

Los Medanos College

Reviewing progress toward Interim Plan Goals

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LMC's Strategic Priorities

Strategic Priority #1 - Increase and Accelerate Student Program Completion

Strategic Priority #2 - Build Stronger Relationships Among Faculty, Staff and Students to Increase Engagement and Student Success

Strategic Priority #3 - Increase and Accelerate Student Completion of Basic Skills Sequences

Strategic Priority #4 - Improve the Academic Success of our African American Students



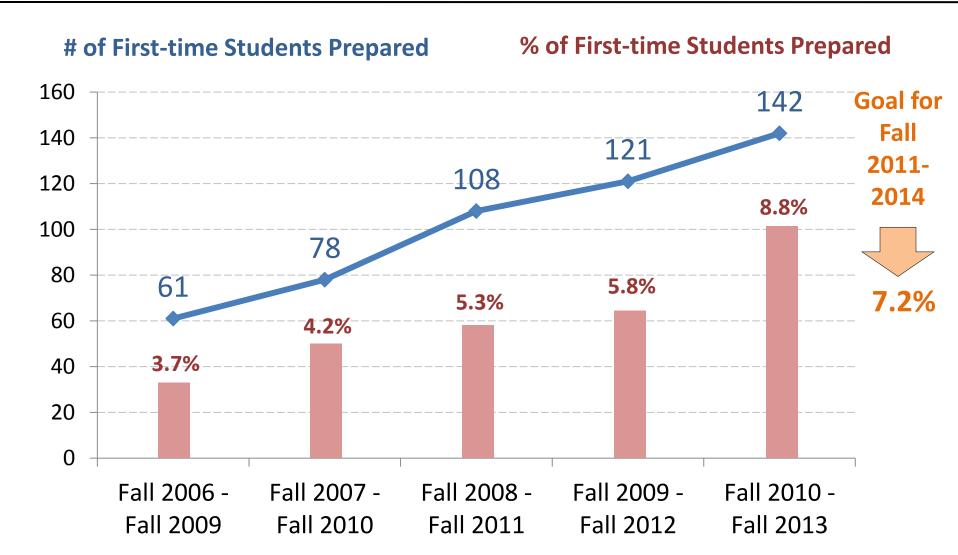
STRATEGIC PRIORITY #1 – Increase and Accelerate Student Program Completion

C. SUPPORTING OBJECTIVES

- i. By Fall 2014, there will be a 3% increase in the number of students who become "transfer prepared" within 3 years of enrollment compared to a Fall 2007 Fall 2010 baseline of 4.2%. This means that 7.2% of all new students in Fall 2011 will be 'transfer prepared' by Fall 2014.
- ii. In academic year 2013-2014, there will be a minimum of <u>362 transfers to UC/CSU</u>, a 3% annualized increase over the 2008-2009 baseline of 315 students.
- iii. In academic year, 2013-2014, there will be a minimum of **708 AA/AS degrees will be awarded**, a 10% annualized increase over the 2008-2009 baseline of 464 AA/AS degrees.
- iv. In academic year 2013-2014, a minimum of **130 state approved certificates** will be awarded; a 20% annualized increase over the 2008-2009 baseline of 65 state approved certificates awarded.
- v. In academic year 2013-2014, a minimum of <u>462 locally approved certificates</u> will be awarded, a 10% annualized increase over the 2008-2009 baseline of 308 locally approved certificates awarded.



