Triton College Fact Sheet – Fall 2015

Type: Public, two-year college. Founded in 1964.

Campus: 101 total acres with 18 facilities.

Degrees and certificates: Associate in Arts, Associate in Fine Arts, Associate of Arts in Teaching, Associate in Science, Associate in Fine Arts, Associate in Applied Science and Associate in General Studies degrees, as well as Career, Advanced Career certificates. Triton College offers more than 130 degree and certificate programs.

Average class size: 16.5 (Credit Courses)

Average age of students: All Triton students: 30 years
(Fall 2015) Full time students: 22 years
Part-time students: 29 years

Enrollment: 12,645 students

26 percent full-time 74 percent part-time
56 percent female 44 percent male

64 percent daytime students
23 percent evening students
13 percent Distance Education/Weekend students

Ethnicity: 58 percent minority (total headcount)

Ethnic breakdown of all Triton students
35 percent White
38 percent Hispanic
17 percent African-American
3 percent Asian
0 percent Native American
7 percent No Response

Residency: 76 percent in-district
24 percent out-of-district including ones with a permit
Less than 1 percent out-of-state

Tuition: Tuition per credit hour (2015-16):

In-district: $113.00
Out-of-district: $296.35
Out-of-state/International $371.65
Faculty:  
(As of October 2015)  
106 full-time faculty  
625 part-time faculty

Other employees:  
Administrators: 46  
Librarians/Counselors 16  
Professional/Technical: 45  
Supervisory: 36  
Classified: 181  
Non-Teaching Part Time: 258

Triton District:  
The Triton College district encompasses 63 square miles and includes approximately 300,000 residents.

The district includes the communities of:  
Bellwood Norridge (part)  
Berkeley Northlake  
Broadview North Riverside  
Brookfield (part) Norwood Park (part)  
Elmwood Park Oak Park  
Forest Park River Forest  
Franklin Park River Grove  
Hawood Heights (part) Riverside  
Hillside Rosemont (part)  
Hines Schiller Park  
LaGrange Park (part) Stone Park  
Maywood Westchester  
Melrose Park

Sponsorship and control:  
Local: Board of Trustees. The eight-member board is comprised of seven trustees elected by the Triton College district, and one student trustee.

Accreditation:  
Triton College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

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