

Gaza Training Center - UNRWA Developmental History facts sheet

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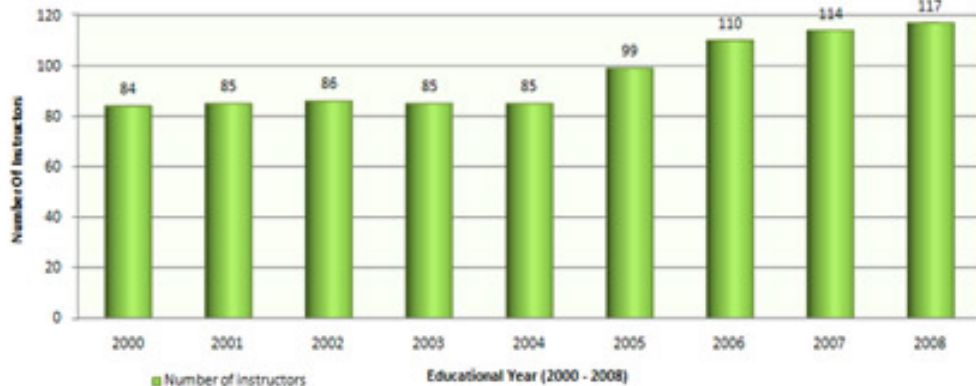


GTC MISSION

Preparation and implementation of specialized and diversified technical and vocational programmes to meet the needs of local and regional markets and to cope with the latest developments and provide the Palestine refugee youth with the desired knowledge, skills, and attitudes to secure suitable job opportunities.



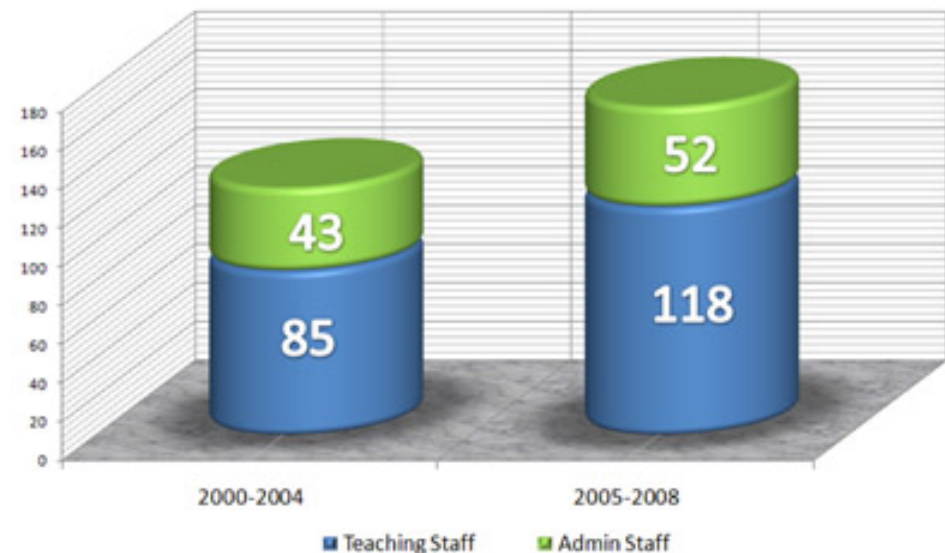
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**GTC Teaching Staff Development Chart
2000 - 2009**

Gaza Training Centre GTC UNRWA is the first education institute providing training and education of vocational & technical services in Gaza Strip. It was established on 1953 under the name of Vocational Training Centre as a realization of the UNRWA philosophy through preparation of qualified graduates able to compete in local and regional labor market for suitable job opportunity. Based on the technological development and civilization progress, most nations of world at various levels developing and under developed countries are paying more attention of the vocational & technical training and education in preparation of the manpower technically in various specializations needed for the various development projects.