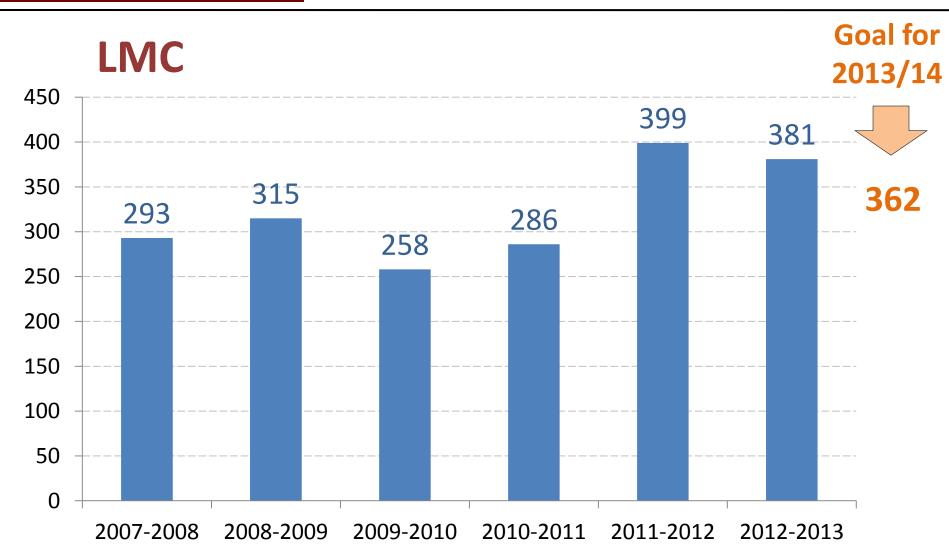
Transfer Prepared within Three Years



^{*2012-2013} missing UC system transfers. CSU counts only.

