

2017 and 2018

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2017-2018 Report and 2018-2019 Goals

Accreditation

Chipola College is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award baccalaureate degrees, associate degrees, and certificates. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call (404) 679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of Chipola College.

Mission

Our mission is to provide access to quality learning opportunities toward baccalaureate degrees, associate degrees, and certificates and to facilitate economic, social, and cultural development of the college's service area.

Vision

Chipola College promotes learning and student achievement through excellence, opportunity, diversity, and progress.

Chipola College does not discriminate against any persons, employees, students, applicants or others affiliated with the college with regard to race, color, religion, ethnicity, national origin, age, veteran's status, disability, gender, genetic information, marital status, pregnancy or any other protected class under applicable federal and state laws, in any college program, activity or employment. Questions or complaints regarding harassment or discrimination, including sexual harassment and sexual violence, should be directed to the college's Equity Officer and Title IX Coordinator: Wendy Pippen, Associate Vice President of Human Resources, Equity Officer and Title IX Coordinator, 3094 Indian Circle, Marianna, FL 32446, Building A, Room 183A, 850-718-2205, pippenw@chipola.edu.





The Charles Dickens novel, "A Tale of Two Cities," begins with these words: "It was the best of times, it was the worst of times. These words certainly describe the 2018 Chipola school year.

In August, Chipola celebrated being named a Gold College for the second straight year with a huge Back-to-School Golden Gala. Chipola was one of only five colleges among the 28 in the system to win Gold two years in a row.

Less than two months after the Gold celebration, Hurricane Michael on October 10, devastated the campus destroying 1,000 trees and damaging nearly every building. The college was closed for 10 days as crews worked to clear downed trees, and restore utilities and infrastructure. The majority of homes in Jackson and Calhoun counties suffered damage while many were total losses.

Through countless hours of work and sacrifice, Chipola College re-opened October 22 with all classes going on as scheduled. Donations from across the state and from one generous benefactor provided aid for students affected by the hurricane, and funds for a Memorial Tree project to replace some of the 1,000 trees lost during the storm.

These Gold Rankings and Hurricane Michael showed the college at its very best, and reaffirmed the quality of Chipola's students and employees.

Chipola has established a tradition of excellence over its seventy-one year history.

The 2017-18 academic year was an extraordinary chapter in the life of the college as our students were recognized on both the state and national levels for outstanding performance. Chipola made history in March of 2018, when the Brain Bowl team captured the FCSAA State Championship, the school's eighth state title. Phi Beta Lambda and Phi Theta Kappa students also brought home state and national awards.

Rep. Brad Drake, a member of the Florida House of Representatives, delivered the commencement address which celebrated the graduation of some 500 students.

Chipola also continued a tradition of excellence in athletics with outstanding performance on the field and a record number of student-athletes moving on to the next level of play.

The men's baseball team won its second straight NJCAA National Championship, the FCSAA State Championship and the Panhandle Conference title. Men's basketball finished as runner-up in the State FCSAA Tournament.

Women's softball earned a spot in the NJCAA National Tournament, finished as runner-up in the both the National NJCAA and State FCSAA Tournaments and won the Panhandle Conference title.

Thanks to the generous support of our alumni and friends, the Chipola Foundation grew to more than \$20 million in assets and provided \$750,000 in scholarships to our students.

This annual report provides a brief snapshot of our achievements over the past academic year. We invite you to visit our campus and join us at Chipola as we celebrate 71 years of changing lives and creating futures.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sarah M. Clemmons". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping underline.

Dr. Sarah M. Clemmons,
President



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District Board of Trustees

Calhoun County



Ryals (Vice-Chair)

Members of the Chipola College District Board of Trustees are appointed by the governor and serve as the governing body of the college. Board members establish policies and oversee operations to ensure the continued success of the college and its students.

In 2017-18, Board members elected trustees Tommy Lassmann and Danny Ryals as Chair and Vice-Chair, respectively.

Dates indicate expiration of the trustees' current appointment to the board.

