

Reynolds & Richmond City

Partners in student success and a vibrant community



Dr. Gary L. Rhodes
June 6, 2016

J. Sargeant Reynolds
Community College



Is today's decision in the
best interest of our students?

**Welcome
&
Introductions**

City Council Appointed Reynolds College Board Members

Thank You!...

Steve Baril (chair)
Thurman Cash III
Dr. Brenda Drew
Dr. Rondle Edwards
Ernesto Sampson (vice-chair)





**17,742 credit students served
in 2015-2016 academic year**



**335,077 students
served since 1972!**

More Enrollment Stats

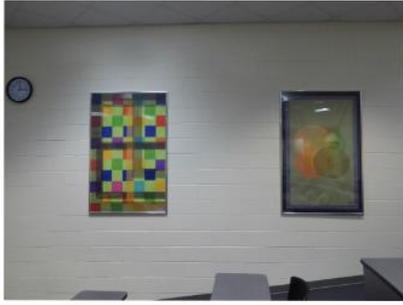
24% First Generation Students

837 Active Duty, Reserve or Veteran Students

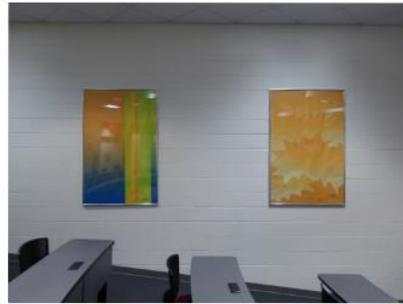
2,427 Students Over Age 40



Downtown Campus



Marilyn West Art







More Welcoming Lobbies





Brick & Facade Restoration Work





Georgiadis Hall Renovations
Parham Road Campus

CONFERENCE CENTER GALLERY





Make
A Smart
Move.

Reynolds Honors Program



Coming soon...



Director of Urban Initiatives

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Top 4 Objectives of the Position:

- 1) Increase the number of Richmond Public School graduates who attend Reynolds Community College;
- 2) Develop relationships/partnerships with key external community organizations that can partner with Reynolds to support student completion/graduation in areas where Reynolds does not have sufficient resources;
- 3) Serve as the internal college expert in urban populations, culture, and dynamics that clarify the needs of and success strategies for urban populations;
- 4) Coordinate with college administration the implementation of credit/non-credit programs and services that are able to serve urban populations and lead to credentials and career preparation.

So...

THE
NEW ECONOMY

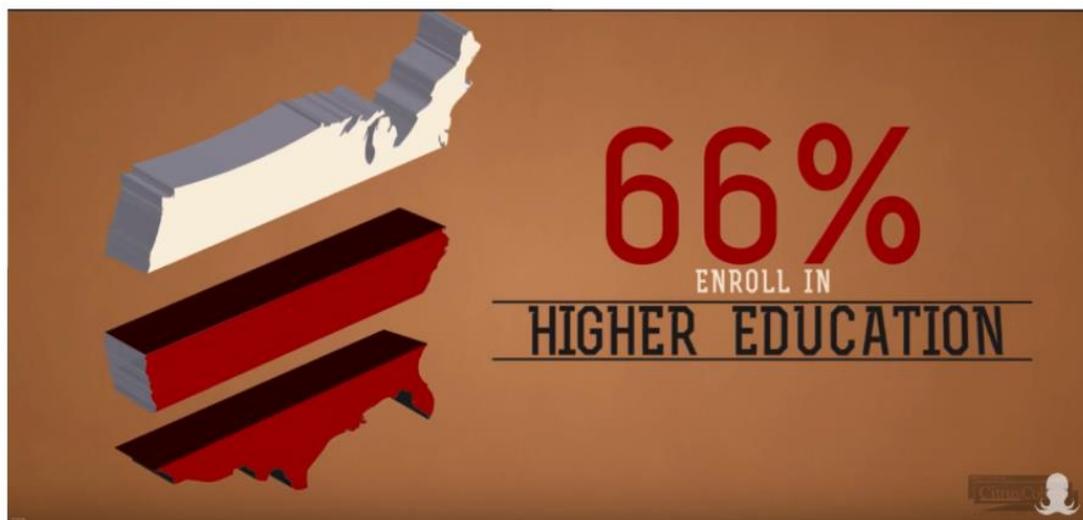
You've heard it before but
what does it all mean?



Gov. Terry McAuliffe

“We must ensure Virginia’s workers can get the skills they need for the jobs they want... in order to succeed in a 21st century economy.”

Graduating High School Seniors...

