

Postsecondary Attainment Profile

CRANSTON, RI

CITY SNAPSHOT						
	CRANSTON	RI				
WORKING-AGE POPULATION (AGE 25 - 64) ¹	44,023	559,348				
ATTAINMENT RATE: ASSOCIATE DEGREE OR HIGHER (AGE 25 YEARS AND OVER) ¹	43%	42%				
MEDIAN EARNINGS (AGE 25 YEARS AND OVER) ¹	\$47,607					
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (FEBRUARY 2021) ²	7%	8%				

WORKING-AGE POPULATION ¹ Age 25 and Over by Educational Attainment								
	CRANSTON	RI						
HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA	10%	11%						
HIGH SCHOOL & EQUIVALENT	28%	28%						
SOME COLLEGE	19%	18%						
ASSOCIATE	10%	8%						
BACHELOR'S +	33%	34%						

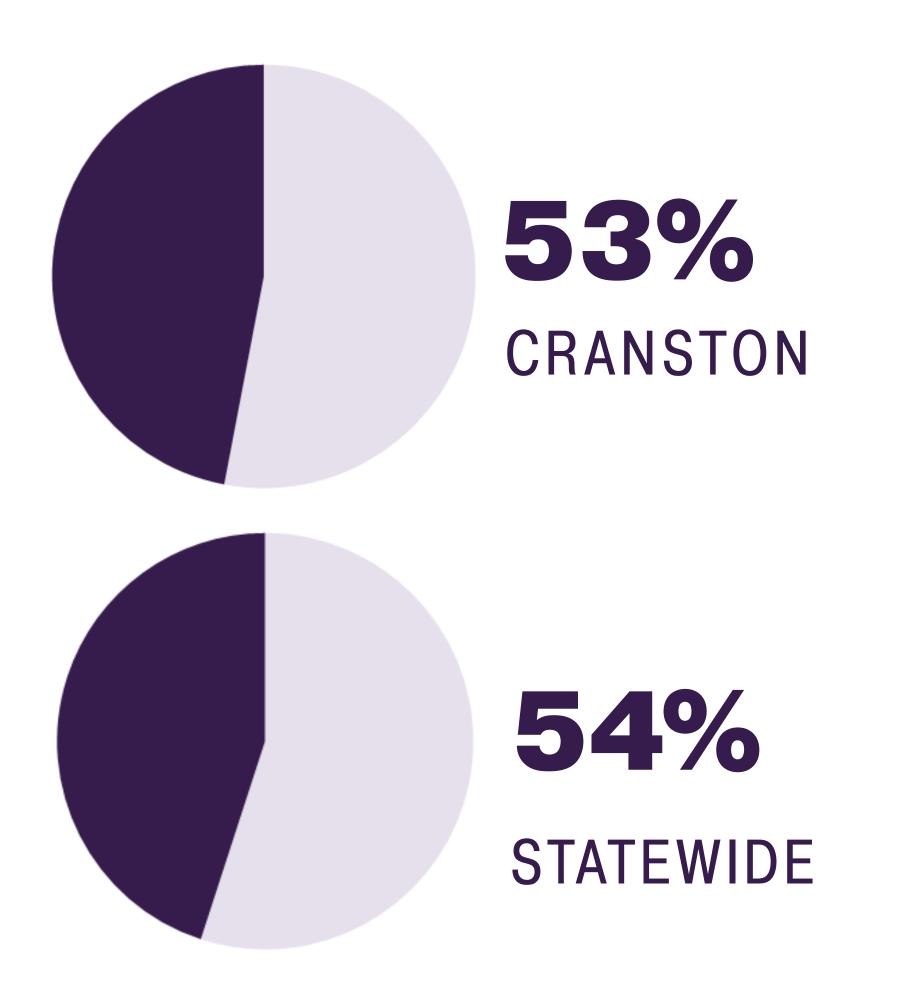
EDUCATION ATTAINMENT BY RACE/ETHNICITY ¹ Cranston Population (Age 25 and Over) by Educational Attainment and Race														
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NO HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA	23%	27%	14%	13%	11%	15%	6%	1%	27%	34%	10%	14%	9%	9%
HS GRAD & EQUIVALENT	7%	38%	27%	18%	26%	32%	51%	35%	27%	32%	26%	25%	29%	28%
SOME COLLEGE OR ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE	27%	20%	19%	16%	38%	32%	11%	27%	30%	23%	33%	31%	28%	26%
BACHELOR'S +	43%	15%	41%	52%		21%	32%		16%	10%	31%		34%	36%

