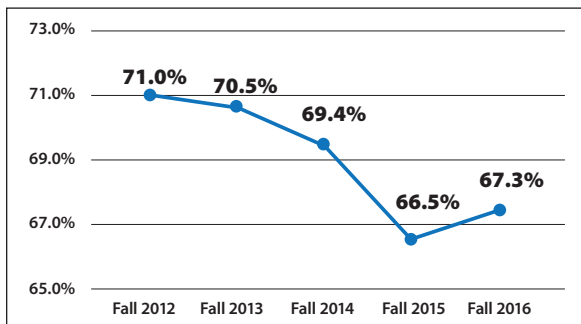


Employee Statistics

	Fall 2015	Fall 2016	Change
Management	88	79	-10.2%
Professional	125	105	-16.0%
Office & Admin. Support	103	101	-1.9%
Other Support Services	84	85	1.2%
Full-Time Faculty	127	111	-12.6%
Total Full-Time	527	481	-8.7%
Adjuncts	550	519	-5.6%

(Source: IPEDS Human Resources survey)

% of Course Sections Taught by Adjuncts



Regional Population

	7/1/2015	7/1/2016	Change
New Jersey	8,935,421	8,944,469	0.1%
Essex County	795,039	796,914	0.2%
Newark City	281,100	281,764	0.2%

Top 10 Colleges Essex Graduates Transferred to

1. Rutgers University—Newark
2. New Jersey Institute of Technology
3. Montclair State University
4. Kean University
5. New Jersey City University
6. William Paterson University
7. Rutgers University—New Brunswick
8. Berkeley College
9. Felician College
10. Bloomfield College

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Fall 2017

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 2016	FY 2017	Change
Credit	14,986	12,638	-15.7%
Non-Credit	8,300	10,617	27.9%
Total	23,286	23,255	-0.1%

Credit Enrollment

	Fall 2016	Fall 2017	Change
Unduplicated Headcount	9,596	8,997	-6.2%
Total Credit Hours	102,675	93,449	-9.0%
Hours per Student	10.70	10.39	-2.9%

Non-Credit Enrollment

	FY 2016	FY 2017	Change
Open Enrollment	12,095	15,618	29.1%
Customized Training	2,482	2,576	3.8%
Total Classroom Seats	14,577	18,194	24.8%

Total Degrees Conferred

	FY 2016	FY 2017	Change
Assoc. in Arts (A.A.)	247	238	-3.6%
Assoc. in Appl. Sci. (A.A.S.)	213	173	-18.8%
Assoc. in Science (A.S.)	902	782	-13.3%
Academic Certificate	38	14	-63.2%
Certificate of Achievement	10	7	-30.0%
Total	1,410	1,214	-13.9%

Fall-to-Fall Retention Rate

	Fall 2015 Cohort	Fall 2016 Cohort	Change
FTFT Degree-Seeking	58.6%	56.3%	-2.3%

(Source: IPEDS Fall Enrollment survey)

Three-Year Graduation Rate

	Fall 2013 Cohort	Fall 2014 Cohort	Change
FTFT Degree-Seeking	12.8%	12.3%	-0.5%

(Source: IPEDS Graduation Rate survey)

Per Credit Tuition & Fees

	Fall 2016	Fall 2017	Change
In-County Tuition	\$119.50	\$126.50	5.9%
Out-of-County Tuition	\$239.00	\$253.00	5.9%
Student Activity Fee	\$7.50	\$7.50	0.0%
General Service Fee	\$32.50	\$32.50	0.0%

Fall 2017 Enrollments & FY 2017 Completions

	Fall 2017 Enrollment	FY 2017 Completions
Associate in Art (A.A.)	1,537	238
Liberal Arts	885	109
Education	396	84
Liberal Arts: Communications Option	102	15
Art	95	17
Liberal Arts: Journalism Option	32	5
Liberal Arts: Spanish Language Option	19	6
Liberal Arts: Africana Studies Option	8	2
Associate in Applied Sciences (A.A.S.)	929	173
Human & Social Services	120	32
Nursing	119	42
Architectural Technology	88	3
Electronic Engineering Technology	86	6
Civil Engineering Technology	73	8
Mechanical Engineering Technology	63	6
New Media Technology	63	5
Physical Therapist Assistant	59	22
Vision Care Technology	53	15
Accounting	35	2
Radiography	33	13
Bus. Adm.: Hospitality Management Option	24	2
Cybersecurity & Network Technology	16	2
Associate in Science (A.S.)	5,508	782
General Science	1,847	210
Business Administration	755	132
Social Sciences	569	125
Criminal Justice	508	70
Biology/Pre-Medicine	406	48
Engineering	351	39
Computer Science	291	17
Accounting	279	63
Computer Information Systems	110	17
Physical Education	70	18
Paralegal Studies	58	20
Music	56	2
Mathematics	52	6
Finance	49	2
Chemistry	36	5
Health Science	24	6
Certificate	109	21
Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)	17	8
Paralegal	10	5
Massage Therapy	9	4

Note: Programs with completions of less than 2 are not listed.

Fall 2017 Credit Students: Status

	Number	Percentage
Full-Time	4,340	48.2%
Part-Time	4,657	51.8%

	Number	Percentage
Male	3,729	41.4%
Female	5,268	58.6%

	Number	Percentage
First-Time	2,238	24.9%
Transfer	116	1.3%
Readmit	224	2.5%
Continuing	6,419	71.3%

	Number	Percentage
Degree Seeking	8,083	89.8%
Non-Matriculated	914	10.2%

	Number	Percentage
Day	7,064	78.5%
Evening	1,933	21.5%

Fall 2017 Credit Students: Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Percentage
Black/African American	4,241	47.1%
Hispanic/Latino	2,736	30.4%
White	883	9.8%
Asian	345	3.8%
Other*	135	1.5%
Unknown	657	7.3%

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

Fall 2017 Credit Students: Age

	Number	Percentage
< 18 Years Old	561	6.2%
18-22 Years Old	4,223	46.9%
23-29 Years Old	2,074	23.1%
30-39 Years Old	1,178	13.1%
40-49 Years Old	598	6.6%
50+ Years Old	363	4.0%

Note: The median age is 22 years old.

Fall 2017 Credit Students: Top 7 Cities of Residence

	Number	Percentage
Newark	3,737	41.5%
East Orange	823	9.1%
Irvington	721	8.0%
Belleville	585	6.5%
Bloomfield	481	5.3%
West Orange	481	5.3%
Orange	472	5.2%