Danny Ryals (2021) P.O. Box 100, Blountstown, FL 32424

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Assets

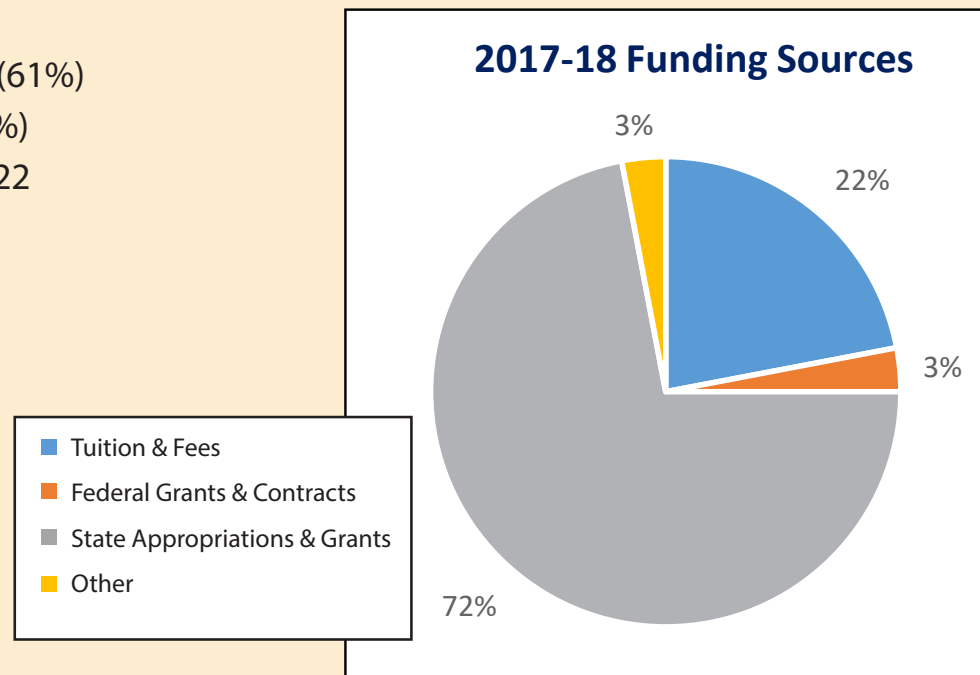
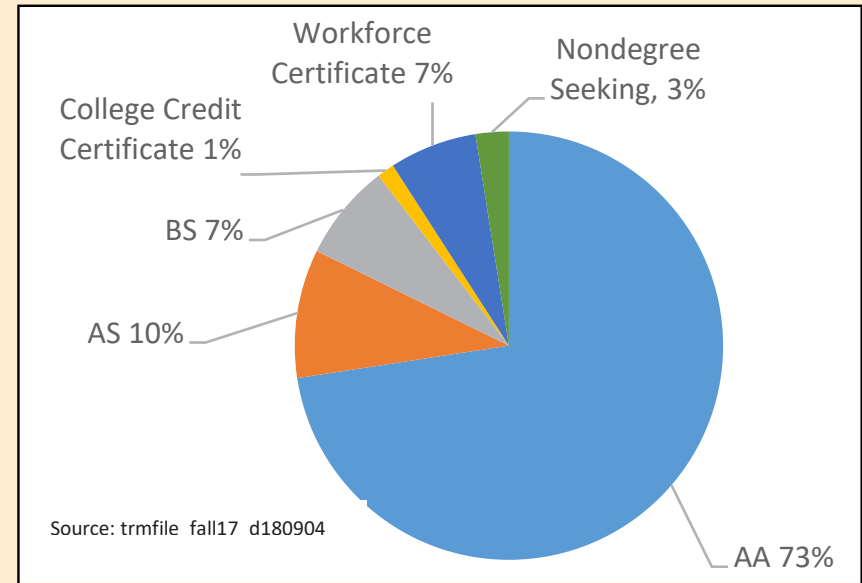
Main campus acreage: 130 acres
Other acreage: 39 acres
Instructional and administrative buildings: 23
Gross capital assets: \$92,747,429
Current assets: \$10,946,927

Employees

Faculty: 42 full-time and 125 part-time
Staff: 98 full-time and 118 part-time
Administrators: 25 full-time and 0 part-time

Students

Female: 1279 (61%)
Male: 815 (39%)
Average age: 22





Chipola holds Golden Gala

Everything was turning up gold at Chipola's back-to-school luncheon on Aug. 13, 2018. Chipola officials were marking earning a Gold ranking for the second straight year in the state's Performance Funding Model program. Gold tablecloths and centerpieces adorned the Cultural Center. Employees were treated to a lunch of gold-colored food and participated in a gold trivia game. Chipola was one of only five colleges to earn Gold among the 28 colleges in the Florida College System. The Florida Board of Education announced the annual performance rankings of Gold, Silver and Bronze in July. The five Gold colleges are: Chipola College, Santa Fe, Seminole State, South Florida State and Valencia. All five colleges also received a Gold ranking in 2017.



Chipola President Dr. Sarah Clemmons said, "We are so proud to earn Gold in back-to-back years."

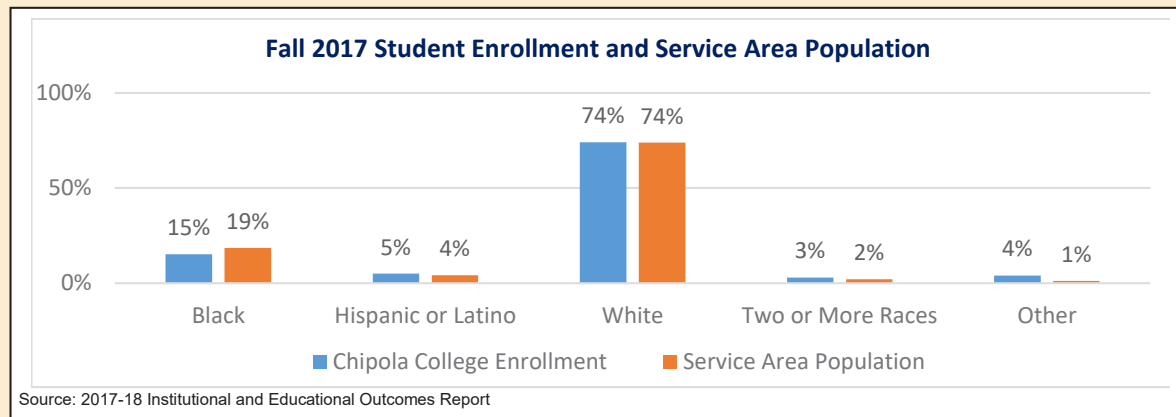


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Rankings

One thing that someone notices about our area of Florida is how proud its citizens are of Chipola College. Many people were able to pursue their educational and career goals because our college provided them access to affordable higher education.

