



2010 Graduate Follow-up Study Employment Report

Graduate Follow-Up Survey 2010 Employment Report

INTRODUCTION

The Graduate Follow-Up Survey (GFS) is an extensive annual survey of NSCC graduates one year following their graduation from NSCC. Through telephone interviews conducted by Corporate Research Associates, this survey explores employment and other activities of graduates, as well as graduates' satisfaction with their experience at NSCC. This is the eleventh year that this survey has been commissioned directly by the NSCC and results continue to demonstrate that graduates succeed after graduation.

The 2010 survey was conducted during the period of June 30 to August 30, 2010 and interviewed graduates of the Class of 2008-2009. To create a snapshot of employment and continued learning experiences of graduates approximately one year after graduation, a reference week of June 20 – 26, 2010 was used. There were 3701 graduates in the class of 2009¹ eligible for the survey, 1102 of whom participated. This number of respondents produces results that are accurate 95% of the time to within 2.5% of the stated result.

ABOUT THE EMPLOYMENT REPORT

The Employment Report breaks down the survey results by Academic School, program cluster and program type. It is intended that this report be a useful resource for potential students and the people who will help them assess their options for post secondary studies.

All NSCC programs are organized into five Academic Schools of which each includes program clusters (groups of related programs):

The **School of Access** was created in 2003 and offers programs in Adult Learning and General Arts & Sciences. Graduates from the Adult Learning Program and African Transition Studies in the School of Access are not included in the 2010 Grad Follow-Up Survey.

The **School of Applied Arts & New Media** offers programs in Applied Arts, Geomatics and Information Technology.

The **School of Business** offers programs in Applied Business Technology, Business Management, and Tourism & Culinary.

The **School of Health & Human Services** offers programs in Health and in Human Services.

The **School of Trades & Technology** offers programs in Construction, Manufacturing, Natural Resources, Technology and Transportation.

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There are three types of programs at the Nova Scotia Community College:

Certificates: Certificate programs are one year in duration and offer an introductory level of study. In the Applied Arts, Business and Human Services schools a first year certificate is offered as a foundation upon which students can build with a more specialized one or two year diploma. A large percentage of those who graduate with certificates choose to pursue further studies. Certificates in the School of Trades and Technology are also offered as introductory level programs, either to facilitate entry-level employment in the trade, or to prepare for further studies through apprenticeship and diploma programs.

Diplomas: Diploma programs, typically two years in duration, are designed to cover a wide range of theory and practice in many specialized occupations. These diplomas provide the labour market with highly skilled technologists and managers. Early employment experiences are excellent and graduates can normally expect a higher starting salary.

Advanced diplomas: These one year diplomas require a university degree or college diploma as prerequisites to admission. Highly specialized graduates enjoy high levels of employment and starting salaries which exceed many university graduates. These are competitive programs whose graduates are highly sought after by employers.

NSCC has a passionate commitment to learning that meets the labour market needs of the province. A rigorous program renewal process means that programs are continually evolving. The 2010 survey references programs that were available to the Class of 2008-2009. Please consult the most recent NSCC Academic Calendar for current program information and offerings.

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OVERALL SURVEY EMPLOYMENT RESULTS

Results from the 2010 Graduate Follow-Up Survey show that graduates experience favourable employment outcomes after graduation from NSCC. The following table provides an overview of the survey employment results. Other summary level results are available in the 2010 GFS Summary Report.

Overall Survey Results	
Number of Graduates ^{2*}	3701*
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	270
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey	130
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	3301
Number of Survey Respondents	1102
Number of Respondents in Labour Force	1055
% of Respondents in Labour Force	96%
Number of Respondents Employed	913
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	87%
Number of Respondents Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	701
% of Respondents Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	80%
Number of Respondents not Employed	142
Number of Respondents not Seeking Employment	34
Average Annual Salary of those Employed Full-Time in Work related to Field of Study	\$31,855
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	222
% of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	20%

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School of Applied Arts and New Media

Results by Credential

Certificate

GIS Technician
Survey Technician
Applied Communication Arts
Recording Arts
Deaf Studies
Music Business

