

Quality education at an affordable cost

The 14 Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education (PASSHE) universities offer the **lowest -cost four-year baccalaureate degree programs** in the state. Annual tuition increases have been below the rate of inflation in four of the last six years. Current annual in-state tuition is \$5,804.

Total annual cost of attendance is \$602 below the average among all four-year public universities in the United States, and \$2,433 below the average in the Middle States region, which comprises Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania and Washington, D.C., according to a just-released College Board survey.

Reaching students where they live

PASSHE universities offer nearly 100 programs through distance education, including many that are available online.

Record enrollment

Nearly **120,000 students, 90 percent** of whom are **Pennsylvania residents**, are currently enrolled at PASSHE universities. Four of five will remain in the Commonwealth after graduation.

1. Education
2. Business administration and management
3. Psychology
4. Biology/biological sciences
5. English language and literature
6. Special education
7. Nursing
8. History
9. Communications/media
10. Criminal Justice/safety studies
11. Health and physical education
12. Mathematics
13. Accounting
14. Sociology
15. Social work
16. Music
17. Political science and government
18. Art/art studies
19. Computer and information sciences
20. Athletic training

Top 20 Degree Programs Across PASSHE
by Total Enrollment

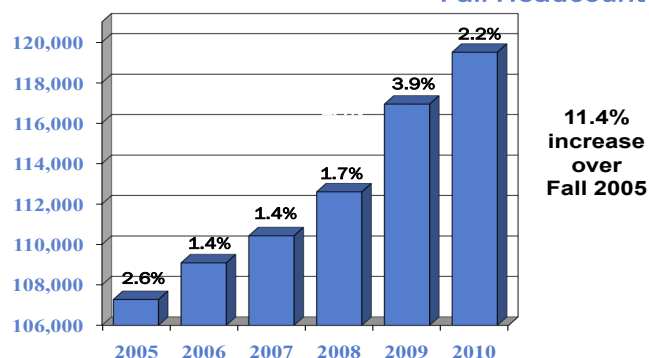
Meeting students' needs

PASSHE universities make it easy for students to seamlessly transfer from **community colleges** and other institutions, assuring they receive maximum credit for the work they have completed. More than one-fourth of all new students enrolling at PASSHE universities each year transfer from another school, the vast majority, from community colleges in Pennsylvania.

Training tomorrow's workers

PASSHE serves the needs of employers by offering a wide range of **workforce development programs**, including customized job training, WEDNet and collaborations with business.

Enrollment History
Fall Headcount



Fueling Pennsylvania's economy

Nearly **500,000 PASSHE alumni** live in Pennsylvania, serving as community leaders in the business, healthcare, public administration and non-profit sectors while generating an aggregate annual income of \$7 billion.

PASSHE is the 13th largest employer in the state, with more than 12,150 professional and support staff.



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