The commitment to providing access to higher education is reflected in Chipola's student population.



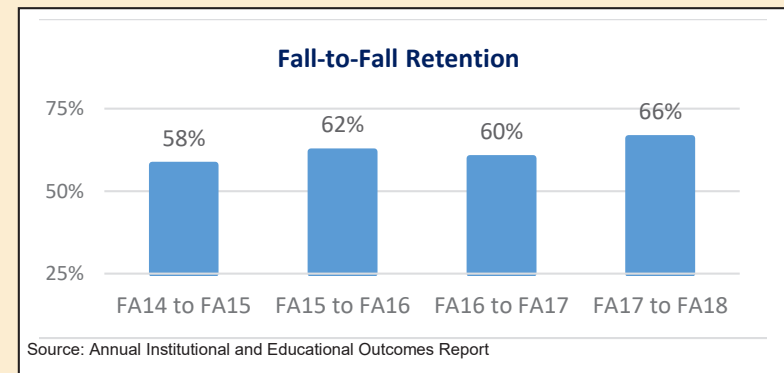
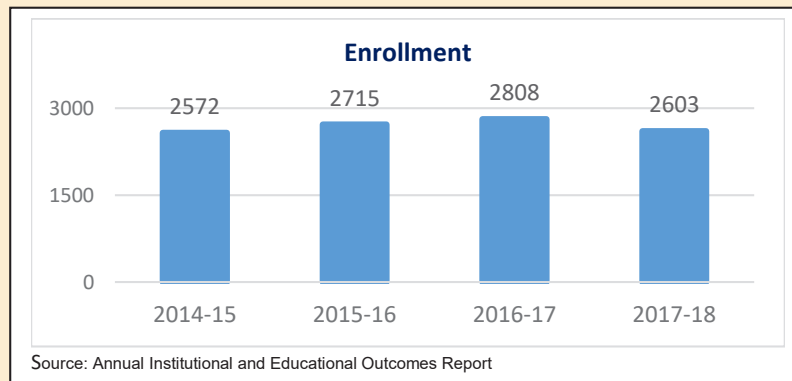
In academic year 2017-18, Chipola's Financial Aid Office administered nearly \$1.6 million in federal financial aid that helped 712 students attend Chipola College.

Source: 2017-2018 Institutional and Educational Outcomes Report

73% of entering students reported location of college as influencing their decision to enroll; cost of attending was cited by 40% of the entering students.

Source: Fall 2017 Entering Student Survey

Student enrollment and retention rates also reflect Chipola's commitment to access.



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Surviving the Storm

College Family:

I am so proud of everyone in the Chipola College family who worked tirelessly and quickly to help re-open the college on Oct. 22 despite overwhelming challenges on our campus. I know that many students and employees have experienced devastating personal losses to their homes and workplaces at the same time.

The decision to resume classes was made in order to best help our students. After speaking with other college presidents who experienced catastrophic damages in the past, like St. Pete and Florida Keys, I know that re-opening as quickly as possible was the best plan to help students complete this semester successfully.

I understand that Chipola will not return to normalcy for some time, but it is important to move forward and do our best for our students. Deadlines may need to be adjusted, and I am confident that our faculty and staff will treat students with compassion and understanding while maintaining high academic standards.

Thank you to all the employees and students of Chipola College. Together, we will get through this crisis and continue to make Chipola College one of the finest colleges in the nation.

Sarah M. Clemmons

Dr. Sarah Clemmons
President, Chipola College





In addition to the devastation on the Chipola campus, Hurricane Michael affected homes and businesses throughout the Florida Panhandle.



Chipola College Memorial Tree Project

Hurricane Michael forever changed the landscape of Chipola College. The 130-acre campus, once known for moss-draped oaks, towering pines and beautiful hickory and gum trees, now has only a few small trees scattered across campus.

Chipola College President Dr. Sarah Clemmons is committed to bringing trees back to the campus with the Chipola Memorial Tree Project. Alumni and friends of the college who would like to help with the project, may make tax-deductible donations in any amount to the Chipola College Foundation. For a gift of \$225, donors may purchase a 12-15 foot tree with a plaque in memory, or in honor of, a person or group.

More than 100 people showed up for a community tree giveaway on Jan. 18, Arbor Day. The event was hosted by the Florida Forest Service and Chipola College Science Club. Dr. David Hilton, Dean of Natural Sciences and Mathematics, is advising on the project along with science professor Dr. Santine Cuccio. Barry Stafford, County Forester with the Jackson County Forest Service was on campus to assist with planting some of the trees.

