

Reflects FY 2021-22 JULY 2023

The Economic Value of Columbia **Gorge Community College**

About CGCC

1,300 Credit students



150 **Employees**

Economic impact analysis





Alumni impact

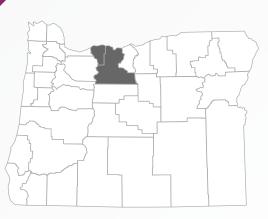
Impact of the increased earnings of CGCC alumni and the businesses they work for

An economic boost similar OR to hosting the World Series

5x

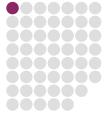


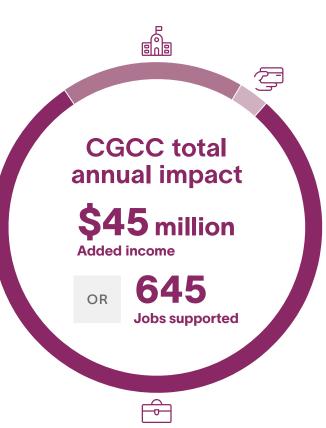
\$35.6 million



The CGCC Service Region, Oregon

out of every 53 jobs in the CGCC Service Region is supported by the activities of CGCC and its students.







Operations spending impact

Impact of annual payroll and other spending

151 \$8.2 million Jobs supported Added income Enough to buy 174 new cars OR



Student spending impact

Impact of the daily spending of CGCC students attracted to or retained in the region



Enough to buy 97 families* OR a year's worth of groceries

\$1.2 million Added income

20 🐽 Jobs supported

= 10 jobs * = family of four

Investment analysis



For every \$1...



Students gain \$8.10 in lifetime earnings



society gains \$5.00 in added income and social savings

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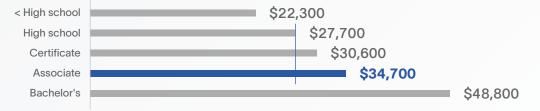
In total...



Taxpayers gain \$7.0 million in added tax revenue and

public sector savings

The average associate degree graduate from CGCC will see an increase in earnings of \$7,000 each year compared to someone with a high school diploma working in Oregon.



Sources: Lightcast Economic Impact Study; https://www.bizjournals.com/washington/news/2019/10/16/nats-could-face-yankees-or-astros-in-world-series.html; https://www.caranddriver.com/news/a38748092/new-car-average-sale-prices-47100/; https://fns-prod.azureedge.us/sites/default/files/media/file/CostofFoodAug2022LowModLib.pdf

