

## Intercollegiate Sports

The Taft College Athletic Department is dedicated to helping our student athletes achieve success both academically and athletically.

The main goal of the athletic department is to develop the student athlete both on the court/field as well as in the classroom.

Our sports programs teach athletes the value of discipline, loyalty, hard work, good health and good sportsmanship.

Taft College is a member of the Central Valley Conference and participates in the following intercollegiate sports:

- ♦ Men's Baseball
- ♦ Men's Golf
- ♦ Men's Soccer
- ♦ Women's Basketball
- ♦ Women's Golf
- ♦ Women's Soccer
- ♦ Women's Softball
- ♦ Women's Volleyball



## Facilities Updates

In 2004, the voters in the West Kern Community College District passed Measure A, a \$39.8 M bond for construction and renovation of the Taft College facilities. The following projects have been completed under this bond.

Project	Cost	Status
Administration, Student Services & Library Remodel for Efficiency	\$19,266,624	Complete
Science Modernization	\$5,060,414	Complete
Child Development Center	\$4,159,800	Complete
M&O Facility	\$3,218,006	Complete
Tech Arts Modernization	\$5,776,151	Complete
Technology Upgrades	\$4,150,000	Complete
Transition to Independent Living	\$15,062,894	Complete
Dorm Modernization	\$3,138,348	Complete
Student Center (Bookstore, Café)	\$17,616,519	Complete

# Taft College

## Quick Stats 2021

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## The Basics

Date Founded .....1922  
Campus Size .....39 Acres  
Service Area .....767 Square Miles

## Tuition, Fees & Financial Aid

### Tuition and Fees 2020-2021

**Enrollment Fee**.....\$46/unit  
**Credit by Exam Fee** .....\$46/unit  
**Class Audit Fee**.....\$15/unit  
**Nonresident Tuition Fees** (in addition to \$46 per unit enrollment fee and credit by exam fee)  
 0 thru 14 units .....\$290/unit  
 15 units or more.....\$4,350/semester  
**International Student**  
 Admissions application fee.....\$100  
**Textbook Rental Fees**  
 Rental fee w/paid ASO fee .....Average 30% of new book price  
**Associated Student Organization (ASO) Fee** \$30/year  
**Residence Hall Room & Board**  
 Ash Street Dorms.....\$3,324/semester  
 Cougar Dorms.....\$3,126/semester  
 (Board includes 19 meals per week)

### Financial Aid 2019-2020

Total number of students receiving an award 3,406  
 Total dollar amount of aid awarded \$11,519,733

## Our Staff

Full Time Faculty..... 59  
 Adjunct Faculty ..... 77  
 Classified Staff ..... 102  
 Confidential Staff ..... 11  
 Classified Administrators ..... 19  
 Certificated Administrators..... 7

**Dr. Debra S. Daniels, Superintendent/President**

**West Kern Community College District  
Board of Trustees**

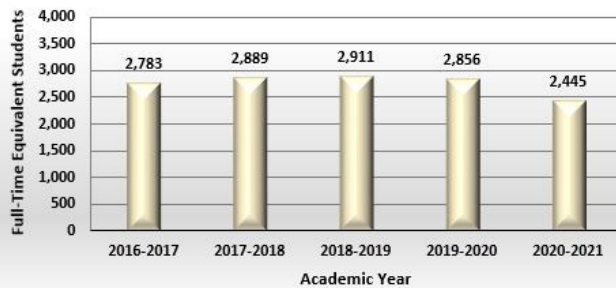
*Dawn Cole, President  
 Emmanuel Campos, Secretary  
 Billy White  
 Michael Long*

## 2020-2021 Demographics\*

FTES.....	2,445
Average Class Size** .....	18
Race	
Asian.....	2%
African-American.....	4%
Filipino.....	1%
Hispanic.....	59%
Pacific Islander.....	0%
Native American .....	1%
White Non-Hispanic.....	29%
Multi-Ethnicity .....	4%
Other/Unknown .....	1%
Gender	
Female.....	52%
Male.....	47%
Not Identified .....	1%

\*includes WESTEC students \*\* On-Campus students

**Full-Time Equivalent Students  
2016-2017 to 2020-2021**



Data Source: CCCC Data Mart

## Top Degrees & Certificates

### Top 5 Degrees for 2020-2021

1. Liberal Arts Allied Health AA
2. Liberal Arts Communication AA
3. Psychology ADT
4. Business Administration ADT
5. Life Science AS

### Top 5 Certificates for 2020-2021

1. Child Devel Asst Teacher
2. Associate Teacher in ECEF
3. Teacher in ECEF
4. Microsoft Office Applications
5. Direct Support Education & OSH Midlevel

## Spotlight



In 2022, Taft College will mark 100 years of providing higher education opportunities to community residents. As students return to face-to-face instruction this fall, excitement is building for the celebration that is already being planned in detail.

It was easy to select the theme for the Centennial Celebration, “100 Years of Community,” as the college changes the trajectory of people’s lives. Taft College would not be the quality institution that it is without the continuous support of our students, their families, local businesses, and government officials to help us meet educational needs and mitigate economic challenges within our own community.

The Taft College Centennial Celebration Committee formed in early 2021 to select that theme and develop event ideas. In 2021, we will participate in the Taft Oildorado parade in October and the Taft Christmas Parade in December.

Here’s a 2022 preview! In January, the Official Taft College Centennial Kick-Off at the Community Breakfast will take place in the new Taft College Student Center. In March, we will hold the Centennial Celebration Gala at the West Side Recreation & Park District gym. In August, we will convene our Centennial Birthday Party at a Family Picnic/BBQ. Reflecting our theme, the college will also conduct a “Community Service Challenge” in which we’ll challenge community members and employees to perform hours of community service over the course of 100 days.



## Fields of Study

- Admin of Justice
- Administrative Services
- Art
- Art History
- Biology
- Business Administration
- Court Reporting
- Criminal Justice Admin.
- Criminal Justice Admin. - Corrections
- Dental Hygiene
- Direct Support Education
- Disability Services
- Early Care, Education, and Family Studies
- Early Childhood Education
- Economics
- Elementary Teacher Education
- Energy Technology
- Engineering
- English
- General Business
- History
- Kinesiology
- Liberal Arts with an Area of Emphasis:
  - ♦ Allied Health
  - ♦ Arts & Humanities
  - ♦ Business & Technology
  - ♦ Communication
  - ♦ Health & PE
  - ♦ Math & Science
  - ♦ Natural & Life Science
  - ♦ Natural & Physical Science
- Life Science
- Management
- Mathematics
- Occupational Safety and Health
- Petroleum Technology
- Physical Education
- Physical Science
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Spanish
- Studio Art
- Welding
- CSU GE Breadth: Certificate of Achievement
- Intersegmental GE Transfer Curriculum: Certificate of Achievement