Diploma

Cartography-Digital Mapping
Geomatics Engineering Technology
Planning: Land Information Technology
Digital Animation
Graphic Design
Photography
Radio & Television Arts
Screen Arts
Computer Electronics Technician
Information Technology
Computer Service Technician

Advanced Diploma

Geographic Information Systems
Marine Geomatics
Remote Sensing
Geomatics Programming

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Advanced Diploma	Total - Applied Arts & New Media
Number of Graduates	153	277	53	483
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	83	22		105
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey		9	8	17
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	70	246	45	361
Number of Survey Respondents	27	91	9	127
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	26	89	9	124
% of Respondents in Labour Force	96%	98%	100%	98%
Number of Respondents Employed	24	78	7	109
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	92%	88%	78%	88%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	9	57	7	73
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	39%	74%	100%	68%
Number not Employed	2	11	2	15
Number not Seeking Employment	1	1		2
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$42,004	\$32,775	\$45,900	\$34,736
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	4	13	2	19
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	15%	14%	22%	15%

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School of Business

Results by Credential

Certificate

Medical Office Assistant
Medical Transcription
Office Information Technology
Baking and Pastry Art
Boulangier and Baking Art
Cooking

Diploma

Library and Information Technology
Office Administration–Information
Management
Paralegal Services
Business Administration
Culinary Arts
Tourism Management

Advanced Diploma

Human Resource Management
Public Relations
International Business

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Advanced Diploma	Total - Business
Number of Graduates	336	459	62	857
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	26	15		41
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey	18	14	4	36
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	292	430	58	780
Number of Survey Respondents	104	134	24	262
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	95	128	23	246
% of Respondents in Labour Force	91%	96%	96%	94%
Number of Respondents Employed	80	117	21	218
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	84%	91%	91%	89%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	58	85	17	160
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	78%	79%	81%	79%
Number not Employed	15	11	2	28
Number not Seeking Employment	8	6	1	15
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$26,798	\$26,195	\$38,613	\$28,187
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	17	30	4	51
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	16%	22%	17%	19%

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School of Health and Human Services

Results by Credential

Certificate

Continuing Care
Continuing Care – Assistant
Dental Assisting – Level II
Pharmacy Technology
Customized Training
Cosmetology
Esthetics
Law and Security
Educational Support
Educational Assistant
Communication Disorders Technician

Diploma

Practical Nursing
Early Childhood Studies
Human Services
Funeral and Allied Health Services
Recreation Leadership

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Total - Health & Human Services
Number of Graduates	516	419	935
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	17	6	23
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey	8	30	38
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	491	383	874
Number of Survey Respondents	160	123	283
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	154	113	267
% of Respondents in Labour Force	96%	92%	94%
Number of Respondents Employed	104	145	249
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	94%	92%	93%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	137	82	219
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	95%	88%	92%
Number not Employed	9	9	18
Number not Seeking Employment	3	7	10
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$26,673	\$31,533	\$28,593
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	34	38	72
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	21%	31%	25%

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School of Trades and Technology

Results by Credential

Certificate

Appliance Service
 Building Systems Technician
 Cabinetmaking
 Electrical – Construction & Industrial
 High Pressure Pipe Welding
 Refrigeration and Air Conditioning
 Building Systems Technician
 Composites Fabrication Technician
 Metal Fabricating & Plating
 Plumbing
 Utility Line Work –Construct / Maintenance
 Industrial Mechanical/Millwright
 Horticulture – Practical
 Natural Resources – Operations
 Power Engineering – 4th Class

Occupational Health and Safety
 Customized Training
 Process Operator 4th Class
 Power
 Heavy Equipment Operator
 Automotive Service
 Basic Marine Engineering
 Basic Marine Navigation
 Diesel Rep-Industrial & Marine
 Heavy Duty Equip/Truck & Trans
 Motor Vehicle Body Repair
 Motorcycle & Power Products
 Transportation Mechanical Repair

Diploma

Architectural Engineering Technician
 Carpentry – Diploma
 Construction Administration
 Technology
 Drafting – Architectural
 Drafting – Mechanical
 Electrical – Construction and Industrial
 Heritage Carpentry
 Heating, Ventilation, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning
 Pipe Trades
 Welding – Diploma
 Electro Mechanical Technician
 Industrial Instrumentation
 Machining
 Manufacturing Engineering
 Technology