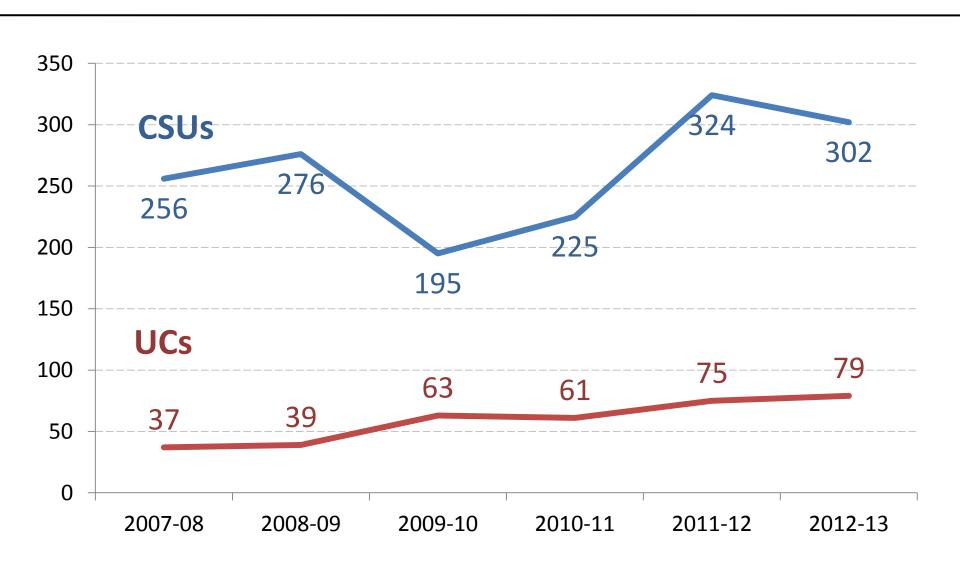


Transfers to UCs & CSUs



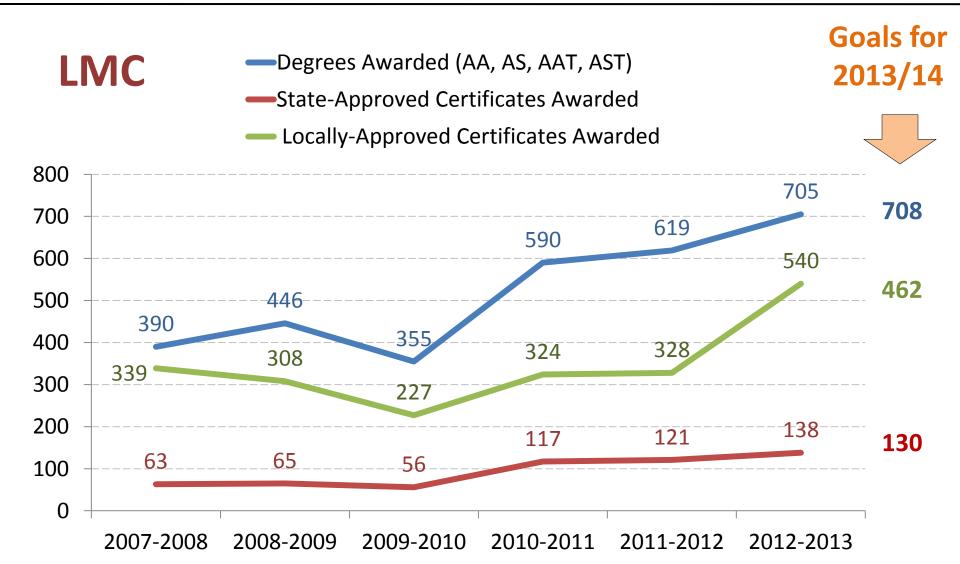


Student Transfers to UCs and CSUs





Degree and Certificate Production





<u>STRATEGIC PRIORITY #2</u> Increase and Accelerate Student Completion of Basic Skills Sequences

C. SUPPORTING OBJECTIVES

i. By Spring 2013, create specific objectives regarding engagement using the results of the SENSE, CCSSE, CCFSSE, and other locally developed instruments (conducted in academic year 2012 - 2013) that measure the engagement of students and employees.



CCSSE Summary Report



Key Findings: A Starting Point

The Key Findings report provides an entry point for reviewing results from your administration of the 2013 Community College Survey of Student Engagement (CCSSE). The report provides college-specific data in an easy-to-share format including benchmark comparisons between the college, top-performing colleges, and the CCSSE cobort. It also highlights aspects of highest and lowest student engagement at the college, as well as results from five of the CCSSE special-focus items on promising educational practices. Select faculty survey data are also highlighted.

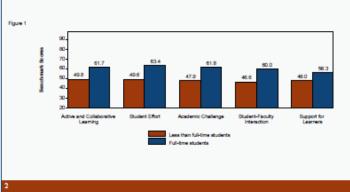
Promising Practices for Student Success

In each annual administration, CCSSE has included special-focus items to allow participating colleges and national researchers to delive more deeply into areas of student experience and institutional performance of great interest to the field. The 2013 special-focus items are part of an ongoing national research project focused on community college students' participation in a defined collection of promising practices for which there is emerging evidence of effectiveness in strengthening student learning, persistence, and attainment. This work will link data from the CCSSE special-focus items; related items of the faculty survey (CCFSSE), which explore the extent of faculty members' use of the identified promising practices in their teaching; and institutional data collected from the Community College Institutional Survey (CCTS) that address questions about how these promising practices are implemented across varied institutions.

This data collection will provide empirical confirmation of promising educational practices in community colleges, quantification of the extent to which those practices are part of the current experience of our students, and information about whether participation in these types of practices varies across subgroups of students. Ongoing data analysis will provide new evidence of how student participation in these practices is related to overall student engagement, academic progress, and college completion.

Benchmark Overview by Enrollment Status

Figure 1 below represents your institution's CCSSE benchmark scores by students' enrollment status.



SENSE Summary Report



Benchmarks of Effective Educational Practice With Entering Students

SENSE Benchmarks

* Early Connections

When students describe their early coilege experiences, they typically reflect on occasions when they felt discouraged or thought about dropping out. Their reasons for persisting almost always include one common element: a strong, early connection to someone at the coilege.

* High Expectations and Aspirations

Nearly all students arrive at their community colleges intending to succeed and believing that they have the motivation to do so. When entering students perceive clear, high expectations from college staff and faculty, hey are more likely to understand what it takes to be successful and adopt behaviors that lead to achievement. Students then often rise to meet expectations, making it more likely that they will attain their goals. Often, student's aspirations also climb, and they seek more advanced credentials than they originally envisioned.