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Recognition and Achievement

- Beginning in the 2017-18 academic year, students were able to earn the BS in Business Administration degree online from Chipola College.
- The latest data show that Chipola College enrolled 34% of students who graduated from district high schools the previous year; this compares to 26% statewide for colleges and their district high schools.
- The fall 2017 to fall 2018 retention rate for first-time-in-college degree-seeking African American students was 48% - a five percentage point increase from the previous academic year.
- The average scores of Chipola's students on the Community College Survey on Student Engagement (CCSSE) once again exceeded those of the national student cohort in all five areas of student engagement.
- Chipola enrolled 52 students with disabilities during the 2017-18 academic year.
- The latest data show that 16% of students in career and workforce development programs were enrolled in programs nontraditional for their gender. The data also show that the completion rate for students in programs nontraditional for their gender increased by more than 50% since the 2013-14 academic year.
- The latest data show that 25% of Chipola program completers are of minority race/ethnicity – a figure that closely mirrors the service area population.
- 100% of Student Support Services program participants met requirements to remain in good academic standing at Chipola College.
- 100% of Student Support Services program participants graduated or transferred to a four-year institution within four years of enrollment at Chipola.
- The Chipola College Foundation awarded 1127 scholarships during the 2017-18 academic year.
- The Academic Center for Excellence served 964 students during the academic year.
- Chipola College Foundation net assets have increased by \$727,786 since the 2016-17 academic year.
- On the entering student survey, respondents indicated high levels of satisfaction with academic advising and other student services.
- Respondents to the graduating student survey indicated they were "satisfied" or "very satisfied" with the quality of online courses.
- Chipola's Testing Center administered more than 3000 standardized tests (e.g., CLEP, ACT, ETS Proficiency Profiles) to students during the academic year.
- The Chipola College Library held more than 64,000 e-books compared to an average of 29,738 for similarly-situated area colleges.
- External evaluators reviewed students' work and determined the students exhibited "developing" or "proficient" levels of attaining outcomes in the general education core curriculum.
- Assessment results show that students who transfer from Chipola College to State University System institutions perform as well or better than students who transfer from other Florida College System institutions.
- On the Community College Survey of Student Engagement (CCSSE), students rated their experience at Chipola College higher than did their counterparts in the national cohort in many areas, including contributions to their ability to write clearly and effectively and solve numerical problems.
- When asked on the graduation student survey to indicate the extent to which their experience at Chipola helped them to acquire college-level general education competencies, the highest ratings ("much" or "very much") were given to the following competencies:
 - o Interpret, evaluate, and appreciate works of human culture (4.26 on a 5-point scale)
 - o Demonstrate basic mathematical skills and knowledge (4.30 on a 5-point scale)
 - o Comprehend and articulate effectively in English by reading, writing, and oral communication (4.41 on a 5-point scale)
- The 2017 first-time pass rate on the NCLEX-RN licensure exam for Chipola RN students was 83.54%; the first-time pass rate for the first three quarters of 2018 was 87.23%.
- The 2017-18 pass rate on licensure exams were: paramedic 100%; correctional officer 97%; firefighter 71%; cosmetology 92%.



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Recognition and Achievement

- When asked to indicate the degree to which Chipola provides support needed to succeed in college, students responded “quite a bit” or “very much” on the Community College Survey of Student Engagement (CCSSE).
- The percentages of Chipola graduates who “stopped out” (dropped out for a period of time and later returned to complete graduation requirements) were 23% and 21% for the fall 2016 and spring 2017 semesters, respectively; the percentage for academic year 2017-18 graduates declined to 12%.
- Chipola College enrolled more than 1300 students in online courses during the academic year.
- The latest data show that 96% of students who completed Chipola’s career and technical education programs were placed in related work, continuing education, or military service compared to 92% system-wide.
- The success rate for Chipola’s AA degree completers was 88%.
- Chipola College offered students opportunities to earn industry certifications/licensures in 27 occupational programs during the academic year.
- When asked to indicate the extent to which their experience at Chipola College helped them to attain general skills and competencies, 2017-18 graduates gave the highest ratings (“much” or “very much”) to the following:
 - Continue your education (4.60 on a 5-point scale)
 - Use technology effectively (4.37 on a 5-point scale)
 - Use a variety of sources to conduct research and gather information (4.29 on a 5-point scale)
- 632 students were enrolled as dual enrollment students during the 2017-18 academic year – an increase of 11 students from the previous year and an increase of 40 students (8%) over the last four academic years.
- Graduating student survey respondents indicated they were “satisfied” or “very satisfied” with campus safety and security (4.36 on a 5-point scale).
- The college’s budget fund balance as a percentage of its overall budget was 19% for academic year 2017-18 – a two percentage point increase over 2016-17.
- Chipola’s resident tuition and fees costs were lower than the average for Florida College System institutions for lower-level and upper-level courses.
- Chipola’s proportional expenditures of its Fund 1 operating funds for 2017-18 were: 74% for personnel, 24% for current expenses, and 2% for capital outlay.
- Chipola’s occupational program offerings aligned with regional occupational demand projections, which demonstrated the college’s support for economic and community development.
- More than 450 people from the community participated in college support organizations during the academic year.
- Attendance at Artist Series events increased by 20% over the previous academic year.
- Nearly 7000 patrons attended Chipola’s theatrical productions during the academic year.
- On their annual survey, Chipola employees “agreed” or “strongly agreed” (4.63 on a 5-point scale) that the college’s cultural events enhance the quality of life in the region.
- Chipola had a 67.8% fall-to-fall student retention rate used to calculate performance-based funding compared to the Florida College System average of 65.3% during the 2017-18 academic year.
- Chipola had a 64.7% completion rate used to calculate performance-based funding compared to the Florida College System average of 55.1% during the 2017-18 academic year.
- Graduating students reported they were “satisfied” or “very satisfied” with their overall educational experience at Chipola College.
- On the Community College Survey of Student Engagement (CCSSE), 93% of Chipola students indicated they would recommend the college to a friend or family member.

