

# SOUTHARK

South Arkansas Community College



## FACT CARD '14-'15

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### Mission

South Arkansas Community College promotes excellence in learning, teaching, and service; provides lifelong educational opportunities; and serves as a cultural, intellectual, and economic resource for the community.

**Established:** March 31, 1992

### Accreditation

South Arkansas Community College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission and a member of the North Central Association, Web site:

[www.higherlearningcommission.org](http://www.higherlearningcommission.org)

### Programs

#### LIBERAL ARTS.....Phillip Ballard, M.A., Dean

Associate of Arts	Performance and Media Arts
Early Childhood Education	General Studies
Criminal Justice	Associate of Arts in Teaching

#### HEALTH AND NATURAL SCIENCES.....Arthur Brown, M.P.H, R.R.T., Dean

Emergency Medical Technology	Physical Therapist Assistant
Basic EMT	Nursing
Paramedic	Certified Nursing Assistant
Health Information Technology	Practical Nursing
Medical Coding	Registered Nursing: LPN to
Medical Transcription	RN Transition
Medical Laboratory Technology	Radiologic Technology
Occupational Therapy Assistant	Respiratory Therapy
Phlebotomy/EKG	Surgical Technology

#### BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY.....James Roomsburg, M.S., Dean

Accounting	Administrative Assistant
Computer Information Technology	Entrepreneurship
General Business Administration	Process Technology

#### CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION.....Ray Winecki, M.S., Dean

Automotive Service Technology	General Technology
Automotive Maintenance	Industrial Equipment
Automotive Diagnostics	Welding Technology
Cosmetology	

#### CONTINUING EDUCATION.....Jamie McConathy, M.A., Dean

#### Administration

Dr. Barbara Jones	President
Dr. Mickey Best	Vice President for Learning
Dr. James Bullock	Vice President for Student Services
Dr. Michael Chikeleze	Interim Chief Administrative Services Officer
Mr. Bruce Hankins	Interim Chief Financial Officer
Dr. W.T. Kirk	Chief Information Officer
Dr. S. Tully-Dartez	Chief Institutional Effectiveness & Adv. Officer

#### SouthArk Foundation

Cynthia Reyna	Director of Foundation & External Funding
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#### Board of Trustees

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### Fall 2014

Headcount	1,693	Full-Time	706 (41.7%)
Full-Time Equivalency	1,051	Part-Time	987 (58.3%)
SSCH	15,762		

### Spring 2015

Headcount	1,540	Full-Time	596 (38.7%)
Full-Time Equivalency	971	Part-Time	944 (61.3%)
SSCH	14,563		

### Demographic Fall 2014

Male	464 (27.4%)	African-American	37.5%
Female	1,229 (72.6%)	Caucasian	57.7%
Average Age	28.9	Hispanic	3.6%
HS receiving College Credit	293	Other	1.2%

### Residency

Union County	66.7%	Ouachita County	4.7%
Ashley County	3.3%	Other Arkansas Counties	7.4%
Bradley County	3.3%	Louisiana	3.5%
Columbia County	6.7%	Other States	4.5%

### Distance Learning

Courses	Sections	Enrollments	SSCH
Online	54	69	1,232
Hybrid	18	21	263
Online or Hybrid	69	90	1,495
			4,502

### Dual Credit Courses

Courses	Sections	Enrollments	SSCH
Concurrent	7	11	201
Secondary Technical	17	32	218
Dual Credit Courses	24	43	419
			1,325

### Basic Adult Education FY 2014

Students enrolled	540	+13.6% from FY '13
Students served	1,095	-13.1% from FY '13
English as Second Language Students	39	+78.5% from FY '13

### Corporate and Community Education FY 2014

Students/participants served	4,240
Classes/events conducted	298
On-Demand, Customized Workforce Training Students	367
WAGE certificates issued (Workforce Alliance for Growth in the Economy)	186

### Career Pathways FY 2014

Number of students served	128	-24.0% from FY '13
Certificates/Degrees awarded	73	-17.5% from FY '13

### Degrees/Certificates Awarded '13-'14 (728 Total)

Associate of Arts	49	Associate of Applied Science(AAS)	118
Degree (AA)		Certificates of Proficiency (CP)	275
Technical Certificates (TC)	286		

### Employees (November 2014)

Full Time	Part Time
Faculty	Adjunct Faculty
59	49
Classified	Part-time Professional
52	1
Senior Administrators	
4	
Professional Non-Faculty	
51	

Student Workers 35

67.6% of SSCHs are taught by full time faculty

### Library Holdings

Volumes	35,622	Databases	51
Periodicals	116	Videos/Media	418

### Physical Plant & Facilities

Buildings	27
Gross Sq. Footage	287,663 ft <sup>2</sup>

### 2014-2015 Tuition per Semester Credit Hour

In-District: \$81	Out-of-District: \$94	Out-of-State: \$169
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### Arkansas Rural Nursing Education Consortium (ARNEC)

In-State Registered Nursing: \$94	Out-of-State Registered Nursing: \$169
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**VISION:**

South Arkansas Community College will strive to be the leading resource for accessible education, workforce training, partnerships and economic development for our region.

