

ESTABLISHED IN
1965

VISION

Advancing a vibrant,
diverse community
through education,
learner by learner.

MISSION

Bristol Community College provides an accessible,
innovative and inclusive education that prepares students
to navigate and succeed in our ever-changing world.

BRISTOL'S ANNUAL TUITION & FEES

2024-25 tuition & fees compared to local 4-year institutions.
(Based on academic year full-time enrollment or 24 credits)

BRISTOL'S ANNUAL TUITION & FEES	\$5,832
BRIDGEWATER STATE UNIVERSITY	\$11,734
UMASS DARTMOUTH	\$15,612



15:1
STUDENT
TO FACULTY
RATIO Fall 2023



119

DEGREE & CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

Programs cover a broad
range of academic and
career-focused subjects,
from art and design to
veterinary healthcare.



80+
TRANSFER
AGREEMENTS

BRISTOL'S SERVICE AREA

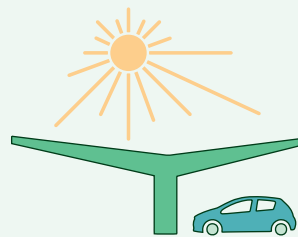
Covering 20 cities and towns across
southeastern Massachusetts



5 LOCATIONS
+ ONLINE



- Attleboro
- Fall River
- New Bedford
- Taunton
- NOWI
- Anywhere with WiFi



3.3 MILLION
kWh

Electricity generated annually by our
rooftop and parking canopy solar arrays

28 ELECTRIC VEHICLE
CHARGING SPACES

7 NJCAA
PROGRAMS



- BASKETBALL (M/W)
- CROSS COUNTRY (M/W)
- SOCCER (M/W)
- VOLLEYBALL (W)

OPEN EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

12,060

No-cost course
section registrations

2,312

Low-cost course
section registrations

Fiscal 2024
July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024



BRISTOL

COMMUNITY COLLEGE

FACT SHEET

2024

Since its establishment in 1965, Bristol Community College has been
dedicated to advancing a vibrant, diverse community through education, learner by learner.

Bristol offers an extensive array of career and transfer programs, leading to associate degrees in
science, arts, and applied sciences, along with certificates of accomplishment or achievement.
Located in Attleboro, Fall River, New Bedford, Taunton, and online, our locations provide students
with the flexibility to transfer seamlessly to baccalaureate institutions.

As a leading resource for education and workforce development in southeastern Massachusetts,
Bristol is committed to providing programs that not only enhance individual opportunities but also
contribute to the economic health of the region. Bristol's Business Solutions & Partnerships
division offers tailored training for businesses and the community, including the National Offshore
Wind Institute (NOWI). The NOWI is a state-of-the-art training facility that provides globally
recognized training and certifications for the emerging offshore wind industry.

At Bristol, the focus is on prioritizing learners' needs by offering comprehensive support services
and career advancement opportunities. By reducing barriers to educational access, the college
aims to pave the way for student success. In 2024 Bristol's Police Department received
accreditation from the Massachusetts Police Accreditation Commission demonstrating Bristol's
commitment to student safety.

Building active partnerships with businesses, industries, K-12 schools, colleges, universities,
and social service agencies is a key aspect of Bristol's commitment to maintaining the relevance
and effectiveness of both credit and noncredit programming.



Bristol Community College is accredited by
the Commission on Institutions of Higher
Education of the New England Commission on
Higher Education, Inc.

Bristol Community College is an Affirmative Action/Equal
Employment Opportunity Employer and does not
discriminate on the basis of race, sex, gender identity, color,
national origin, sexual orientation, genetic information,
religion, age, veteran status or disability under state or
federal law in any aspect of employment, admissions,
access or treatment of its programs and activities.

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ENROLLMENT

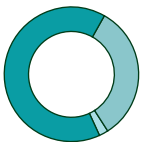
FALL 2024 SNAPSHOT

6,950

Students enrolled in Fall 2024 at Bristol, which translated to a full-time equivalent (FTE)* headcount of 4,044.9.

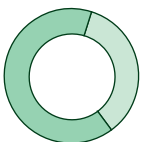
AVERAGE AGE

27.8



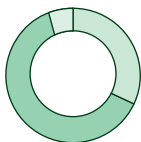
GENDER

- 66% FEMALE
- 33% MALE
- 1% NOT REPORTED



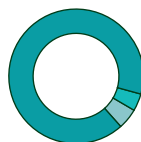
ENROLLMENT STATUS

- 71% PART-TIME
- 29% FULL-TIME



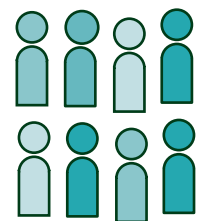
ETHNICITY

- 36% BIPOC
- 53% NON-BIPOC
- 11% NOT REPORTED



RESIDENCY

- 93% MA
- 3% RI
- 4% OTHER



8,960

Total unduplicated headcount in FY24

10%

increase from FY24

* Enrollment is often measured by full-time equivalent (FTE) students, which is a calculation showing how many students would be attending if all were enrolled in 15 credits per term. The FTE calculation is based on the sum of credits carried by all students divided by 15.

