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Introduction

The El Camino College Annual Fact Book is a reference source containing trend data about students, student outcomes, and instructional programs and services. The data and analysis in the fact book provide background information to facilitate policy analysis and decision making. It should be a useful tool in college and departmental planning, grant preparation, and in the accreditation process. It is our hope that the information provided is used to objectively evaluate programs and practices as well as visualize the trends that affect El Camino College's current and future operations.

Demographic and enrollment data on ECC students was provided by the Chancellor's Office. Some of the data in the Special Programs section was extracted from the college's student database. In addition, data from the National Student Clearinghouse was used to provide transfer destination information.

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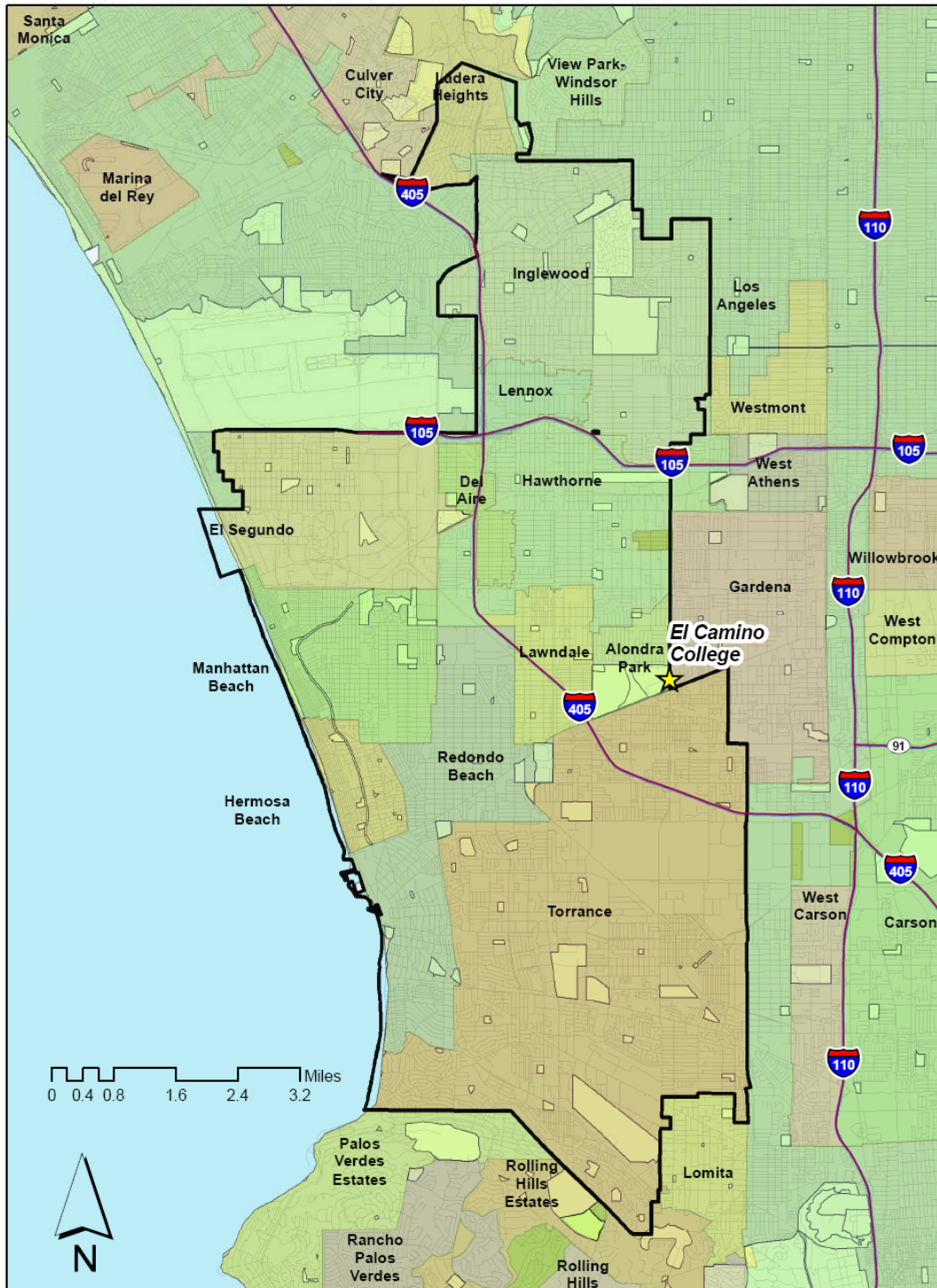
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Section 1 – El Camino College Service Area



El Camino Community College District



**Enrollment by Zip Code (7.5 mile radius)
2007-08**

In the 2007-2008 academic year, 92% of the student body live within a 7.5 mile radius from the college. Of these students, 59% live within the El Camino College district while 34% are from outside the district. Eight percent of students enrolled in 2007-2008 live beyond the 7.5 miles radius. Starred zip codes are located within the district.