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Fine & Performing Arts

Highlights for 2017-2018 year

- The 2017-2018 season included *The Odd Couple: Female Version* and Disney's *The Little Mermaid*. Each summer thousands of area children visit the Center to experience live theatre for the first time. This year children attended *The Cat in the Hat*.
- Chipola's production of the *The Odd Couple: Female Version* received an Excellent rating from the Florida College System Activities Association.
- Chipola's production of the musical Disney's *The Little Mermaid* was performed for more than 3,000 patrons in sell-out performances.
- Theatre majors toured New York City and Broadway in May 2018. Students attended Broadway performances, participated in talk-back sessions with directors, actors, and technicians, and enjoyed backstage looks in the heart of New York's theatre district.
- Students also attend the Florida Theatre Conference (FTC) and the Southeastern Theatre Conference (SETC) for professional development opportunities. SETC offers an excellent opportunity for Technical Theatre students to apply for summer work.
- Chipola's Technical Theatre students created sets for the Mobile Theatre Guild's performance of *Assassins* in December 2017.
- The Music Department's annual Christmas Production, *A Chipola Christmas* was performed for more than 1,500 patrons – two nights completely sold out. The production included the Chipola Show Choir, Chipola Chorus, President's Ensemble, Rock and Jazz Band, and community groups.
- The 2017-2018 Artist Series season featured national and international artists included the organic sound of Act of Congress, Florida State University's award winning coed a capella group All-Night Yahtzee pianist and comedian Jason Farnham, and The Young Irishers performing traditional Irish music, song and dance.



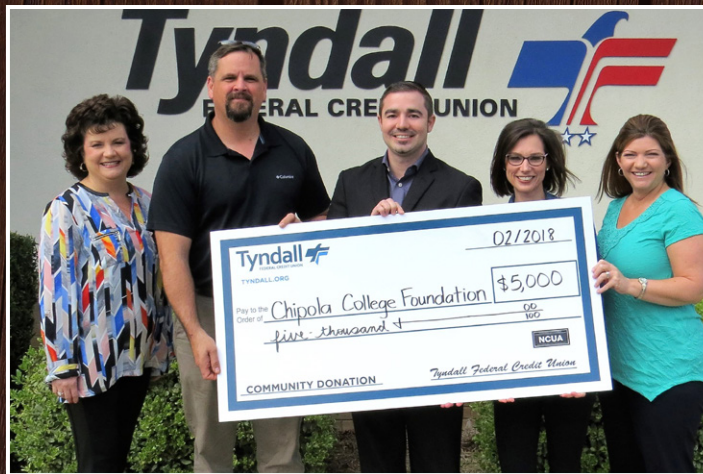




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Student success would not be possible without the dedication and hard work of Chipola's faculty and staff. For specified months, a career employee and a faculty/administrator/other employee are selected by their peers for the Employee of the Month Award to recognize outstanding work.

Career Employees of the Month

July 2017	Diane Timmons
October 2017	Jennifer White
November 2017	Elissa Severson
December 2017	Jeremy Smith
January 2018	Charity Sikora
February 2018	Kim Collins
March 2018	Shawn Keihn
April 2018	Linda Morales
May 2018	Gwen Oliver
June 2018	Janice Holley

Faculty/Administrator/Other Professional Employees of the Month

October 2017	Jamie McAllister
November 2017	Matthew Hughes
December 2017	Steve Young
February 2018	Jayne Roberts
March 2018	Penelope Cipriani
April 2018	Gina McAllister

Employees of the Year



Linda Morales,
Career Employee
of the Year

Dr. Jayne Roberts,
Faculty/Administrator/
Other Professional of
the Year



Several members of the Chipola faculty, staff, and administration were recognized for service to students and communities.

