

Student Success Scorecard 2013

Completion:

According to the state scorecards, 75.2% of College of Marin students who do not need to take remedial math or English courses complete a degree or certificate or transfer to a four-year college. That rate drops to 48.4% for those who do need remediation. Those disparities persist across the state's community colleges. Statewide college-prepared students have a completion rate of 71.2 percent while the unprepared complete at a rate of 41.1 percent.

Completion rate: Overall, we have higher completion rate than the state average.

Persistence:

The scorecards also track student persistence over a year-year period. Persistence is when students enroll for three consecutive semesters. Being enrolled for consecutive semesters is an indicator that a student is more likely to complete their degree or certificate. About 46% of College of Marin students who do not need to take remedial math or English courses persisted. That rate increases to 61% for those who do need remediation. The percentage of our prepared students on persistence rate is lower than the state average because majority of them transferred out to 4-year-universities before they got counted into persistence.

Persistence rate: Overall, we have lower rate than the state average.

30 units:

Data is also available about how many students complete 30 units or more -- the half-way mark in most community college programs and tend to be positively correlated with completion. About 62% of College of Marin students who do not need to take remedial math or English courses completed 30 units or more. That rate increases to 71% for those who do need remediation. The percentage of our prepared students on completing 30 units or more is lower than the state average because many of them transferred out to 4-year-universities before they hit the mark of 30 units.

30 units+: Overall we have higher rate than the state average.

Remedial:

Data is also available about how many students who enroll in remedial math or English later complete a college-level course in that discipline within 6 years. About 34% of College of Marin

students completed college-level English course; about 44% of our students completed college-level Math courses; about 18% of our ESL students completed college-level English courses within 6 years.

Math remedial: we are lower than the state average;

English remedial: we are higher than the state average;

ESL remedial: we are lower than the state average.

Career Technical Education:

Data is also available about how many students who enrolled in career technical program and completed a degree, certificate or transferred within 6 years. About 52% of College of Marin students complete a degree or certificate or transfer to a four-year college.

Career Technical education: we are lower than the state average.