COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS

FAST FACTS

SIGNIFICANT SAVINGS:
2018-19 undergraduate fees for California public higher education

- California Community Colleges: $1,380
- California State Universities: $7,303
- Universities in California: $13,900

* Includes campus-based fees ** 2018-19 average

STUDENT ENROLLMENT

- 2018-19 ACADEMIC YEAR
- 35,186

MOST POPULAR MAJORS

- Accounting, Administration of Justice, Biology, Business, Communication Studies, Computer Science, Early Childhood Education, English, History, Kinesiology, Mathematics, Nursing, Physics, Psychology, Sociology

MEN’S TEAMS

- Baseball • Basketball • Cross Country • Football
- Golf • Soccer • Swimming & Diving • Track & Field

WOMEN’S TEAMS

- Basketball • Cross Country • Golf • Soccer • Softball
- Swimming & Diving • Tennis • Track & Field • Volleyball

99 DEGREE PROGRAMS

93 CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

2,830 DEGREES AWARDED (2018-19)

VALENCIA CAMPUS

- 153 ACRES

CANYON COUNTRY CAMPUS

- 72 ACRES

2,146 CERTIFICATES AWARDED (2018-19)

61 CAREER EDUCATION PROGRAMS OFFERED

1,663 FULL-TIME & PART-TIME EMPLOYEES

$126,907,599 GENERAL FUND BUDGET (2019-20)

California Community Colleges
California State Universities
Universities in California
ACHIEVEMENTS & RECOGNITION

- Construction continues on the 55,000-square-foot Science Center at the Canyon Country Campus. It will double the existing building space on the Canyon Country Campus, and when completed will contain more lab space than the Valencia Campus.

- A new parking center opened at the Valencia Campus, providing students with almost 1,000 new parking spaces and 53 charging stations for electric vehicles.

- Increased the number of Associate Degrees for Transfer awarded to students by 703 percent between 2013 and 2017.

- Eighteen career education programs named Workforce Stars by the state Chancellor’s Office for helping students enter careers that match their field of study, or increase their pay, including Nursing, where graduates saw a 235 percent earnings jump.

- Saved students $4 million in academic year 2018-19 through the use of Zero Textbook Cost (ZTC), teaching and learning materials available in the public domain, which offer a low-cost alternative to costly traditional textbooks.

- Model UN Team ranked among the Top 50 teams in the nation.

- Launched First-Year Promise program in Fall 2017, and the participating students achieved outstanding results:
  - Their success rates in math and English classes outpaced other first-time, full-time students.
  - 10 percent finished with a 4.0 GPA.
  - More than 25 percent achieved a GPA of 3.5 or better.
  - 56 percent finished with a GPA of 3.0 or higher.

- Generated $15 million in grant revenue during 2017-18 to support existing programs and launch new initiatives.

- Set a new record for the largest graduating class – 2,467 students in 2019, an increase of 7 percent over the Class of 2018 – and the number of degrees awarded – 2,604, an increase of 9 percent over the prior year.

- Students who completed career education courses realized a median wage increase of 21 percent.

- The College of the Canyons Foundation awarded 330 scholarships to 289 students totaling $296,280. This is the largest scholarship amount awarded in the history of the program, representing a nearly 23 percent increase from 2018.

- The Economic Development Division at College of the Canyons offers multiple services to local companies, including customized training, cutting-edge technology applications, and counseling for new and existing small businesses.
  - Secured $5.4 million in funding to give local business and industry needed training.
  - Assisted 1,554 companies
  - Trained 2,954 individual employees
  - Counseled 1,028 entrepreneurs through the Small Business Development Center
  - Helped clients launch 51 new businesses, grow sales by $10.3 million and raise $12.2 million in capital