

FAST FACTS



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WestKentucky.KCTCS.edu
(270) 534-3264

Leadership:

College President/CEO: Dr. Barbara Veazey

Student Profile:

Enrollment: 7,352

Student to teacher ratio: 1 teacher to 13 students

High school students enrolled in

dual-enrollment/dual-credit courses: 1,661

Students enrolled in distance education courses: 4,501

Students receiving financial aid: 87%

Part-time students: 65%

Full-time students: 35%

Students age 25 & over: 43%

Students age 18-24: 41%

Female: 56%

Male: 44%

Student Success:

(2010/11 Academic Year)

Associate Degrees: 557

Diplomas: 207

Certificates: 1,505

Total: 2,269



CAMPUSES

Main Campus:
4810 Alben Barkley Drive,
Paducah, KY 42001

Mary Ellen Thompson Health
Education Center:
2415 South 25th Street,
Paducah, KY 42001

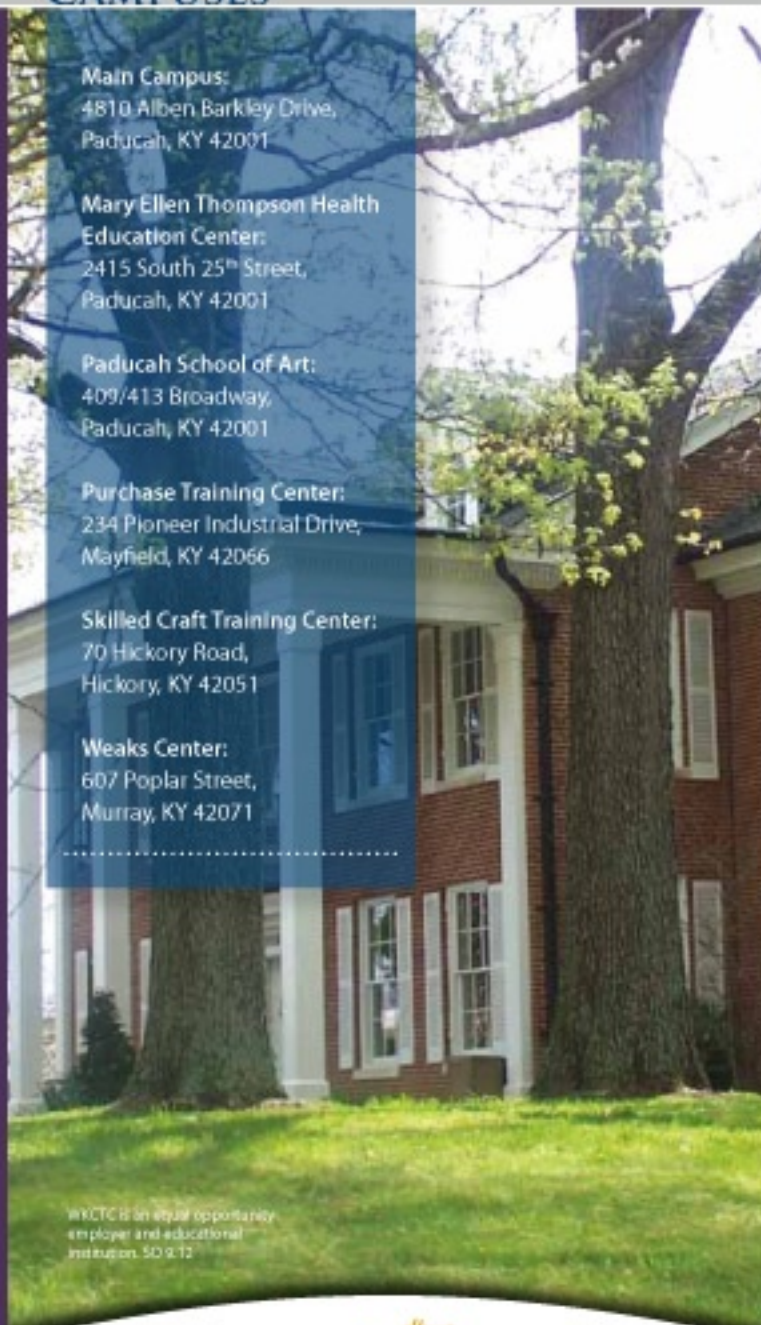
Paducah School of Art:
409/413 Broadway,
Paducah, KY 42001

Purchase Training Center:
234 Pioneer Industrial Drive,
Mayfield, KY 42066

Skilled Craft Training Center:
70 Hickory Road,
Hickory, KY 42051

Weeks Center:
607 Poplar Street,
Murray, KY 42071

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WEST KENTUCKY

COMMUNITY & TECHNICAL COLLEGE



HIGHER EDUCATION BEGINS HERE

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Small class sizes, personal attention and an active campus community make WKCTC the right choice for you!