City	Zip Code	2007-08 Enrollment	Percent of 2007-08 Enrollment
		39,378	100.0
Carson	90745	1,358	3.4
	90746	660	1.7
	90747	2	0.0
	90749	5	0.0
Carson Total		2,025	5.1
Compton	90220	719	1.8
	90221	259	0.7
	90222	289	0.7
	90224	5	0.0
Compton Total		1,272	3.2
El Segundo Total	90245*	566	1.4
Gardena	90247	1,960	5.0
	90248	433	1.1
	90249	1,505	3.8
Gardena Total		3,898	9.9
Harbor City Total	90245	535	1.4
Hawthorne	90250*	4,030	10.2
	90251	39	0.1
Hawthorne Total		4,069	10.3
Hermosa Beach Total	90254*	508	1.3
Inglewood	90301*	920	2.3
	90302*	529	1.3
	90305*	416	1.1
	90306	3	0.0
	90307	7	0.0
	90308	10	0.0
	90309	3	0.0
	90310	9	0.0
Inglewood Total		1,897	4.8

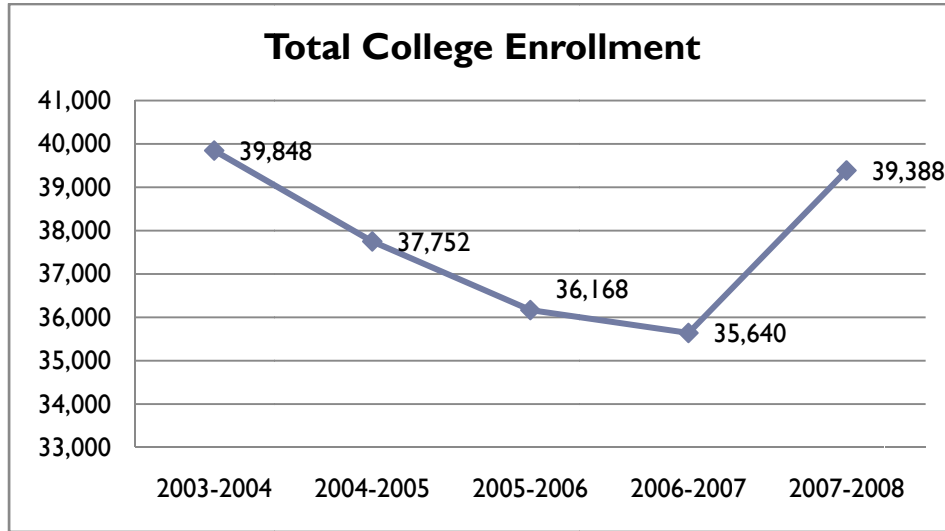
Lawndale Total	90260*	1,981	5.0
Lennox	90303*	837	2.1
	90304*	864	2.2
Lennox Total		1,701	4.3
Lomita Total	90717	578	1.5
Los Angeles	90002	303	0.8
	90003	537	1.4
	90009	22	0.1
	90043	461	1.2
	90044	973	2.5
	90045	326	0.8
	90047	768	2.0
	90056*	83	0.2
	90059	414	1.1
	90061	413	1.0
	90083	5	0.0
Los Angeles Total		4,305	10.9
Manhattan Beach	90266*	859	2.2
	90267	20	0.1
Manhattan Beach Total		879	2.2
Redondo Beach	90277*	1,313	3.3
	90278*	1,947	4.9
Redondo Beach Total		3,260	8.3
Torrance	90501*	1,711	4.3
	90502	535	1.4
	90503*	2,483	6.3
	90504*	2,399	6.1
	90505*	1,680	4.3
	90506*	76	0.2
	90507-90509	11	0.0
	90510	32	0.1
Torrance Total		8,927	22.7
*ECC District Total		23,202	58.9
Out of District Total		13,199	33.5
Grand Total		36,401	92.4

Section 2 – Student and Enrollment Trends



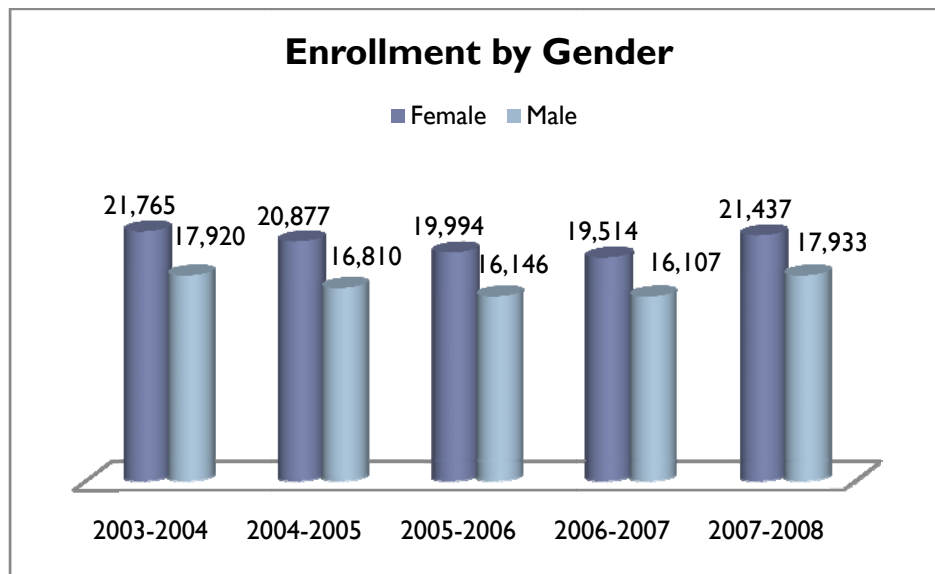
Total College Enrollment

From 2003 to 2006, El Camino College experienced a moderate decline in unduplicated student headcount that averaged 4% per year. But there was a 10% increase in enrollment from the 2006-2007 to 2007-2008 academic years. It is expected that enrollment will continue to increase in the coming years.



