



# Pima County Community College District

## Institutional Status and Requirements Report

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### Institution and Contact Information

Institution ID: 1012  
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### Accreditation Status

Accreditation Status: Accredited  
 Accredited 02/23/2017 -  
 Accredited On Notice 02/26/2015 - 02/22/2017  
 Accredited On Probation 04/06/2013 - 02/25/2015  
 Accredited 04/09/1975 - 04/05/2013  
 Candidate 03/22/1972 - 04/08/1975

#### Nature of Institution

Control: Public  
 Degrees Awarded: Associates

#### Reaffirmation of Accreditation

Year of Last Reaffirmation of Accreditation: 2018 - 2019  
 Year of Next Reaffirmation of Accreditation: 2024 - 2025

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**Accreditation Liaison** Linnea Stenson

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## Accreditation Stipulations

### General:

The institution is approved at the following program level(s): Associate's

The institution is not approved at the following program level(s): Bachelor's, Master's, Specialist, Doctoral

*Adding or modifying programs at a new degree level may require prior HLC approval. See HLC's Institutional Change policy (INST.F.20.040) and related procedures prior to implementing academic program changes.*

### Additional Location:

Prior HLC approval required.

### Distance and Correspondence Courses and Programs:

Approved for distance education courses and programs. The institution has not been approved for correspondence education.

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## Accreditation Events

Accreditation Pathway: Standard Pathway, Year 5

### Upcoming Events:

Comprehensive Evaluation: 2024 - 2025

The team should review that the institution has completed its plan to come into compliance with the faculty qualification requirement.

### In-process Events:

Institutional Change: 06/18/2020  
Location

Request to open three additional locations: 1) Rio Rico HS, 590 Camino Lito Galindo, Rio Rico 85648; 2) Mountain View HS, 3901 W. Linda Vista Blvd., Tucson, AZ 85742; and 3) Sahuarita HS, 350 W. Sahuarita, AZ 85629. Locations open: 8/1/2020.

## Monitoring

### Upcoming Events:

Interim Report: 06/01/2021

A report on the Assessment of General Education, Course, and Program Learning Outcomes; Faculty Participation; and Integration of Assessment and Program Review results into the Budgeting Processes (3B, 4A, 4B, 5C).

Interim Report: 06/01/2021

A report on the Correction of Concerns Identified in the 2017 Audit from the Arizona Auditor General: Financial Reporting, Student Financial Assistance Cluster, TRIO Cluster, Information Technology, and Purchasing Controls (Federal Compliance, 2A, 5A).

### In-process Events:

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**Institutional Data****Educational Programs Offered****Undergraduate**

Associate Degrees	60
Baccalaureate Degrees	0

**Graduate**

Master's Degrees	0
Specialist Degrees	0
Doctoral Degrees	0

<b>Certificates</b>	<b>106</b>
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**Extended Operations****Branch Campuses**

- Community Campus, 401 North Bonita Ave, Tucson, AZ, 85709-5000
- Desert Vista Campus, 5901 South Calle Santa Cruz, Tucson, AZ, 85709-6000
- Downtown Campus, 1255 North Stone Ave., Tucson, AZ, 85709-3000
- East Campus, 8181 East Irvington Rd., Tucson, AZ, 85709-7000
- Northwest Campus, 7600 North Shannon Road, Tucson, AZ, 85709-7200
- West Campus, 2202 West Anklam Rd, Tucson, AZ, 85709-0001