- Dr. Mark Ebel presented at the International Hemingway Society Biennial Conference in Paris, France, in July, 2018.
- Amie Myers was Active Editor of the Florida English Journal and recipient of the 2018 Journal of Excellence Award through the National Council of Teachers of English.
- Rachel West authored Our Lives in Letters: A World War II Perspective, a collection of monologues documenting the WWII experience. This event is a collaborative effort among Chipola College, the Institute on World War II and the Human Experience, and the Northern Illinois University Department of Theatre and Dance. Performance is Thursday, March 14, 2019
- Stephanie Bender, humanities instructor, presented "Femme Fabrications: Constructions of the New Woman in the Advertising Photography of Studio Ringl + Pit" at the South Atlantic Modern Language Association Conference.
- Chipola BSBA accounting students seeking employment continue to receive a 100% placement rate.
- Chipola Business and Technology faculty presented for publication with the National Science Foundation.
- Student Services hosted an open house in June 2018 which was attended by 84 people.
- Student Services in connection with Public Safety, hosted a return to school safety training for faculty and staff. The emphasis was Active Shooter, Recognizing the Threat, and Emergency Response Training.
- Student Services Hosted BayCare on campus for Faculty and Staff in October 2018 after the wake of Hurricane Michael.
- Student Services In September of 2018, hosted an advising breakfast with representatives from University of West Florida.
- Student Services from Spring 2018 through Fall 2018, completed 5,106 registrations.
- A Florida Job Growth Workforce Training Grant was secured in the amount of \$76,000 to upgrade welding program.
- Learning Resources/eLearning implemented a new video platform and communication tool, ARC by Instructure. ARC enables students and faculty to create video and screencasts within the LMS; promotes active video engagement and analytics of viewer behavior
- Speaker Sonia Ubias informed students about labor market information and employment services provided by CareerSource Chipola and labor market information.
- A "Financial Literacy" presentation was given by Chuck Hudson on budgeting and identity theft.
- Cultural Diversity Day was October, 2018. Special Guests were Mr. Jorge Garcia who spoke about Cuba; Dr. Krishna Maddipati spoke about India; and three international students spoke about their countries of Jamaica, Venezuela and Nigeria.
- "How to Invest" presentation was presented by David R. Carrel from Edward Jones Investments for students in the Business program.
- Dr. Spires and ten students of the Chipola College Black Student Union attended the Florida African American Student Association Leadership Convention, November 8-11 in Tampa
- Chipola College Foundation for 2017-2018 fiscal year spent \$790,683 on tuition and books for 1,127 scholarships.
- Chipola Foundation new donations/endowment additions received:
 - Houyoux Family First Generation in College – received \$50,000 new donation in July 2018 to add to funds donated in November 2017. Donor also agreed for a portion of the donation, \$9,455 to go toward the December 1 deadline for state First Generation in College Scholarship
 - Edward K. Roberts/Community Foundation of Sarasota - \$40,000 to award for scholarships for Fall 2018 with first priority to part-time students
 - Riley Torbett Memorial Scholarship – established in August 2018 by Marianna High Baseball with proceeds from golf tournament for a funds-in/funds-out scholarship to be awarded beginning Fall 2019
 - Homer Bush, Sr., Homer Bush, Jr. and Charles Edward Brown Memorial Scholarship – funds-in/funds-out scholarship established to make first scholarship in Fall 2019
 - Tommie Speights Memorial Scholarship – endowment established with proceeds from scholarship dinner approximately \$15,500
 - Anna K. Williams Memorial Scholarship – additional contribution added to an existing endowment. Donation of \$10,000 from the estate of Martha Braxton, the grandmother.

Outstanding programs, services, faculty, staff, and students provided a smooth pathway toward Chipola College's reaffirmation of SACSCOC accreditation.

In 2015, Chipola College faculty, staff, and students began preparing for the reaffirmation of accreditation from the Southern Association of College and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC). The three-year process will culminate in June 2018 when the SACSCOC Board of Trustees reaffirmed Chipola's accreditation status for another 10 years. After a very thorough process that included offsite and onsite peer review committees evaluating Chipola's compliance with nearly 100 principles and standards, the SACSCOC Reaffirmation Committee presented its findings to President Clemmons. The Report of the Reaffirmation Committee clearly showed that Chipola College is providing outstanding educational programs and services for its students.

Timeline for the Reaffirmation of SACSCOC Accreditation

- **June 2015** – Dr. Terolyn Lay named Chair of QEP Development Team; Reaffirmation Leadership Team members announced
- **August 2015** – Reaffirmation kick-off event with faculty and staff
- **January 2016** – Reaffirmation Leadership Team orientation by SACSCOC staff
- **June 2016** – QEP topic approved by QEP Leadership Team
- **January 2017** – Nearly 700-page compliance certification document approved by Executive Council
- **February 2017** – Compliance certification submitted to SACSCOC
- **March 2017** – Dr. Gina McAllister named QEP Director
- **April 2017** – SACSCOC Offsite Reaffirmation Committee evaluation of compliance certification document
- **June 2017** – QEP approved by Executive Council
- **August 2017** – QEP submitted to SACSCOC
- **October 2017** – SACSCOC Onsite Reaffirmation Committee on campus for interviews and further evaluation
- **June 2018** – SACSCOC Board of Trustees reaffirmed Chipola's accreditation

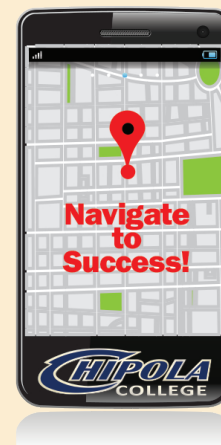


Set **G**oals, Define **P**urpose, Achieve **S**uccess: Chipola's Quality Enhancement Plan

Institutional effectiveness data showed the need to help students develop skills needed to make informed decisions regarding career goals and steps to achieving those goals. Institutional data also showed that students were much more likely to graduate if they had identified a major before beginning their second semester of enrollment. After analyzing data and reviewing feedback from constituencies and best practices of other colleges, Chipola College identified the goal of its Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP): *To Enable Students to Make Informed Decisions Regarding Their Career Goals and Related Educational Pathways.*

To achieve the QEP goal, members of the college faculty and staff developed a two-credit course, SLS 1401, Career and Life Planning, that first-time-in-college degree-seeking students take during their initial semester of enrollment beginning in the spring of 2018. Through self-assessments and career exploratory assignments, students:

- assess their personal skills, interests, and values related to career options;
- research the viability of career options related to the results of their self-assessments;
- establish career goals; and
- formulate personal educational plans related to their career goals.



