Bluegrass Community and Technical College
Entering Student Survey

BCTC wants to help you achieve your educational goals. Your answers to the questions below will help us understand the background and needs of our students. **YOUR ANSWERS TO THESE QUESTIONS ARE COMPLETELY CONFIDENTIAL AND WILL NOT AFFECT THE AWARD OF FINANCIAL AID OR ACCEPTANCE TO THE COLLEGE. YOUR ADMISSIONS FORM WILL NOT BE COMPLETE UNTIL YOU COMPLETE THIS QUESTIONNAIRE.**

**Program Goals**
1. Which statement below reflects YOUR CURRENT GOAL?
   - ☐ To take a few courses but NOT earn a Degree, Diploma or Certificate
   - ☐ To complete an Associate Degree, Diploma or Certificate
   - ☐ To complete an Associate Degree AND go on to earn a 4-yr Bachelor's Degree
   - ☐ To take a few courses then TRANSFER to a university
   - ☐ I am uncertain about completing a Degree, Diploma or Certificate

**Enrollment Intent**
2. I plan to (select one):
   - ☐ Enroll for only this semester
   - ☐ Enroll for this semester AND the next semester
   - ☐ Enroll every semester until I reach my goal
   - ☐ Unsure about future enrollment

**Access to Computer Technology**
3. Do you have access to a personal computer, either at home or at work, that you can use for school work?  
   - ☐ Yes ☐ No
4. If yes, do you have access to the internet from that computer with e-mail access?  
   - ☐ Yes ☐ No

**Employment Plans**
5. While attending college, I plan to work:  
   - ☐ Not at all
   - ☐ 1-20 hours per week
   - ☐ 21-39 hours per week
   - ☐ 40 hours per week
   - ☐ More than 40 hours per week

**Goals in Attending College**
Below are goals some people give for going to college. Please indicate if these goals are very important, somewhat important or not important in your decision to attend college.

6. To increase my general knowledge and understanding of the world.  
   - ☐ Very Important ☐ Somewhat Important ☐ Not Important
7. To decide on a career goal.  
   - ☐ Very Important ☐ Somewhat Important ☐ Not Important
8. To develop or improve skills required in my current job.  
   - ☐ Very Important ☐ Somewhat Important ☐ Not Important
9. To help me obtain a raise or promotion.  
   - ☐ Very Important ☐ Somewhat Important ☐ Not Important
10. To help prepare for a new career.  
    - ☐ Very Important ☐ Somewhat Important ☐ Not Important
11. To be with others who want to learn.  
    - ☐ Very Important ☐ Somewhat Important ☐ Not Important
12. To increase my self-confidence.  
    - ☐ Very Important ☐ Somewhat Important ☐ Not Important
13. To become more self-reliant.  
    - ☐ Very Important ☐ Somewhat Important ☐ Not Important
14. To improve my academic skills before going to a large university.  
    - ☐ Very Important ☐ Somewhat Important ☐ Not Important
Reasons for Attending this College
Please indicate whether any of the following reasons were very important, somewhat important or not important in your decision to attend Buegrass Community and Technical College.

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<td>15. Costs less than other colleges.</td>
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<td>16. I could not leave the area due to family obligations.</td>
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<td>17. I can keep my job and still go to college.</td>
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<td>18. My grades were too low to get into another college or university.</td>
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<td>19. This college offers the courses I want.</td>
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<td>20. This college has a reputation for good teaching/training.</td>
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<td>21. Classes are very small and more personal.</td>
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<td>22. This college is close to my home.</td>
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<td>23. My family wanted me to come here.</td>
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<td>24. I can take courses at night.</td>
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<td>25. I can take courses on weekends.</td>
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<td>26. If there had not been a community or technical college in the area, I probably would (check one):</td>
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<td>○ Not attend college at all</td>
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<td>○ Go to one of the state universities</td>
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<td>○ Go to a private college</td>
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Parents and Family College Experience
27. Check any statement which is true for your family or parents
○ I am the first person in my immediate family to go to college.
○ One or both of my parents or guardians went to college but did not earn a degree.
○ One or both of my parents or guardians earned an Associate Degree from a community college or junior college.
○ One or both of my parents or guardians earned a Bachelor's Degree from a college or university.

Financial Information

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<th>Annual Income</th>
<th>Less than $10,000</th>
<th>$10,000-$14,999</th>
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<td>28. Total annual income</td>
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<td>29. Total family household income</td>
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30. Which of the following best describes the household in which you currently reside? Are you living...
○ with parents or grandparents
○ with spouse
○ with spouse and children
○ with children
○ other (skip to question 32)

31. OTHER THAN YOURSELF, how many people rely on you for ALL or MOST of their financial support?
○ 0 
○ 1 
○ 2 
○ 3 
○ 4 or more

32. How many people live in your household?
○ 0 
○ 1 
○ 2 
○ 3 
○ 4 or more

Please indicate the major source through which you learned about this College.
33. Which of the following media:
○ Internet
○ Television
○ Radio
○ Newspaper
○ Brochure

34. Which of the following people:
○ Faculty or staff member
○ High school counselor or instructor
○ Parents
○ Friend or other relative
○ Co-worker or supervisor

Additional Information
35. is English your primary language? □ Yes □ No
36. What is your marital status? □ Married □ Not married
37. Are you currently expecting a child? □ Yes □ No
38. What time do you plan to take courses? (mark all that apply) □ Day □ Evening □ Weekend