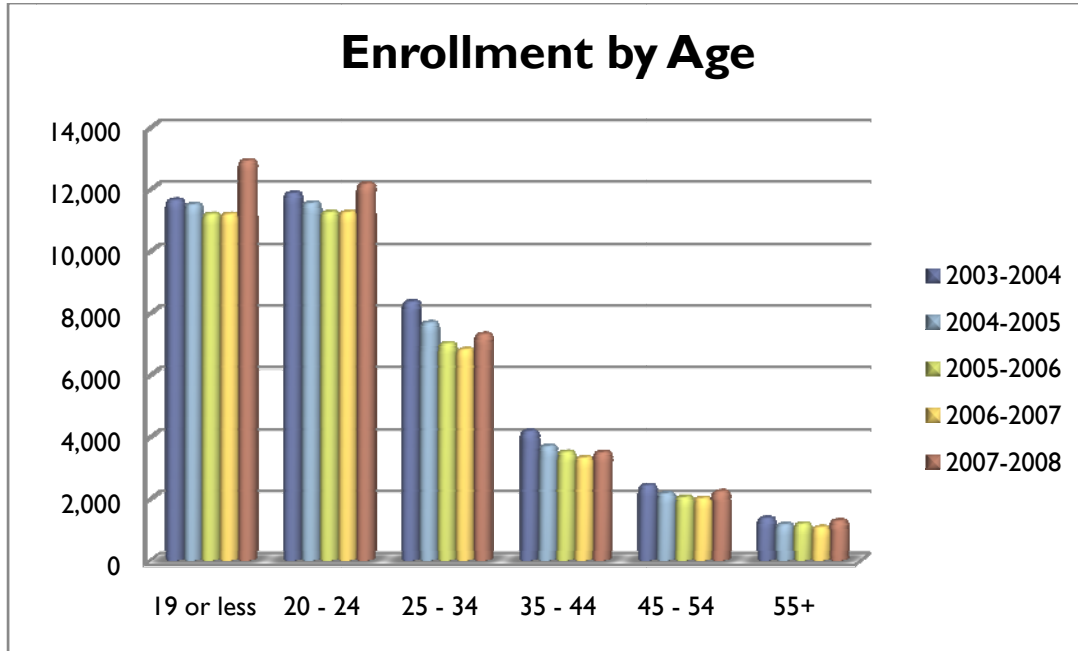
Enrollment by Gender

Overall, about 22% more women than men have attended ECC in the last 5 years. The greatest difference was found in 2004-05 when 24% more women than men attending ECC.



Enrollment by Age

In the last 5 years, over 60% of enrolled students are between the ages of 18 to 24. Working adults ages 25-44 comprise 30% enrolled student while 8% of students are ages 45 and older.

