



The NC Community College System and its 58 Colleges Endorse the myFutureNC Educational Attainment Goal

RALEIGH, N.C. (November 17, 2020) Support of the bold myFutureNC statewide educational attainment goal — two million by 2030 — continues to grow with [endorsements from the network of 58 colleges](#) in the North Carolina Community College System.

“Community colleges provide educational opportunities to residents that equip them with the skills needed by North Carolina businesses. This broad, critical support across our community colleges illustrates a true commitment to North Carolinians and educational attainment.” said Cecilia Holden, president of myFutureNC. “We look forward to continuing this important work with these influential leaders as we strive to raise awareness about the life-changing impact of a high-quality credential or postsecondary degree.”

Two-thirds of jobs in North Carolina require a postsecondary credential or degree. Community Colleges are strengthening efforts to bridge North Carolina’s 300,000-person educational attainment gap with affordable education options aligned with the labor market demands.

“The 58 community colleges are proud to support myFutureNC,” said Bill Carver, Interim President of the North Carolina Community College System and board member of myFutureNC. “Nearly 700,000 students a year take advantage of programs at any point in life — from Career and College Promise high school dual enrollment, to associate degree and transfer degree programs, to short-term workforce preparation. Together, we will achieve this goal: helping more students and adult learners attain careers through relevant and flexible opportunities.

North Carolina’s attainment goal has been [endorsed by 120 organizations statewide](#), which include all 58 community colleges and all 23 workforce development boards.

The myFutureNC postsecondary attainment goal is for all of North Carolina, and statewide success. Achieving this goal will only be possible with deep, cross-sector support from state and local leaders and groups in business, education, and government. Learn how your organization can officially endorse the statewide attainment goal [here](#).

About myFutureNC

[MyFutureNC](#) is a statewide nonprofit organization created to reach the 2 million by 2030 educational attainment goal through collaboration between North Carolina leaders in education, business and government.

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