

BISMARCK STATE COLLEGE

2023-2024

FIRST DESTINATION

REPORT

Bismarck State College's (BSC) First Destination Report provides post-graduation outcomes for students who have completed a program with BSC. This report provides current and prospective students information to assist them in making informed decisions about their education and career paths.

This report provides valuable insights and data that can assist in making informed decisions; however, it does not represent a long-term perspective. Instead, it serves as a timely resource to guide career planning based on current information and industry trends.

The data from this report was compiled through email surveys, telephone calls and program instructors. The report contains information on graduates of the respective programs in which they were enrolled. Students are identified for follow-up by the Registrar's Graduate Report, which ran from July 1, 2023, to June 30, 2024. A graduate is defined as a student who has completed the required coursework for a Bachelor of Applied Science degree, Associate of Applied Science degree, Certificate or Diploma program. These students must apply for graduation to be identified in the Registrar's Graduate Report.

The First Destination Report is provided by the Mystic Advising and Counseling Center (MACC). Their comprehensive Career Advising Model is designed to assist students at every stage of their professional journey, from exploring potential career paths and national labor market information to utilizing assessments designed to discover their strengths, interests and values. This personalized model helps students make informed decisions about their careers, enhancing their employability, and supporting their personal and professional growth. Students have access to Handshake, an online career management platform designed to connect students and recent graduates with potential employers, facilitating internships, job opportunities and networking.
Find Handshake at: joinhandshake.com

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Post-Graduation Outcomes

- 92%** Employed after graduation
- 97%** Employed or continuing education
- 70%** Working in their field in North Dakota



List of Transfer Curricula:



List of Technical Programs:



List of BAS Programs:



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Program	Total Graduates	Number of Responses	Response Rate	Related Employment North Dakota	Related Employment Out-of-State	Other Employment	Military	Unemployed	Related Employment Wage Range	Continuing Education	% Employed/Continuing Education (Based on Responses and National Data Sources)
Administrative Assistant	3	1	33%	1					\$0-\$40k/yr		100%
Agriculture Industry & Technology	18	11	61%	10		1			\$40-\$80k/yr	1	100%
Associate Degree Nursing	7	3	43%	3		8	1		\$40-\$80k/yr		100%
Automotive Collision Technology	7	5	71%	5					\$40-\$80k/yr		100%
Automotive Technology	4	2	50%	2		1			\$40-\$80k/yr		100%
Carpentry (Residential) AAS	1	1	100%	1		1	1	3	\$40-\$80k/yr	1	100%
Carpentry (Residential) CERT	9	4	44%	1					\$40-\$80k/yr		25%
Cybersecurity & Information Technology	12	4	33%	2	2		1		\$40-\$80k/yr	1	100%
Cybersecurity & Computer Network	24	8	33%	6		2	1		\$40-\$80k/yr	1	100%
Diagnostic Medical Sonography	5	2	40%	2					\$40-\$80k/yr		100%
Digital Broadcasting	2	1	50%	1							100%
Electric Power Technology	55	29	53%	1	27				\$80-\$120k/yr	7	103%
Electrical Transmission Systems Technology	17	8	47%		7			1	\$120k+/yr	1	88%
Electronics/Telecommunications Technology	1	1	100%	1							100%
Energy Management	50	21	42%	5	11	3	3		\$80-\$120k/yr	2	100%
Energy Services & Renewable Technician	4	4	100%		1	2	1		\$40-\$80k/yr		100%
Environmental & Safety Regulation	1	1	100%		1				\$120k+/yr		100%
Farm & Ranch Management	19	9	47%	7	1			1	\$120k+/yr		89%
Finance	2	1	50%	1							100%
Geographic Information Systems Technician	3	1	33%	1					\$40-\$80k/yr		100%
Graphic Design & Communications	15	4	27%	2	1	1			\$0-\$40k/yr	1	92%
Heating, Ventilation & Air Conditioning	18	8	44%	6		2			\$40-\$80k/yr		100%
Human Services	2		0%								
Industrial Automation & Robot	1	1	100%	1		1			\$40-\$80k/yr		100%
Instrumentation & Control Technology AAS	24	11	46%	9	1	1			\$80-\$120k/yr		100%
Instrumentation & Control Technology CERT	3	1	33%		1				\$80-\$120k/yr		100%
Liberal Arts/Transfer	228	108	47%	48	8	29	3	2	\$40-\$80k/yr	63	99%
Lineworker (Electrical)	38	22	58%	15	3	1	3	2	\$40-\$80k/yr	1	91%
Management	14	9	64%	8		1			\$40-\$80k/yr	1	100%
Mass Communication	1	1	100%					1			0%
Mechanical Maintenance Technology	6	4	67%	4					\$80-\$120k/yr		100%
Medical Laboratory Technician	13	3	23%	1	1	1			\$40-\$80k/yr	1	100%
Nuclear Power Technology	1	1	100%		1						100%
Paramedic Technology	11	8	73%	6	1	1			\$40-\$80k/yr		100%
Petroleum Production Technology	3	2	67%	1		1			\$40-\$80k/yr		100%
Power Generation Technology AAS	6	3	50%	2	1				\$80-\$120k/yr		100%
Power Generation Technology CERT	5	5	80%	2		1			\$80-\$120k/yr	1	100%
Practical Nursing	40	15	38%	13	1	1			\$40-\$80k/yr	2	
Process Technology AAS	15	7	47%	5	2				\$80-\$120k/yr	2	114%
Process Technology CERT	3	2	67%	1	1				\$80-\$120k/yr		100%
Secure Programming	1	1	100%					1			0%
Surgical Technology	5		0%								
Web Page Development & Design	6	3	50%	1		1		1	\$0-\$40k/yr	1	100%
Welding	14	8	57%	4		4			\$40-\$80k/yr	2	100%
TOTAL	741	353	48%	181	75	57	12	14	Average: \$40k-\$80k/yr	88	97%