

WTCS Systemwide Activity Update March 2023

2023 WTCS-BAS Apprenticeship Completion Report

The <u>2023 Apprenticeship Completion Report</u> is now available online on the Wisconsin Technical College System Publications website. The report contains employment, wage and training satisfaction outcomes for apprentices completing their programs in 2020-21.

- Of the 1385 completers surveyed, 426 (31%) responded. In the prior year report, there were 1220 completers and the response rate was 28%.
- The number of apprenticeship completers receiving related instruction through a WTCS college has steadily increased over the past five years, from 847 in 2016-17 to 1,385 in 2020-21.
- Respondents reported a 92% satisfaction rate for on-the-job training and 95% for classroom instruction.
- Median annual earnings for all completers grew from \$80,000 last year to \$84,238 in the current year's report.
- 37% of respondents indicated an interest in continuing education beyond apprenticeship which is consistent with prior year reports.

Apprenticeship in New Sectors: New Programs in Past Six Years

| 2016 2017 | Arborist MILW MSTC | Mechatronics Tech WCTC BTC GTC LTC MILW SWTC MPTC CVTC | IT-Software Developer MSTC CVTC NTC MPTC MDSN | |
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| 2018 | Organic Vegetable Farm Manager NWTC | Data Analyst CVTC NTC MILW MDSN MPTC | IT-Service Desk Technician WCTC CVTC NTC MDSN MPTC | Financial Services Representative MILW CVTC MPTC |
| 2019 | Broadband Technician NWD | Medical Assistant NTC | Biotechnology Lab Support Assistant MDSN | Press Set-Up Operator GTC |
| 2020 | Facilities Maintenance Technician MILW | Cybersecurity Analyst MDSN | Pharmacy Technician MILW | Early Childhood Educato MILW LTC CVTC FVTC NWTC |
| 2021 | Roadway Maintenance Technician CVTC | Industrial Metrology Technician FVTC CVTC | Culinary Apprentice MILW GTC | |
| 2022 | Diesel Technician NTC | Freight Forwarding MILW | Medical Laboratory Technician MILW | |

