NC Has One of The Nation’s BEST
Career & College Promise Program

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How students in North Carolina traditional schools are doing:
- 53% of eligible 4-year-olds enrolled in NC Pre-K program; 10,914 more needed to meet state goal of 75%. 2023
- 30% of 3-8 graders are earning college-and-career-ready scores (level 4 or 5) in reading; 348,284 more needed to meet state goal of 73%. 2023
- 35% of 3-8 graders are earning college-and-career-ready scores (level 4 or 5) in math; 319,895 more needed to meet state goal of 86%. 2023
- 87% of 9th graders graduate within four years; 9,285 more needed to meet state goal of 95%. 2023
- 27% of students are chronically absent from school; 238,382 less needed to meet state goal of 11%. 2023

North Carolina has a student-to-school counselor ratio of 316:1. 2023

2% of students drop out of high school (9,531 total students). 2023

School Choice
1,778,322 total students were enrolled in K-12 in North Carolina in the 2022-23 school year.

Note: This profile focuses on outcomes of students enrolled in district schools.

Access to Postsecondary Credits
Students in North Carolina completed 325,307 Career & Technical Education (CTE) credentials (65,583 (20%) were industry-valued credentials) and 67,142 concentrations in 2023. The top three CTE concentrations completed include Health Science, Human Services, and Agricultural, Food, & Natural Resources.

69,386 high school students took at least one AP test (16%) (2023).
36,251 high school students participated in Career & College Promise programs (36%) (2023).
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“The purpose of Career and College Promise is to offer structured opportunities for qualified high school students to dually enroll in community college courses that provide pathways consistent with subsection (b) of this section that lead to a certificate, diploma, or degree as well as provide entry-level jobs skills.”
Career and College Promise: Structured Pathways
NC’s program to provide high school students access to post-secondary education, without cost.
CCP Program Highlights

• In 2022-2023, 35% of all graduates enrolled in at least one dual enrollment course during their high school years, with an average of seven college courses over the course of their high school years, with a total of 252,221 college courses.

• 94% of graduates who enrolled in a dual enrollment college course earned credit towards high school.

• In 2022-2023, there were 71,468 public high school students enrolled in college courses while in high school, an increase of 12% from the previous year.

• On average, high school students perform better at community colleges than the typical student population.
134 CIHS in 2023-2024
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What makes this program successful?

- Legislation and state funding
- Working relationships between LEA and IHE
- Partnership Agreements
- Policies regarding dual credit, eligibility, etc.
- Continuous improvement
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- Career & College Program at Brunswick Community College (Dual Enrollment)
  - College Transfer Pathway
  - Career & Technical Education Pathway
  - Workforce Continue Education Pathway
  - Benefits
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Links to some great information

- NC DPI Site
  

  The PDF at the bottom under CCP/CIHS Annual Report is so informative

- Brunswick Community College Career & College Program
  
  https://www.brunswickcc.edu/career-and-college-promise/
County Data and Resources

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