HISPANIC/LATINX POPULATION Age 25 and Over by Educational Attainment									
	CRANSTON	RI							
NO HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA	21%	26%							
HIGH SCHOOL & EQUIVALENT	33%	36%							
SOME COLLEGE OR ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE	31%	23%							
BACHELOR'S +	15%	14%							

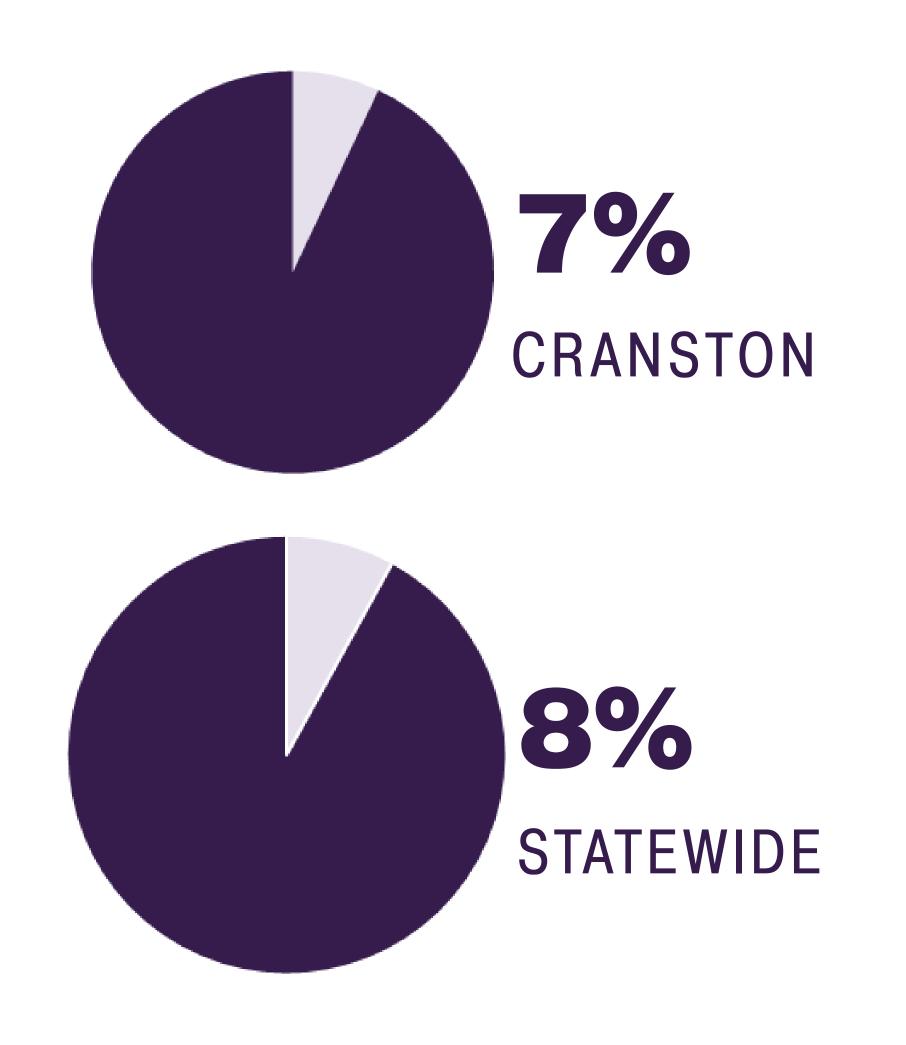
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FAFSA COMPLETION RATES³ Through March 12, 2021