* Clear Academic Plan and Pathway

When a student, with knowledgeable assistance, creates a road map—one that shows where he or she is headed, what academic path to follow, and how long it will take to reach the end goad—that student has a critical tool for staying on track. Students are more likely to persist if they not only are adviced about what courses to take, but also are helped to set academic opais and to create a joint for achieving them.

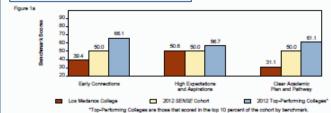
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The Survey of Entering Student Engagement (SENSE) benchmarks are groups of conceptually related survey items that address key areas of entering student engagement. The six benchmarks denote areas that educational research has shown to be important to entering students' college experiences and educational outcomes; thus, they provide colleges with a useful starting point for looking at institutional results.

Ideally, colleges engage entering students in all six benchmark areas, beginning with a student's first contact with the institution and continuing through completion of the first three weeks of the initial academic term. This time is decisive because current research indicates that helping students succeed through the first academic term can dramatically improve subsequent success, including completing courses and earning certificates and degrees.

While many student behaviors and institutional practices measured by the benchmarks can and should continue throughout students' college careers, the SENSE items and the resulting data focus on this critical entering student timeframe.

SENSE benchmark scores are computed by averaging the scores on survey items composing the benchmarks. Benchmark scores are standardized to have a mean of 50 and standard deviation of 25 across all respondents.



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<u>STRATEGIC PRIORITY #3</u> Increase and Accelerate Student Completion of Basic Skills Sequences

C. SUPPORTING OBJECTIVES

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- i. Increase the percentage of basic skills math students who successfully complete the DE math program within 3 years by 3% and those who complete a transfer level math course in this same time period by 5% over the Fall 2008 Summer 2011 baselines of 35.5% and 19.5% respectively.
- ii. Increase the percentage of basic skills English students who successfully complete the DE English program within 3 years by 2% and those who complete a transfer level English course in this same time period by 4% over the Fall 2008 Summer 2011 baselines of 59.2% and 38.2% respectively.
 - Changes to the California Chancellor's Office treatment of basic skills coding schemes (CB21) in 2009 make it very difficult to track basic skills sequence improvement rates prior to that date. So at this point we can reliably track sequence rates for students enrolling as of Fall 2009



Basic Skill Math 3-Year Sequence Completion Data

	Fall 2009 Cohort		Fall 2010 Cohort			Fall	hort		
Student Ethnicity	Placed into Dev Ed	Completed Dev Ed Sequence	Complete a Transfer Level Course	Placed into Dev Ed	Dev Ed	Complete a Transfer Level Course	Placed into Dev Ed	Completed Dev Ed Seguence	Complete a Transfer Level Course
Total	1,332	37%	21%	1,013	37%	23%	1,003	40%	31%



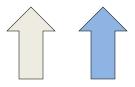




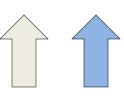


Basic Skill English 3-Year Sequence Completion Data

	Fall	2009 Co	hort	Fall 2010 Cohort			Fall 2011 Cohort		
		Completed	Complete a Transfer		Completed	Complete a Transfer		Completed	Complete a Transfer
	Placed into	Dev Ed	Level	Placed into	Dev Ed	Level	Placed into	Dev Ed	Level
Student Ethnicity	Dev Ed	Sequence	Course	Dev Ed	Sequence	Course	Dev Ed	Sequence	Course
Total	1,074	56%	46%	989	58%	54%	802	62%	60%