Student Organizations:

- Alpha Epsilon Beta (Criminal Justice)
- Baptist Campus Ministries
- Basketball Club
- College Community Chorus
- Concept Zero
- KANS (Kentucky Association of Nursing Students)
- Mu Alpha Theta (Mathematics Honor Society)
- Multicultural Appreciation Club (MAC)
- New Beginnings (Adult Students)
- Paducah School of Art Student Art Club
- Phi Beta Lambda (Future Business Leaders of America)
- Phi Theta Kappa
- Student Ambassador Program
- Student Veterans of WKCTC
- Student Government Association
- Writer's Group

For more information on student organizations, please contact the Student Activities/Recruitment office at (270) 534-3118 or amy.elmore@kctcs.edu.

GO2WORK

Go For A Higher Salary

Our technical programs offer degrees in fields that are hiring and fields that pay!

POPULAR HIGH WAGE/HIGH DEMAND JOBS

CAREER	SALARY	PROGRAM
REGISTERED NURSE	\$59,358	Nursing
DENTAL HYGIENIST	\$57,237	Dental Assisting/Dental Hygiene
RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGIST & TECHNICIAN	\$47,618	Radiography
PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT	\$46,959	Physical Therapist Assistant
ELECTRICIAN	\$46,063	Electrical Technology
RESPIRATORY THERAPIST	\$45,047	Respiratory Care Technology
HEALTH TECHNOLOGIST & TECHNICIAN	\$43,797	Health Science Technology
COMPUTER & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES	\$43,058	Information Technology
MACHINIST	\$40,650	Computerized Manufacturing & Machining
AUTOMOTIVE BODY & RELATED REPAIRER	\$40,229	Collision Repair Technology
HEATING, AIR CONDITIONING & REFRIGERATION MECHANIC	\$37,551	Air Conditioning Technology



TECHNICAL CAREER PROGRAMS

Our technical programs are short-term programs that get you to work fast. We offer a range of options that lead to a higher salary.

WKCTC recently launched a new online degree program in Logistics and Operations Management. Logistics is all about getting goods, services, and people where they need to be, when they need to be there, and in the right quantity. It is how businesses set themselves apart from their competition by increasing productivity and quality while reducing costs. Logistics encompasses numerous industries including warehousing, distribution, transportation, manufacturing, and construction.