Set **Goals**
Define **Purpose**
Achieve **Success**

Planning for continued success with 2018-19 goals and objectives

The 2018-19 College Master Plan includes nine goals and 18 objectives:

Goal 1: Expand and maintain student access

- Increase awareness of opportunities at Chipola College
- Minimize barriers to enrollment and completion

Goal 2: Enhance distance learning

- Provide high quality online courses
- Ensure that learning resources and academic support services are readily available to distance learning students

Goal 3: Increase students' college readiness and success

- Prepare students for success in foundational courses
- Ensure students attain college-level general education competencies

Goal 4: Prepare students for careers

- Prepare students to make informed career and educational decisions
- Prepare students for employment and continued learning

Goal 5: Provide a high quality dual enrollment program

- Provide off-campus dual enrollment courses that are of the same high quality as on-campus courses
- Ensure that learning resources and academic support services are readily available to student in off-campus dual enrollment courses

Goal 6: Provide facilities and grounds improvements

- Provide an aesthetically pleasing campus environment
- Minimize risks of property loss for individuals and the institution

Goal 7: Manage resources responsibly

- Ensure appropriate use of resources
- Use resources effectively

Goal 8: Facilitate regional development

- Support economic development in the region
- Support cultural and social development in the region

Goal 9: Remain a leading institution in the Florida College System

- Maximize outcomes on institutional performance measures
- Provide a high quality overall educational experience

Student Activities



- The Chipola Honors Program and Pre-Med Society participated in numerous community service projects throughout the school year.
- Chipola's Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society planned projects to help with a variety of philanthropies. Chipola graduates were named National Coca-Cola Academic Team Gold Scholars and members of the All-Florida Academic teams for leading in many of these projects.
- The Chipola Organization of Student Nurses participated in the Relay for Life fundraiser for the American Cancer Society.
- The Fellowship of Christian Athletes sponsored the Fields of Faith program for student-athletes.
- The Baptist Campus Ministry held Sunday evening gatherings at the chapel with a variety of speakers and student-led activities.
- Chipola's Jasmine Sorey served as an officer in the Florida African American Student Association in the 2017-18 academic year.



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Clubs & Organizations

- Students in the Chipola Chapter of Phi Beta Lambda business fraternity brought home top-10 awards from state and national competitions.
- Chipola's TRiO Society officers attended the SSS LEAD Conference 2018.
- The Chipola School of Business and Technology collaborated with the U.S. Marine Corps to provide officer training opportunities for eligible students.
- Black Student Union partnered with local agencies including Anchorage Children's Home, The New Day Mental Support Group, NAACP, Tobacco Cessation Program, and local nursing and rehabilitation centers.
- BSU hosts a Black History Month Celebration in February.
- Social and Behavioral Sciences hosted a Mental Health Awareness Symposium in April and Cultural Diversity week in March.
- Social Science instructor Sarah Gambill offered a Career Exploration Program planned in conjunction with Sonia Ubias of Career Source Chipola.
- Social and Behavioral Sciences hosted an Identity Theft Program with First Commerce Credit Union.
- Social Science instructor Latresha Moore hosted a series of student sociology presentations judged by professionals from the community.



