San Jacinto College is proud to be ranked as one of the Top 100 community colleges in the country.

Among more than 1,100 two-year colleges, San Jac is ranked:

- **#2** in granting associate degrees in science technologies/technicians
- **#7** in granting associate degrees to Hispanic students
- **#17** in granting associate degrees across all disciplines
- **#20** in granting associate degrees in precision production
- **#21** in granting associate degrees in health professions
- **#22** in granting associate degrees in business
- **#31** in granting associate degrees in engineering technologies and engineering related fields

### SAN JAC FACTS

**San Jac is the Gulf Coast Region's Leader in Higher Education**

- Founded in 1960, with the first classes held in 1961 in a renovated storefront in Pasadena, Texas.
- A two-time Aspen Award finalist, placing San Jacinto College as one of the top 150 (out of more than 1,100) community colleges across the nation.
- Increased the number of degrees and certificates awarded since 2007 by 108.8 percent.
- San Jacinto College has awarded more than 5,000 degrees and certificates in each of the last three years.
- 186 degree and certificates, with 46 technical programs and a university transfer division.
- Accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges.
- The eighth largest community college in Texas, and third largest in the Houston area.
- Cosmetology program ranked 8th in the nation, 1st in Texas. (Best Beauty Schools website)
- Ranked 15th in the nation for value of a technical degree (Brookings Institution).
- Record-setting dual credit and early college high school program, with more than 3,100 students enrolled this Fall semester, with students receiving their associate degree before earning a high school diploma.
- Currently managing 65 grants totaling approximately $36 million for workforce training, STEM, scholarships, and more.

**Your Goals. Your College.**

- A diverse student body representing more than 60 countries.
- 31 percent of students receive some form of financial aid.
- Student-operated online newspaper.
- State-of-the-art training facilities in automotive, science, allied health, music and fine arts.
- 12 National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) national championships.
- Nationally competitive National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) Division I athletic programs in baseball, softball, men's and women's basketball, men's soccer, and volleyball.
- Named a Military Friendly Institution for the last five years by Victory Media, Inc.
- Board of Trustees Member, Marie Flickinger, named the 2013 American Association of Community Colleges Trustee of the Year.
- Dr. Brenda Hellyer, Chancellor, named the 2015 American Association of Community Colleges Western Region CEO of the Year.

**Become San Jac Certified**

- Located on the East side of Houston, the nation’s 4th largest – and most diverse – city, with one of the fastest growing job sectors in the country.
- Three beautiful campuses, with a fourth to open in January 2016, and nine extension centers close to home.
- More than 100 student organizations.
- Active Rec Sports program with indoor and outdoor facilities.
- Active student government association.
- More than 600 students enrolled in Honors program.

### Top 10 Degrees and Certificates (2010-2014)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Rank</th>
<th>Degree/Program</th>
<th>Graduates</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>#1</td>
<td>General Studies</td>
<td>4,270</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>#2</td>
<td>Accounting and General Business</td>
<td>1,857</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>#3</td>
<td>Welding Technology</td>
<td>1,466</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>#4</td>
<td>Nursing Associate Degree</td>
<td>4,270</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>#5</td>
<td>Cosmetology</td>
<td>939</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>#6</td>
<td>Process Technology</td>
<td>935</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>#7</td>
<td>Biology</td>
<td>927</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>#8</td>
<td>Engineering Design Graphics</td>
<td>768</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>#9</td>
<td>Automotive Technology</td>
<td>741</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>#10</td>
<td>Nursing Vocational</td>
<td>685</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Total Associate Degrees and Certificates Awarded Last Five Academic Years:** 22,892
As the nation’s fourth largest, and most diverse, city, Houston has it all. From outstanding arts, entertainment and food, to world-class medical facilities, NASA-Johnson Space Center, the world’s second largest port, and a booming energy business, Houston is the city with no limits. The city boasts one of the fastest growing economies in the country, and is a top city for college graduates. With all of this and more, it’s no wonder:

**Houston is the nation’s 6th best city for engineers**
(Forbes.com, February 2015)

**Houston is the best city for college graduates to find work**
(MSN.com, 2013)

“Houston” was the first word heard from the moon
(Mark Schill, Praxis Strategy Group)

**26 Fortune 500 companies call Houston home**

**More than 100 languages are spoken in Houston making it the most ethnically and racially diverse city in the U.S.**

By 2019, 11,000 more skilled workers will be needed in East Harris County
(East Harris County Manufacturing Association study, December 2014)

A paycheck goes farther in Houston than any other major metropolitan area

281-998-6150
www.sanjac.edu