

# 2019 - 2020 FACTS AT A GLANCE

*Community College of Vermont, a Vermont State College, supports and challenges all students in meeting their educational goals through an abiding commitment to access, affordability, and student success.*



CCV is Vermont's second largest college, serving 5,000 students each semester. With 12 locations and extensive online learning options, our students don't have to travel far from their communities to access 11 degree and 18 certificate programs, workforce, secondary and continuing education opportunities, and academic and veterans support services.

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## THE COLLEGE

- Classes offered in 12 locations statewide and online
- Associate degrees: 11
- Career certificates: 18
- Associate and/or certificate programs that are available 100% online: 20
- Accredited by the New England Commission of Higher Education
- Admission: open to all students who can benefit
- Credits transferable to bachelor's programs
- Awarded in AY 2018
  - Associate and associate of applied sciences degrees: 511
  - Career-focused certificates: 57
  - Industry-recognized credentials: 354
- Number of part-time faculty: 760
- Number of staff: 160
- Most affordable college for Vermonters; in-state cost per credit: \$271  
 Out-of-state rate: \$552

## OUR CLASSES

- Average class size: 13
- Fall/spring semester courses: 894/938
- Summer courses: 395
- On-ground courses typically meet once a week for three hours
- Offered days, evenings, weekends, and online
- Over 200 online and hybrid courses each semester
- Year round learning - three semesters: fall, spring, summer
- Rank among colleges for enrollment by VT high school students ('09-'15): 1\*

## OUR STUDENTS

- Attending fall '19 semester: 5,539
- Attending CCV each year (3 semesters): 10,609
- Vermonters: 95%
- Average age: 26
- Dual Enrollment – Taking courses for college credit while still in high school: 1,959
- Female: 67%
- Self-identified member of minority racial or ethnic group category other than white or non-Hispanic: 17%
- Seeking degrees: 53%
- Degree students with full- or part-time jobs: 83%
- Degree students enrolled part-time: 81%
- Degree students enrolled full-time: 19%
- First generation in their family to attend college: 57%
- Degree students receiving financial aid: 51%
- Graduates since 1973: 12,870
- Graduates (Class of '18) who reported being employed, continuing their education, or serving in the military within 6 months: 94%



# CCV

## A SMART INVESTMENT

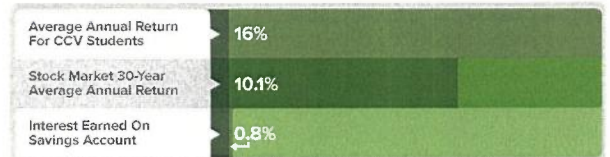
### RETURN ON INVESTMENT

**\$5.20**

IN FUTURE EARNINGS

For every dollar spent on a CCV degree, students can expect \$5.20 in future earnings, which translates to roughly **\$568,000** over the course of a working lifetime. That's a **16%** return on investment.

#### RETURN ON INVESTMENT



### INCREASE IN EARNINGS

**\$14,200**

INCREASE FOR ASSOCIATE DEGREE STUDENTS

Vermonters with an associate degree see an increase of **\$14,200** in annual earnings, compared to Vermonters with a high school diploma.

#### AVERAGE EARNINGS BASED ON DEGREE



### LOWEST TUITION COSTS

**65%**

OF STUDENTS GRADUATE DEBT FREE

CCV offers the lowest cost per credit in Vermont. More than half of CCV students receive grants and scholarships to attend college—free money that doesn't have to be paid back. **65%** of our students graduate debt free.

#### TUITION COMPARISON AT VERMONT STATE INSTITUTIONS



*"Analysis of the Economic Impact and Return on Investment of Education: The Economic Value of Community College of Vermont," Emsi 6/2018*

CCV is committed to non-discrimination in its learning and working environments for all persons. All educational and employment opportunities at CCV are offered without regard to race, creed, color, national origin, marital status, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, veteran status or any other category protected by law.

CCV is an equal opportunity employer. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

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