
CAPE FEAR COMMUNITY COLLEGE

DESCRIPTION: Cape Fear Community College provides education focused on enhancing the employment skill level of its students in classrooms located at the Burgaw Center and other locations in Pender County. In addition, they serve the population at Pender Prison. The community college offers classes in curriculum credit, basic skills, continuing education and non-occupational self-supporting classes.

FY 06-07 HIGHLIGHTS: Classes are held throughout Pender County, including the Burgaw Center, Pender High School, Topsail High School, Pender Prison and other locations within the County. Curriculum classes are offered at the Burgaw Center, high schools, and Pender Prison. Basic skills classes include adult basic education, adult high school, GED, human resource development, and English as a second language. Occupational extension classes include nurse's aide, aviation ground school, computer, fire, horticulture, criminal justice, Spanish, manicurist, employability skills, industrial sewing, masonry, welding, EMS, notary public, teaching recertification, and truck driver refresher classes. Early College for Pender County high school students was incorporated at the Burgaw Center in 2006. Forty additional students were added to the campus five days per week during the school year, plus additional faculty and staff. This increased the need for additional custodial services.

FY 07-08 GOALS: Pender County funds the operation and maintenance of the College's Burgaw Center as required by G.S. 115D-32. The College continues to offer curriculum, occupational continuing education, basic skill, and non-occupational courses for the citizens of Pender County during FY 2007-08. It is estimated that sixty additional students will be added to the Early College High School Program in 2007-08, bringing the total number to 100.

Total FY07-08 County Funding Requested: \$ 179,213
Total FY07-08 County Funding Recommended: \$ 151,051
Total FY07-08 Agency Budget: \$54,038,446 Approx.