**Additional Locations**

- Amphi Land Lab, 450 E. Wetmore Road, Tucson, AZ, 85705 - Active
- Andrada Polytechnic High School, 12960 S. Houghton Road, Tucson, AZ, 85747 - Active
- Arizona State Prison Complex-Tucson, 10000 South Wilmot Road, Tucson, AZ, 85734 - Active
- Aviation Technology Center, 7211 South Park Avenue, Tucson, AZ, 85709-6185 - Active
- Canyon del Oro HS, 25 W. Calle Concordia, Oro Valley, AZ, 85704 - Active
- Casino Del Sol Resort, 5655 W. Valencia Road, Tucson, AZ, 85757 - Active
- Catalina High School, 3546 East Pima Street, Tucson, AZ, 85716 - Active
- Central Arizona Vocational Institute of Technology, 1789 W. Coolidge Avenue, Coolidge, AZ, 85128 - Active
- Davis-Monthan Air Force Base, 5355 E Granite St, Bldg 2441, Suite 130, Tucson, AZ, 85709-3009 - Active
- Desert View High School, 4101 E. Valencia Rd., Tucson, AZ, 85706 - Active
- District Support Service Center/Maintenance and Services (M&S), 6680 South Country Club Road, Tucson, AZ, 85709-6185 - Active
- East Valley Institute of Technology, 1601 Main Street, Mesa, AZ, 85201 - Active
- El-Rio Community Health Center, 839 W. Congress, Tucson, AZ, 85747 - Active
- Federal Bureau of Prison Federal Correctional Complex, 8901 South Wilmot Road, Tucson, AZ, 85756 - Active
- Golder Ranch Fire District Training Facility, 3855 E. Golder Ranch Drive, Tucson, AZ, 85739 - Active
- Ironwood Ridge HS, 2475 W Naranja Drive, Oro Valley, AZ, 85742 - Active
- JTED at Camino Seco, 8727 E. 22nd Street, Tucson, AZ, 85710 - Active
- JTED at Master Pieces, 2855 W. Master Pieces Dr., Tucson, AZ, 85741 - Active
- Marana High School, 12000 W. Emigh Rd., Tucson, AZ, 85743 - Active
- Northwest Fire District Training Center, 5125 West Camino de Fuego, Tucson, AZ, 85743 - Active

Pascua Yaqui Tribal Nation, 7465 S. Camino Benem, Tucson, AZ, 85757 - Active  
Pima Community College 29th St. Coalition Center, 4355 East Calle Aurora, Tucson, AZ, 85711 - Active  
Rural Metro Fire Dept. Operations, 3759 N. Commerce Drive, Tucson, AZ, 85705 - Active  
Santa Cruz Center, 2021 North Grand Avenue, Nogales, AZ, 85621 - Active  
Santa Rita High School, 3951 S Pantano Rd., Tucson, AZ, 85730 - Active  
Sunnyside High School, 1725 E. Bilby Rd., Tucson, AZ, 85706 - Active  
Tucson Public Safety Academy, 10001 South Wilmot Road, Tucson, AZ, 85756 - Active  
Western Maricopa Education Center (West-MEC), 1617 W. Williams Drive, Phoenix, AZ, 85027 - Active

## **Distance Delivery**

The stipulation regarding Distance and Correspondence Courses and Programs under the heading Accreditation Stipulations identifies the approval level regarding the institution's offerings. HLC does not display information regarding each distance education offering at an institution.

## **Correspondence Education**

The stipulation regarding Distance and Correspondence Courses and Programs under the heading Accreditation Stipulations identifies the approval level regarding the institution's offerings. HLC does not display information regarding each distance education offering at an institution.

## **Contractual Arrangements**

13.0101 Education, General - Associate - Elementary Education - AA - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

13.1099 Special Education and Teaching, Other - Certificate - Special Education Mild-Moderate Disabilities Certification - Post Degree Certification - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

13.1099 Special Education and Teaching, Other - Certificate - Special Education Mild-Moderate Disabilities Certification for Certified Teachers - Post Degree Certification - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

13.1202 Elementary Education and Teaching - Certificate - Elementary Certification - Post Degree Certification - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

13.1205 Secondary Education and Teaching - Certificate - Secondary Certification - Post Degree Certification - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

13.1210 Early Childhood Education and Teaching - Associate - Early Childhood Education - AA - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

13.1210 Early Childhood Education and Teaching - Associate - Early Childhood Studies - AAS - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

13.1210 Early Childhood Education and Teaching - Certificate - Early Childhood Assistant Educator - Certificate - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

24.0101 Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies - Associate - Liberal Arts - AA (English Pathway) - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

24.0101 Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies - Associate - Liberal Arts - AA (General Pathway) - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

24.0101 Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies - Associate - Liberal Arts - AA (History Pathway) - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

24.0102 General Studies - Associate - General Studies - AGS - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

51.0707 Health Information/Medical Records Technology/Technician - Associate - Health Information Technology - AAS - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

51.0713 Medical Insurance Coding Specialist/Coder - Certificate - Medical Billing and Coding Certificate - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

52.0101 Business/Commerce, General - Associate - Business - AAS - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

52.0101 Business/Commerce, General - Associate - Business Admin - ABUS - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

52.0201 Business Administration and Management, General - Certificate - Advanced Business Certificate - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

52.0201 Business Administration and Management, General - Certificate - Basic Business Certificate - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

52.0203 Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management - Associate - Logistics and Supply Chain Management - AAS - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

52.0203 Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management - Certificate - Basic Logistics and Supply Chain Management Certificate - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

