

BY THE NUMBERS

TEXAS COMMUNITY COLLEGES

are the **LARGEST SECTOR** of higher education, serving as the primary gateway to opportunity and workforce development across the state.

As hubs of innovation, they prepare students for in-demand careers, driving economic growth and meeting the evolving needs of Texas industries.

With a commitment to **BUILDING THE NEXT GENERATION WORKFORCE**, community colleges play a pivotal role in shaping Texas' future.

SERVING MORE THAN

700,000
STUDENTS



IN 2023, AWARDED

125,215
CERTIFICATES & DEGREES

PROVIDING

96%

OF ALL CAREER & TECHNICAL
EDUCATION CERTIFICATES AND
DEGREES



HOUSE BILL 8 IN ACTION

Statewide Data on the Financial Aid for Swift Transfer (FAST) Program



1.46M

semester credit hours of dual credit have been provided **at no cost to students.**



22%

increase in dual credit enrollment compared to 2022.



260K

students with financial need have been served by this program.



\$79.6M

in funding has been **disbursed to institutions** participating in FAST.