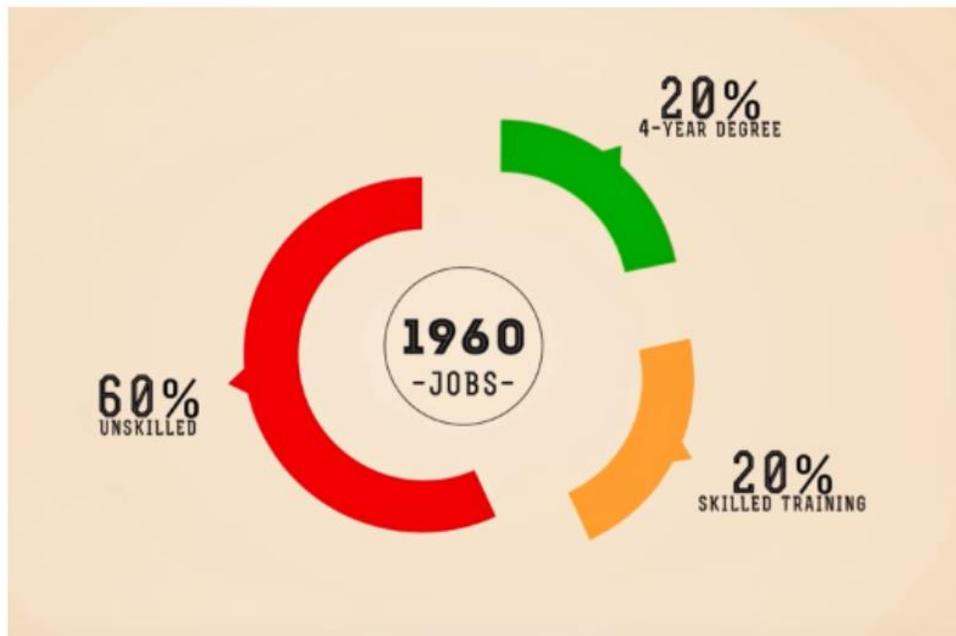


**But only 1/4 who enroll
earn a bachelor's degree...**

And half of all university graduates are *underemployed* in "gray collar" jobs

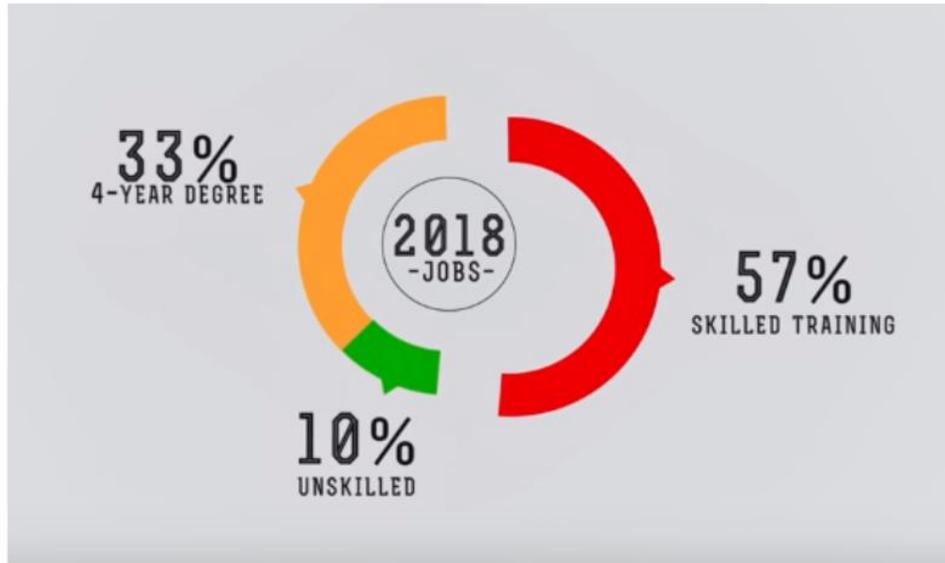


Labor Market Demand in 1960



60%
UNSKILLED

Projected Labor Market Demand in 2018





57%

SKILLED TRAINING

Fundamental Jobs Ratio in All Industries 1 - 2 - 7



Healthcare Industry Example



1



2



7



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1



2



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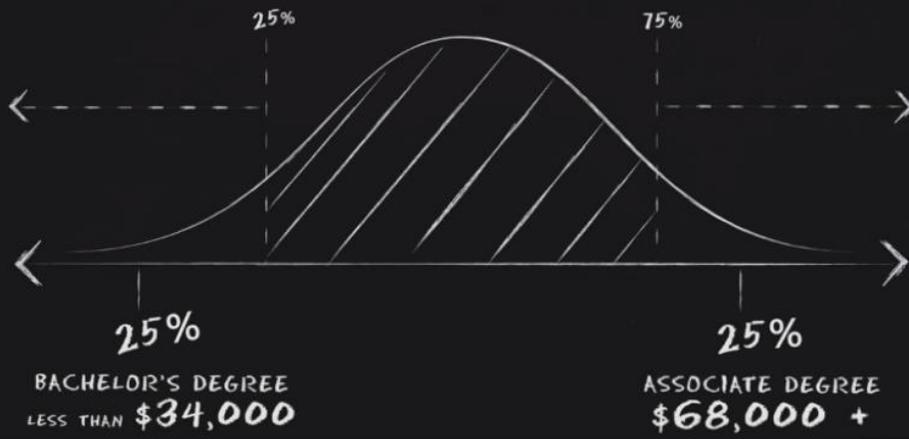


POST-HIGH SCHOOL CREDENTIAL FOR ALL

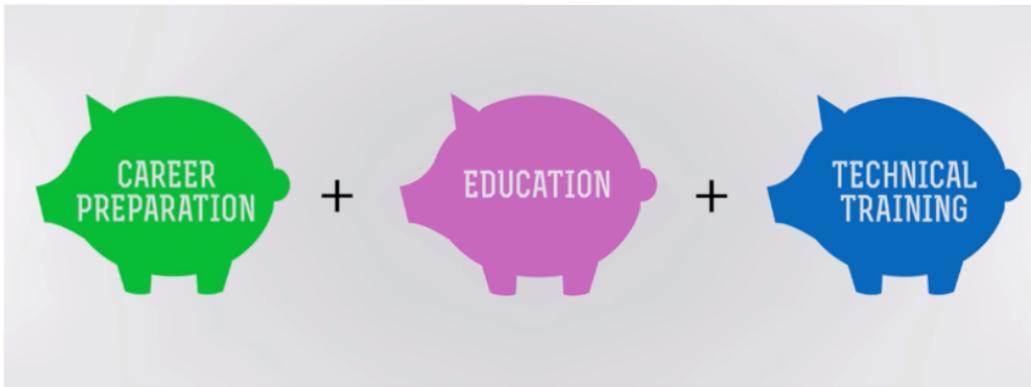


**What's the real earnings
math for skilled jobs?**





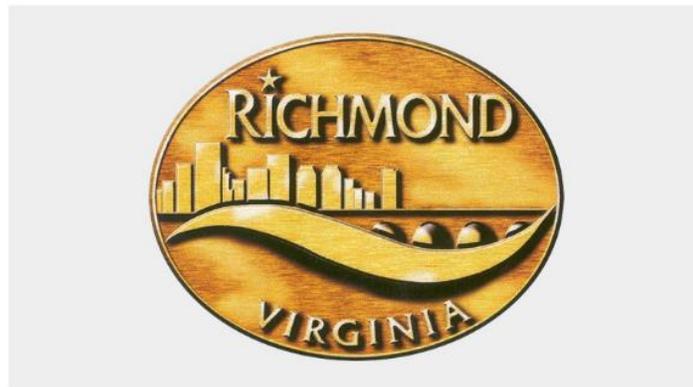
So where's the best place to find?...





"Community Colleges are in the ideal position to provide **over 70 percent of tomorrow's workforce with an education combined with applied technical skills, industry driven credentials, and specific preparation for employment."**

Current Partnerships with Richmond City



3,560 Richmond City residents
attended **Reynolds...**

...**132** were recent graduates of RPS

236 Richmond City residents graduated from **Reynolds** with a degree or certificate in 2015





156 RPS students took a dual enrollment course at **Reynolds** during the past academic year.



EARLY COLLEGE ACADEMY

Coming Fall 2016

Reynolds provides **career coaches** at:

**Huguenot High School
Armstrong High School
George Wythe High School
John Marshall High School**

To help students prepare academic and career plans



Adult Basic Education + GED Test Preparation

**The J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College
Educational Foundation provided
\$175,552 in scholarships for
Richmond City residents in the last two years.**

Kids' Vision Day for RPS



Free eye exams and custom eyeglasses
from Reynolds' Opticianry program

Students

Ultimately, it's about completion and graduation!

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**Thank you Richmond City
for your continuing investment
in Reynolds!**



Questions?