GREAT PLAINS TECHNOLOGY CENTER PROFILE

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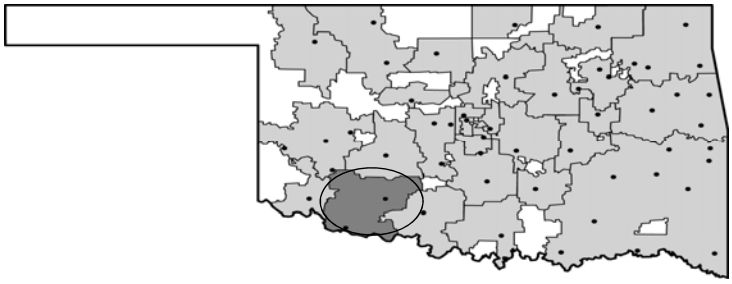
Oklahoma's CareerTech Districts: Great Plains Technology Center

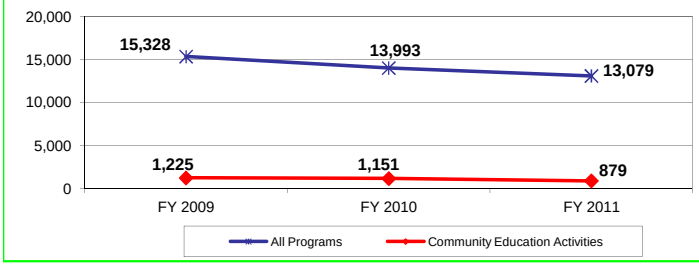


DISTRICT OVERVIEW

Demographic Data [3] (FY 11)	Technology Center District Enrollment	Technology Centers Statewide Average
Caucasian	66.9%	73.9%
African American	12.7%	7.0%
Asian	0.0%	1.2%
Hispanic	9.3%	7.2%
American Indian	11.1%	10.6%
Highest Educational Level for Adults Age 25+		
College Degree	24.4%	25.6%
H.S. Diploma w/o College Degree	72.7%	69.4%
Less than 12th Grade Education	2.9%	5.0%
Economically Disadvantaged Full-Time Secondary Students	39.1%	35.4%

Cost Per Student[2] (FY 11)	Technology Center District	Statewide
Average Cost Per FTE Enrollment in Career Majors	$6,693	$8,178
Average Cost Per Enrollment in Bus. & Industry Programs	$209	$134

Total Enrollment (FY 11) [3]



District Population & Partner Schools [1 & 3]

District population is 135,314 based on 2010 census data. School districts served include Big Pasture, Bishop, Cache, Chattanooga, Davidson, Elgin, Fletcher, Flower Mound, Frederick, Geronimo, Grandfield, Indiahoma, Lawton, Snyder, Sterling and Tipton.

Financial Data [2] (FY 11)	Technology Center District	Technology Center %	Statewide %
REVENUE			
General Fund Revenue			
Revenue			
Local Funds	$9,519,642	54.1%	66.8%
Local Ad Valorem	$6,937,675	72.9%	84.3%
Adult Tuition	$1,933,246	20.3%	9.9%
Local Other	$648,721	6.8%	5.7%
State Funds	$6,776,007	38.5%	26.3%
Federal Funds	$1,304,709	7.4%	6.9%
Total General Fund Revenue	$17,600,358	100%	100.0%
Building Fund Revenue			
Total Local Revenue	$2,734,743	100.0%	
Local Taxes	$2,716,969	99.4%	
Local Other Sources	$17,774	0.6%	
State	$0	0.0%	
Federal	$0	0.0%	
Total Building Fund Revenue	$2,734,743	100%	
TOTAL REVENUE:			**$20,335,101**
General and Building Fund Expenditures			
Classroom Activity & Instructional Support	$10,779,505	69.0%	61.7%
Guidance & Counseling	$894,346	5.7%	5.2%
General Administration	$285,096	1.8%	2.5%
General Support	$1,625,059	10.4%	12.8%
Student Transportation	$218,485	1.4%	2.9%
Operation of Plant	$1,814,072	11.6%	14.5%
Other Services	$1,134	0.0%	0.4%
Subtotal:	**$15,617,697**	**100.0%**	**100.0%**
Additional Expenditures			
Capital Outlay	$1,858,330		
Student Financial Aid	$723,565		
Other Expenditures	$700,163		
Subtotal:	$3,282,058		
TOTAL EXPENDITURES:			**$18,899,755**

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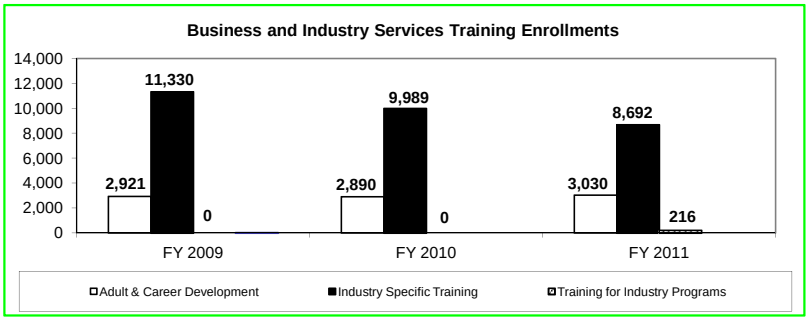
BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY SERVICES TRAINING [3]

