

802Opportunity



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2026

Opening the Doors to College for all Vermonters

802OPPORTUNITY STUDENTS

- ✓ 802Opportunity students were more than twice as likely as other CCV students to graduate within four years, compared to students who were not 802Opportunity recipients (33% versus 24%)
- ✓ 802Opportunity students graduated from CCV and moved on to another learning institution at a higher rate (24%) than other CCV students (16%)
- ✓ 440 credentials were awarded to 802Opportunity students in academic year (AY) 24-25

Administered by VSAC on behalf of the State of Vermont, 802Opportunity allows any Vermont student with a family income of \$100K or less to attend the Community College of Vermont (CCV) **tuition free**.

To enroll in CCV using 802Opportunity, students need only complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and the Vermont Grant application.

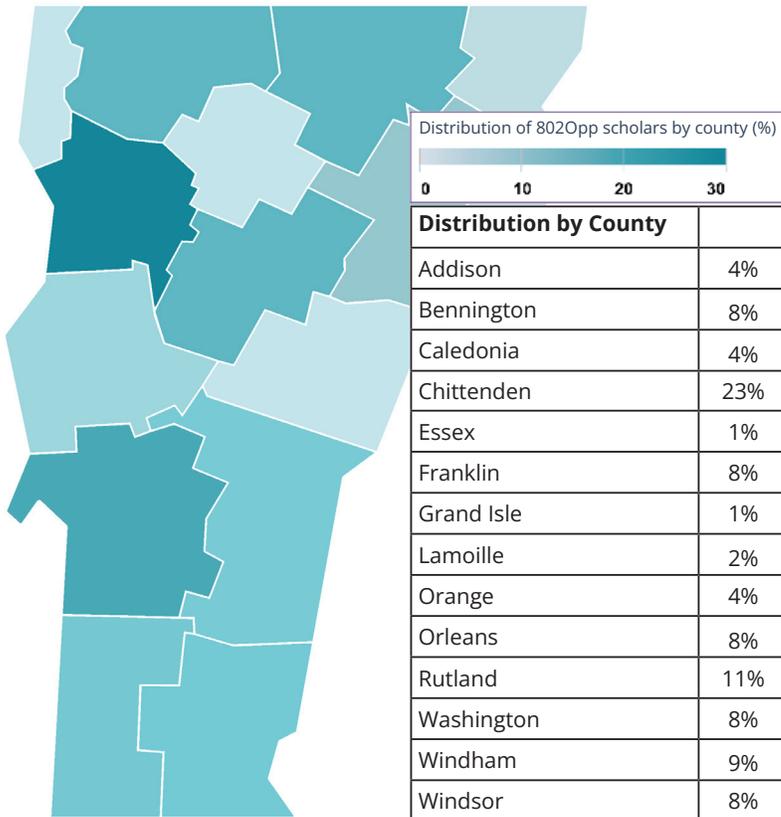
802OPPORTUNITY STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS

-  **73%** FIRST GENERATION
-  **67%** ADULT (25+)
-  **18%** POC OR HISPANIC

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

- ✓ 60% fewer students borrowed in 24-25 than they did 20-21
- ✓ 24-25 Enrollment at CCV of Vermont's neediest students, those who are Pell-eligible, increased by 28% since 20-21
- ✓ In AY24-25 2,700 Vermonters enrolled in CCV using 802Opportunity

802OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARS BY COUNTY



ACADEMIC OUTCOMES FOR FY24-25

7%

of 802Opportunity students earned a credential in AY24-25

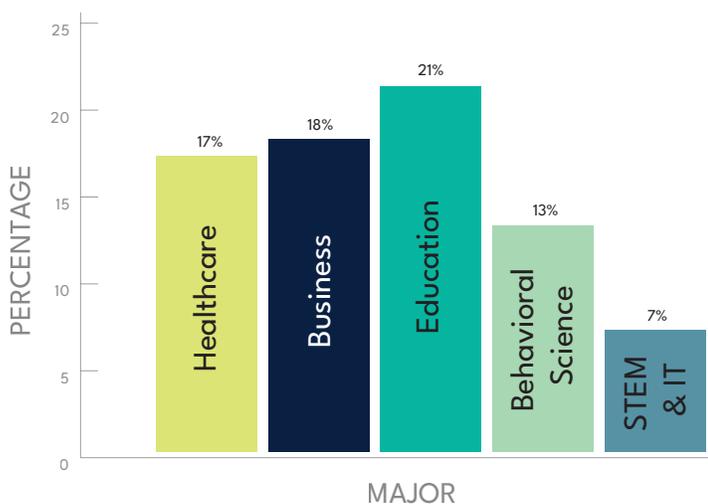
67%

of 802Opportunity students earned a 3.0 GPA or higher

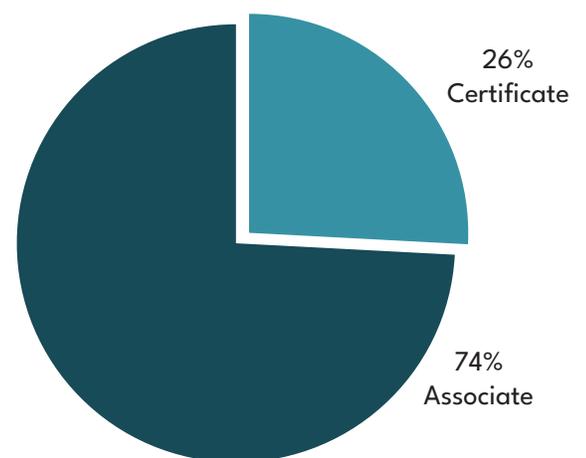
82%

of 802Opportunity students successfully completed their courses

802OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARS BY MAJOR



802OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARS DEGREE TYPE



Vermont students of all ages access 802Opportunity to acquire new skills, and earn degrees and credentials, debt-free.