52.0301 Accounting - Certificate - Accounting: Bookkeeping Certificate - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

52.1001 Human Resources Management/Personnel Administration, General - Certificate - Human Resources Certificate - Embanet-Compass Knowledge Group Inc. (Pearson)

### **Consortial Arrangements**

52.0203 - Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management - Associate - Logistics and Supply Chain Management - Logistics and Supply chain Management WSU TEch and Pima

52.0203 - Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management - Certificate - Technical Certificate in Logistics and Supply Chain Management - Intergovernmental Agreement between Pima County Community College and Wichita State University Campus of Applied Sciences and Technology

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### **Non-Financial Indicators**

### **Financial Indicators**

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### **Other Accreditors**

**Agency**

**End Date (If Applicable)**

Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN) - Good Standing  
Associate's in Nursing

Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE) - Good Standing  
OTA

Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT) - Good  
Standing  
Radiography Program

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## History

6/22/2020 - Institutional Change: Program, . Request for approval to offer the Associate of Applied Science in Automated Industrial Technology for Direct Employment.

5/4/2020 - Institutional Change: Location, Request Approved. Request to open two additional locations:  
1)Canyon del Oro HS, 25 W. Calle Concordia, Oro Valley, AZ 85704; and 2)Ironwood Ridge HS, 2475 W.  
Naranja Drive, Oro Valley, AZ 85742. Locations open 8/20/2020.

9/9/2019 - Institutional Change: Program, Request Approved. Request for approval to offer the Associate  
of Applied Science in Automated Industrial Technology for Direct Employment.

9/9/2019 - Institutional Change: Program, Request Approved. Request for approval to the Associate of  
Applied Science in Surgical Technology.

7/29/2019 - Institutional Change: Program, Request Approved. Request for approval to offer the Associate  
of Applied Science in Cyber Security, CIP code:11.1003.

7/29/2019 - Institutional Change: Program, Request Approved. Request for approval to offer the Hospitality  
Leadership - Associate of Applied Science for Direct Employment and Transfer.

6/3/2019 - Institutional Change: Location, Request Approved. Request to open an additional location:  
Catalina High School, 3546 East Pima Street, Tucson, AZ 85716.

4/15/2019 - Standard Comprehensive Evaluation, Interim Report Requested.

2/8/2019 - Multi Campus Visit, . Northwest Campus, Community Campus, Downtown Campus

1/14/2019 - Institutional Change: Location, Request Approved. Request to open 2 additional locations:  
Amphi Land Lab, 450 E. Wetmore Road, Tucson, AZ 85705; and East Valley Institute of Technology, 1601  
W. Main Street, Mesa, AZ 85705. Locations open: 1/17/2019.

4/30/2018 - Institutional Change: Location, Request Approved. Request to open an additional location:  
Santa Cruz Center, 2021 North Grand Avenue, Nogales, AZ 85621. Location opens: 8/22/18.

3/26/2018 - Institutional Change: Correspondence, Request Denied. Request to initiate Correspondence  
Education to offer a Customer Service Certificate program.

11/7/2017 - Multi Location Visit, Report Accepted. Casino Del Sol Resort, Tucson Public Safety Academy,  
Davis-Monthan Air Force Base

7/31/2017 - Institutional Change: Location, Request Approved. Request to open three additional locations:  
1) Andrada Polytechnic High School, 12960 S. Houghton Road, Tuscon, AZ 85747. Location opens:  
8/1/2017.

2) Central Arizona Vocational Institute of Technology,1789 W. Coolidge Avenue, Coolidge, AZ 85128.  
Location opens: 8/1/2017.

3) Western Maricopa Education Center (West-MEC), 1617 W. Williams Drive, Phoenix, AZ 85027. Location  
opens: 8/1/2017.

7/31/2017 - Institutional Change: Location, Request Approved. Request to open three additional locations:

1) Marana High School, 12000 W. Emigh Rd, Tuscon, AZ 85743. Location opened: 1/1/2017.

2) JTED at Master Pieces, 2855 W. Master Pieces Dr., Tuscon, AZ 85741. Location opened: 1/1/2017.

3) JTED at Camino Seco, 8727 E. 22nd St., Tuscon, AZ 85710. Location opened: 1/1/2017.

7/31/2017 - Institutional Change: Location, Request Approved. Request to open three additional locations:

1) Rural Metro Fire Dept Operations, 3759 N. Commerce Dr., Tuscon, AZ 85705. Location opens: 6/1/2017.