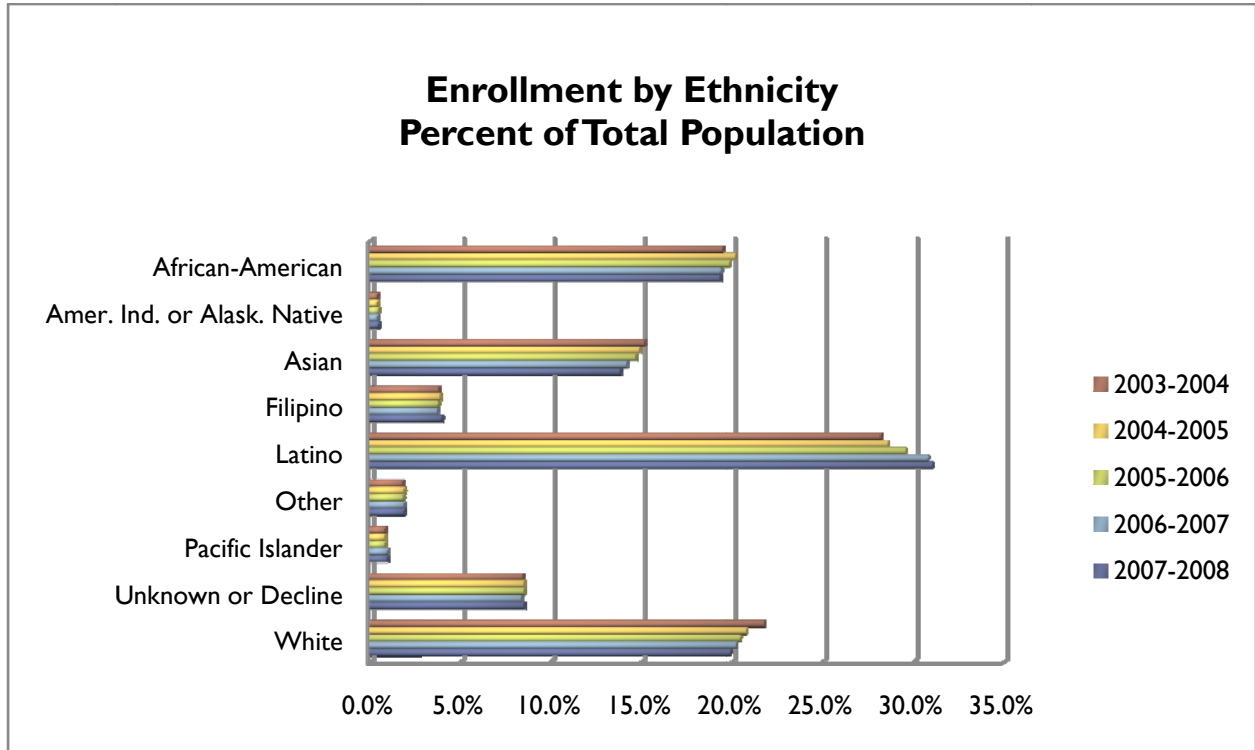


Age	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008
19 or less	11,646	11,504	11,188	11,187	12,917
20 - 24	11,866	11,549	11,250	11,251	12,170
25 - 34	8,357	7,679	7,008	6,816	7,306
35 - 44	4,175	3,686	3,498	3,315	3,487
45 - 54	2,419	2,160	2,036	2,003	2,221
55+	1,361	1,159	1,178	1,065	1,278
Unknown	21	15	10	3	9

Age	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008
19 or less	29.2%	30.5%	30.9%	31.4%	32.8%
20 - 24	29.8%	30.6%	31.1%	31.6%	30.9%
25 - 34	21.0%	20.3%	19.4%	19.1%	18.5%
35 - 44	10.5%	9.8%	9.7%	9.3%	8.9%
45 - 54	6.1%	5.7%	5.6%	5.6%	5.6%
55+	3.4%	3.1%	3.3%	3.0%	3.2%
Unknown	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

Enrollment by Ethnicity

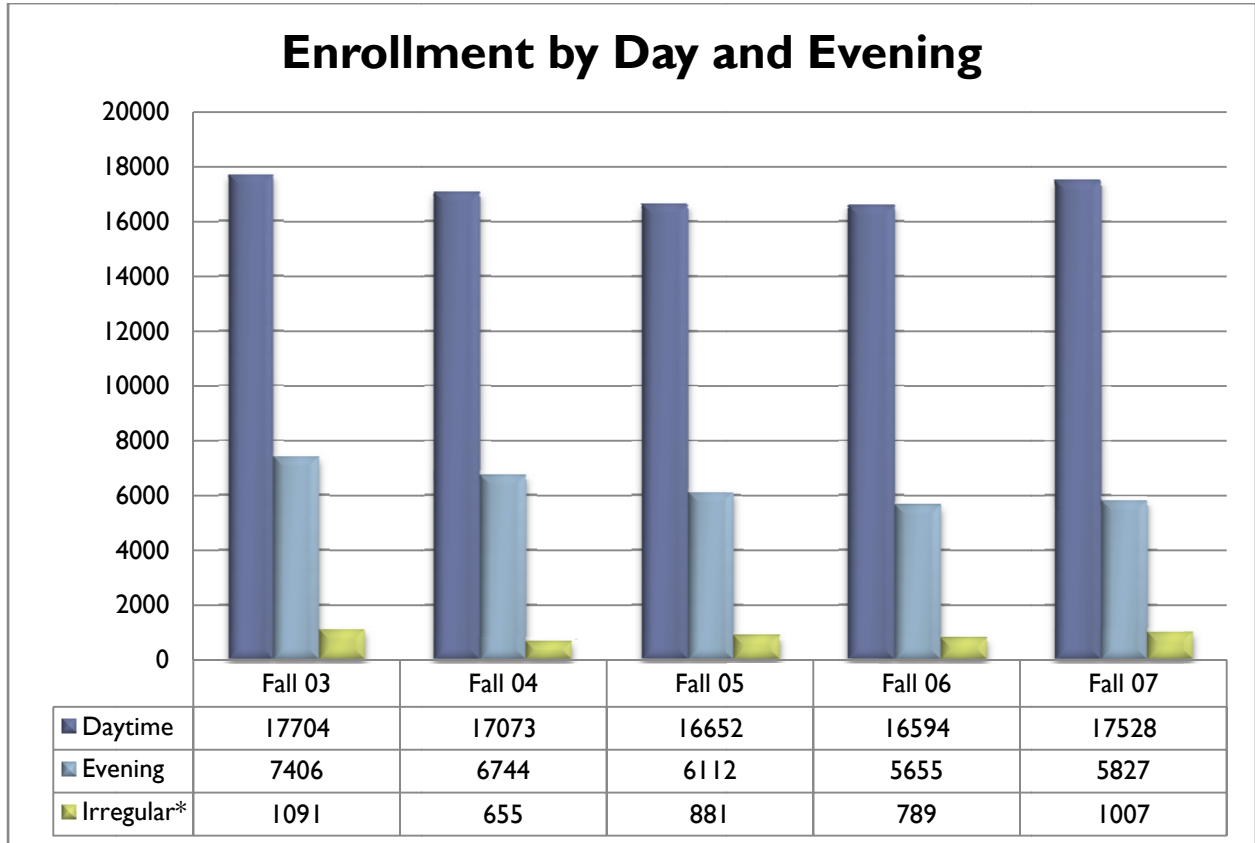
The ethnic breakdown of the enrolled students has remained relatively consistent over the last 5 years. Latinos represent the largest ethnic group on campus comprising 30% of the student population. Twenty-one percent of students are white and 20% are African-American. El Camino College also has a significant Asian population of 15%.



