

# NorQuest by the Numbers (2016-17)

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## Size and Growth

- 17,592 learners served by NorQuest College
- 10,689 full-time and part-time credit students, and 6,903 non-credit or continuing education students, including assessment examinations
- 5.28% enrolment growth in the last year
- 5,711 Full-Load Equivalents (FLE\*)
- 1,441 graduates from post-secondary credit programs
- 21 post-secondary career credentials and 7 foundational programs
- 90% of NorQuest College graduates obtained work within two years

## Student Diversity

- 63% from Edmonton; 37% from outside Edmonton
- 64% born outside of Canada. 138 countries of birth
- 103 languages spoken on campus
- 697 credit students self-identify as Indigenous (First Nations, Métis or Inuit ancestry)\*\*
- 36% age 24 and under; 64% age 25 and over. Average age of credit students: 30
- 65% female; 34% male (credit students)
- 648 students self-identify as having a disability
- 466 students used disability services

\* FLE is the method of counting students as required by the Government of Alberta. One FLE is the measure of one student completing one full-year of a program or several students whose course loads are combined to make the equivalent of one student taking a full year.

\*\* This number is known to be far lower than actual number of NorQuest College credit students of Indigenous descent due to non-disclosure by students