**Development in Gaza Training Centre:
Administration & Teaching Staff (2000 - 2009)**



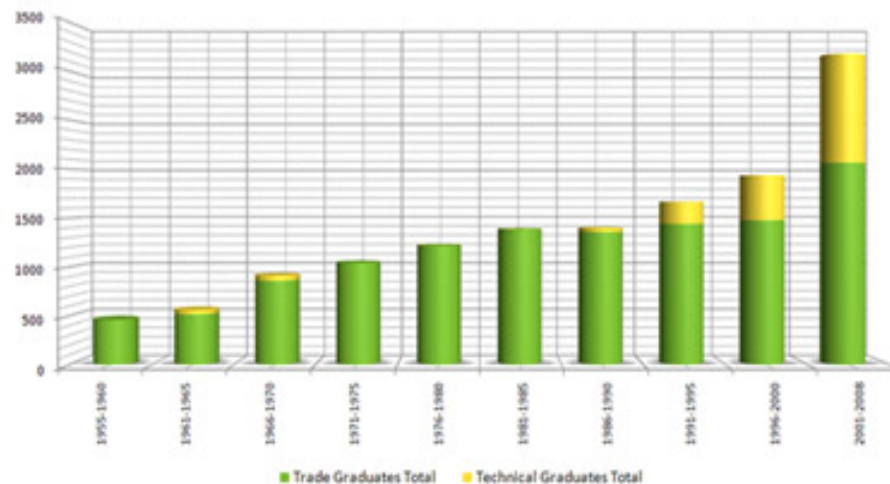
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The first Technical & Vocational college in Gaza Strip



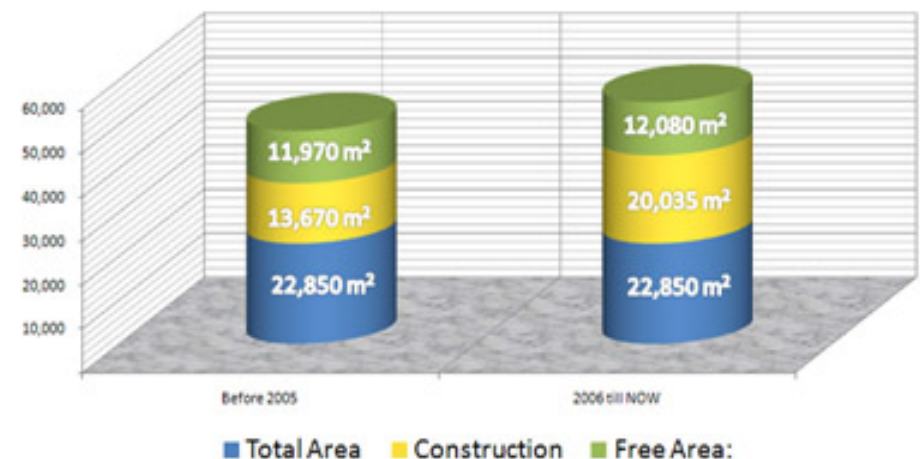
The Secretariat of the Arab Union was confirmed on the need of expand TVET and support the Technical and Vocational institutions through development of curriculum content, leadership methods and administrative frameworks of teaching to the changing needs of the labor force. On that basis, GTC administration -through the Department of Education- has developed its programs and specializations based on various surveys of the need of the labor market so that the number of trade courses is 14 and 17 technical courses accompanied by upgrading equipment and machinery, development of human cadres, workshops and classrooms needed.

GAZA TRAINING CENTRE GRADUATES (Trade and Technical Courses)



GTC upgrade of Constructions Chart

Construction area development within last four years was 6,365 m² i.e 29% of total area (vertical construction)



Gaza Training Centre Strategic Objectives:

- To achieve high level of harmony between programmes of vocational & technical education on the one hand, and the needs of the labour market on the other.
- To develop educational and training techniques, facilities, and resources in line with recent developments.
- To attract and recruit highly qualified technical and administrative staff to conduct the educational and training process and to upgrade and update their competencies continually.
- To continuously develop criteria of admission of trainees and to follow up their progress during training and after graduation.

