

## TOTAL GRADUATES (System Total)



64% Entered Workforce



34% Continuing Education

## GRADUATES BY GENDER (2023-2024)



61%  
Female  
(10,320)



39%  
Male  
(6,521)

## TOTAL AWARDS (System Total)



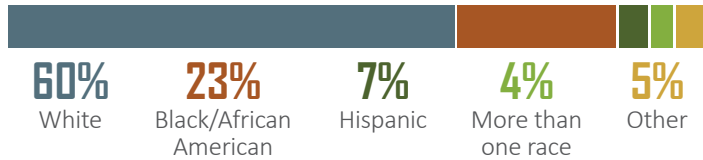
21,529

## PLACEMENT RATE (System Total)



93%

## ETHNICITY AND RACE FOR ALL GRADUATES (2023-2024)



## CAREER CLUSTERS WITH THE MOST AWARDS (2023-2024)

These five total **18,009** awards, representing **84%** of all awards!



Arts and Sciences



Health Science



Manufacturing

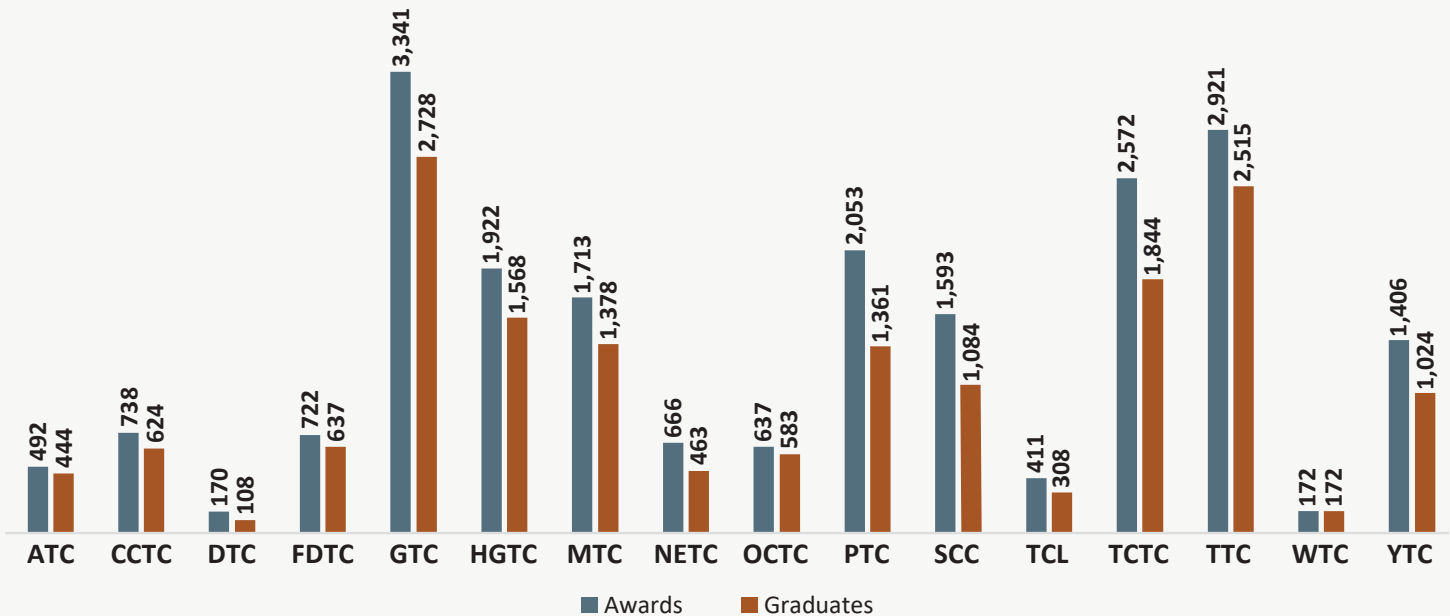


Business Management and Administration



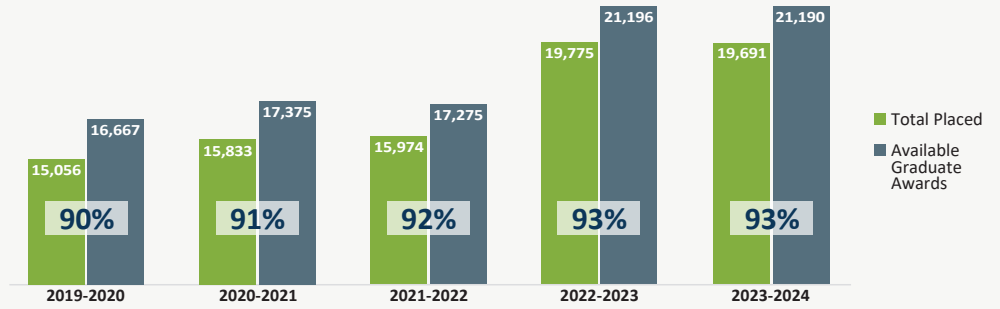
Information Technology

## AWARDS AND GRADUATES BY COLLEGE, 2023-2024

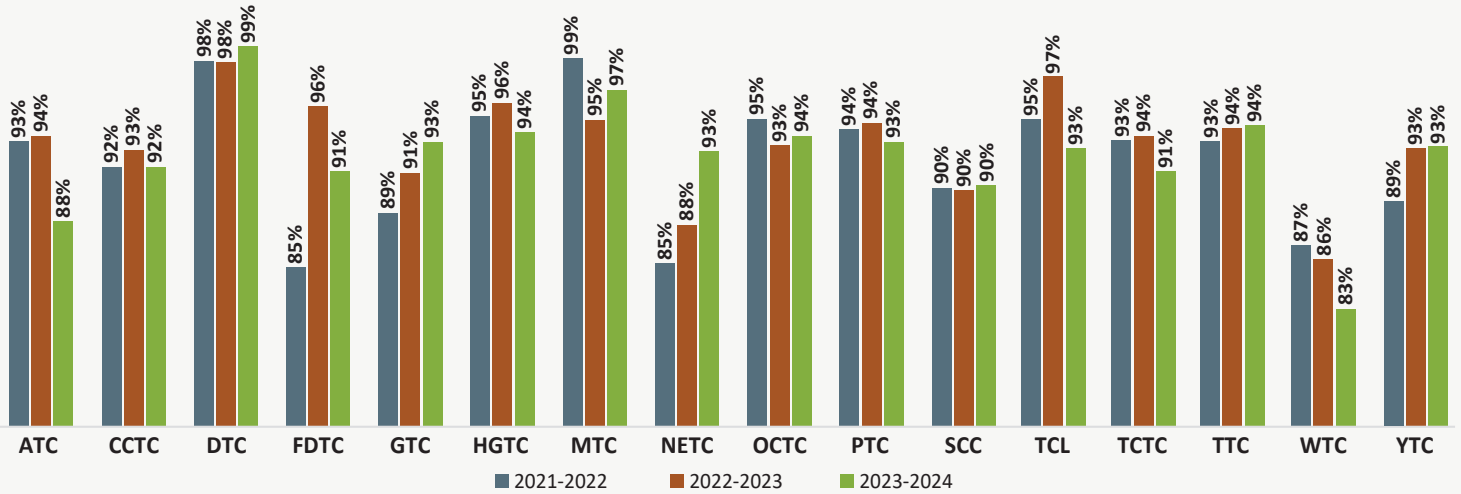


## FIVE-YEAR PLACEMENT RATE SUMMARY

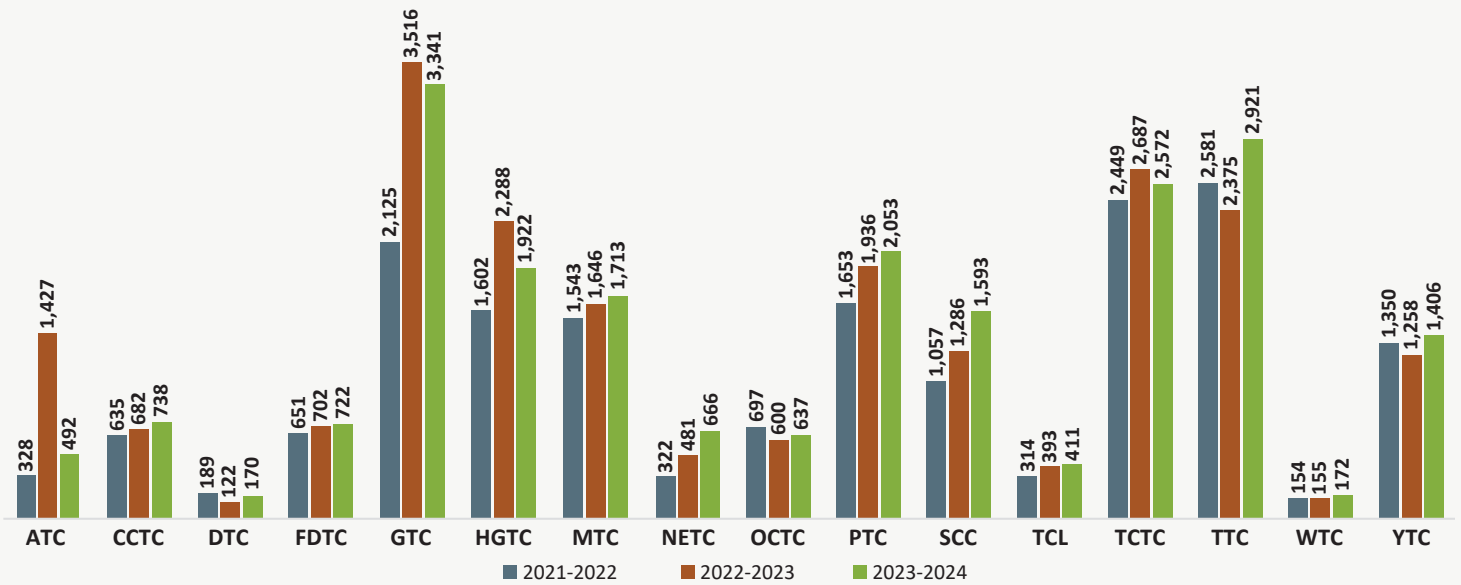
**90%**  
OR MORE GRADUATES  
PLACED SINCE 2016



## PLACEMENT RATE THREE-YEAR TREND BY ACADEMIC YEAR AND COLLEGE



## AWARDS THREE-YEAR TREND BY COLLEGE



**1. What are the data parameters used in the Program Evaluation process?