#4

Ranking by enrollment among the 15 Massachusetts community colleges for Fall 2023; Bristol consistently ranks as one of the largest in the commonwealth's system.

20

Number of area high schools participating in college access programs for Fall 2024

\$98K

of emergency CARE funds helped 294 students



134,238 LBS

12,905

participants – including many students – received more than 134,238 lbs. of free groceries from Bristol's Mobile Food Market in FY24

SUCCESS INDICATORS



77%

2024 graduates are continuing their education



97%

2024 graduates are likely to recommend Bristol to others



873

Degrees and certificates awarded in FY24



69%

2024 graduates are employed full- or part-time or are self-employed



Fall 2022 to Fall 2023 Retention first-time, part-time students



Fall 2022 to Fall 2023 Retention first-time, full-time students

NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

100%

Completion Rate

99%

Of students were satisfied or very satisfied with New Student Orientation

98%

Feel better equipped to attend Bristol after Orientation

98%

Indicate being more aware of the services available by participating in the Orientation

MYBRISTOL

myBristol, Bristol Community College's portal, features an up-to-date layout and content design for an enjoyable user experience. Modernized in spring of 2024, myBristol is a fresh design that offers a role-based experience. With single sign-on functionality, users can securely access various account details, coursework, apps, and college documentation exclusively intended for the college community. Equipped with a variety of student support tools, such as academic advising resources, tutoring resources, and access to mental health services, myBristol serves as a fundamental resource for fostering student success.

DATA ANALYTICS

For more data, visit Bristol's Student Success and Achievement dashboards at BristolCC.edu/StudentSuccessAndAchievement

COMMUNITY COLLEGE VALUE

FREE COLLEGE IN MASSACHUSETTS: A NEW ERA OF OPPORTUNITY

Massachusetts community colleges made history when Governor Maura Healey signed the Fiscal Year 2025 budget, launching the MassEducate program alongside the successful MassReconnect initiative. This groundbreaking legislation provides free community college tuition for all Massachusetts residents, regardless of age, who have not yet earned a bachelor's degree.

This historic moment promises lasting benefits for our communities and future generations.

For more details, visit BristolCC.edu/FreeCollege

1,156

Students received MassReconnect funding in FY24

\$2.8M

MassReconnect funding awarded to Bristol students in FY24

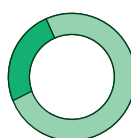
AY 23-24 | DEGREE-SEEKING STUDENTS

\$31.2M

Federal, state and local financial aid disbursed



57% OF STUDENTS RECEIVED PELL GRANTS



19% OF STUDENTS RECEIVED LOANS

58%

of new incoming students graduate without debt*

* Federal, state and private loans that were borrowed by the student while enrolled at Bristol (Fall 2017 Cohort)

\$415K

Total scholarship funds from the Bristol Foundation

258

Scholarships awarded from the Bristol Foundation



2024 Bristol's Police Department received accreditation from the Massachusetts Police Accreditation Commission

STUDENT LEADERSHIP

4

Elected members in leadership of Student Senate

1 Elected Student Trustee
6 Hired Student Ambassadors

ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTIONS



2,992

learners participated in Economic & Business Development courses in FY24

Under Economic & Business Development, students engaged with Adult Education programs (e.g. HiSET, GED and ESOL), transition-to-college bridge programs and Business Solutions & Partnerships, which offer customized training and professional development courses.

\$14.6M

in total funding to 48 grants through the Office of Grant Development in FY24

These grants were awarded from private, state and federal sources and were submitted by departments across the college, including Academic Affairs, Student Services & Enrollment Management and Economic & Business Development. It does not include the federal CARES Act fund.

CREDIT FOR PRIOR LEARNING

BY EXAM:

328

credits given by exam

BY CREDENTIAL:

89

credits given by credential

TRANSFER SERVICES

583

Total students who transferred in 2023

55

Average credits transferred

TOP TRANSFER INSTITUTIONS:

4-YEAR PUBLIC

- UMASS Dartmouth
- Bridgewater State University
- UMASS Amherst

4-YEAR PRIVATE

- Southern New Hampshire University
- New England Institute of Technology
- Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences