

Patrick Henry Community College (PHCC)



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Patrick Henry Community College is located in Martinsville, in the Southern part of the Commonwealth, serving the City of Martinsville, Henry County, Patrick County, and the southern portion of Franklin County.

Annual FTES Enrollment: 2,194 (2008-2009)
Fall Headcount: 3,109 (2008-2009)

Tuition as of fall 2009 (additional fees apply):
In-State: 94.50 / credit hour
Out-of-State: 266.60 / credit hour

Superlatives / Recent Accolades:

- For the fourth consecutive time, Patrick Henry Community College has placed among the top ten small, rural community colleges in the nation in use of technology on campus in a survey by the Center for Digital Education.
- PHCC is the 2008 recipient of the John Champaign Memorial Award for Outstanding Development Education
- Patrick Henry Community College is the first VCCS Member of the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) in the history of Virginia Community College Athletic Programs.
- Named Community College of the Year in 2001 by the Mid-Atlantic WorkKeys Users Conference

Locations:

In Martinsville: PHCC Main Campus; PHCC School of Crafts and Design; Virginia Motorsports Technology Center
PHCC Franklin County Site: Rocky Mount
PHCC Patrick County Site: Stuart;



Current industry training programs:

PHCC's workforce development office (<http://www.ph.vccs.edu/info.cfm?t=24&c=5&path=283,108>) provides job analysis, employee assessments, and pre-employment training for businesses. Workforce development professionals consult with employers and use innovative methods in the development of training and educational offerings that help employers gain a competitive advantage from the skills of their workforce. Staff can develop or target training for an organization's specific needs.

Examples of Customized Training: Leadership Foundations, Customer Service, Supervision, Business Writing and Communications, Industry-Specific Skills

Apprentices receive on-the-job training combined with classroom-related instruction to ensure that the apprentice is fully trained in all areas of the occupation. Apprentices are awarded a

journeyman certificate from the Commonwealth of Virginia after successful completion of the on-the-job training and related instruction.



Examples of Businesses served:

Master Brand Cabinets; MW Windows & Doors; Stanley Furniture; Nationwide Homes; Nautica Enterprises

Resources and Programs for training purposes:

Pre-Employment Testing and Evaluation Services, Customer Service, Team Development, Technical Training, Custom Training, Supervisory Training, Job Fair Space

Selected Associate's Degrees, Certificates and Career Study Certificates:

- Business Administration/Management, Accounting, Administrative Support Technology, E-Commerce, Entrepreneurship-Small Business, International Business, Motorsports Management, Bookkeeping, Clerical Studies, Customer Support Specialist, Help Desk Analyst, Project Management, Quality Leadership, Human Services
- Information Systems Technology, Networking, Computer Aided Drafting & Design, Graphic Art & Web Page Technology, Computer Service Technician, Internet Webmaster, Microcomputer Applications Technology
- Science, Pharmacy Technician, Nursing, Nurse Aide, Paramedic, Therapeutic Massage
- Automotive/Industrial Electronics, Technical Studies, Heating/Ventilation/Air Conditioning & Refrigeration, Industrial Welding / Controls / Maintenance Electronics, Metalworking, Motorsports Engines Technology / Fabrication and Set Up Technology, Industrial Electrician, Technical Drafting, Manufacturing Technician

Degrees conferred 2008-2009:

Associates: 268

Certificates: 217

Other Degrees and Programs offered:

PHCC has developed career studies certificates to support the creative economy, including Culinary Arts and in Crafts, which include Stained Glass, Fine Woodworking, Pottery, Decorative Painting, Weaving, and Quilting

