



California Aeronautical University
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Graduation, Employment, and Retention Rates

California Aeronautical University, Bakersfield, California is accredited by the Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges (ACCSC), an accrediting agency recognized by the United States Department of Education. The University calculates and reports graduation and employment rates to ACCSC annually. The following information is taken from the 2026 ACCSC Annual Report, submitted on 10/9/2026.

Program	Reporting Period		Total Starts / Population	Graduation Rate	Employment Rate	Retention Rate
	Beginning Date	Ending Date				
Master of Aviation Science (DE)	3/2023	2/2024	6	83%	100%	-
Bachelor of Science in Aeronautics	10/2020	9/2021	85	48%	70%	-
Bachelor of Science in Aviation Management (DE)	7/2020	9/2021	8	63%	80%	-
Associate of Science in Aviation Studies	7/2022	6/2023	2	50%	0%	-
Associate of Science in Aviation Maintenance Technology	7/2022	6/2023	0	-	-	-
Aviation Maintenance Technology Diploma	1/2023	12/2023	11	73%	75%	-

Graduation Rates are calculated by taking the number of starts minus withdrawals/terminations divided by total starts (excluding students unavailable for graduation due to death, incarceration, active military service, or the onset of a medical condition that prevents continued enrollment.)

Employment Rates are calculated by taking the number of graduates employed in the field of study divided by the total number of graduates (excluding graduates unavailable for employment due to further education, death, incarceration, active military service, or the onset of a medical condition that prevents employment.)

Retention Rates are calculated by taking the numerator = number of retained students still in the program divided by the denominator = total number of students who started school during the reporting period, minus those who transferred out to another program, plus those who transferred in. (Exclude from the calculation the following categories: death, incarceration, active military service deployment, or the onset of a medical condition that prevents continued enrollment.)