**

Annually, the SC Technical College System (SCTCS) conducts a review of all credit programs. The 2025 Program Evaluation cycle is comprised of data from each of the 16 technical colleges for the 2023-2024 academic year. Evaluation reports on all degree, diploma, and certificate programs are submitted by all 16 colleges as outlined in the State Board for Technical and Comprehensive Education (SBTCE) Procedure 3-1-301.1. These educational programs are evaluated based on program enrollment, the number of graduates, and job placement.

**2. What is an award?**

The SCTCS defines an award as a baccalaureate degree (BAS), associate degree, diploma, or certificate conferred by one of the 16 colleges. Associate degrees include Associate in Arts (AA), Associate in Science (AS), and Associate in Applied Science (AAS).

**3. How are graduates determined to be excluded from the Program Evaluation process?**

Graduates can be excluded if they meet any of these categories: deceased/permanently disabled, serving in the Armed Forces, serving with a foreign aid service, serving on an official church mission, or not actively seeking employment. Not Actively Seeking is defined as medical, caregiver, incarceration, retired, or sought credential as a hobby.

**4. What does “placement” mean?**

Each year, colleges survey the cohort of graduates conferred awards between July 1 and June 30 to determine if each graduate is employed in their field of study, in school, or if the graduate is excluded from the reporting process. Graduate placement is determined by the number of graduates who responded compared to the total number of awards.

$$\text{Placement Rate (\%)} = \frac{\text{\# of Graduate Awards On Job} + \text{\# of Graduate Awards In School}}{\text{Total \# of Available Graduate Awards during the Reporting Year}}$$

**5. How is “In Field of Study” determined?**

Graduates are determined to be placed in their field of study if they are employed in the field of training or a related field. In field placement can be verified using credible occupational and labor market data such as O\*Net OnLine sponsored by the US Department of Labor .

