

LOCAL COMMUNITY COLLEGES

Gaston College & Lincoln Campus of Gaston Colleges

Gaston College

201 Highway 321 South
Dallas, NC 28034-1499
(704) 922-6200
<http://www.gaston.edu/>

Lincoln Campus – Gaston College

511 S. Aspen Street
Lincolnton, NC 28092
(704) 748-1040
<http://www.gaston.edu/aboutus/lincoln.php>

The college offers associate degrees in Applied Science, Arts, Science, Fine Arts, General Education, and General Occupational Technology, as well as, diploma and certificate programs. Continuing Education programs are provided for individual personal and professional development.

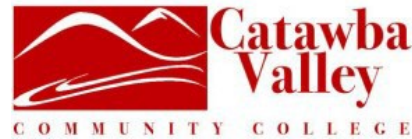
The College's Corporate Education Division works closely with firms in Gaston and Lincoln County to meet their business education needs in a wide variety of ways. One of the benefits of using your local community college is that we can often save you valuable time and money by arranging qualified instructors and developed courses for your firm. Additionally, we administer programs that use State funds, in the form of training grants, to help offset training costs. Gaston College provides customized services to business and industry through its various specialized areas including:

- People Management Skills for Supervisors
- Team Skills
- Customer Service (internal & external)
- Americans with Disability Act Compliance
- OSHA
 - Workforce Level
 - Supervisors Level
- QS/ISO 9000 / ISO 14000
 - Intro Course for Workforce and/or Management
 - Internal Auditor Course
 - Documentation Course
- Statistical Process Control
- Blueprint Reading
- Geometric Dimension & Tolerance
- Professional Image Skills for Managers
- Facilitating Successful Meetings
- Training Assessments (individual and organizational)



Catawba Valley Community College

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Hickory, NC 28602
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Corporate and Continuing Education at Catawba Valley Community College provides customized services to business and industry through its various specialized areas including:

- Apprenticeship Training
- CAD Center
- Industrial Trades Training
- Computrain
- Deming Center of Excellence (Quality)
- Management, Supervisory & Leadership
- Recruiting & Job Placement Services
- Customer Service Skills
- Focused Industrial Training (FIT)
- OSHA & Safety
- Hosiery Technology Center
- License Preparation & Recertification
- New & Expanded Industry Training
- Quality Leadership Training
- Small Business Center
- Basic Employment Skills

Central Piedmont Community College

P.O. Box 35009
Charlotte, NC 28235 USA
704/330-2722
www.cpcc.cc.nc.us



Corporate and Continuing Education (Business and Industry Services)

In today's competitive business environment, a highly-skilled and productive workforce is a company's greatest asset. CPCC's Corporate Training Center will assist your business in preparing your workforce for the information-driven workplace of the 21st century. Their training experts will assess your company's skill requirements and create a training program tailored to the specific needs of your business or industry. Classes can be taught either on-site at your business or at any of CPCC's facilities within Mecklenburg County.

- Authorized Autodesk Premier Training Center
- Business Computer Training
- International Training
- The Language Institute
- Management and Professional Development
- Manufacturing and Technical Skills
- Microsoft Authorized Academic Training Program
- Small Business Center
- Workplace Basic Skills
- Continuing Education

LOCAL COMMUNITY COLLEGES

Offering Mechanical Engineering Technology and Computer Integrated Technology

Gaston College (Lincolnton and Dallas Main Campus) 2yr

14.05 Miles from Lincolnton

Mechanical Engineering Technology Associates, Diploma, Certificate
Computer Integrated Technology Associates, Diploma, Manual and
CNC Turning Manual and CNC Milling,

Catawba Valley Community College 2yr

18 Miles from Lincolnton

Mechanical Engineering Technology Associates
Computer Integrated Technology Associates, Diploma, Certificate

Central Piedmont Community College 2yr

27.22 Miles from Lincolnton

Mechanical Engineering Technology Associates
Computer Integrated Technology Associates, Diploma, Certificate

Mitchell Community College 2 yr.

40.29 Miles from Lincolnton

Mechanical Engineering Technology Associates, Certificate
Machining Certificate
Mechatronics Certificate

South Charlotte Community College 2 yr.

55 Miles from Lincolnton

Mechanical Engineering Technology Associates, Degree in Mechatronics

Manufacturing - Advanced Technologies Career Development Continuing
Machining Technology Education

University of North Carolina – UNCC – Charlotte 4 yr.

44 Miles from Lincolnton

Mechanical Engineering Technology Undergraduate and
Bachelors, of Science

COLLEGES and UNIVERSITIES



UNC Charlotte

The University of North Carolina at Charlotte
9201 University City Blvd
Charlotte, NC 28223-0001
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www.uncc.edu

In just 60 years, UNC Charlotte has emerged from being a two-year college to a large urban research university. The University's story is one of perseverance and strong leadership, and its brief history parallels the rise of the Charlotte region as a major metropolitan area.

UNCC offers a full array of baccalaureate programs, about 45 programs leading to master's degrees and six programs leading to doctoral degrees. The doctoral programs are in electrical engineering, mechanical engineering, applied mathematics, information technology, biology, and educational leadership.

