



# FACTS AT A GLANCE

Explore your Endless Possibilities

## Danville Area Community College

### MISSION

Danville Area Community College is committed to providing quality, innovative, and accessible learning experiences which meet the lifelong academic, cultural, and economic needs of our diverse communities and the world we share.

### HISTORY

- ♦ Established as an extension center of the University of Illinois ..... 1946
- ♦ Danville District 118 School Board received approval to establish a public junior college ..... 1949
- ♦ Officially named Danville Junior College ..... 1951
- ♦ The College Foundation organized ..... 1964
- ♦ Moved from Danville High School to current campus ..... 1965
- ♦ Held first election for District 507 Board of Trustees ..... 1966
- ♦ Name changed to Danville Area Community College ..... 1979

### DISTRICT

DACC is located in Danville, Illinois, 125 miles south of Chicago, 35 miles east of Champaign-Urbana, and 90 miles west of Indianapolis.

### ONLINE DEGREES AND ACCREDITATION

DACC offers more than 100 online courses in Transfer, Career, and Basic Skills programs. The Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools has granted DACC approval to offer online degrees and certificates in Accounting; Marketing Mid-Management; Travel and Tourism; and the general transfer degree, Associate of Science and Arts (ASA).

### STUDENT LIFE

DACC boasts a number of student academic, athletic, political, social, and vocational organizations. Athletic scholarships are available in most sports. A large percentage of DACC athletes successfully continue on to four-year schools with athletic scholarships.

### DUAL ENROLLMENT

Eligible students may earn college credit while still enrolled in high school. DACC offers many dual enrollment opportunities, both on campus and in area high schools.

### FINANCIAL AID

Financial assistance is available in the form of scholarships, grants, loans and part-time employment. About half of the student body receives some type of financial aid each year.

### TUITION RATES

The in-district tuition rate at DACC for the 2008-2009 school year is \$74 per credit hour. An additional \$10 per credit hour is charged as a technology and activity fee. At this rate, the average full-time student taking 15 credit hours would pay \$1,260.00 per semester, or \$2,520.00 per year. Additional fees and book costs vary based on courses chosen.

### AREAS OF STUDY

DACC offers Associate in Science and Arts degrees (ASA) or Associate in Engineering Science degrees (AES) in 50 baccalaureate/transfer majors. Students can earn Associate in Applied Science degrees (AAS) in any of more than 25 two-year career programs; or those looking for a more general, non-transferable degree may pursue the Associate of General Studies (AGS) degree. There are also more than 30 certificates to provide entry-level skills in these same career programs. Nursing students can enter a ladder program and become a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA), Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN), or Registered Nurse (RN) with an Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN). Students not yet ready for college courses will be placed in Developmental Education classes which prepare them for advanced coursework. Adult Education courses, GED Review and English as a Second Language, are available for those who did not complete a traditional high school degree or who need help with English skills. Community members may participate in the Readers' Route Family Literacy Program.

### FACULTY

Full-time faculty members teach almost 70% of the courses with the remainder taught by highly qualified part-time instructors who are considered experts in their field. 89% of the full-time faculty members at DACC hold a Master's degree or higher. Individualized attention to student needs is accomplished with small class sizes, averaging 15-20 students per class.

### STUDENT SERVICES

- ♦ Academic Tutoring
- ♦ Student Diversity Advocate
- ♦ Child Development Center
- ♦ Career Services
- ♦ Assessment Center
- ♦ Veterans' Services

### PUBLIC SERVICES

- ♦ American Heart Assoc. Community Training Ctr.
- ♦ Customized Corporate Training & Grants
- ♦ Provena Regional Emergency Medical Services System Training
- ♦ Career Services Center
- ♦ Child Development Ctr.
- ♦ Job Trng. Partnership
- ♦ Tech Prep
- ♦ Labor Mgmt. Council
- ♦ Small Business Development Center

## A LEADER IN HIGHER EDUCATION

- ♦ Award winning programs and faculty
- ♦ College of choice for nearly 40% of area high school graduates and 25% of recent area high school honor students
- ♦ Credits transfer to all Illinois state universities
- ♦ First community college in the state to receive certification from the National Institute of Metalworking Skills (NIMS)
- ♦ Partnerships with U of I, EIU, ISU (IL), SIU, WIU, UI-Sprfd., ISU (IN), Purdue, Franklin Univ., Kaplan Univ., Lakeview College of Nursing

## A CRITICAL PARTNER IN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

- ♦ Partners with area agencies and schools
- ♦ Partners with over 150 area businesses
- ♦ Impacts over 35,000 community members annually

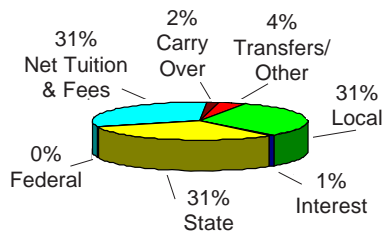
### ENROLLMENT

Curriculum* (% Headcount)			
Baccalaureate	31%	Occupational	28%
Adult Education	6%	Corp. & Comm. Ed.	35%
Credit Hours* (%)			
Day	93%	Evening	7%
Internet	14%		
Population* (% Credit Headcount)			
Asian	1%	American Indian	0%
Black	10%	Hispanic	3%
White	65%	Not Indicated	20%
Population* (% Credit Headcount)			
Full-Time	22%	Part-Time	78%
Men	41%	Women	58%
Not Indicated	1%	Average Age	31
Day	96%	Evening	11%

Total Unduplicated Headcount\* 9,164  
Full-Time Equivalent\* 2,142

FY08\*

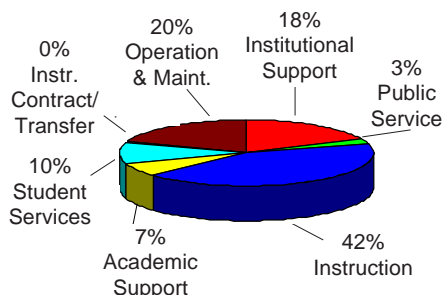
## HOW IS THE COLLEGE FUNDED AND HOW DOES IT SPEND ITS MONEY?



**DACC FY2009  
Budgeted Operating  
Revenues  
Total Revenues  
\$13,779,000**

**DACC FY2009  
Budgeted Operating  
Expenditures**

**Total Expenditures  
\$13,779,000**



## THE DACC FOUNDATION

The Danville Area Community College Foundation is a non-profit corporation organized and operated to promote and support Danville Area Community College through fundraising and stewardship of the Foundation's resources.

The Foundation administers a scholarship program, which annually awards over \$250,000 to deserving students. The Foundation accepts an average of 400 scholarship applications annually. For more information, call (217) 443-8843 or email [foundation@dacc.edu](mailto:foundation@dacc.edu).

## ACCREDITATION

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