Orange County’s Community Colleges include four Districts—Coast Community College District, North Orange County Community College District, Rancho Santiago Community College District, and South Orange County Community College District—serving over 300,000 students in Orange County.

ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE STUDENT

$1

For every dollar invested in Orange County community colleges by students and taxpayers, the community receives...

17.4% Annual Return on Investment
AND
Recovery of costs in less than 7 years.

$387,000
Average amount community college graduates earn in a lifetime more than high school graduates.

$11,000
Average amount community college graduates earn per year more than high school graduates.

$20,000
Average amount those with an Associate’s degree earn per year than those without a high school diploma.

JOBCREATION

CALIFORNIA AND ORANGE COUNTY TAXPAYERS

$1

14.7% Annual Return on Investment
AND
Recovery of costs in less than 8 years.

$70 MILLION
Amount the public saves per year on quality life and social benefits.

$1.6 BILLION
In increased economic activity due to Community College District operations.

$9 BILLION
In combined increased economic activity, higher earnings, increased consumer spending, and public benefits to the Orange County economy.