UNC Charlotte offers 21 doctoral, 64 masters', and 90 bachelors' degree's programs through nine colleges: The College of Arts + Architecture, the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences, the Belk College of Business, the College of Computing and Informatics, the College of Education, the William States Lee College of Engineering, the College of Health and Human Services, the Honors College, and the University College.

UNC Charlotte has three campuses: Charlotte Research Institute Campus, Center City Campus, and the main campus, located in University City. The main campus sits on 1,000 wooded acres with approximately 85 buildings about 8 miles (13 km) from Uptown Charlotte.

The university is the largest institution of higher education in the Charlotte region, which is the second largest banking center in the United States.

The Graduate School at UNC Charlotte offers over 140 innovative programs responding to the needs of the Charlotte region and beyond. Programs range in variety of research and degree level including the popular Graduate Certificate providing individuals with specialized training in a particular academic and/or occupational area.

Research is fundamental to the mission of UNC Charlotte. New knowledge and creative works change the world and shape the future of the University.

Research & Economic Development at UNC Charlotte strives to advance the quality, diversity and growth of research at UNC Charlotte. We place a special value on the translation of research results that impact our social, cultural, and economic communities.

UNCC faculty, are committed to providing a sustaining environment where your research, creative, and service activities will flourish. We know that you have dedicated yourselves to discovery and that you work long and hard hours to be successful. We continue to place a very high priority on the creation and operation of quality research services

To our partners beyond the University, we are committed to the growth and economic development of the Charlotte region and the State of North Carolina. Our faculty members support this growth by competing globally in their research domains and making their results available for the benefit of society. We particularly welcome research and service partnerships that build on the expertise and interests of our faculty and staff.

A comprehensive university offering a full array of baccalaureate programs, about 45 programs leading to master's degrees and six programs leading to doctoral degrees. The doctoral programs are in electrical engineering, mechanical engineering, applied mathematics, information technology, biology, and educational leadership.

University of North Carolina at Asheville	Asheville	Master's University
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	Chapel Hill	Doctoral/Research University
University of North Carolina at Charlotte	Charlotte	Doctoral/Research University
University of North Carolina at Greensboro	Greensboro	Doctoral/Research University

Lenoir-Rhyne College

7th Ave. & 8th St. NE
 Hickory, NC 28601
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www.lrc.edu



An institution of the North Carolina Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. It provides programs of undergraduate, graduate and continuing study which are committed to the liberal arts and sciences as a basis for professional studies and various careers and as guidance for a purposeful life. The College strives for excellence by providing rigorous programs designed to challenge the qualified and motivated student. L-R is a comprehensive liberal arts institution, enrolling some 1,500 students in more than 60 undergraduate degree programs and master's degree programs in the fields of business, counseling and education. With its Evening College, Lenoir-Rhyne strives to serve the non-traditional population. The primary concern of Lenoir-Rhyne is development of the whole person. To that end, all students regardless of major must complete 56 hours of core courses comprising arts, sciences, social sciences, religion and language.

Appalachian State University

ASU Box 32004
 Boone, NC 28608
 (828) 262-2000
www.ap pstate.edu



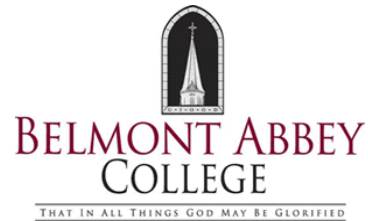
Located in the Blue Ridge Mountains of northwestern North Carolina, Appalachian State University has built a national reputation for providing outstanding academics. With a student/faculty ratio of 17:1 and an average class size of 24, faculty members are able to take a personal interest in student progress, often becoming mentors, advisers, and friends - even tennis partners. That can only happen in a close-knit community.

Belmont Abbey College

100 Belmont-Mt Holly Rd

Belmont, NC 28012

704-825-6665

www.belmontabbeycollege.edu

The mission of Belmont Abbey College is to educate undergraduate students from diverse religious, ethnic and cultural backgrounds in the liberal arts tradition as guided by Catholic intellectual heritage and inspired by the 1,500-year-old Benedictine monastic tradition.

Davidson College

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Davidson, North Carolina 28036

Phone 704/894-2000 Fax 704/894-2005

www.davidson.edu

A nationally recognized, highly selective independent liberal arts college located just outside of Charlotte, North Carolina, in the town of Davidson. Founded in 1837 by Presbyterians, today it enrolls approximately 1600 men and women. With an active honor-code a student/faculty ratio of 11:1, and athletic teams competing at the level of NCAA Division I, this historic 450-acre campus is an ideal choice for students who seek a vigorous undergraduate education in a residential environment.

Gardner Webb University

P.O. Box 997

Boiling Springs, NC 28017

(704) 406-2361

www.gardner-webb.edu

Is located in the Piedmont area of western North Carolina. Main campus of 200 acres is located in Boiling Springs, NC. GW offers Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, and Bachelor of Science in Nursing. There are currently 19 Bachelor of Arts degree programs and 22 Bachelor of Science degree programs. Associate of Arts in Nursing, Master of Arts in Education, Master of Arts in English, Master of Arts in Sport Science and Pedagogy, Master of Arts in School Counseling, Master of Arts in Agency Counseling, Master of Business Administration, Master of Divinity, a dual-degree program M.Div/M.B.A., and, coming in Spring 2001, a Master of Science in Nursing degree. Doctor of Ministry degree. Affiliation: Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.