Ethnic Group	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008
African-American	21.8%	20.8%	20.5%	20.2%	19.9%
Amer. Ind. or Alaskan	8.4%	8.6%	8.5%	8.4%	8.6%
Asian	0.8%	0.8%	0.9%	0.9%	1.0%
Filipino	1.8%	1.9%	1.9%	1.9%	1.9%
Latino	28.2%	28.6%	29.5%	30.8%	31.0%
Other	3.8%	3.9%	3.8%	3.7%	4.0%
Pacific Islander	15.2%	14.9%	14.7%	14.2%	13.9%
Unknown or Decline	0.4%	0.4%	0.5%	0.4%	0.5%
White	19.5%	20.1%	19.9%	19.4%	19.4%

Enrollment by Day and Evening

Approximately two thirds of students enroll in at least one daytime course while 25% are exclusively in evening courses.



*Irregular meeting times, including distance education.

Enrollment by High Schools

The majority of enrolled students come from local high schools throughout the South Bay area. The top five high schools are North High, West High (both schools in Torrance), Redondo High, Torrance High, and Leuzinger High School (located in Hawthorne).

El Camino Feeder High Schools

High School	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008
Banning Senior High School*	195	191	178	178	184
Bishop Montgomery High School	432	414	321	265	219
Carson Senior High School*	506	469	436	477	507
El Segundo Senior High School	333	304	279	245	232
Gardena Senior High School*	726	689	656	611	628
Hawthorne High School	852	783	714	638	574
Inglewood High School	338	288	232	230	247
Lawndale High School	271	331	338	318	338
Leuzinger High School	675	669	591	593	670
Mira Costa High School	724	707	636	560	531
Morningside High School*	225	205	212	215	230
Narbonne Senior High School*	552	547	513	475	519
North High School	882	912	865	784	821
Palos Verdes High School*	39	35	57	64	73
Palos Verdes Peninsula High School*	556	504	505	452	493
Redondo High School	754	783	775	649	745
San Pedro Senior High School*	316	349	340	330	338
South High School	697	655	592	591	613
Torrance High School	752	752	692	707	701
Washington High School*	267	279	239	219	262
West High School	854	821	727	704	774

*High schools outside El Camino College district boundaries

Other Non-District High Schools

High School	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008
Non District High Schools	4102	3811	3674	3701	3869

Section 3 – Special Programs



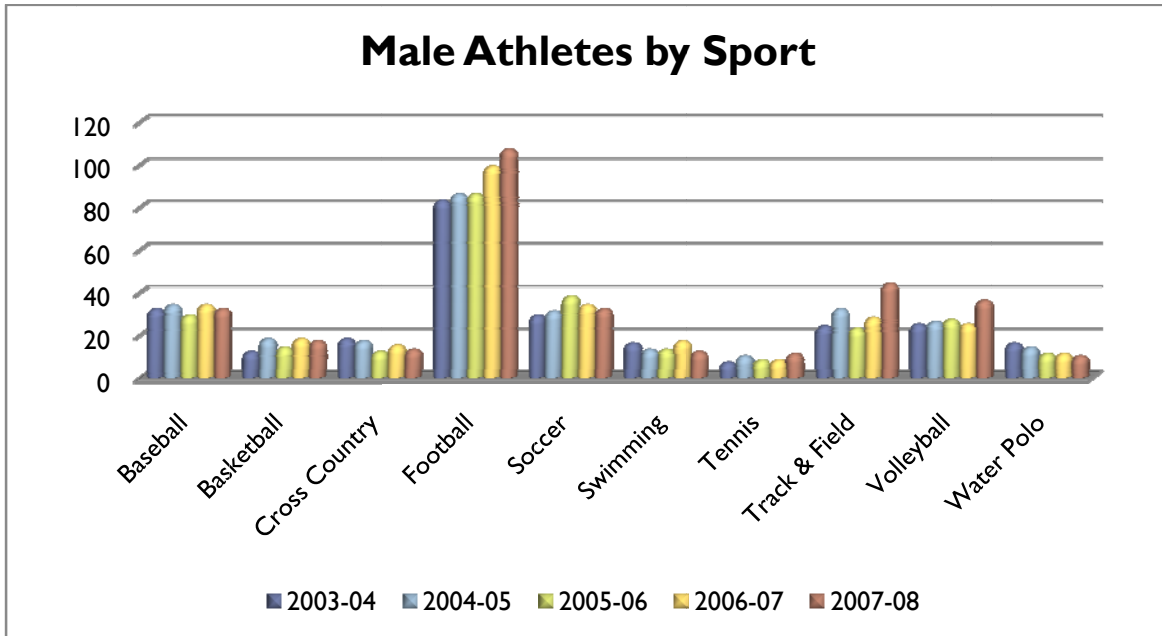
2008 State Champion Volleyball Team and California Community College Commission on Athletics (COA) and California Community College Athletic Association (CCCAA) Scholar Team Recipient