Manufacturing Engineering Technician
 Horticulture - Landscape
 Horticulture-Grower
 Natural Resources-Forestry
 Water Resources Technology
 Electrical Engineering
 Technology
 Electronic Engineering
 Technician
 Electronic Engineering
 Technology
 Power Engineering – 3rd Class
 Automotive Collision
 Repair and Refinishing
 Aviation Technology – Commercial Pilot
 Heavy Duty Equipment
 Repair

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Total - Trades & Tech
Number of Graduates	723	641	1364
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	32	24	56
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey	29	11	40
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	662	606	1268
Number of Survey Respondents	213	208	421
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	207	208	410
% of Respondents in Labour Force	97%	98%	97%
Number of Respondents Employed	161	168	329
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	78%	83%	80%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	113	136	249
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	71%	84%	78%
Number not Employed	46	35	81
Number not Seeking Employment	1	4	5
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$33,952	\$35,553	\$34,876
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	36	38	74
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	17%	18%	18%

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School of Access

Results by Credential

Certificate

General Arts and Science

Survey Results	Certificate	Total - Access
Number of Graduates	62	62
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	44	44
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey		
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	18	18
Number of Survey Respondents	9*	9*
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)		
% of Respondents in Labour Force		
Number of Respondents Employed		
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants		
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study		-
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study		-
Number not Employed		
Number not Seeking Employment		
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study		
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education		
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education		

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APPLIED ARTS

School of Applied Arts and New Media

Certificate

Applied Communication Arts
Recording Arts
Deaf Studies
Music Business

Diploma

Digital Animation
Graphic Design
Photography
Radio & Television Arts
Screen Arts

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Total - Applied Arts
Number of Graduates	117	137	254
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	59	9	68
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey	1	2	3
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	57	126	183
Number of Survey Respondents	22	47	69
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	21	45	66
% of Respondents in Labour Force	95%	96%	96%
Number of Respondents Employed	20	40	60
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	95%	89%	91%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	6	28	34
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	30%	70%	57%
Number not Employed	1	5	6
Number not Seeking Employment	1	1	2
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$21,360	\$28,455	\$27,838
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	3	6	9
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	14%	13%	13%

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GEOMATICS

School of Applied Arts and New Media

Certificate

GIS Technician
Survey Technician

Diploma

Cartography-Digital Mapping
Geomatics Engineering Technology
Planning: Land Information Technology

Advanced Diploma

Geographic Information Systems
Marine Geomatics
Remote Sensing
Geomatics Programming

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Advanced Diploma	Total
Number of Graduates	36	25	53	114
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	23	1		24
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey		3	8	11
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	13	21	45	79
Number of Survey Respondents	5	9	9	23
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	5	9	9	23
% of respondents in Labour Force	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of Respondents Employed	4	8	7	19
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	80%	89%	78%	83%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	3	5	7	15
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	100%	71%	100%	88%
Number not Employed	1	1	2	4
Number not Seeking Employment		1	1	2
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$55,767	\$46,800	\$45,900	\$48,523
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	1	2	2	5
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	20%	22%	22%	22%

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INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

School of Applied Arts and New Media

Diploma

Computer Electronics Technician

Information Technology

Computer Service Technician

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Total - Information Technology
Number of Graduates		115	115
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC		13	13
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey		3	3
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey		99	99
Number of Survey Respondents		35	35
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)		35	35
% of Respondents in Labour Force		100%	100%
Number of Respondents Employed		30	30
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants		86%	86%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study		24	24
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study		80%	80%
Number not Employed		5	5
Number not Seeking Employment			
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study		\$33,755	\$33,755
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education		5	5
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education		14%	14%

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APPLIED BUSINESS TECHNOLOGY

School of Business

Certificate

Medical Office Assistant
Medical Transcription
Office Information Technology

Diploma

Library and Information Technology
Office Administration– Information
Management
Paralegal Services

