

**LONGITUDINAL FOLLOW-UP STUDY RESULTS  
2001-02 GRADUATES**

Responses to Selected Survey Questions

**NEW RICHMOND CAMPUS**

	#	%
<b><u>Importance of Technical Education in Beginning Career</u></b>		
Very Important	61	51%
Important	31	26%
Somewhat Important	15	13%
No Importance	13	11%
<b><u>Importance of Technical Education in Career Advancement</u></b>		
Very Important	41	35%
Important	35	29%
Somewhat Important	20	17%
No Importance	23	19%
<b><u>Recommend Technical Education to Other</u></b>		
Definitely	87	74%
Maybe	27	23%
No	3	3%
<b><u>Additional Career-Related Training</u></b>		
At Technical College	25	21%
At College/University	19	16%
At Other Institution	14	12%
None	62	52%
<b><u>Number of Jobs Held Since Graduation</u></b>		
0	1	1%
1	47	39%
2	36	30%
3	23	19%
4	8	7%
5	1	1%
Over 5	4	3%

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<b><u>Number of Related Jobs Held Since Graduation</u></b>		
0	11	9%
1	65	54%
2	28	23%
3	10	8%
4	4	3%
5	1	1%
Over 5	1	1%
<b><u>Number of Promotions/Advancements Since Graduation</u></b>		
0	52	44%
1	31	26%
2	21	18%
3	7	6%
4	4	3%
5	1	1%
Over 5	2	2%
<b><u>Reason Employed In Job Not Related To Training at WITC</u></b>		
Worked previously in related job—changed to advance	6	17%
Enjoyed another type of work more	6	17%
Unable to find related job in my geographic area	3	9%
Could earn more in another field of employment	9	26%
Other	11	31%