

CHAPTER 5

TENNESSEE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

Tennessee offers a variety of educational institutions. Students should research each individual institution for specifics.

Public Universities (P) — Offer bachelor’s and graduate degrees. Programs require at least four years to complete. Offer a variety of academic majors, often in the traditional disciplines of arts, humanities, and sciences. Generally more expensive to attend than community colleges, but less expensive than independent schools. Partially funded by the state.

Public Community Colleges (C) — Offer associate’s degrees, technical certificates, industry-recognized certificates, and non-credit courses for workforce development and training. Different programs require different amounts of time for completion. Offer courses in traditional arts, humanities, and sciences as well as practical, technical skills to prepare students for the workforce. Offer university-parallel programs in which students wishing to earn a bachelor’s degree from a four-year institution can complete their first two years of course work at the community college. Often less expensive than public universities. Partially funded by the state.

Tennessee Technology Centers (T) — Offer certificates, diplomas, and industry-certifications to meet the occupational and technical training needs of Tennessee citizens, employees, and businesses. Different programs require different amounts of time for completion and can vary from three to twenty-four months.

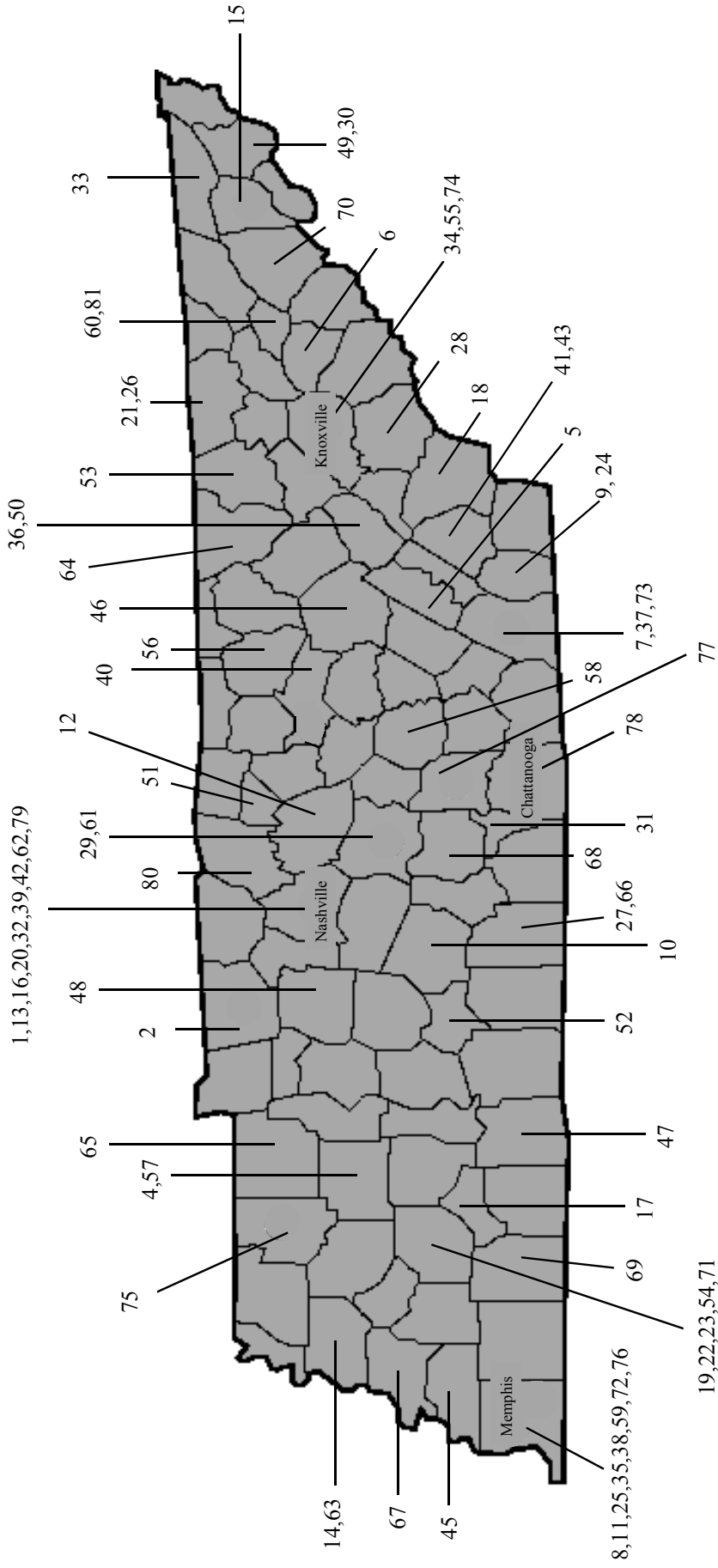
Independent Four-Year Colleges and Universities (I) — Offer bachelor’s and graduate degrees. Programs require at least four years to complete. Offer a variety of academic majors, often in the traditional arts and science disciplines. Generally more expensive than other types of educational institutions. Privately owned and operated.