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Total - Applied Business Technology
Number of Graduates	295	39	334
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	19		19
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey	13		13
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	263	39	302
Number of Survey Respondents	87	18	105
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	82	18	98
% of Respondents in Labour Force	94%	100%	95%
Number of Respondents Employed	16	67	83
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	82%	89%	83%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	50	15	65
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	81%	94%	83%
Number not Employed	15	2	17
Number not Seeking Employment	4		4
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$28,228	\$31,786	\$28,920
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	13		13
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	15%		15%

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BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

School of Business

Diploma

Business Administration

Advanced Diploma

Human Resource Management

Public Relations

International Business

Survey Results	Diploma	Advanced Diploma	Total - Business Management
Number of Graduates	306	62	368
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	5		5
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey	17	4	21
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	284	58	342
Number of Survey Respondents	91	24	115
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	86	23	109
% of Respondents in Labour Force	95%	96%	95%
Number of Respondents Employed	77	21	98
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	90%	91%	90%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	53	17	70
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	78%	81%	79%
Number not Employed	9	2	11
Number not Seeking Employment	5	1	6
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$27,039	\$38,613	\$30,231
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	26	4	30
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	29%	17%	26%

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TOURISM AND CULINARY

School of Business

Certificate

Baking and Pastry Art
Boulangier and Baking Art
Cooking

Diploma

Culinary Arts
Tourism Management

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Total - Tourism and Culinary
Number of Graduates	41	114	155
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	7	10	17
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey	5	2	7
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	34	102	136
Number Responding to Survey	17	25	42
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	13	24	37
% of Respondents in Labour Force	76%	96%	88%
Number of Respondents Employed	13	24	37
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	100%	100%	100%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	8	17	25
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	67%	74%	71%
Number not Employed			
Number not Seeking Employment		5	5
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$18,500	\$19,413	\$19,128
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	4	4	8
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	24%	16%	19%

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HEALTH

School of Health and Human Services

Certificate

Continuing Care
Continuing Care – Assistant
Dental Assisting – Level II
Pharmacy Technology

Diploma

Practical Nursing

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Total - Health
Number of Graduates	396	135	531
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	2		2
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey	19	8	27
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	375	127	502
Number of Survey Respondents	125	38	163
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	122	34	156
% of Respondents in Labour Force	98%	89%	96%
Number of Respondents Employed	117	34	151
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	96%	100%	97%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	112	32	144
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	96%	97%	96%
Number not Employed	5		5
Number not Seeking Employment	1	1	2
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$27,823	\$37,930	\$30,173
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	20	14	34
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	16%	37%	21%

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HUMAN SERVICES

School of Health and Human Services

Certificate

Customized Training
Cosmetology
Esthetics
Law and Security
Educational Support
Educational Assistant
Communication Disorders Technician

Diploma

Early Childhood Studies
Human Services
Funeral and Allied Health Services
Recreation Leadership

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Total - Human Services
Number of Graduates	120	284	404
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	15	6	21
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey	3	8	11
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	102	270	372
Number of Survey Respondents	35	85	120
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	32	79	111
% of Respondents in Labour Force	91%	93%	93%
Number of Respondents Employed	28	70	98
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	88%	89%	88%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	25	50	75
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	93%	83%	86%
Number not Employed	4	9	13
Number not Seeking Employment	2	6	8
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$18,239	\$27,120	\$25,017
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	14	24	38
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	40%	28%	32%

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CONSTRUCTION

School of Trades and Technology

Certificate

Appliance Service
Building Systems Technician
Cabinetmaking
Electrical – Construction and Industrial
High Pressure Pipe Welding
Refrigeration and Air Conditioning
Building Systems Technician
Composites Fabrication Technician
Metal Fabricating and Plating
Plumbing
Utility Line Work –Construct / Maintenance

Diploma

Architectural Engineering Technician
Carpentry – Diploma
Construction Administration Technology
Drafting – Architectural
Drafting – Mechanical
Electrical – Construction and Industrial
Heritage Carpentry
Heating, Ventilation, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning
Pipe Trades
Welding – Diploma