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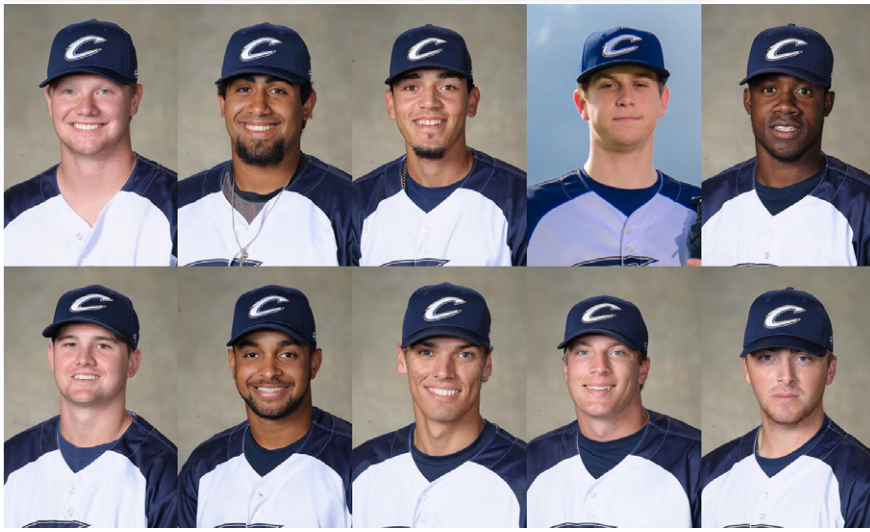
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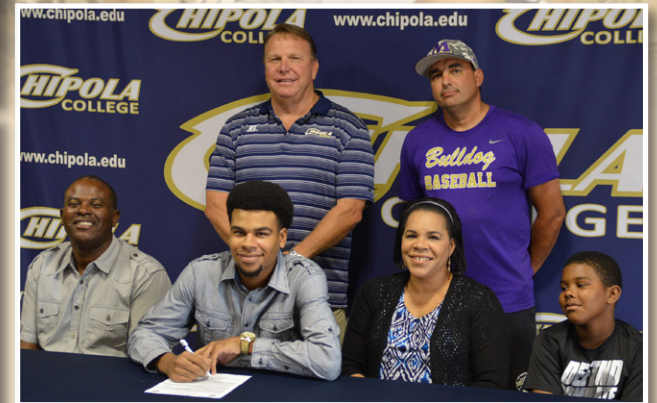
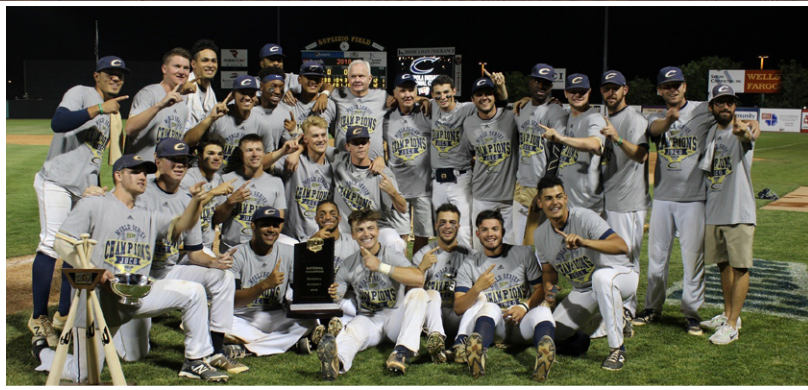


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- Coach Jeff Johnson was named National Coach of the Year in 2017 and 2018 by the NJCAA.
- Women's softball earned a spot in the NJCAA National Tournament, finished as runner-up in the State FCSAA Tournament and won the Panhandle Conference Title.
- Chipola officials on June 6, 2018, announced the hiring of Brendan Foley as the new head coach of men's basketball.



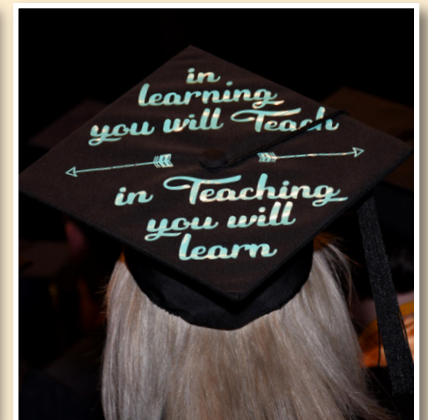
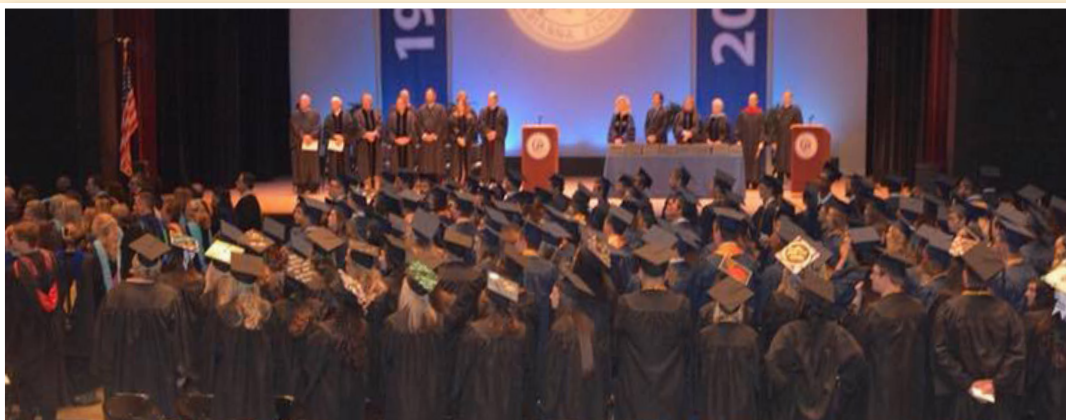
- Chipola continued a tradition of excellence in athletics with a record number of student-athletes moving on to play at four-year colleges and universities as well as the professional ranks.





Changing Lives and Creating Futures

The Chipola 2018 Commencement Ceremony was held May 3 at the Dothan Civic Center. Some 500 students were eligible for graduation at the end of the spring semester. Rep. Brad Drake, a member of the Florida House of Representatives, delivered the commencement address. Drake is a resident of Walton County and an 8th generation Floridian. He attended Northwest Florida State College (formerly Okaloosa-Walton) and earned a B.S. in Economics from the University of Florida. Rep. Drake was first elected to the Florida House in 2008 and served until 2012. He was reelected in 2014 and currently serves District 5 representing Walton, Holmes, Washington, Jackson and north Bay County.



Graduation





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