Workforce Information:

Population (2010 Census)

City of Manistee 6,226 Manistee County 24,733

Educational Attainment

89.6% High School Graduate or Higher 23.4% Some College, No Degree 19.7% Bachelor's Degree or Higher

Training Programs

West Shore Community College 300 N. Stiles Road Scottville, MI 49454

Established in 1967, the College offers a comprehensive general education curricula designed to meet the needs of students interested in occupational programs leading to immediate employment and students wishing to transfer to a senior institution. The College offers Associate of Applied Arts and Sciences Degrees, One-and Two-Year Certificates, and many custom-designed Associate of Arts and Associate of Sciences Degree Programs to meet transfer students' needs.

The College works closely with business and industry to provide a well-trained workforce in a variety of job skill areas and its role in job training has grown to the point that today WSCC offers or can custom design a training program to fit almost any need. Training can take place on campus or at a business site.

Because graduates enter a world dominated by technology, West Shore has the latest technology on campus for student use, from computers and computer programs to equipment in math, science, computer animation and simulation, machine tool technology, nursing, welding, and many others.

Baker College of Cadillac 9600 E. 13thStreet Cadillac, MI 49601

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Baker is a career college. We believe that going to college should lead you directly to a great career, and everything at Baker—from our programs to our facilities and support services—is guided by that belief.