UNEMPLOYMENT RATES Through February, 2021



MEDIAN EARNINGS¹ Educational Attainment Age 25 and Over RI CRANSTON NO HIGH SCHOOL \$22,450 \$27,880 **DIPLOMA** HIGH SCHOOL & \$38,754 \$36,009 **EQUIVALENT** SOME COLLEGE OR ASSOCIATE'S \$40,199 \$40,976 **DEGREE** \$56,642 **BACHELOR'S** \$60,400

POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION TRANSITION⁴

5,363 RHODE ISLAND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ENROLLED IN A DUAL AND/OR CONCURRENT COURSE. OF THOSE, 456 (9%) WERE CRANSTON

STUDENTS.

RI STATE SCHOLARSHIPS⁴

\$9,595,000
IN SCHOLARSHIPS WERE AWARDED TO

8,652
STUDENTS AT RHODE ISLAND'S 3 PUBLIC
AND 9 PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS OF
HIGHER EDUCATION IN ACADEMIC YEAR 2019-20.

\$1,109
WAS THE AVERAGE AWARD.

RI PROMISE⁶

\$72,843

\$76,777

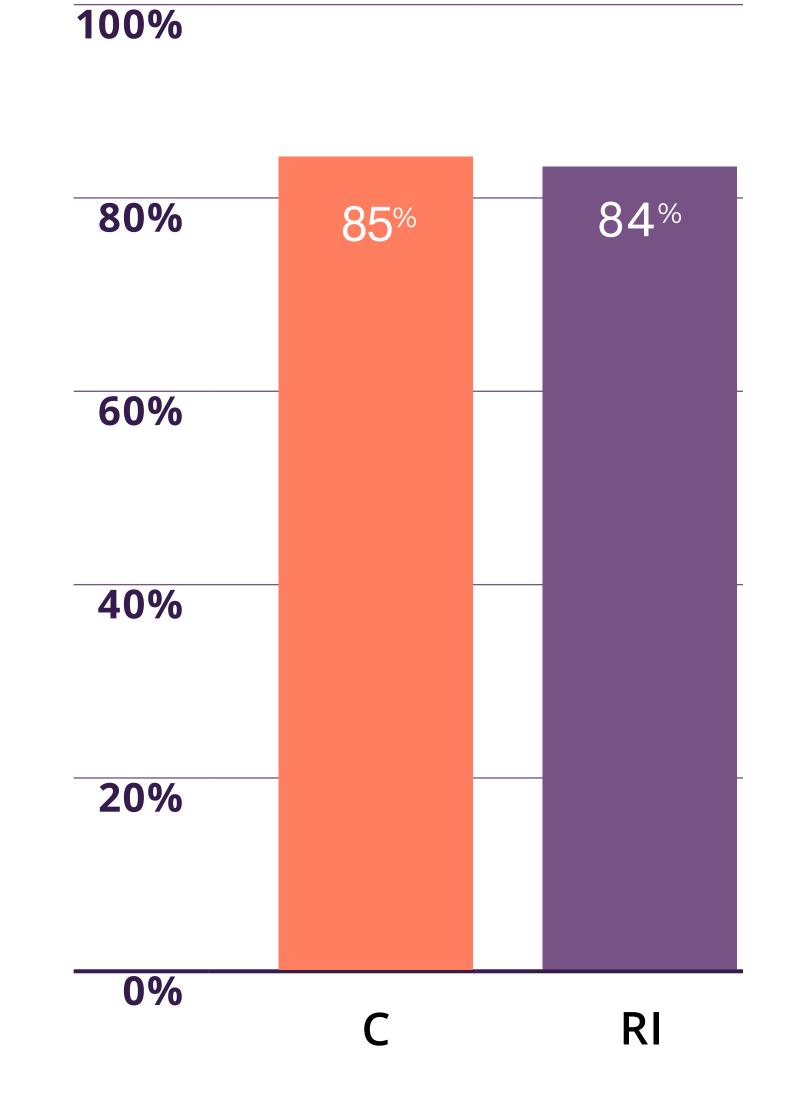
GRADUATE/

PROFESSIONAL

2,271 RI PROMISE
FIRST-TIME FIRST YEARS
IN FALL 2020.