El Camino College football game against Orange Coast College

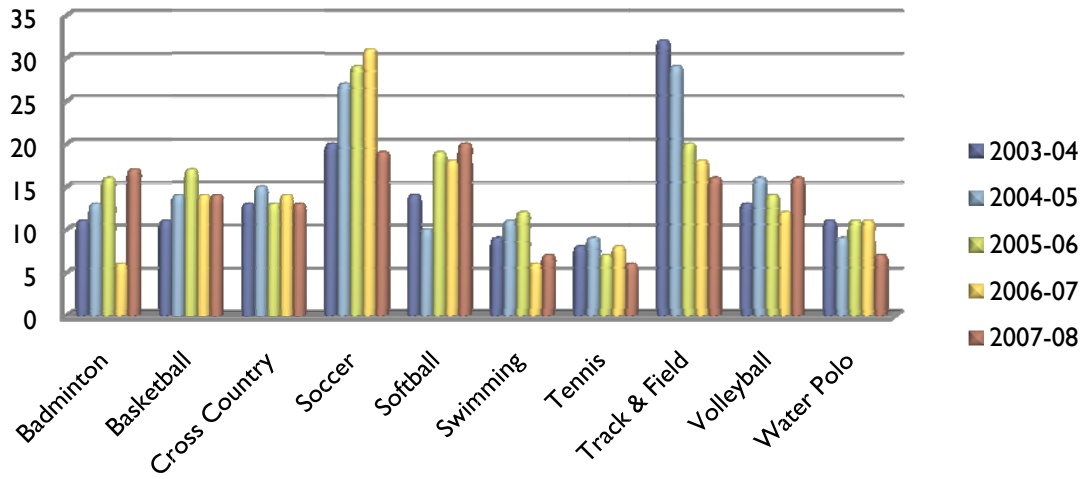
Athletics

El Camino College offers a variety of intercollegiate sports team. The largest male sport is football, with an average of 92 players per year. Soccer was the largest female sport with an average of 25 players per year. There has been an increase in males participating in sports teams from 261 total male athletes in 2005-2006 to 314 in 2007-2008. On the other hand, there has been a slight decline in the number of female athletes. In 2005-2006, there was a total 158 female athletes while in 2007-2008 it went down to 135.



Sport	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Baseball	32	34	29	34	32
Basketball	12	18	14	18	17
Cross Country	18	17	12	15	13
Football	83	86	86	99	107
Soccer	29	31	38	34	32
Swimming	16	13	13	17	12
Tennis	7	10	8	8	11
Track & Field	24	32	23	28	44
Volleyball	25	26	27	25	36
Water Polo	16	14	11	11	10
Total	262	281	261	289	314

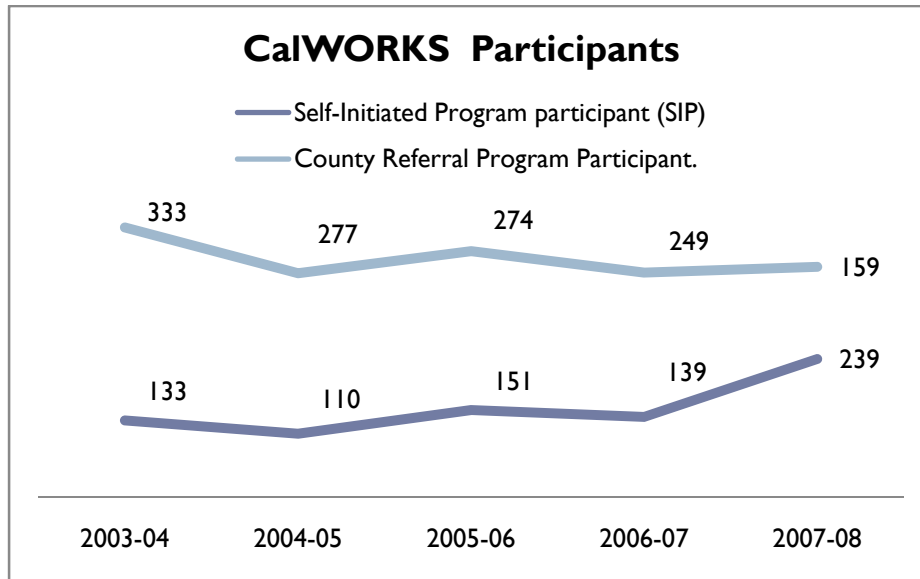
Female Athletes by Sport



Sport	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Badminton	11	13	16	6	17
Basketball	11	14	17	14	14
Cross Country	13	15	13	14	13
Soccer	20	27	29	31	19
Softball	14	10	19	18	20
Swimming	9	11	12	6	7
Tennis	8	9	7	8	6
Track & Field	32	29	20	18	16
Volleyball	13	16	14	12	16
Water Polo	11	9	11	11	7
Total	142	153	158	138	135