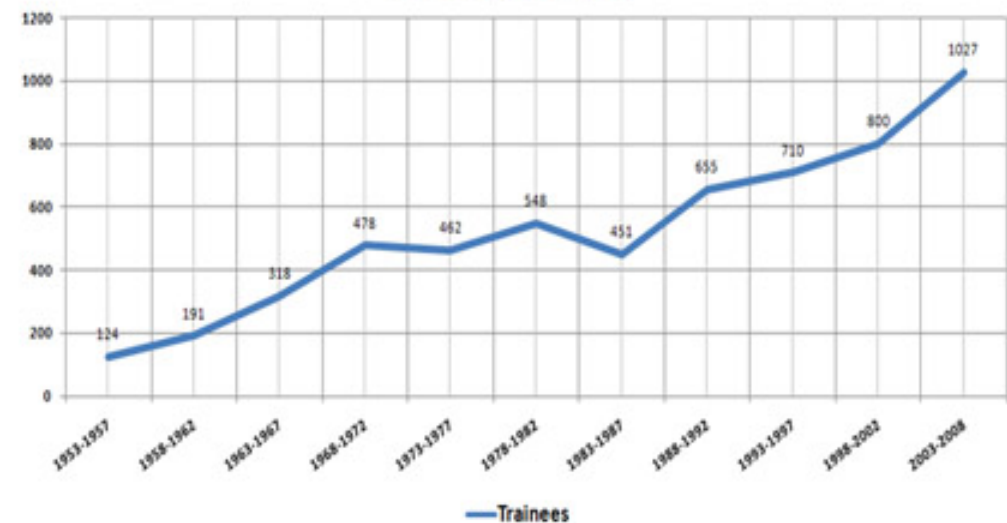


- To enhance the administrative and supervisory abilities of staff to enable them to cope with recent concepts in administration and supervision.
- To provide mechanisms that would achieve cost-effectiveness in education and training and would foster high level of staff accountability and self-evaluation.

Number of Courses Development in GTC
From 1953 until Now



GTC Number of Trainees Development
from 1953 until Now



GTC VISION

A distinguished technical and vocational education and training that would prepare qualified graduates to have job opportunities available in the labour market and would help achieve decent living for the Palestine refugees society.



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GTC wins an International Prize
Cisco Against All Odds Award



UNRWA Gaza Community College has been awarded the Against All Odds Award by the Cisco Networking Academy for the work done in widening e-learning and fostering IT skills among Palestine refugees.

The Against All Odds Award was awarded to UNRWA during the Arabian Adventure held in Cairo on March 2009. The Award went for UNRWA based on statistical analysis of UNRWA performance and the success that UNRWA had in fulfilling the following criteria:

1. Teaching under severe conditions
2. Ensuring quality teaching
3. Following up on students till they graduate
4. Providing the latest course to students

First Prize for Gaza Training Center
GTC has got the first rank in the Third Fire Fighting Robot Contest Competition

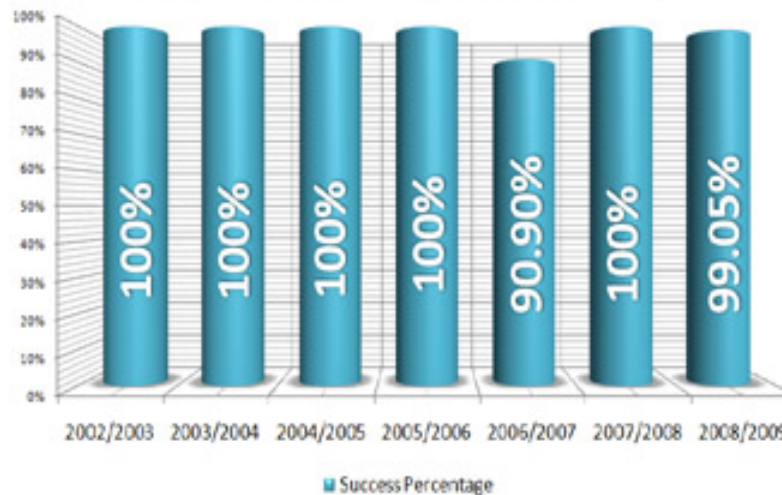
UNRWA - GTC has got the first prize in the third Fire Fighting Robot Contest Competition organized by Palestine Technical College - Deir El-Balah on August 2009. Participants from different universities and colleges in palestine were involved. Gaza Community College winning team included students from industrial Electronics Course Students under supervision of their Technical Instructors.



MOHE Annual Comprehensive Exam
GTC gets consecutive excellent exam results



GTC Students - Comprehensive Exam Results (2002-2008)



Gaza Training Center was recognized as an Academic community college by the Palestinian Ministry of Higher Education as Gaza Community College.

GTC technical graduates are granted accredited Certificates after passing the related Comprehensive exam at the Ministry of Higher Education.

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GTC - non stop development ...*