PROGRAMS

Program	Associate Degree	Diploma	Certificate	Location	Selective Admission
Accounting Technology		√	√ OL	(M), (OL)	
Air Conditioning Technology		√	√	(SK)	
Applied Engineering Technology	√		√	(M)	
Apprenticeship Studies	√			(M)	
Associate in Arts (Pre-baccalaureate)	√			(M)	
Associate in Fine Arts (Pre-baccalaureate)	√			(M), (PS)	
Associate in Science (Pre-baccalaureate)	√			(M)	
Automotive Technology	√	√	√	(SK)	√
Business Administration	√ OL	√ OL	√ OL	(M), (OL)	
Clinical Laboratory Technician	√		√	(M)	√
Collision Repair Technology		√	√	(M)	
Computer Aided Drafting & Design		√	√	(M)	
Computer & Information Technologies	√ OL		√ OL	(M), (OL)	
Computerized Manufacturing and Machining	√	√	√	(M)	
Construction Technology		√	√	(M)	
Cosmetology		√	√	(M)	
Criminal Justice	√ OL		√ OL	(M)	
Culinary Arts	√	√	√	(M)	
Dental Assisting/Dental Hygiene	√	√		(M)	√
Diagnostic Medical Sonography	√		√	(M)	√
Diesel Technology		√	√	(P)	
Fire/Rescue Science Technology	√	√	√	(M)	
General Occupational/Technical Studies	√			(M)	
Health Physics	√ OL		√ OL	(M), (OL)	
Health Science Technology	√		√	(M)	
Homeland Security/Emergency Management	√		√	(M)	
Industrial Chemical Technology	√			(M)	
Interdisciplinary Early Childhood Education	√		√ OL	(M), (OL)	
Logistics and Operations Management	√ OL		√ OL	(M), (OL)	
Marine Technology	√ OL		√ OL	(M), (OL)	
Mechatronic Systems			√	(M)	
Medical Information Technology	√	√	√	(M)	
MIT: Electrical Technology	√	√	√	(M)	
MIT: Industrial Maintenance Technology	√	√	√	(M)	
Nursing — Advanced Nursing Assistant			√	(T)	
Nursing — Nursing Assistant			√	(T), (SK)	√
Nursing — Practical Nursing		√		(W), (M)	√
Nursing RN	√			(M)	
Office Systems Technology	√ OL	√ OL	√ OL	(M), (OL)	
Paramedic Technology Completion	√ OL			(M), (OL)	
Pharmacy Technology			√	(M)	
Physical Therapist Assistant	√			(M)	√
Radiography	√			(M)	√
Respiratory Care	√		√	(M)	√
Surgical Technology	√	√	√	(M)	√
Visual Communication — Multimedia	√	√	√	(M)	
Visual Communication — Printing			√	(M)	
Welding Technology		√	√	(M), (SL)	

Selective Admission

Admission into the Automotive Technology and Allied Health programs at the college is based on selective admission criteria specific to each program. Students who are interested in the admission criteria for these programs should contact the program coordinator or a career counselor at the college.

Campus Sites:
 (M) Main Campus
 (P) Purchase Training Center in Mayfield
 (PS) Paducah School of Art
 (SK) Skilled Craft Training Center in Hickory
 (T) Mary Ellen Thompson Center
 (W) Weaks Center in Murray



TOP 10 REASONS TO ATTEND WKCTC

- 1/ SMALL CLASS SIZES
- 2/ TEACHING IS THE TOP PRIORITY
- 3/ FLEXIBLE SCHEDULES
- 4/ SMOOTH TRANSFER OF CREDITS
- 5/ HIGH SUCCESS RATE
- 6/ CAREER-ORIENTED DEGREES
IN DEMAND
- 7/ CONVENIENT LOCATIONS
- 8/ ONLINE CLASSES & DEGREES
- 9/ OPEN ACCESS
- 10/ INCREDIBLE VALUE

ADMISSIONS CHECKLIST

- 1 Apply for admission. You can complete a paper application or you can apply online 24 hours a day at westkentucky.kctcs.edu/admissions/apply.
- 2 Send official high school or college transcripts you have attended to the WKCTC Admissions Office.
- 3 Submit test results. Submit ACT test results or take the COMPASS placement test after submitting an application.
- 4 Complete FAFSA. Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) online at fafsa.ed.gov. WKCTC's Federal School Code is 001979.
- 5 Meet with an advisor in the Master Advising Center. An advisor will guide you through the process for choosing your classes and registering.
- 6 Attend orientation. Orientation is required for all first-time students and it will answer many of your questions.
- 7 Make payment arrangements. Pay online at <http://students.kctcs.edu>. Log in and choose "self service," select "campus finances" and "make a payment." From this screen you will have the option to pay with check, credit card or through a payment plan.

SPECIAL NOTE: Admission into the Automotive Technology and Allied Health programs at the college is based on selective admission criteria specific to each program, which can include required pre-admission information conferences. Students who are interested in the admission criteria for these programs should contact the program coordinators or a career counselor at the college.



GO²TRANSFER

Get Your Basics Here!

Our Go2Transfer program lets you transfer credits easily to a four-year college or university of your choice! WKCTC is a great place to begin your higher education journey because it provides an affordable, quality education close to home.

WKCTC credits transfer to all Kentucky public institutions. You can complete most of your freshman and sophomore year of college by earning an associate degree at WKCTC.

WKCTC has special agreements with a number of Kentucky colleges and universities. Your WKCTC advisor can provide you with all the details.



TRANSFER CENTER CONTACT

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