

**SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION  
SPRING ENROLLMENT**

**INTRODUCTION TO SOUTH DAKOTA TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM**

In 2017, the South Dakota Board of Technical Education (BOTE) was created with the chartering statute, SDCL 13-39A, which establishes the key functions and authorities of the board. The Board of Technical Education leads and supports the technical college system, comprised of Lake Area Technical College (LATC) in Watertown, Mitchell Technical College (MTC) in Mitchell, Southeast Technical College (STC) in Sioux Falls, and Western Dakota Technical College (WDTC) in Rapid City.

Local governing boards oversee the administration of a technical college's day-to-day operations. More specifically, this includes, but is not limited to: fiscal oversight, including college-level budget approval and local fee-setting; academic program management; local policy setting and implementation; personnel management; and construction execution.

**PURPOSE OF REPORT**

Enrollment Reports, published each academic semester, evaluate unduplicated enrollment in the South Dakota Technical College System. Unduplicated enrollment is defined as the total number of unique students enrolled at one of the four technical colleges following the semester's official drop/add period. This report includes students who are enrolled full-time, part-time, and through dual enrollment opportunities.

**DEFINITIONS**

**Dual Enrollment Career Cluster:** The "Dual Enrollment" Career Cluster includes both reduced rate dual and concurrent credit students.

Reduced Rate Dual Credit: South Dakota high school students enrolled in the State's reduced rate tuition program.

Concurrent Credit: High school students enrolled in a concurrent credit class (classes taught by high school faculty)

**Non-Degree / Other Career Cluster:** The "Non-Degree / Other" Career Cluster include the following enrollment types: Nondegree Seeking Other; Program Prep; UpSkill Cohort .

Program Prep: Financial-aid eligible, degree-seeking students not yet accepted into technical programs

Non-degree Seeking Other: All other credits for students not eligible for financial aid. Students eligible for financial aid must be included either in a program or in program prep.

UpSkill Cohort: Launched in response to COVID-19, UpSkill provide short-term certificates to eligible participants at little to no cost.

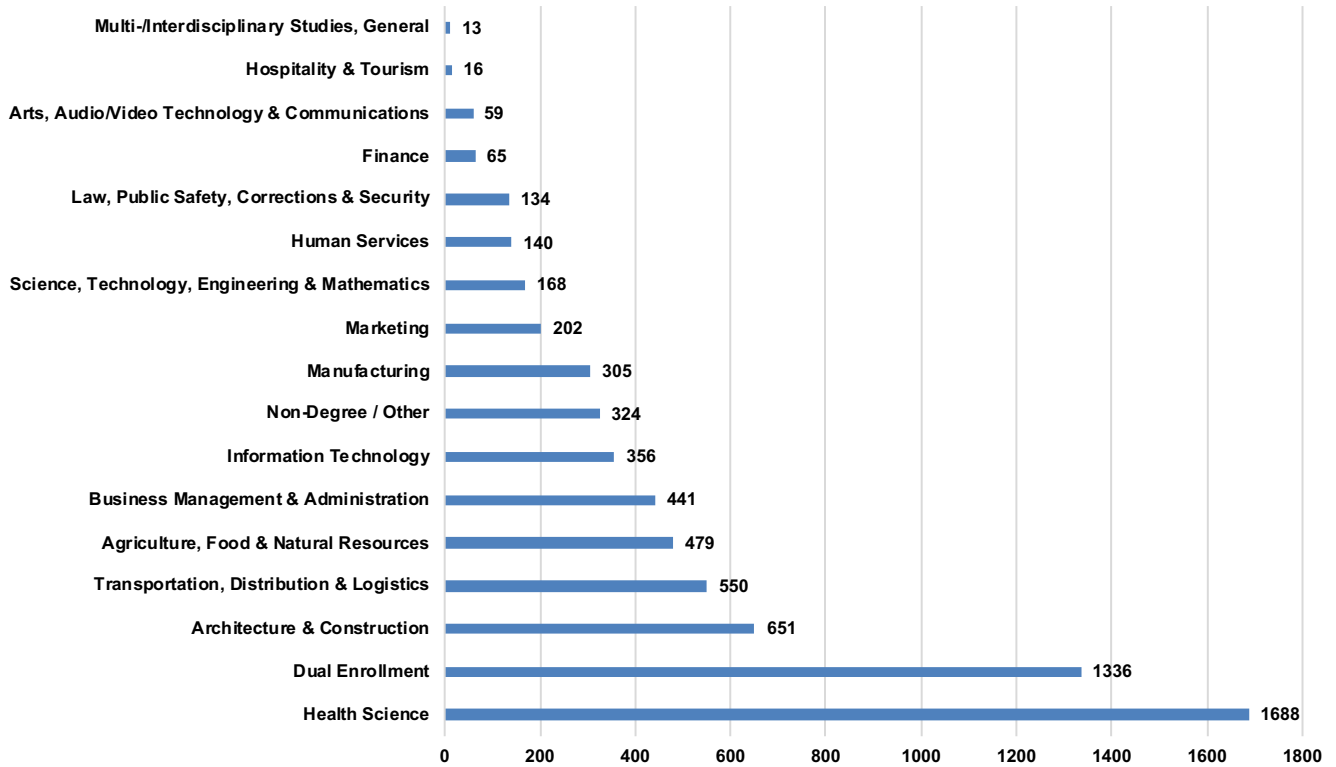
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**UNDUPLICATED ENROLLMENT BY CAREER CLUSTER, SYSTEM**

