Our Credits Transfer – Our Graduates Work!

J.F. DRAKE STATE
COMMUNITY & TECHNICAL COLLEGE

3421 Meridian Street, N | Huntsville, AL  35811
256.539.8161 | drakestate.edu
President: Dr. Kemba Chambers
Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges
Member: Alabama Community College System
Enrollment: 2200 Annually
Student/Instructor Ratio: 16:1

Tuition: Tuition at Drake State consistently ranks among one of the best values in Alabama. For current tuition and fees, please visit www.drakestate.edu or contact the Business Office at 256.539.8161.

In-State Tuition: Rates are available to residents of the following Tennessee counties: Bedford, Franklin, Giles, Lawrence, Lincoln, Marion, Marshall, and Moore.
**Student Profile:**
Black, Non-Hispanic 55%; White, Non-Hispanic 37%; Asian or Pacific Islander 1%; Hispanic 2%; and Other 5%

**Service Area:**
Madison County and north Morgan County

**Downtown Location:**
228 East Holmes Avenue, Huntsville, Al 35802

**Awards Offered:**
Certificate, Associate of Arts, Associate of Science, and Associate of Applied Science Degrees

**Calendar:**
- Fall Semester: August – December
- Spring Semester: January – May
- Summer Semester: May – August

**Transfer programs include STARS/Articulation Agreements to:**
- UAHuntsville – Electrical Engineering
- Oakwood University
- Athens State University
- Alabama A&M University
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<td><strong>Student Organizations:</strong></td>
<td>Student Government Association, Skills USA, Phi Theta Kappa, Phi Beta Lambda, National Technical-Honor Society, International Association of Administrative Professionals, Culinary Arts Club, Amateur Radio Club, Entrepreneurial Club, Cyber Security Club, and more</td>
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Business Information & Technologies
• Accounting Technology
• Computer Information Systems Technology
• Business Administration

Engineering Technologies
• Electrical Technology
• Engineering Graphics Technology
• Electrical Engineering Technology
• Industrial Systems Technology

Manufacturing & Applied Technologies
• Automotive Technology
• Heating & Air Conditioning Technology
• Machine Tool Technology
• Welding Technology

Health Sciences
• Practical Nursing Technology
• Nursing Assistant
• Medical Assisting

Salon Management & Hospitality Services
• Barbering Technology
• Cosmetology Technology
• Culinary Arts/Hospitality Services Management
Available Certifications: Gas Tungsten Arc Welding and Gas Metal Arc Welding, Shielded Metal Arc Welding, Plate and Pipe Lithographic (x-ray) Certifications (Welding), Soldering, Soldering Inspection, Microsoft Office Specialist, CompTIA A+, Security+, Network+, Cisco CCNA, and NCCER Certifications.

National Training Programs/Sites:
- Regional and Local Cisco Networking Academy
- A+/Net + Certification Training Site
- ASE Certified Training Site (Automotive Mechanics)
- EPA Certification Testing Site (Heating & Air Conditioning)
Training for Existing Business/Industry and non-credit Workforce Development courses:
Drake State coordinates customized training programs with local business and industry for training/re-training employees.

Ready-to-Work Programs: Drake State prepares unemployed and underemployed workers for Alabama workforce readiness certifications.

Special Programs: Drake State accepts veterans benefits, Workforce Investment Act (WIA) benefits and refers to Vocational Rehabilitation Services.

Adult Education: Drake State offers adult basic education classes, General Educational Diploma (GED) preparation classes, and English as a Second Language (ESL) classes.
General Education:
A broad range of university-parallel, general education courses that transfer to four-year institutions are offered, including:

- English Composition
- English Literature
- World Literature
- American Literature
- Art
- Music
- U.S. History
- World History
- Western Civilization
- Pre-Calculus
- Calculus
- Physics
- Physical Science
- Biology
- Microbiology
- Statistics
- Psychology
- Religion
- Philosophy
- Sociology
- Economics
- Speech

Students completing at least 60 credit hours may be eligible for an associate of arts or science degree.
Registration Steps:
Applying for admission into J.F. Drake State Community & Technical College must be completed on-line.

Visit http://www.drakestate.edu/admissions/registration_steps.aspx and follow these steps:

- Apply for Admission (using the “Apply Now” button at the top right of the homepage)
- Apply for Financial Aid (FAFSA) and/or Drake State Scholarships
- Take the Required Placement Exam
- Verify Admission to the College (on-line)
- See an Advisor for Course Scheduling
- Authorize Your Aid and/or Pay for Your Courses
- Secure a Parking Decal, Student I.D., and Purchase Your Books