51 Appanoose County residents are enrolled at ISU including:

- 13 students in the College of Human Sciences
- 11 students in the College of Engineering
- 10 students in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
- 10 students in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences
- 6 students in the Graduate College
- 6 students in the College of Design
- 5 students in the College of Business
- 13 Appanoose County students were on ISU’s 2016 Spring Honor Roll

181 ISU Alumni reside in Appanoose County including:

- 14 in Agriculture
- 14 Pre K/K-12 Educators
- 11 Engineers
- 4 in Banking/Finance
- 2 Veterinarians
- 1 Architect

2,918 Appanoose County residents directly benefited from ISU Extension and Outreach education. We’re focused on feeding people, keeping them healthy, helping communities prosper and thrive, and turning the world over to the next generation better than we found it. That’s how we’re building a strong Iowa.

Iowa State University’s science-focused business assistance program is a key problem solver for Appanoose County businesses. The Center for Industrial Research and Service (CIRAS) provided engineering services to 21 businesses in the last year including:

- Baker Specialty Products; Centerville Area Chamber of Commerce; Commercial Resources Inc.; Honey Creek Resort State Park; Iowa Steel and Wire Co. Inc.; Joiner Construction Inc.; RMA Supply Company; Wells Manufacturing Corp.

The Small Business Development Center (SBDC) serving Appanoose County assisted 12 clients last year, helping to create or retain 5 jobs and start 2 new businesses.