

North Orange County Community College District Continuing Education Program Fact Sheet 2017

A member of the North Orange County Community College District, which also includes Cypress College and Fullerton College, the School of Continuing Education (SCE) has been cultivating change with educational programs and services from high school completion, English-language acquisition, vocational training and self-development programs. SCE serves 33,742 students annually, ranging from preschoolers to seniors, at three Center locations and 151 off-campus community locations. Accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges and part of the California Community College system, all SCE courses are approved by the State of California.

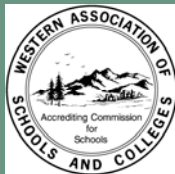
Higher Education is Associated with Higher Earnings*

\$290,000 the amount a high school graduate will earn more than a dropout

\$11,000 the average amount community college graduates earn more per year than high school graduates

\$20,000 the average amount those with an Associate's degree earn more per year than those without a high school diploma

*Source: *The Socioeconomic Benefits Generated by Orange County's Community Colleges*, Orange County Business Council, 2012



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NOCCCD School of Continuing Education Program

33,742 students enrolled in 2015/16*

- **93%** apportionment courses
- **4%** community service courses
- **3%** grant-funded courses

4th largest program in California

4,393 course sections offered

(English as a Second Language, Career Technical Education, High School Diploma Program, Adult Basic Education, Health & Safety Education, Parenting, Older Adults, Classes for Adults with Disabilities, Citizenship)

5,290 FTES generated

254 high school diplomas awarded

409 career technical education certificates awarded

7,051 course completions**

4,119 CASAS*** learning gains

*Some SCE students are simultaneously enrolled in both apportionment and community services programs.

**These course completions represent a portion of the overall SCE classes which utilize letter grades.

***The Comprehensive Adult Student Assessment System (CASAS) is an assessment tool used in California to measure gains in student learning.

Enrollment by Zip Code, High School Graduates, Other Languages Spoken: 2010-2011*

	% SCE Students Home Zip Code	% City Residents that are High School Graduates (25+)	% City Residents Non-English Language Spoken at Home
Anaheim	34.7	72.6	59.4
Fullerton	16.4	85.2	45.0
Buena Park	7.7	80.7	51.9
La Habra	5.3	79.9	49.4
Placentia	4.6	85.0	37.2
Cypress	4.0	90.3	39.0
Yorba Linda	3.8	95.5	21.9
Garden Grove	3.1	71.3	62.1
Brea	2.9	92.5	28.2
Stanton	2.4	67.8	65.1

*Source: US Census Bureau: American Fact Finder-2010