2) Golder Ranch Fire District Training Facility, 3885 E. Golder Ranch Drive, Tuscon, AZ 85739. Location  
opens: 6/1/2017.

3) Northwest Fire District Training Center, 5125 West Camino de Fuego, Tuscon, AZ 85743. Location  
opens: 6/1/2017.

7/31/2017 - Institutional Change: Location, Request Approved. Request to open three additional locations:  
 1) Sunnyside High School, 1725 E. Bilby Rd., Tucson, AZ 85706. Location opens: 8/1/2017.  
 2) Desert View High School, 4101 E Valencia Rd., Tucson, AZ 85706. Location opens: 8/1/2017.  
 3) Santa Rita High School, 3951 S Pantano Rd., Tucson, AZ 85730. Location opens: 8/1/2017.

7/31/2017 - Institutional Change: Location, Request Approved. Request to open two additional locations:  
 1) Pascua Yaqui Tribal Nation, 7465 S. Camino Benem, Tucson, AZ 85757. Location opens: 5/1/2017.  
 2) El-Rio Community Health Center, 839 W. Congress, Tucson, AZ 85747. Location opens: 5/1/2017.

2/24/2017 - Sanctions Notice, Remove Notice.

10/31/2016 - Institutional Change: Location, Request Approved. Request to open an additional location:  
 Casino Del Sol Resort, 5655 W. Valencia Road, Tucson, AZ 85757. Location opens: 10/1/2016.

10/28/2016 - Additional Location Confirmation, Confirmed. Aviation Technology Center

6/27/2016 - Institutional Change: Location, Request Approved. Request to open three additional locations:  
 1) Aviation Technology Center, 7211 South Park Avenue, Tucson, AZ 85709-6185. Location opens: 5/1/2016.  
 2) District Support Service Center/Maintenance and Services (M&S), 6680 South Country Club Road, Tucson, AZ 85709-6185. Location opens: 5/1/2016.  
 3) Tucson Public Safety Academy, 10001 South Wilmot Road, Tucson, AZ 85756. Location opens: 5/1/2016.

6/27/2016 - Institutional Change: Location, Request Approved. Request to open two additional locations:  
 1) Arizona State Prison Complex-Tucson, 10000 South Wilmot Road, Tucson, AZ 85734. Location opens: 5/1/2016.  
 2) Federal Bureau of Prison Federal Correctional Complex, 8901 South Wilmot Road, Tucson, AZ 85756. Location opens: 5/1/2016.

2/26/2015 - Sanctions Probation, Place on Notice.

8/6/2013 - Monitoring, Interim Report, . A monitoring report no later than August 1, 2013, outlining a plan by which the College will establish conformity with Assumed Practices A.4 and B.2.c by July 2014.

8/6/2013 - Staff Action, Monitoring report accepted. A monitoring report no later than August 1, 2013, outlining a plan by which the College will establish conformity with Assumed Practices A.4 and B.2.c by July 2014.

7/29/2013 - Additional Location Confirmation, Confirmed. Pima Community College 29th St. Coalition Center

4/6/2013 - Advisory Visit, Place on Probation.

1/28/2013 - Staff Action, Monitoring report accepted. A report on Assessment of Student Learning.

1/18/2013 - Desk Review, Additional Location Added. Approved the additional location in Tucson, AZ

12/20/2010 - Continued Accreditation, Accreditation continued.

12/20/2010 - Continued Accreditation, Monitoring report required. 1/15/13: A report on Assessment of Student Learning.

2/20/2006 - Institutional Change: Distance Delivery, Desk Review. SAS/OP Distance Education Reconciliation Project

2/20/2006 - Staff Recommendation, Distance delivery. Distance delivery approval

6/30/2003 - Staff Recommendation, New site added. Include a new campus in northwest Tucson

9/16/2002 - Staff Recommendation, New site added. Add degree sites in Gila County, AZ.

8/20/2001 - Continued Accreditation, Accreditation continued. Accreditation continued at Associate's level

8/20/2001 - Continued Accreditation, Monitoring report required. 9/30/02: report on outcomes of the student assessment program

8/20/2001 - Continued Accreditation, Monitoring report required. 9/30/03: report on concerns related to federal compliance, occupational education, developmental education, and organizational development.

11/19/1999 - Focused Visit, New Program Added. Approval to include the ITCAP program at various sites within the U.S.

7/15/1997 - Staff Action, Progress report accepted. Report on the plan for the assessment of student academic achievement.

11/4/1994 - Focused Visit, Focused Visit Completed. Evaluation focused on: 1) faculty, administrative and program evaluation; 2) student outcomes assessment; 3) implementation and evaluation of the strategic plan.

