COMMUNITY COLLEGE of AURORA

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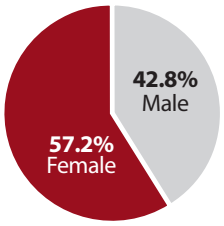
2025-26 Fast Facts

The Community College of Aurora (CCA) is a two-year public, open access institution in Aurora, Colorado and is one of 13 community colleges in the Colorado Community College System. The school of choice for 13,865 students representing over 60 countries, CCA's service area includes nearly 690,000 residents in Arapahoe, Adams, and Denver counties, and its student population reflects the broad diversity of this area. The college offers 79 degrees and certificate programs for students seeking to enhance their current skill set, pursue employment, or transfer to a four-year college or university upon graduation.

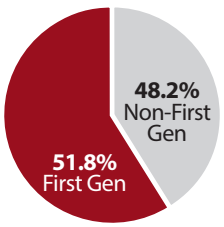
STUDENTS

13,865 COLLEGE LEARNERS

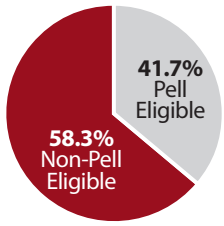
GENDER



FIRST GEN STATUS



PELL-ELIGIBLE STATUS



AVERAGE AGE **25.6**

FULL-TIME **23.9%**

PART-TIME **76.1%**

4,664 COLLEGE LEARNERS
9,201 CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT LEARNERS

Pell-eligible status, average age, and full-time/part-time statistics are based on non-concurrent enrollment students.

TUITION AND SCHOLARSHIPS

**Cost In-State Tuition and after Colorado Opportunity Fund*

COST OF 12-CREDIT HRS **$551.25***

AVERAGE FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIP **$2,262.75**

TOTAL GRANT/SCHOLARSHIP
$1,337,345

10.9% of Students Receive Scholarships/Grants/ Financial Aid Help

ACADEMICS

81 DEGREE AND CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

15.1 AVERAGE CLASS SIZE

15:1 STUDENT TO INSTRUCTOR RATIO

INSTRUCTIONAL METHODS

72.7% Face-to-Face

23.3% Distance/Online

2.7% Mixed FTF/Hybrid

0.1% Independent or Directed Study

STUDENT SUCCESS

1,048 GRADUATES IN AY2025-26

EARNING 1,302 DEGREES AND CERTIFICATES

TOP TRANSFER SCHOOLS

- University of Colorado Denver
- Metropolitan State University of Denver
- University of Northern Colorado
- University of Denver
- Colorado State University

APPROXIMATELY 77% OF FALL 2025 **STUDENTS RETAINED** IN SPRING 2026 OR GRADUATED BEFORE SPRING 2026

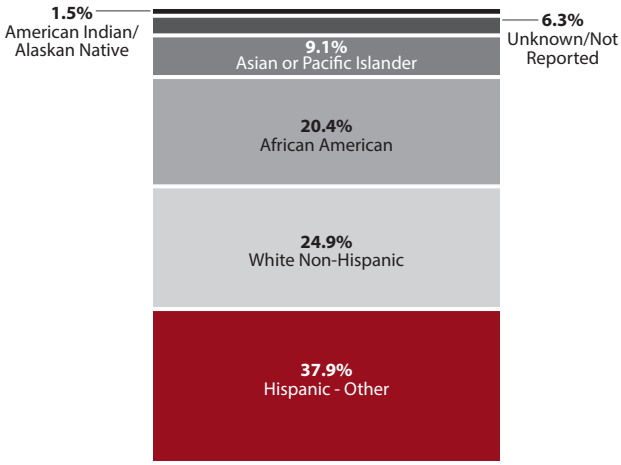
DIVERSITY, EQUITY AND INCLUSION

DESIGNATIONS

- Hispanic-Serving Institution (Federal Level)
- Minority-Serving Institution (Federal Level)
- First-Generation Serving Institution (State Level)

Insight Into Diversity
HIGHER EDUCATION EXCELLENCE IN DIVERSITY AWARD
2024
Community College

RACE/ETHNICITY



EMPLOYEES

INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF **233**

STUDENT EMPLOYEES **144**

PROFESSIONAL STAFF **212**

