



# The Economic Value of Tacoma Community College

REFLECTS FISCAL YEAR 2017-18



## ECONOMIC IMPACT ANALYSIS

♣ = 100 jobs

1 out of every **105**

jobs in Pierce County is supported by the activities of TCC and its students



### Alumni impact

Impact of the increased earnings of TCC alumni and the businesses they work for

**\$243.3 million**  
Added income

5X the annual economic boost of Mount Rainier National Park tourism

- OR - 2,841 Jobs supported



## TCC TOTAL ANNUAL IMPACT

**\$311.6 million**  
Added income

- OR -

**4,175**  
Jobs supported



### Operations spending impact

Impact of annual payroll and other spending

**\$60.2 million**  
Added income

enough to buy 1,795 new cars

- OR - 1,174 Jobs supported



### Student spending impact

Impact of the daily spending of TCC students retained in the county

**\$8 million**  
Added income

enough to buy 647 families\* a year's worth of groceries

- OR - 160 Jobs supported



\* family of four

### About TCC

10,583 Credit Students

1,772 Non-Credit Students

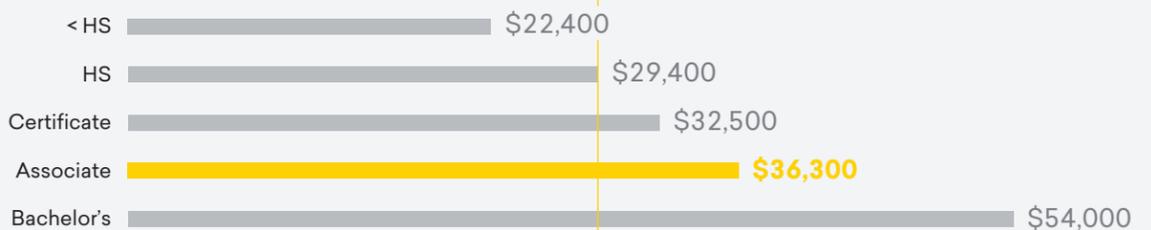
970 Employees

### Pierce County, WA



## INVESTMENT ANALYSIS

The average associate degree graduate from TCC will see an increase in earnings of **\$6,900** each year compared to someone with a high school diploma working in Washington.



For every **\$1...**



Students gain **\$3.70** in lifetime earnings



Taxpayers gain **\$2.00** in added tax revenue and public sector savings



Society gains **\$9.10** in added state revenue and social savings