Business and Industry Services Course Statistics

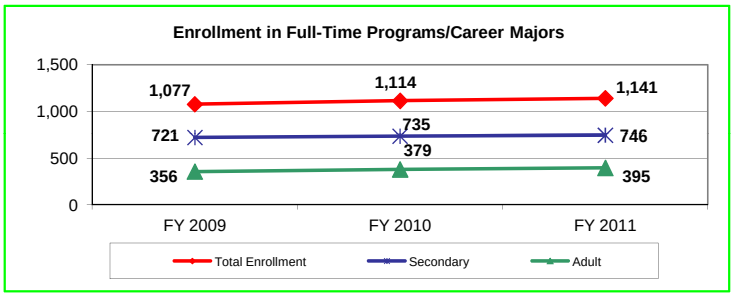
Program Type (FY 11)	Number of Classes	Hours of Training
Adult and Career Development	413	12,553
Industry Specific Training	707	12,182
Training for Industry Programs	27	5,915
Total All Programs	1,147	30,650
Total Adjunct Instructors:	169	
Total Businesses & Industries Served:	254	

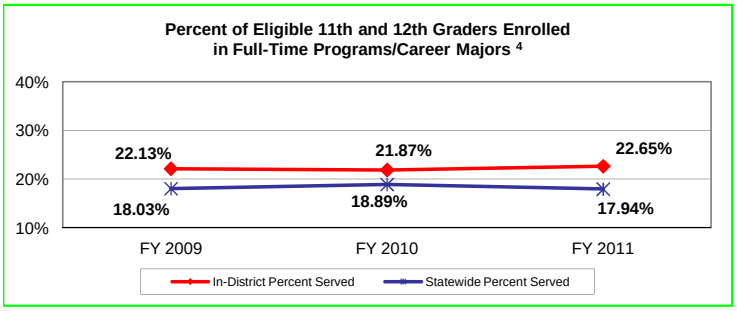


FULL-TIME PROGRAMS AND CAREER MAJORS (FY 11) [3]

Instructors (FY 11) [2]

Career Major Instructors	55
National Board Certified Instructors	5
Average Annual Salary for Instructors (base salary):	
10 month contract:	$45,222
11 month contract:	n/a
12 month contract:	$51,836





Career Major Outcomes - Completion/Retention FY 11[3]

Technology Center			
Completion Status:	**Secondary**	**Adult**	**All Students**
Retained/Completers	81%	87%	83%
Transfers	16%	1%	11%
Leavers	3%	12%	6%

Statewide			
	Secondary	**Adult**	**All Students**
Retained/Completers	83%	87%	85%
Transfers	12%	3%	8%
Leavers	5%	10%	7%

Career Major Outcomes - Placement FY 11[3]

Technology Center			
Placement Status:	**Secondary**	**Adult**	**All Students**
Total Positive Placement	94%	89%	92%
Military	7%	2%	5%
Employed Related	20%	63%	36%
Employed Not Related	5%	8%	6%
Continuing Education	61%	17%	45%
Unemployed Seeking	2%	8%	4%
Not in Labor Force	4%	3%	4%

Statewide			
Placement Status:	**Secondary**	**Adult**	**All Students**
Total Positive Placement	95%	89%	92%
Military	3%	1%	2%
Employed Related	25%	62%	42%
Employed Not Related	5%	8%	7%
Continuing Education	61%	18%	41%
Unemployed Seeking	3%	6%	5%
Not in Labor Force	1%	5%	3%

PROJECTS AND UNIQUE ATTRIBUTES [5]

Great Plains Technology Center (GPTC) is committed to developing sustainable world class partnerships. It is the career education institution and trainer of choice for Lawton's Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company plant, the world's most efficient tire manufacturing facility. This high caliber relationship is in its 34th year.

GPTC's commitment to partnering with every community in its district is exemplified by the professional firefighter training it provides to more than 30 volunteer and paid departments. The Lawton campus houses Comanche County and the City of Lawton's state-of-the art E-911 Emergency Response Center.

Oklahoma's annual wheat harvest kicks off each June in Tillman County. CASE IH Pro Harvest honored Great Plains Frederick (Tillman-Kiowa County) campus staff in 2012 for its 20 year partnership in hosting and providing safety training for this important event.

GPTC was selected as one of "Oklahoma's Best Places to Work" in 2012 by the Best Companies Group. GPTC celebrates its staff's commitment to students, clients and to each other as the driving force behind the selection.

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