

# Central Campus

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For the latest campus information, visit the college's Central Campus website or call the Information Center at 704.330.2722.

## History

In 1963, the North Carolina General Assembly passed the community college bill. Opening as a fully integrated institution, Central Piedmont combined the Central Industrial Education Center (CIEC) programs on Elizabeth Avenue and Mecklenburg College on Beatties Ford Road. The college sold its property on Beatties Ford Road and enhanced the campus around the old Central High School complex located at Elizabeth Avenue and Kings Drive. As the college acquired surrounding property, the original 3.94 acres expanded into a beautiful, tree-shaded, 31-acre Central Campus. This campus is the largest in the college's multi-campus system and serves more than 25,000 students annually. Central Campus is the site location for the Ruth G. Shaw Advanced Technology Center, the Health Careers Building, the Phillip L. Van Every Culinary Arts Building, the Levine Information Technology Building, the North Classroom Building for College and Career Readiness, the Christa and Reece A. Overcash Academic and Performing Arts Center, which holds the Dale F. Halton Theater and the Global Learning Office for study abroad programs. The Parr Center houses most student services including the Hagemeyer Library, Counseling Services, Disability and Access Services, Testing and Assessment Center, Graduation Office, the Leon Levine Health Sciences Building, and the Center for Military Families and Veterans.

## High Schools Near the Campus

High Schools near Central Campus are Garinger, Harding University, Myers Park, Philip O. Berry Academy of Technology, and West Charlotte.

## Major Divisions/Programs Offered

Allied Health Sciences  
 Baking & Pastry Arts  
 Broadcasting and Production Technology  
 Business Administration  
 College and Career Readiness  
 College Transfer  
 Culinary Arts  
 Corporate and Continuing Education  
 Dental Assisting  
 Dental Hygiene  
 Digital Media/Film  
 Early College High School  
 Engineering Technologies  
 Entrepreneurship and Small Business  
 Health and Physical Education  
 Hospitality Management  
 Human Services  
 Information Technology  
 International Services and Foreign Languages  
 Nursing  
 Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math  
 Simulation and Game Development  
 Sustainability Technologies  
 Visual and Performing Arts

## Food Services

Food services are available in the Parr Center and the Levine Information Technology Building.

## Available Campus Services

Academic Learning Center (Tutoring)  
 Admissions  
 Advising  
 Archives  
 Art Galleries  
 Bookstore  
 Career Services  
 Cashiering Business Office  
 Center for Military Families and Veterans  
 CLEP Examinations  
 College and Career Readiness  
 Computer Labs  
 Copy Machines  
 Counseling Services  
 Disability and Access Services  
 Family Resource Center  
 Financial Aid / Veterans Affairs  
 First-Year Experience  
 Fitness Center  
 Food and Dining Services  
 Graduation Services  
 Library  
 Mentoring and Coaching  
 Outreach and Recruitment  
 Public Transportation  
 Registration  
 Service-Learning  
 Single Stop  
 Student Engagement  
 Student Records  
 Student Success Navigators  
 Testing and Assessment Center  
 Tour for Prospective Students  
 Transfer Resource Center  
 TRIO Student Support Services  
 Vending Machines