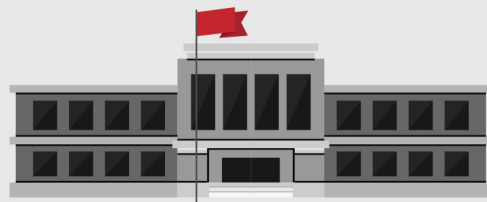


TALENT DIVIDEND INITIATIVE

How our resources help you get your degree

How your degree benefits you and your company

We help put you in contact with one of the many colleges in our region



Chattanooga State
Community College

Cleveland State
Community College

Georgie Northwestern
Technical College

Miller-Motte
Technical School

Southern Adventist
University

University of Tennessee
at Chattanooga

Belhaven University

Dalton College

Western Governors
University Tennessee

Northeastern Alabama
Community College

We help you to connect your knowledge and experience with college level credit.
Take a Prior Learning Assessment



We offer several tips and answers about the FAFSA and also finding and applying for grants, scholarships, and loans on our website (www.betterbydegrees.org).



An employee who has a higher degree also receives a higher wage



More money is made when a company has employees with a higher education

Employees with higher education produced more products and got more work done



Over-educated employees are more beneficial to the productivity of a company instead of harming it

Educated

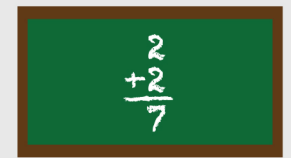


Unemployment rate is lower among college graduates

Educated workers seem to adapt quicker and more efficiently to new tasks and technology changes

Higher education increases a worker's ability to come up with new ideas/new methods to perform tasks

Uneducated



Unemployment rate is higher among workers who do not have a higher education

Undereducated workers either are able to be productive because of additional work experience/training or they end up doing jobs that are less demanding when they are older

When every adult with some credit completes a degree, the nation will succeed, employer needs will be met, and every one will benefit from the return on the investment of the education.

