In 2004, the voters in the West Kern Community College District passed Measure A, a $39.8 M bond for construction and renovation of the Taft College facilities. Taft College has used the bond to undertake an ambitious modernization and construction project that will transform the campus. Projects include:

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<td>$19,266,624</td>
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<td>Science Modernization</td>
<td>$5,060,414</td>
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<td>Child Development Center</td>
<td>$4,159,800</td>
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<td>M&amp;O Facility</td>
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<td>Tech Arts Modernization</td>
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<td>Transition to Independent Living</td>
<td>$13,366,894</td>
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<td>Dorm Modernization</td>
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**Tuition, Fees & Financial Aid**

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<td>0 thru 14 units</td>
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**International Student**

Admissions application fee $100

**Textbook Rental Fees**

Rental fee w/paid ASB fee Avg 30% of retail price of book

Associated Student Body (ASB) Fee $15/year

**Residence Hall Room Rent**

$788/semester

**Meal Plan** (15 meals per week)

$1,298/semester

**Financial Aid**

**Academic Year 2011-2012**
Total number of students receiving an award: 2,797
Total dollar amount of aid awarded: $5,714,599.00

**Our Staff**

Full Time Faculty: 54
Adjunct Faculty: 78
Classified Staff: 140
Classified Administrators: 27
Certificated Administrators: 5

Dr. Dena P. Maloney, Superintendent/President

West Kern Community College Board of Trustees

Billy White, President
Kal Vaughn, Secretary
Carolyn Hosking
Michael Long
Dawn Cole

**Quick Stats 2013**

Date Founded: 1922
Campus Size: 39 Acres
College Service Area: 767 Square Miles

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TIL Complex Completed
Taft College offers 37 Associate Degrees and 24 Certificates leading to transfer or employment, along with a specialized, unique program entitled the Transition to Independent Living Program (TIL) designed to prepare students with intellectual disabilities to live independently. In accordance with Senate Bill 1440, the Student Transfer Achievement Act, the College offers six “Associate Degree for Transfer” degrees with four additional degrees in development. The six degrees currently being offered are in Art History, History, Psychology, Studio Arts, Early Childhood Education, and Sociology. The degrees currently in development are Criminal Justice Administration, Business Administration, Mathematics, and English. These degree options facilitate ease of transfer to four year universities and thereby enhance student success in achieving their educational goals.

The College’s Dental Hygiene Program is now celebrating its twentieth year in the rigorous preparation of students entering the dental hygiene field. The program is fully accredited by the American Dental Association. Over the past eighteen years, over 98% of the Taft College Dental Hygiene students have passed the state board licensure exam.

The Taft College Foundation is dedicated to supporting student success through fund raising and development of community relationships. The Foundation secures over $300,000 annually through corporate and individual giving. In 2013-14, the Foundation is hosting the West Kern Petroleum Summit, a one-day conference focused on the economic outlook and workforce needs of the petroleum industry in Kern County. The Summit is linked to the Taft College Energy Technology Program which prepares students to enter employment in the petroleum industry, one of the major industry sectors in Kern County.

The Top 10 Degrees for 2012-2013:

1. Social Science
2. Liberal Arts Communication
3. Criminal Justice Admin
4. Liberal Arts Math & Science
5. Liberal Arts Allied Health
6. Dental Hygiene
7. Liberal Arts Health & PE
8. Life Science
9. Early Childhood Education
10. General Business

The Top 5 Certificates for 2012-2013:

1. Child Devel Asst Teach - Local Certificate
2. Independent Living Skills
3. Dental Hygiene
5. Associate Teacher in ECEF

Program Highlights

Fields of Study

- Accounting
- Administrative Services
- Art
- Art History
- Business Administration
- Court Reporting
- Criminal Justice Administration
- Criminal Justice Administration - Corrections
- Dental Hygiene
- Direct Support Education
- Early Care, Education, and Family Studies
- Energy Technology
- English
- General Business
- History
- Information Technology and Management
- Independent Living Skills
- Industrial Health and Safety
- Liberal Arts with an Area of Emphasis:
  - Allied Health
  - Arts & Humanities
  - Business Technology
  - Communication
  - Health & PE
  - Math & Science
  - Natural & Life Science
  - Natural & Physical Science
  - Social & Behavioral Science

- Life Science
- Management
- Mathematics
- Multi-Media Journalism
- Physical Education
- Physical Science
- Psychology
- Recreation
- Sociology
- Studio Arts

*includes WESTEC students