

## EOP&S Program Study

During spring 2006, the college Research Office looked at certain student performance indicators of students who identified themselves as being a EOP&S Program student. The college Research Office looked at course success rates, average units attempted/completed/GPA, semester persistence rates, average number of semesters of enrollment, Degree and/or Certificate completion as well as the demographic profiles for these students compared to the overall student population. During the three-plus academic years that were analyzed, EOP&S Program students comprise roughly 5% of the overall student population.

### Average Course Success Rate (Fall 2002 – Fall 2005)

EOP&S Program students:	62.0%
Rest of college:	65.3%

### Average Units Attempted (Fall 2002 – Fall 2005)

EOP&S Program students:	9.79 (for the semester)
Rest of college:	5.96 (for the semester)
EOP&S Program students:	33.81 (cumulative)
Rest of college:	33.74 (cumulative)

### Average Units Completed (Fall 2002 – Fall 2005)

EOP&S Program students:	8.94 (for the semester)
Rest of college:	5.28 (for the semester)
EOP&S Program students:	34.67 (cumulative)
Rest of college:	31.62 (cumulative)

### Average GPA (Fall 2002 – Fall 2005)

EOP&S Program students:	2.36 (cumulative)
Rest of college:	2.61 (cumulative)

### Average Number of Semesters of Enrollment (Fall 2002 – Fall 2005)

EOP&S Program students:	4.45
Rest of college:	3.72

### Semester-to-Semester Persistence

Fall 2002 to Spring 2003	
EOP&S Program students:	57%
Rest of college:	68%
Fall 2003 to Spring 2004	
EOP&S Program students:	66%
Rest of college:	67%
Fall 2004 to Spring 2005	
EOP&S Program students:	66%
Rest of college:	68%

## Demographic Profile

### **Average Age**

EOP&S Program students:	26.7
Rest of college:	27.7

### **Gender**

EOP&S Program students:	67.8% Female, 31.2% Male, 1.0% Undeclared
Rest of college:	57.8% Female, 41.6% Male, 0.6% Undeclared

### **Ethnicity**

EOP&S Program students:	14.5% White, 85.5% Minority
Rest of college:	34.3% White, 65.7% Minority

## Summary

EOP&S Program student have a demographic profile that is very different from the demographic profile of the rest of the college. EOP&S Program students are far more likely to be female (no doubt as a result of the program entrance requirements) than male. EOP&S Program students are far more ethnically diverse compared to the rest of the college.

In terms of academic performance, EOP&S Program students:

**Are slightly lower than the rest of the college in terms of average course success rate** (62.0% for EOP&S students compared to 65.3% for the rest of the college).

**Take a slightly higher semester unit load compared to the rest of the college** (9.79 units for EOP&S Program students compared to 5.96 units for the rest of the college).

**Have attempted more cumulative college units** (33.8 units attempted for EOP&S Program students compared to 33.7 units completed for the rest of the college).

**Have completed more cumulative college units** (34.7 units attempted for EOP&S Program students compared to 31.6 units completed for the rest of the college).

**Have lower cumulative GPA's compared to the rest of the college** (2.36 cumulative GPA for EOP&S Program students compared to 2.61 cumulative GPA for the rest of the college).

**Have lower Fall-to-Spring Persistence compared to the rest of the college** (for Fall 2004-Spring 2005, EOP&S Program students persisted at 66% compared to 68% for the rest of the college.)

**Are enrolled at the college longer compared to the rest of the college** (EOP&S Program student average number of semesters of enrollment is 4.45 semesters compared to 3.72 semesters for the rest of the college).