| <b>CAREER CLUSTER</b>                          | <b>2019-20</b> | <b>2020-21</b> | <b>2021-22</b> | <b>2022-23</b> | <b>2023-24</b> | <b># CHANGE<br/>PREVIOUS<br/>YEAR</b> |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------------------------|
| Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources          | 513            | 444            | 484            | 470            | 479            | 9                                     |
| Architecture & Construction                    | 608            | 573            | 622            | 647            | 651            | 4                                     |
| Arts, Audio/Video Technology & Communications  | 53             | 47             | 60             | 57             | 59             | 2                                     |
| Business Management & Administration           | 544            | 538            | 490            | 449            | 441            | -8                                    |
| Dual Enrollment                                | 1318           | 1260           | 1284           | 1446           | 1336           | -110                                  |
| Finance  | 75             | 66             | 78             | 65             | 65             | 0                                     |
| Health Science                                 | 1399           | 1456           | 1489           | 1587           | 1688           | 101                                   |
| Hospitality & Tourism                          | 19             | 20             | 11             | 12             | 16             | 4                                     |
| Human Services                                 | 155            | 152            | 149            | 130            | 140            | 10                                    |
| Information Technology                         | 428            | 348            | 379            | 381            | 356            | -25                                   |
| Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security     | 209            | 201            | 156            | 126            | 134            | 8                                     |
| Manufacturing                                  | 353            | 330            | 330            | 358            | 305            | -53                                   |
| Marketing                                      | 192            | 183            | 200            | 220            | 202            | -18                                   |
| Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies, General      | 7              | 4              | 5              | 9              | 13             | 4                                     |
| Non-Degree / Other                             | 416            | 574            | 301            | 306            | 324            | 18                                    |
| Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics | 169            | 174            | 161            | 160            | 168            | 8                                     |
| Transportation, Distribution & Logistics       | 493            | 455            | 503            | 535            | 550            | 15                                    |
| <b>SYSTEM TOTAL</b>                            | <b>6951</b>    | <b>6825</b>    | <b>6702</b>    | <b>6958</b>    | <b>6927</b>    | <b>-31</b>                            |

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|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>LATC</b>                                    | <b>2139</b>    | <b>2105</b>    | <b>2131</b>    | <b>2190</b>    | <b>2136</b>    | <b>-54</b>                            |
| Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources          | 281            | 236            | 225            | 230            | 231            | 1                                     |
| Architecture & Construction                    | 63             | 59             | 64             | 62             | 63             | 1                                     |
| Arts, Audio/Video Technology & Communications  | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Business Management & Administration           | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Dual Enrollment                                | 425            | 419            | 441            | 453            | 477            | 24                                    |
| Finance  | 75             | 66             | 78             | 59             | 60             | 1                                     |
| Health Science                                 | 316            | 300            | 307            | 359            | 318            | -41                                   |
| Hospitality & Tourism                          | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Human Services                                 | 89             | 94             | 91             | 78             | 77             | -1                                    |
| Information Technology                         | 71             | 72             | 71             | 66             | 52             | -14                                   |
| Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security     | 73             | 77             | 66             | 58             | 59             | 1                                     |
| Manufacturing                                  | 198            | 187            | 181            | 189            | 149            | -40                                   |
| Marketing                                      | 129            | 131            | 141            | 153            | 147            | -6                                    |
| Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies, General      | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Non-Degree / Other                             | 133            | 200            | 162            | 151            | 163            | 12                                    |
| Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Transportation, Distribution & Logistics       | 286            | 264            | 304            | 332            | 340            | 8                                     |
| <b>MTC</b>                                     | <b>1172</b>    | <b>1160</b>    | <b>1195</b>    | <b>1243</b>    | <b>1226</b>    | <b>-17</b>                            |
| Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources          | 183            | 163            | 193            | 178            | 197            | 19                                    |
| Architecture & Construction                    | 291            | 257            | 273            | 290            | 304            | 14                                    |
| Arts, Audio/Video Technology & Communications  | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Business Management & Administration           | 87             | 87             | 82             | 91             | 76             | -15                                   |
| Dual Enrollment                                | 162            | 178            | 218            | 218            | 221            | 3                                     |
| Finance  | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Health Science                                 | 157            | 172            | 173            | 175            | 170            | -5                                    |
| Hospitality & Tourism                          | 19             | 20             | 11             | 12             | 16             | 4                                     |
| Human Services                                 | 26             | 29             | 28             | 23             | 20             | -3                                    |
| Information Technology                         | 41             | 36             | 45             | 41             | 35             | -6                                    |
| Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security     | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Manufacturing                                  | 50             | 43             | 39             | 53             | 44             | -9                                    |
| Marketing                                      | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies, General      | 1              | 1              | 0              | 1              | 0              | -1                                    |
| Non-Degree / Other                             | 70             | 80             | 46             | 76             | 69             | -7                                    |
| Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics | 69             | 79             | 69             | 69             | 61             | -8                                    |
| Transportation, Distribution & Logistics       | 16             | 15             | 18             | 16             | 13             | -3                                    |