**PURPOSES:**

1. To provide an environment that fosters excellence in learning and teaching.
2. To provide a university transfer program of high academic quality for students who plan to continue their education.
3. To offer degree and certificate programs to develop or enhance occupational skills that prepare learners for a changing global economy.
4. To provide developmental courses to prepare students to do college level work.
5. To provide adult education and workforce development.
6. To provide comprehensive student services to enhance students' success.
7. To promote civic involvement, cultural life, and economic development in the community.
8. To make education accessible through innovative instructional methods.

**VALUES:**

The college has identified six value statements that serve as guiding principles in fulfilling the Mission and Purposes.

**1. Excellence in Education**

We are committed to providing students access to a highly competent, innovative, and supportive faculty and staff; modern facilities equipped with current technology; and high quality academic and occupational programs.

**2. Student Learning**

We are committed to providing support, respect, and encouragement, thereby enabling students to achieve their educational goals and develop skills for lifelong learning.

**3. Contribution to the Community**

We strive to serve the academic, occupational, and enrichment needs of the community; enhance its quality of life; and support economic development in South Arkansas.

**4. Quality of Work Environment**

Recognizing that everyone contributes to the learning process, we value each member of our college community; foster respect, trust, and support among faculty, staff, and students; encourage responsible, creative risk-taking and innovation; and recognize and reward exceptional performance and integrity.

**5. Respect for Diversity**

Believing that everyone should have an opportunity to learn and succeed, we value intellectual and cultural diversity in the classroom, in the workplace, and in the community.

**6. Commitment to Accountability**

We are committed to continuous evaluation of our institution to address the needs of the present and to meet the challenges of the future.

**Enrollment Statistics**

Year	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	5 Year Change
<b>Semester Student Credit Hours</b>	16,384	17,048	17,046	14,961	15,762	-3.8%
<i>Annual Change</i>	+1.0%	+4.1%	0.0%	-12.2%	+5.4%	
<b>Full Time Equivalent</b>	1,092	1,137	1,136	997	1,051	-3.8%
<b>Headcount</b>	1,781	1,773	1,757	1,632	1,693	-4.9%
<i>Annual Change</i>	+0.3%	-0.4%	-0.9%	-7.1%	+3.7%	

**Race/Ethnicity**

Year	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15
<b>Black</b>	673 (37.8%)	690 (38.9%)	688 (39.2%)	665 (40.8%)	635 (37.5%)
<b>White</b>	1,032 (57.9%)	1,007 (56.8%)	986 (56.1%)	895 (54.8%)	977 (57.7%)
<b>Other</b>	76 (4.3%)	76 (4.3%)	83 (4.7%)	83 (4.7%)	81 (4.8%)

**Gender**

Year	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15
<b>Male</b>	474 (26.6%)	496 (28.0%)	488 (28.0%)	437 (26.8%)	464 (27.4%)
<b>Female</b>	1,307 (73.4%)	1,277 (72.0%)	1,269 (72.0%)	1,269 (72.0%)	1,229 (72.6%)

**Attendance Status**

Year	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15
<b>Full-time</b>	820 (46.0%)	859 (48.4%)	839 (47.8%)	717 (43.9%)	706 (41.7%)
<b>Part-time</b>	961 (54.0%)	914 (51.6%)	918 (52.2%)	915 (56.1%)	987 (58.3%)

**Remediation Enrollment of First Time Students**

Year	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15
<b>Math</b>	78.6%	84.3%	72.5%	47.1%	58.3%
<b>Reading *</b>	64.3%	69.2%	58.1%	60.0%	47.2%
<b>Writing *</b>	68.1%	67.3%	64.1%	67.7%	

\* reading and writing was combined in 2014

**Unduplicated Concurrent Enrollment**

Year	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15
	F 152 Sp 136	F 147 Sp 136	F 184 Sp 207	F 151 Sp 166	F 175 Sp 157
<b>Total</b>	288	283	391	317	332

**Degrees/Certificates by Program Group 2013-2014**

CIP Program Group	CPs	TCs	AA/AAS
Cosmetology	9	-	-
Education	13	10	9
Liberal Arts, General Studies	-	52	49
General Technology	-	-	2
Process/ Industrial Technology	-	-	10
Mechanics And Repairers	32	4	-
Welding	98	7	-
Criminal Justice	45	-	5
Media and the Arts	-	-	1
Health Professions & Related Science	76	204	83
Business	2	9	8

Year	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	5 Year Change
<b>Degrees and Certificates</b>	437	444	631	798	728	+66.6%
<i>Annual Change</i>	+21.3%	+1.9%	+34.8%	+23.4%	-9.2%	

**Degrees/Certificates by Division 2013-2014**