**6. What are the program productivity parameters for degrees and diplomas?**

Degrees and diplomas are evaluated on productivity in terms of enrollment, the number of graduates, and the percentage of graduates placed in related jobs or continuing their education. Please see the table below for additional information regarding degree and diploma status.



PROGRAM PRODUCTIVITY STANDARDS FOR DEGREES AND DIPLOMAS				
Program Status	Good	Prob-1, 2, 3	Susp-1, 2, 3	Canc-1, 2, 3
Definition	Program is in good standing.	Program is on Probationary status.	Program is on Suspension status.	Program is cancelled/ terminated.
May New Students Enroll?	Yes	Yes	No	No
May Students Graduate?	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
May Colleges Advertise?	Yes	Yes	No	No
Maximum Status Length	Criteria: 6 graduates in most recent year or average of 6 over 3 years Diplomas: At least 12 students enrolled and 9 FTE Degrees: At least 16 students enrolled and 12 FTE 50% job placement rate	3 years; then the program rolls into Suspension status.	3 years; then the program rolls into Cancellation status. A significant change to the local environment or situation would need to be documented to reinstate a suspended program. Program no longer qualifies for SCWINS funding.	3 years; Canc1 - program no longer approved or authorized. Canc2,3 - graduate data being used for summary reports.

### 7. What are the program productivity parameters for certificates?

Certificates are evaluated based on the percentage of graduates placed in related jobs or continuing their education. Each certificate is required to meet a 50% job placement rate. Please see the table below for additional information regarding certificate status.

PROGRAM PRODUCTIVITY STANDARDS FOR CERTIFICATES				
Program Status	Good	Probation	Suspension	Cancellation
Definition	Program is in good standing.	Program is on Probationary status.	Program is on Suspension status.	Program is cancelled/ terminated.
May New Students Enroll?	Yes	Yes	No	No
May Students Graduate?	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
May Colleges Advertise?	Yes	Yes	No	No
Maximum Status Length	50% job placement rate	1 year; then the program rolls into Suspension status.	1 year; then the program rolls into Cancellation status. A significant change to the local environment or situation would need to be documented to reinstate a suspended program. Program no longer qualifies for SCWINS funding.	1 year

### 8. Are there any funding implications for programs in Suspension or Cancellation status?

Per SBTCE Policy 3-2-306: If an eligible program is placed on suspension during the SBTCE's annual program evaluation process, that program no longer qualifies for SCWINS funds at that specific college. Students must be advised on how to complete their program by transferring to another technical college, serving as a transient student at another technical college to complete specified courses, or other guidance as appropriate to aid in program completion.



**Table 1. Awards by Credential Level and College, 2023-2024**

College	Certificates	Diplomas	AA	AS	AAS	BAS	Total Degrees	Total Awards
Aiken Technical College	194	24	70	12	192	0	274	492
Central Carolina Technical College	379	7	84	22	246	0	352	738
Denmark Technical College	102	13	0	23	32	0	55	170
Florence-Darlington Technical College	262	73	42	16	329	0	387	722
*Greenville Technical College	2,128	30	189	162	826	6	1,183	3,341
Horry-Georgetown Technical College	907	22	146	138	709	0	993	1,922
Midlands Technical College	711	70	248	67	617	0	932	1,713
Northeastern Technical College	495	7	24	37	103	0	164	666
Orangeburg-Calhoun Technical College	329	39	22	12	235	0	269	637
Piedmont Technical College	1,322	74	86	26	545	0	657	2,053
Spartanburg Community College	743	57	191	81	521	0	793	1,593
Technical College of the Lowcountry	182	22	48	11	148	0	207	411
Tri-County Technical College	1,624	92	160	172	524	0	856	2,572
Trident Technical College	1,206	78	308	258	1,071	0	1,637	2,921
Williamsburg Technical College	114	8	8	10	32	0	50	172
York Technical College	710	46	153	82	415	0	650	1,406
<b>SCTCS</b>	<b>11,408</b>	<b>662</b>	<b>1,779</b>	<b>1,129</b>	<b>6,545</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>9,459</b>	<b>21,529</b>

\*Greenville Technical College is currently the only institution with an approved BAS program. Source: Program Evaluation Management System