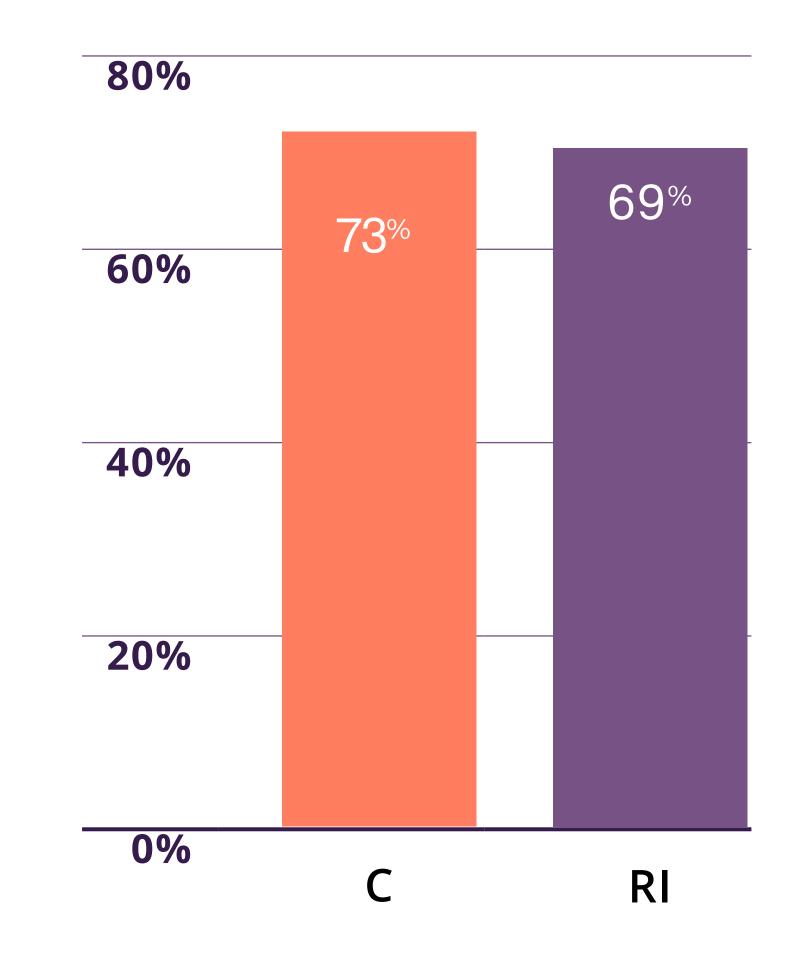
57%
OF FALL 2019 COHORT RETURNED IN FALL 2020.

GRADUATED FROM HIGH SCHOOL IN FOUR YEARS.⁵



ENROLLED IN POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION WITHIN ONE YEAR OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION.⁵

100%



DATA SOURCES

- ¹ 2015-2019 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates Data Tables
- ² RI Department of Labor and Training Local Area Unemployment Statistics for February 2021
- ³ U.S. Department of Education's Office of Federal Student Aid
- ⁴ RI Office of the Postsecondary Commissioner
- ⁵ RI Department of Education 2019-2020 District Report Cards (graduation rates and postsecondary enrollment is based on 2018-19 public high school graduates)
- ⁶ Community College of Rhode Island Fall 2020 Rhode Island Promise Report to the Commissioner of Postsecondary Education

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