

COLLEGE OF THE DESERT AT A GLANCE

Who Attends

- More than 14,000 students currently enrolled.
- 84% of COD students are the first in their family to attend and graduate college.
- 25% of local high school students choose COD to begin their college career.
- 90% of degree-seeking students at College of the Desert qualify for some form of financial aid, including grants, scholarships, and work study.
- 50%+ of the students attending COD have full-time jobs while taking classes.
- 350 veterans are enrolled at College of the Desert.

What Is Offered?

- 1,000+ Classes
- 65 Associate's Degrees
- 54 Certificate programs
- 76 Different course areas

How Does the Community Benefit?

- College of the Desert generates the local workforce.
- 75% of COD graduates stay or return to live and work in the community.
- College of the Desert operations provide over \$302 million impact each year.
- COD Alumni contribute over \$243 million each year to the local economy.