11/4/1994 - Focused Visit, Progress report required. 6/30/97: report on the plan for the assessment of student academic achievement.

10/8/1993 - Staff Action, Progress report accepted. Report on evaluation of Board of Governors regarding its role, effectiveness, and perceived public support.

7/14/1992 - Staff Action, Progress report accepted. Report on evaluation of Board of Governors regarding its role, effectiveness, and perceived public support.

7/17/1991 - Staff Action, Progress report accepted. Report on evaluation of Board of Governors regarding its role, effectiveness, and perceived public support.

5/13/1991 - Staff Action, Progress report accepted. Report on progress toward filling administrative positions through Assistant Vice Chancellor level.

2/15/1991 - Continued Accreditation, Accreditation continued.

2/15/1991 - Continued Accreditation, Focused Visit Scheduled. Evaluation focused on: 1) faculty, administrative and program evaluation; 2) student outcomes assessment; 3) implementation and evaluation of the strategic plan.

2/15/1991 - Continued Accreditation, Probation withdrawn.

2/15/1991 - Continued Accreditation, Progress report required. 4/1/91: report on progress toward filling administrative positions through Assistant Vice Chancellor level.

2/15/1991 - Continued Accreditation, Progress report required. 7/1/91; 7/1/92; 7/1/93: report on evaluation of Board of Governors regarding its role, effectiveness, and perceived public support.

3/16/1990 - Staff Action, Progress report accepted. Report documenting the institution's progress toward ameliorating the specific concerns that led to probation.

3/3/1989 - Staff Recommendation, Accreditation continued. Change recommended by Executive Director; action was based on the recommendation and findings of the teams for October 1988 (comp) and February 1989 (fact-finding visit).

3/3/1989 - Staff Recommendation, Placed on Probation. (Change recommended by Executive Director) Problems that threaten the College's ability to continue to meet GIRs 3a. and 3b. (relating to governance) and Evaluative Criteria 2,3, and 4 (relating to adequate resources appropriately organized to accomplish the institution's purposes, accomplishment of the institution's purposes, and continuing accomplishment of the institution's purposes).

3/3/1989 - Staff Recommendation, Progress report required. (Change recommended by Executive Director) 3/1/90: Report documenting the institution's progress toward ameliorating the specific concerns that led to probation.

2/13/1989 - Advisory Visit, Advisory Visit. Fact-finding visit at request of Executive Director of the Commission.

10/3/1988 - Continued Accreditation, Comp Completed. A comprehensive evaluation for continued accreditation occurred on October 3-5, 1989. No action was taken.

5/15/1986 - Staff Action, Editorial Change. Revised wording for Locations Section: The College offers courses and programs at its four campuses and Skill Center in Tucson and Pima County, Arizona (Community Campus, Downtown Campus, East Campus, West Campus, and the Skill Center). Some courses are also offered at other instructional sites within the state.

5/15/1986 - Staff Action, Progress report accepted. Report which includes the major areas covered in the focused study: (1) implementation of the Board Code of Ethics, (2) progress to eliminate interference in administrative affairs including personnel matters by the Board, (3) quality of Board of Governors interaction, (4) improvement of communication in Board-Faculty meet and confer process.

10/19/1984 - Focused Visit, Focused Visit Completed. Evaluation focused on the role of the governing board

10/19/1984 - Focused Visit, Progress report required. 1/86: report which includes the major areas covered in the focused study: (1) implementation of the Board Code of Ethics, (2) progress to eliminate interference in administrative affairs including personnel matters by the Board, (3) quality of Board of Governors interaction, (4) improvement of communication in Board-Faculty meet and confer process.

10/19/1984 - Focused Visit, Visit Re-scheduled. Next comprehensive re-scheduled for 1988-89.

10/27/1981 - Continued Accreditation, Accreditation continued. Accreditation continued at Associate's level

10/27/1981 - Continued Accreditation, Focused Visit Scheduled. Evaluation focused on the role of the governing board



12/17/1980 - , . The following units of Pima County CC District are included in the accreditation of the district: West Campus, Downtown Campus, Community College, East Campus, and the Skill Center.

4/9/1975 - Initial Accreditation, Accreditation granted.

7/20/1973 - , Candidacy status revised. Institution became Candidate for Accreditation under new policy

3/22/1972 - Initial Candidacy, Candidacy granted. Recognized Candidate for Accreditation status granted

7/29/1968 - , Correspondent status granted.