equipment

Nebraska City Utilities Nebraska Harvest Center Outlaw European Performance Peterbilt of Lincoln Pickrell Repair Platte Valley Equipment Ramirez Contracting Services Reimers Kaufman Concrete Company Roehr's Machinery Inc Rose Equipment LLC Sid Dillon Body Shop Small Engine Specialists Inc Sprenger Midwest Inc. Star Tran The Final Touch Auto Restoration Tim Sisco Construction **Titan Machinery** Tracy's Collision Center Uribe Refuse Services Inc York Equipment Inc

Expected graduation Spring 2026

Nebco Inc

\$40K

Zoellner Ford-Lincoln of

Beatrice

Academic Transfer

SCC's Academic Transfer programs provide cost-effective pathways to four-year degrees, positioning students for success in increasingly competitive higher education and professional environments. Strong articulation agreements with regional universities facilitates a seamless transfer for our students to complete a bachelor's degree without financial strain. Faculty mentorship and career counseling help students identify academic majors and career paths aligned with their interests and market demands, ultimately positioning them for success in professional fields requiring bachelor's and advanced degrees.



South Dakota Nebraska 322 Utah Colorado Kansas Missour Arkansas **New Mexico** Arizona Graduates who are continuing their education are doing so in Nebraska. Total continuing education: 371

2024 Key Stats

252 Total Associates awarded

Total graduates 154 continuing their education

240 Total graduates

Percent continuing education in Nebraska

Transfer Pathways

SCC students transfer to a 4-year college or university to earn a bachelor's degree in one of these subject areas:

Agriculture

Art

Biology

Biotechnology

Business

Criminal Justice

Education

English

Geography

Journalism

Language Studies

Music

Photography

Mathematics

Physical Science

Psychology

Sociology

Theatre

Humanities

Graduates Continuing Education by Institution

In Nebraska

British Columbia

Chadron State College. NE.....3 Metropolitan Community College .. NE.... 134 University of Nebraska Medical Center..... University of Nebraska at Kearney..... University of Nebraska-Lincoln..... Wayne State College ...

Out of State

Arizona State University	.1 Missouri State University	MO
Arkansas State UniversityARAR	.1 Northwest Missouri State University	MO
California State University, Dominguez HillsCA	.1 Purdue University	IN
Capella UniversityMNMN	.1 Simon Fraser University	BC
Carolina UniversityNC	.2 Southern Arkansas University Tech	AR
Central New Mexico Community CollegeNM	.1 Southern New Hampshire University	NH
Colby Community CollegeKS	.1 The University of Texas at San Antonio	TX
College of Health Care ProfessionsTX	.1 University of Alaska	AK
Concord CollegeWV	.1 University of Arizona	AZ
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University FL	.1 University of Arkansas	AR
Emporia State UniversityKSKS	.1 University of Central Florida	FL
Fort Hays State UniversityKS	.2 University of Central Missouri	MO
Hope CollegeMI	.1 University of Colorado	
Iowa State UniversityIAIA	.2 University of Incarnate Word	TX
Iowa Western Community CollegeIA		SD
Kansas State UniversityKS		UT
Liberty UniversityVA		
Louisiana State Univ ShreveportLALA.	.1 Wichita State University	KS
Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary MO		

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Career Fairs

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The mission of Southeast Community College is to empower and transform its students and the diverse communities it serves. The College provides accessible, dynamic, and responsive pathways to career and technical, academic transfer, and continuing education programs. Student success and completion is maximized through collegiate excellence, exemplary instruction, comprehensive student support services, enrichment programs, and student-centered processes. SCC is committed to a proactive and evidence-based approach that continually assesses and responds to student, community and employer demand for higher education.

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