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Total - Construction
Number of Graduates	429	318	747
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	19	10	29
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey		1	1
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	410	307	717
Number of Survey Respondents	132	105	237
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	129	103	232
% of Respondents in Labour Force	98%	98%	98%
Number of Respondents Employed	104	84	188
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	81%	82%	81%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	70	67	137
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	68%	84%	75%
Number not Employed	25	19	44
Number not Seeking Employment		1	1
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$34,977	\$31,634	\$33,292
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	18	17	35
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	14%	16%	15%

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MANUFACTURING

School of Trades and Technology

Certificate

Industrial Mechanical/Millwright

Diploma

Electro Mechanical Technician
Industrial Instrumentation
Machining
Manufacturing Engineering Technology
Manufacturing Engineering Technician

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Total - Manufacturing
Number of Graduates	29	101	130
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	1	5	6
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey	2	6	8
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	26	90	116
Number Responding to Survey	9*	29	38
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)		27	36
% of Respondents in Labour Force		93%	95%
Number of Respondents Employed		20	24
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants		74%	67%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study		17	20
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study		89%	87%
Number not Employed		7	12
Number not Seeking Employment		2	2
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study		\$37,633	\$38,588
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education		8	10
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education		28%	26%

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NATURAL RESOURCES

School of Trades and Technology

Certificate

Horticulture – Practical

Natural Resources – Operations

Diploma

Horticulture - Landscape

Horticulture - Grower

Natural Resources - Forestry

Water Resources Technology

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Total - Natural Resources
Number of Graduates	3	21	24
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	1		1
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey	1	3	4
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	1	18	19
Number of Survey Respondents	1*	9*	10
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)			9
% of Respondents in Labour Force			90%
Number of Respondents Employed			7
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants			78%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study			7
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study			71%
Number not Employed			2
Number not Seeking Employment			
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study			\$21,333
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education			3
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education			30%

*Results are not reported where there are less than 10 respondents. Such results are not statistically reliable.

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TECHNOLOGY

School of Trades and Technology

Certificate

Power Engineering – 4th Class
Occupational Health and Safety
Customized Training
Process Operator 4th Class Power
Heavy Equipment Operator

Diploma

Electrical Engineering Technology
Electronic Engineering Technician
Electronic Engineering Technology
Power Engineering – 3rd Class

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Total - Technology
Number of Graduates	49	127	176
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	3	7	10
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey	25	1	26
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	21	119	140
Number of Survey Respondents	24	42	66
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	22	41	63
% of Respondents in Labour Force	92%	98%	95%
Number of Respondents Employed	16	37	53
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	73%	90%	84%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	11	29	40
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	69%	83%	78%
Number not Employed	6	4	10
Number not Seeking Employment	1	1	2
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$40,177	\$43,780	\$42,979
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	4	7	11
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	17%	17%	17%

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TRANSPORTATION

School of Trades and Technology

Certificate

Automotive Service
Basic Marine Engineering
Basic Marine Navigation
Diesel Rep-Industrial & Marine
Heavy Duty Equip/Truck & Trans
Motor Vehicle Body Repair
Motorcycle & Power Products
Transportation Mechanical Repair

Diploma

Automotive Collision Repair and Refinishing
Aviation Technology – Commercial Pilot
Heavy Duty Equipment Repair

Survey Results	Certificate	Diploma	Total - Transportation
Number of Graduates	212	75	287
Number of Graduates Returning to NSCC	8	2	10
Number of Graduates Ineligible for Survey		1	1
Number of Graduates Eligible for Survey	204	72	276
Number of Survey Respondents	47	23	70
Number of Respondents in Labour Force (working or looking for work)	47	23	70
% of Respondents in Labour Force	100%	100%	100%
Number of Respondents Employed	37	20	57
Employment Rate of Labour Force Participants	79%	87%	81%
Number of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	29	18	47
% of Employed in Work Related to Field of Study	78%	90%	82%
Number not Employed	10	3	13
Number not Seeking Employment			
Average Annual Salary of those employed full time in work related to field of study	\$26,930	\$36,355	\$30,969
Number of Graduates who Pursued Further Education	12	3	15
% of Respondents who Pursued Further Education	26%	13%	21%