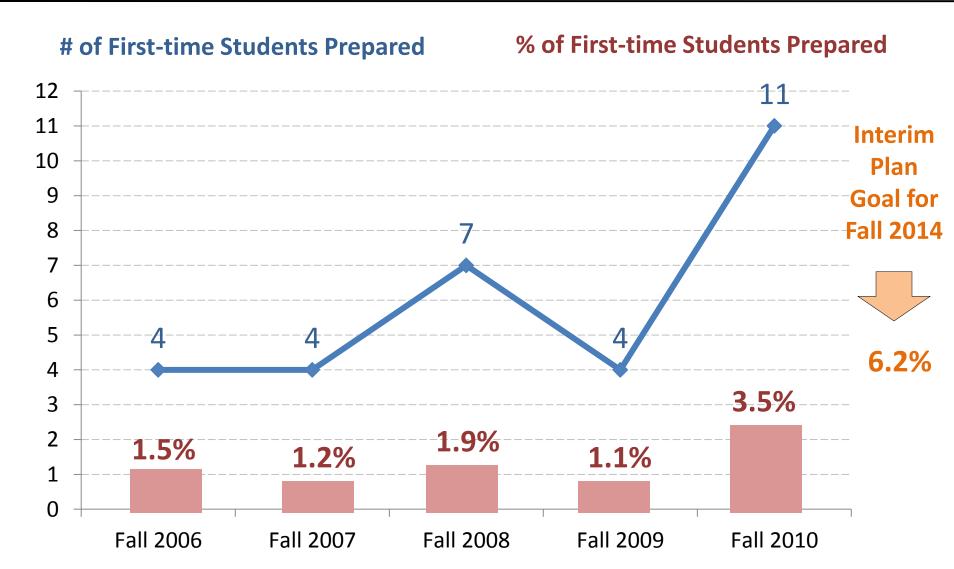
<u>STRATEGIC PRIORITY #4</u> – Improve the Academic Success of our African American Students

C. SUPPORTING OBJECTIVES

- i. By Fall 2014, there will be a 5% increase in the number of African American students who become 'transfer prepared' within 3 years of enrollment compared to a Fall 2007 Fall 2010 baseline of 1.2%. This means that 6.2% of all new African American students in Fall 2011 will be 'transfer prepared' by Fall 2014.
- ii. Increase the percentage of African American basic skills math students who successfully complete the DE math program within 3 years by 7% and those who complete a transfer level math course in this same time period by 10% over the Fall 2008 Summer 2011 baselines of 21.6% and 9.1% respectively.
- iii. Increase the percentage of basic skills English students who successfully complete the DE English program within 3 years by 6% and those who complete a transfer level English course in this same time period by 10% over the Fall 2008 Summer 2011 baselines of 40.2% and 21.9% respectively.



African Americans Transfer Prepared within Three Years





Basic Skill Math Sequence Completion Data

	Fall	Fall 2009 Cohort			Fall 2010 Cohort			Fall 2011 Cohort		
			Complete a						Complete a	
		Completed	Transfer		Completed	Complete a		Completed	Transfer	
	Placed into	Dev Ed	Level	Placed into	Dev Ed	Transfer	Placed into	Dev Ed	Level	
Student Ethnicity	Dev Ed	Sequence	Course	Dev Ed	Sequence	Level Course	Dev Ed	Sequence	Course	
Total	1,332	37%	21%	1,013	37%	23%	1,003	40%	31%	
African-American	220	23%	13%	191	28%	16%	198	25%	25%	

But looking at Dev Ed completion rates in this aggregate way masks the real story ...

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			Completing		Completing		Completing		Completing
		Starting	Dev Ed	Starting	Dev Ed	Starting	Dev Ed	Starting	Dev Ed
	Student Ethnicity	Cohort #	Sequence	Cohort #	Sequence	Cohort #	Sequence	Cohort #	Sequence
	Total	296	12%	338	25%	352	36%	346	71%
	African-American	84	8%	62	23%	41	29%	33	52%
	Asian	15	27%	20	35%	19	16%	30	83%

