

The Economic Value of Delgado Community College



About Delgado

20,120 Credit students

12,511 Non-credit students

1,260 Employees

1 out of every 90 jobs in the Delgado Service Area is supported by the activities of Delgado and its students.

ECONOMIC IMPACT ANALYSIS

Alumni impact
Impact of the increased earnings of Delgado alumni and the businesses they work for

An economic boost similar to hosting the World Series
61x

\$366.8 million
Added income

5,574 Jobs supported

Student spending impact
Impact of the daily spending of Delgado students attracted to or retained in the region

Enough to buy **9,854 families*** a year's worth of groceries

\$122.5 million
Added income

2,789 Jobs supported

Operations spending impact
Impact of annual payroll and other spending

Enough to buy **2,842** new cars

\$95.4 million
Added income

1,643 Jobs supported

Construction spending impact
Impact of expenditures for ongoing construction projects

\$3.5 million
Added income

53 Jobs supported



INVESTMENT ANALYSIS

For every \$1...

Students gain **\$5.30** in lifetime earnings

Taxpayers gain **\$6.80** in added tax revenue and public sector savings

Society gains **\$10.60** in added income and social savings

The average associate degree graduate from Delgado will see an increase in earnings of **\$10,200** each year compared to someone with a high school diploma working in Louisiana.