Independent Two-Year Colleges (IT) — Offer associates degrees. Offer courses in traditional arts, humanities, and sciences as well as practical, technical skills to prepare students for the workforce. Offer university-parallel programs in which students wishing to earn a bachelor’s degree from a four-year institution can complete their first two years of course work at the two-year college. Privately owned and operated.

Tennessee Educational Institutions

1. Aquinas College (I)
2. Austin Peay State University (P)
3. Belmont University (I)
4. Bethel College (I)
5. Bryan College (I)
6. Carson-Newman College (I)
7. Chattanooga St Tech Comm College (C)
8. Christian Brothers University (I)
9. Cleveland St Comm College (C)
10. Columbia St Comm College (C)
11. Crichton College (I)
12. Cumberland University (I)
13. David Lipscomb University (I)
14. Dyersburg St Comm College (C)
15. East TN State University (P)
16. Fisk University (I)
17. Freed-Hardeman University (I)
18. Hiwassee College (IT)
19. Jackson St Comm College (C)
20. John A. Gupton College (IT)
21. King College (I)
22. Lambuth University (I)
23. Lane College (I)
24. Lee University (I)
25. Lemoyne-Owen College (I)
26. Lincoln Memorial University (I)
27. Martin Methodist College (I)
28. Maryville College (I)
29. Middle TN State University (P)
30. Milligan College (I)
31. Motlow St Comm College (C)
32. Nashville St Tech Comm College (C)
33. Northeast St Tech Comm College (C)
34. Pellissippi St Tech Comm College (C)
35. Rhodes College (I)
36. Roane St Comm College (C)
37. Southern Adventist Univ. (I)
38. Southwest TN Comm Col (C)
39. Tennessee State University (P)
40. Tennessee Tech University (P)
41. Tennessee Wesleyan College (I)
42. Trevecca Nazarene Univ (I)
43. TTC at Athens (T)
44. TTC at Chattanooga (T)
45. TTC at Covington (T)
46. TTC at Crossville (T)
47. TTC at Crump (T)
48. TTC at Dickson (T)
49. TTC at Elizabethton (T)
50. TTC at Harriman (T)
51. TTC at Hartsville (T)
52. TTC at Hohenwald (T)
53. TTC at Jacksboro (T)
54. TTC at Jackson (T)
55. TTC at Knoxville (T)
56. TTC at Livingston (T)
57. TTC at McKenzie (T)
58. TTC at McMinnville (T)
59. TTC at Memphis (T)
60. TTC at Morristown (T)
61. TTC at Murfreesboro (T)
62. TTC at Nashville (T)
63. TTC at Newbern (T)
64. TTC at Oneida-Huntsville (T)
65. TTC at Paris (T)
66. TTC at Pulaski (T)
67. TTC at Ripley (T)
68. TTC at Shelbyville (T)
69. TTC at Whiteville (T)
70. Tusculum College (I)
71. Union University (I)
72. University of Memphis (P)
73. Univ of TN at Chattanooga (P)
74. Univ of TN at Knoxville (P)
75. Univ of TN at Martin (P)
76. Univ of TN Health Science Center (P)
77. Univ of TN Space Institute (P)
78. University of the South (I)
79. Vanderbilt University (I)
80. Volunteer St Comm Coll (C)
81. Walters St Comm Coll (C)

Colleges, Universities, Community Colleges, and Technology Centers in Tennessee



KEY

- I** = Independent Four-Year Colleges & Universities
- IT** = Independent Two-Year Colleges
- T** = Tennessee Technology Center
- C** = Public Community College
- P** = Public Universities