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8%

7%

Hispanic

White Non-Hispanic

				Fall 2010) Cohort			
	4-Leve	ls Below	3-Leve	ls Below	2-Leve	ls Below	1-Leve	el Below
		%		%		%		%
		Completing		Completing		Completing		Completing
	Starting	Dev Ed						
Student Ethnicity	Cohort #	Sequence						
Total	141	9%	379	24%	265	43%	228	70%
African-American	45	9%	85	27%	33	30%	28	61%
Asian	9	11%	30	27%	16	38%	22	77%
Hispanic	45	4%	122	25%	85	53%	80	64%
White Non-Hispanic	30	20%	104	21%	94	35%	78	77%

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72%

75%

		Fall 2011 Cohort										
	4-Leve	ls Below	3-Leve	ls Below	2-Leve	ls Below	1-Leve	el Below				
		%		%	%			%				
		Completing		Completing		Completing		Completing				
	Starting	Dev Ed	Starting	Dev Ed	Starting	Dev Ed	Starting	Dev Ed				
Student Ethnicity	Cohort #	Sequence	Cohort #	Sequence	Cohort #	Sequence	Cohort #	Sequence				
Total	144	14%	319	22%	231	43%	309	69%				
African-American	59	14%	78	8%	27	52%	34	65%				
Asian	5	0%	23	30%	18	67%	27	85%				
Hispanic	54	17%	103	28%	98	39%	113	68%				
White Non-Hispanic	20	10%	88	27%	66	41%	98	73%				



Basic Skill English Sequence Completion Data

	Fall 2009 Cohort			Fall 2	Fall 2010 Cohort			Fall 2011 Cohort			
			Complete a			Complete a			Complete a		
		Completed	Transfer		Completed	Transfer		Completed	Transfer		
	Placed into	Dev Ed	Level	Placed into	Dev Ed	Level	Placed into	Dev Ed	Level		
Student Ethnicity	Dev Ed	Sequence	Course	Dev Ed	Sequence	Course	Dev Ed	Sequence	Course		
Total	1074	56%	46%	989	58%	54%	802	62%	60%		
African-American	188	32%	28%	177	38%	28%	144	48%	43%		

Again, let's look at sequence completion rates for these groups based on placement level ...

English Basic Skills Sequence Completion

pletion	3-Leve	ls Below	2-Leve	ls Below	1-Leve	el Below
•		%		%		%
		Completing		Completing		Completing
	Starting	Dev Ed	Starting	Dev Ed	Starting	Dev Ed
Student Ethnicity	Cohort #	Sequence	Cohort #	Sequence	Cohort #	Sequence
Total	95	17%	460	39%	519	79%
African-American	25	8%	104	20%	59	64%
Asian	12	17%	35	40%	36	81%
Hispanic	23	22%	129	44%	121	81%
White Non-Hispanic	8	13%	87	46%	144	77%

Fall 2009 Cohort

			Fall 201	0 Cohort		
	3-Leve	3-Levels Below		2-Levels Below		el Below
		% Completing		% Completing		% Completing
	Starting	Dev Ed	Starting	Dev Ed	Starting	Dev Ed
Student Ethnicity	Cohort #	Sequence	Cohort #	Sequence	Cohort #	Sequence
Total	72	17%	403	43%	514	76%
African-American	21	5%	82	33%	74	53%
Asian	9	22%	39	67%	46	91%
Hispanic	29	17%	160	42%	205	81%
White Non-Hispanic	12	33%	76	47%	133	75%

			Fall 201	1 Cohort		
	3-Levels Below		2-Leve	ls Below	1-Level Below	
		%		%		%
		Completing		Completing		Completing
	Starting	Dev Ed	Starting	Dev Ed	Starting	Dev Ed
Student Ethnicity	Cohort #	Sequence	Cohort #	Sequence	Cohort #	Sequence
Total	23	30%	347	45%	432	78%
African-American	6	33%	84	40%	54	61%
Asian	6	50%	32	63%	39	74%
Hispanic	5	20%	125	48%	176	83%
White Non-Hispanic	6	17%	73	40%	119	81%



A brief word on the Achievement gap