CalWORKs

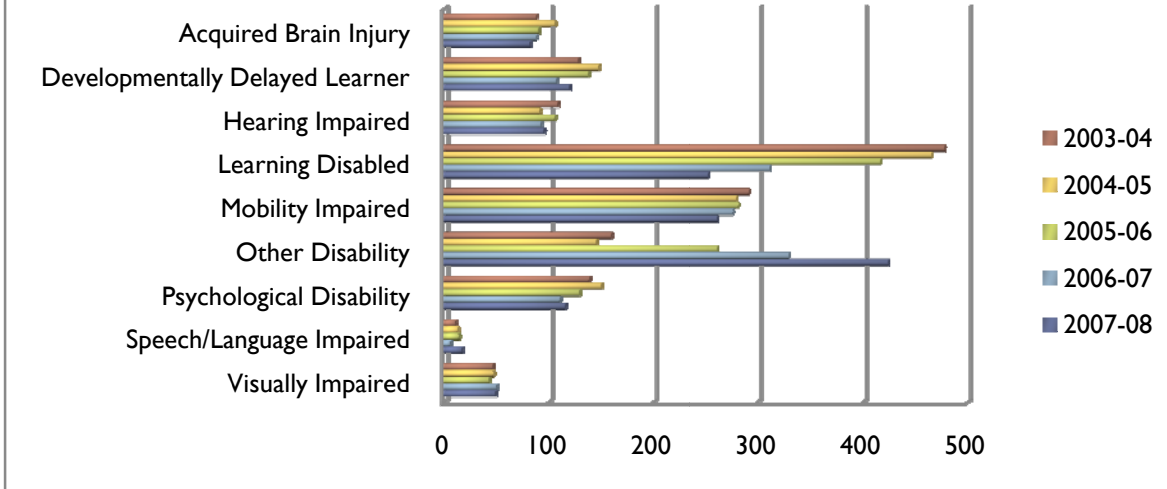
CalWORKs is the community portion of the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids Act. CalWORKs funds assist single parents who are receiving Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), and those in transition off welfare, to achieve long-term self-sufficiency through coordinated student services. Approximately 1% of the student population participates in CalWORKs.



Disabled Student Programs and Services (DSP&S)

In 1972 El Camino College established a special program to assist students with disabilities in their pursuit of a post-secondary education. The purpose of this program is to assist disabled students to perform on an equal basis with non-disabled students in an integrated campus setting. About 4% of El Camino students have a registered disability. The most common disability is learning disability followed by mobility impairment. The number of learning disabled students has decreased sharply in the last two years while the "Other" disability category has increased. This is due to changes in practices and consensus in the state of how to categorize certain disabilities.

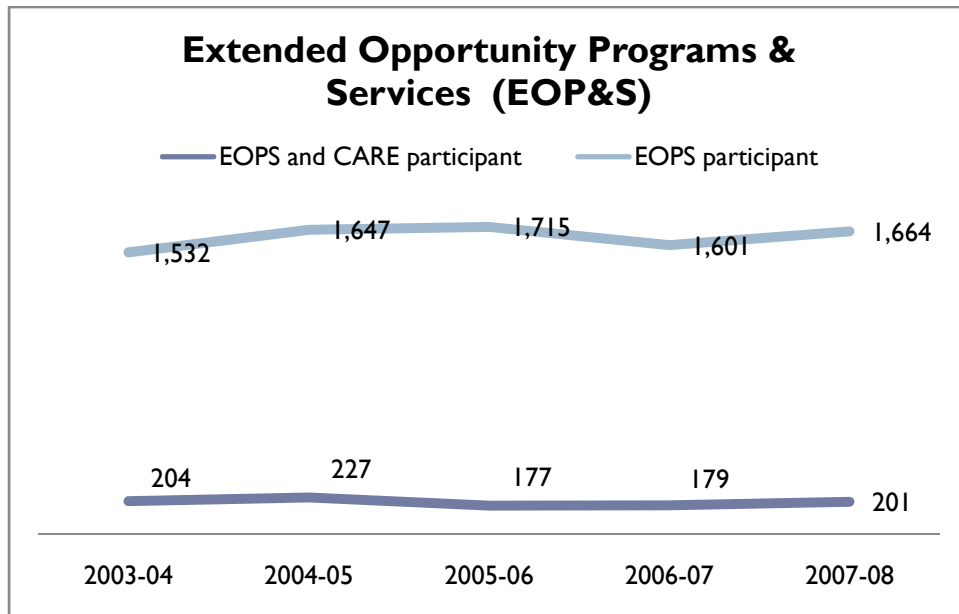
Disabled Students Programs & Services



Primary Disability	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Acquired Brain Injury	88	106	91	88	82
Developmentally Delayed Learner	129	148	138	108	120
Hearing Impaired	109	92	106	93	96
Learning Disabled	478	465	416	311	252
Mobility Impaired	291	279	281	276	261
Other Disability	160	146	261	329	424
Psychological Disability	139	151	130	111	116
Speech/Language Impaired	11	13	14	6	17
Visually Impaired	46	47	43	50	49
Total	1451	1447	1480	1372	1417

Extended Opportunity Program and Services (EOP&S)