**Table 2. Three-Year Trend of All Awards by College**

College	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024
Aiken Technical College	328	1,427	492
Central Carolina Technical College	635	682	738
Denmark Technical College	189	122	170
Florence-Darlington Technical College	651	702	722
Greenville Technical College	2,125	3,516	3,341
Horry-Georgetown Technical College	1,602	2,288	1,922
Midlands Technical College	1,543	1,646	1,713
Northeastern Technical College	322	481	666
Orangeburg-Calhoun Technical College	697	600	637
Piedmont Technical College	1,653	1,936	2,053
Spartanburg Community College	1,057	1,286	1,593
Technical College of the Lowcountry	314	393	411
Tri-County Technical College	2,449	2,687	2,572
Trident Technical College	2,581	2,375	2,921
Williamsburg Technical College	154	155	172
York Technical College	1,350	1,258	1,406
<b>SCTCS</b>	<b>17,650</b>	<b>21,554</b>	<b>21,529</b>

Source: Program Evaluation Management System



**Table 3. Three-Year Trend of AA/AS Awards by College**

College	2021-20212	2022-2023	2023-2024
Aiken Technical College	79	138	82
Central Carolina Technical College	111	134	106
Denmark Technical College	14	2	23
Florence-Darlington Technical College	70	106	58
Greenville Technical College	361	350	351
Horry-Georgetown Technical College	327	283	284
Midlands Technical College	291	337	315
Northeastern Technical College	32	61	61
Orangeburg-Calhoun Technical College	21	24	34
Piedmont Technical College	128	130	112
Spartanburg Community College	206	243	272
Technical College of the Lowcountry	62	58	59
Tri-County Technical College	290	375	332
Trident Technical College	468	449	566
Williamsburg Technical College	27	21	18
York Technical College	234	247	235
<b>SCTCS</b>	<b>2,721</b>	<b>2,958</b>	<b>2,908</b>

Source: Program Evaluation Management System

**Table 4. Awards by Credential Level and Gender, 2023-2024**

Gender	Certificates	Diplomas	AA	AS	AAS	BAS	Total Awards	% Gender
Female	6,082	574	1,195	753	4,022	1	12,627	59%
Male	5,326	88	584	376	2,523	5	8,902	41%
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,408</b>	<b>662</b>	<b>1,779</b>	<b>1,129</b>	<b>6,545</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>21,529</b>	<b>100%</b>

Source: Program Evaluation Management System

**Table 5. Gender Differences in Career Cluster Awards (Less than 25%), 2023-2024**

Female	Male
Architecture and Construction (ARCH)	Business, Management and Administration (BUS)
Manufacturing (MFG)	Education and Training (EDU)
Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM)	Health Science (HEA)
	Human Services (HUS)

Source: Program Evaluation Management System



**Table 6. Race and Ethnicity for All Awards, 2023-2024**

College	Certificates	Diplomas	AA	AS	AAS	BAS	Total Awards	% Total
American Indian or Alaskan Native	52	6	5	8	31	0	102	< 1%
Asian	218	11	41	41	115	0	426	2%
Black or African American	2,758	237	372	220	1,460	2	5,049	23%
Hispanic/Latino	851	44	149	94	432	0	1,570	7%
More than One Race	490	16	83	56	274	0	919	4%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	11	0	4	1	7	0	23	< 1%
Non-Resident	0	0	1	41	3	0	4	< 1%
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	315	18	67	41	168	0	609	3%
White	6,713	330	1,057	668	4,055	4	12,827	60%
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,408</b>	<b>662</b>	<b>1,779</b>	<b>1,129</b>	<b>6,545</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>21,529</b>	<b>100%</b>

Source: Program Evaluation Management System

**Table 7. Three-Year Trend Awards by Race/Ethnicity**

Race/Ethnicity	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024
American Indian or Alaskan Native	81	92	102
Asian	310	414	426
Black or African American	4,042	4,929	5,049
Hispanic/Latino	1,020	1,537	1,570
More than One Race	609	867	919
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	11	21	23
Non-Resident	6	4	4
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	475	534	609
White	11,096	13,156	12,827
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,650</b>	<b>21,554</b>	<b>21,529</b>