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| <b>STC</b>                                     | <b>2321</b>    | <b>2241</b>    | <b>2152</b>    | <b>2280</b>    | <b>2462</b>    | <b>182</b>                            |
| Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources          | 45             | 33             | 47             | 47             | 41             | -6                                    |
| Architecture & Construction                    | 199            | 194            | 224            | 233            | 225            | -8                                    |
| Arts, Audio/Video Technology & Communications  | 53             | 47             | 60             | 57             | 59             | 2                                     |
| Business Management & Administration           | 343            | 314            | 298            | 269            | 297            | 28                                    |
| Dual Enrollment                                | 324            | 270            | 238            | 278            | 311            | 33                                    |
| Finance  | 0              | 0              | 0              | 6              | 5              | -1                                    |
| Health Science                                 | 527            | 578            | 679            | 739            | 868            | 129                                   |
| Hospitality & Tourism                          | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Human Services                                 | 40             | 29             | 30             | 29             | 43             | 14                                    |
| Information Technology                         | 276            | 203            | 216            | 229            | 227            | -2                                    |
| Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security     | 59             | 58             | 45             | 36             | 39             | 3                                     |
| Manufacturing                                  | 41             | 43             | 47             | 57             | 54             | -3                                    |
| Marketing                                      | 63             | 52             | 59             | 67             | 55             | -12                                   |
| Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies, General      | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 1              | 1                                     |
| Non-Degree / Other                             | 202            | 274            | 61             | 64             | 55             | -9                                    |
| Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics | 21             | 34             | 36             | 42             | 51             | 9                                     |
| Transportation, Distribution & Logistics       | 128            | 112            | 112            | 127            | 131            | 4                                     |
| <b>WDTC</b>                                    | <b>1319</b>    | <b>1319</b>    | <b>1224</b>    | <b>1245</b>    | <b>1103</b>    | <b>-142</b>                           |
| Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources          | 4              | 12             | 19             | 15             | 10             | -5                                    |
| Architecture & Construction                    | 55             | 63             | 61             | 62             | 59             | -3                                    |
| Arts, Audio/Video Technology & Communications  | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Business Management & Administration           | 114            | 137            | 110            | 89             | 68             | -21                                   |
| Dual Enrollment                                | 407            | 393            | 387            | 497            | 327            | -170                                  |
| Finance  | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Health Science                                 | 399            | 406            | 330            | 314            | 332            | 18                                    |
| Hospitality & Tourism                          | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Human Services                                 | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Information Technology                         | 40             | 37             | 47             | 45             | 42             | -3                                    |
| Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security     | 77             | 66             | 45             | 32             | 36             | 4                                     |
| Manufacturing                                  | 64             | 57             | 63             | 59             | 58             | -1                                    |
| Marketing                                      | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0                                     |
| Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies, General      | 6              | 3              | 5              | 8              | 12             | 4                                     |
| Non-Degree / Other                             | 11             | 20             | 32             | 15             | 37             | 22                                    |
| Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics | 79             | 61             | 56             | 49             | 56             | 7                                     |
| Transportation, Distribution & Logistics       | 63             | 64             | 69             | 60             | 66             | 6                                     |
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