



HEC FACTS

- SCHOOL PERFORMANCE GRADE = A
- EXCEEDS GROWTH
- HEC TIED FOR 1ST IN NC IN OVERALL PERFORMANCE COMPOSITE
- LAST YEAR'S SENIORS EARNED AN AVERAGE OF 66.8 TRANSFERABLE CREDIT HOURS
- TOP 13% IN STATE - ACT SCORE
- TEACHER/STUDENT RATIO 1:15
- 1:1 iPads - APPLE CERTIFIED TEACHERS
- HONORS LEVEL HIGH SCHOOL COURSES
- ASSOCIATES DEGREES OFFERED IN ARTS AND SCIENCE
- 4-5 YEAR PROGRAM
- FIELD TRIPS / COLLEGE CAMPUS VISITS
- NO COSTS TO STUDENTS (HCC TUITION + ALL TEXTBOOKS)

NC CIHS

- 2016-2017 ENROLLMENT = 23,204 STUDENTS
- IN TOTAL, **4869** STUDENTS GRADUATED FROM EARLY COLLEGES IN 2016-2017. **4829** OF THOSE GRADUATES WERE ADMITTED TO UNC SYSTEM FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS
- ACADEMIC OUTCOMES ABOVE STATE AVERAGES. EARLY COLLEGE STUDENTS OUTPERFORMED STATEWIDE AVERAGES IN EACH END-OF-COURSE ASSESSMENT, MATH 1, BIOLOGY, AND ENGLISH 2
- CIHS STUDENTS AT COMMUNITY COLLEGES RECEIVED BETTER GRADES, ON AVERAGE, THAN THE GENERAL POPULATION OF STUDENTS, WITH **85 PERCENT** AVERAGING A PASSING GRADE OF C OR BETTER
- MORE EARLY COLLEGE STUDENTS ARE GETTING A POSTSECONDARY DEGREE
- THE AVERAGE COST OF A 4-YEAR DEGREE EARNED THROUGH THE UNC SYSTEM IS AN ESTIMATED **\$30,000** LESS UNDER THE EARLY COLLEGE ROUTE THAN UNDER THE TRADITIONAL ROUTE

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