Source: Program Evaluation Management System

**Table 8. Awards and Placement by Cluster, 2023-2024**

Cluster	Total Awards	Placement Rate
Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources (AGR)	153	96%
Architecture and Construction (ARCH)	321	96%
Arts, A/V Technology and Communications (ARTS)	327	80%
Business, Management and Administration (BUS)	2,031	89%
Education and Training (EDU)	463	90%
Finance (FIN)	481	90%
General (GEN)	6,617	96%

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**Table 8. Awards and Placement by Cluster, 2023-2024**

Cluster	Total Awards	Placement Rate
Health Science (HEA)	4,425	96%
Hospitality and Tourism (HOS)	431	97%
Human Services (HUS)	215	95%
Information Technology (IT)	1,210	83%
Law, Public Safety, Corrections and Security (LAW)	440	87%
Manufacturing (MFG)	3,726	91%
Marketing, Sales and Services (MKT)	165	96%
Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM)	367	90%
Transportation, Distribution and Logistics (TRAN)	157	89%
<b>SCTCS</b>	<b>21,529</b>	<b>93%</b>

Source: Program Evaluation Management System

**Table 9. Summary of Associate Degree Statuses by College, 2023-2024**

College	Good	Probation	Suspension	Canceled	Total
Aiken Technical College	8	5	1	0	14
Central Carolina Technical College	14	1	0	0	15
Denmark Technical College	4	4	1	0	9
Florence-Darlington Technical College	22	1	2	0	25
Greenville Technical College	33	3	0	0	36
Horry-Georgetown Technical College	30	1	0	0	31
Midlands Technical College	27	3	0	0	30
Northeastern Technical College	6	2	0	0	8
Orangeburg-Calhoun Technical College	11	5	0	0	16
Piedmont Technical College	24	2	0	0	26
Spartanburg Community College	19	0	1	0	20
Technical College of the Lowcountry	9	4	1	0	14
Tri-County Technical College	20	3	0	0	23
Trident Technical College	33	2	0	0	35
Williamsburg Technical College	5	0	0	0	5
York Technical College	20	7	1	0	28
<b>SCTCS</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>335</b>

Source: Program Evaluation Management System



**Table 10. Summary of Diploma Programs Statuses by College, 2023-2024**

College	Good	Probation	Suspension	Canceled	Total
Aiken Technical College	3	0	0	0	3
Central Carolina Technical College	2	3	0	0	5
Denmark Technical College	2	1	0	1	4
Florence-Darlington Technical College	5	2	0	0	7
Greenville Technical College	3	2	0	0	5
Horry-Georgetown Technical College	1	0	0	0	1
Midlands Technical College	5	0	1	0	6
Northeastern Technical College	1	2	0	0	3
Orangeburg-Calhoun Technical College	3	2	0	0	5
Piedmont Technical College	5	0	0	0	5
Spartanburg Community College	4	2	0	1	7
Technical College of the Lowcountry	5	0	0	0	5
Tri-County Technical College	6	0	0	0	6
Trident Technical College	1	3	0	0	4
Williamsburg Technical College	0	1	0	0	1
York Technical College	6	2	3	0	11
<b>SCTCS</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>78</b>

Source: Program Evaluation Management System

**Table 11. Summary of Certificate Programs Statuses by College, 2023-2024**

College	Good	Probation	Suspension	Canceled	Total
Aiken Technical College	25	1	0	0	26
Central Carolina Technical College	31	1	1	2	35
Denmark Technical College	11	0	0	0	11
Florence-Darlington Technical College	22	1	0	2	25
Greenville Technical College	57	0	0	1	58
Horry-Georgetown Technical College	42	0	1	0	43
Midlands Technical College	54	1	0	3	58
Northeastern Technical College	39	0	2	6	47
Orangeburg-Calhoun Technical College	26	0	0	2	28
Piedmont Technical College	48	1	0	0	49
Spartanburg Community College	33	0	0	0	33
Technical College of the Lowcountry	31	0	0	2	33
Tri-County Technical College	41	3	0	0	44
Trident Technical College	105	0	0	0	105
Williamsburg Technical College	16	2	1	1	20
York Technical College	48	0	1	3	52
<b>SCTCS</b>	<b>629</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>667</b>

Source: Program Evaluation Management System