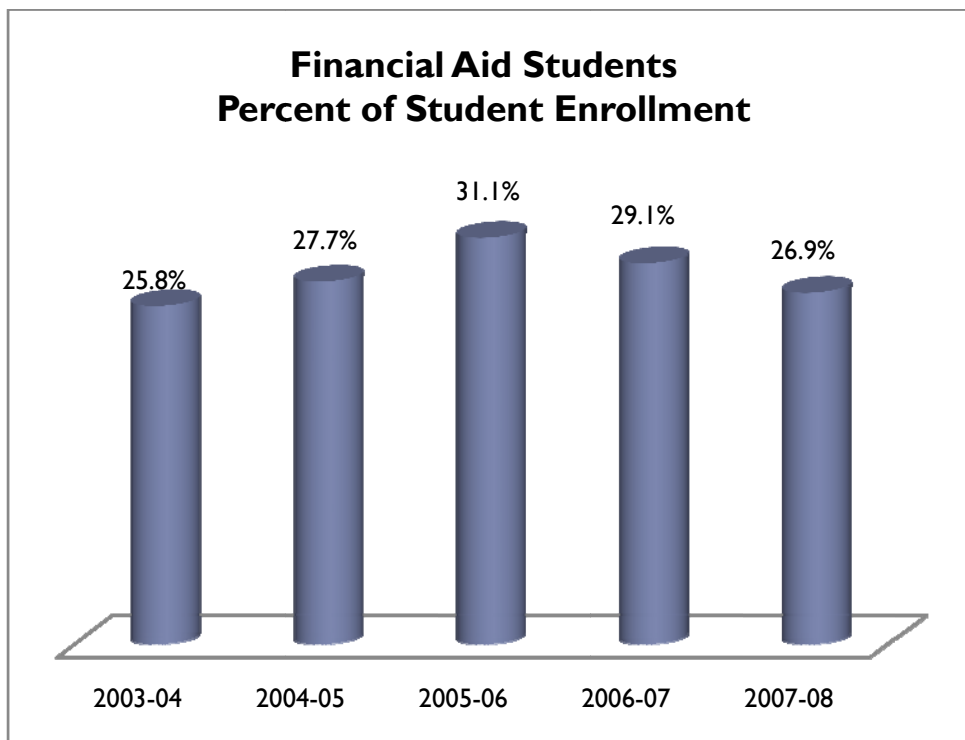
Extended Opportunity Program and Services (EOP&S) is designed to assist low income and educationally disadvantaged students achieve their educational goals at El Camino College. It provides eligible students with support services in the areas of counseling, peer support, financial assistance, transferring and tutorial services. Approximately 5% of the ECC students are in EOP&S.



Financial Aid

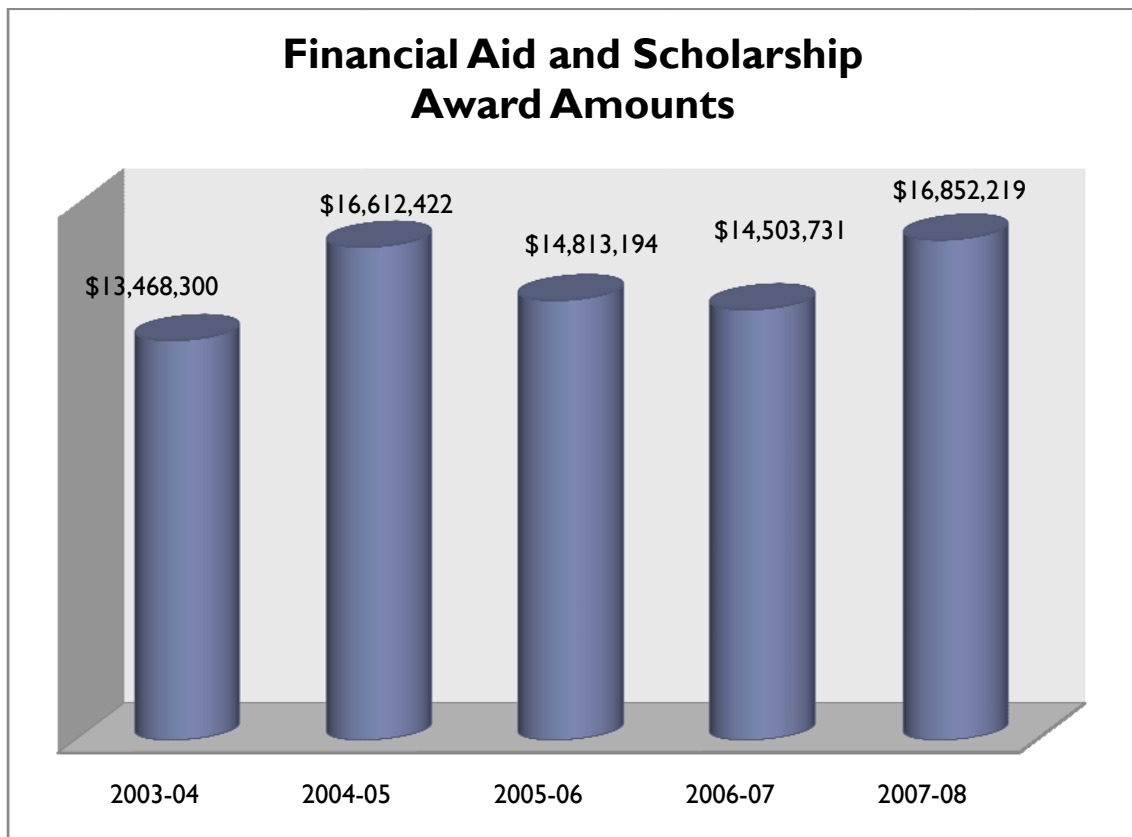
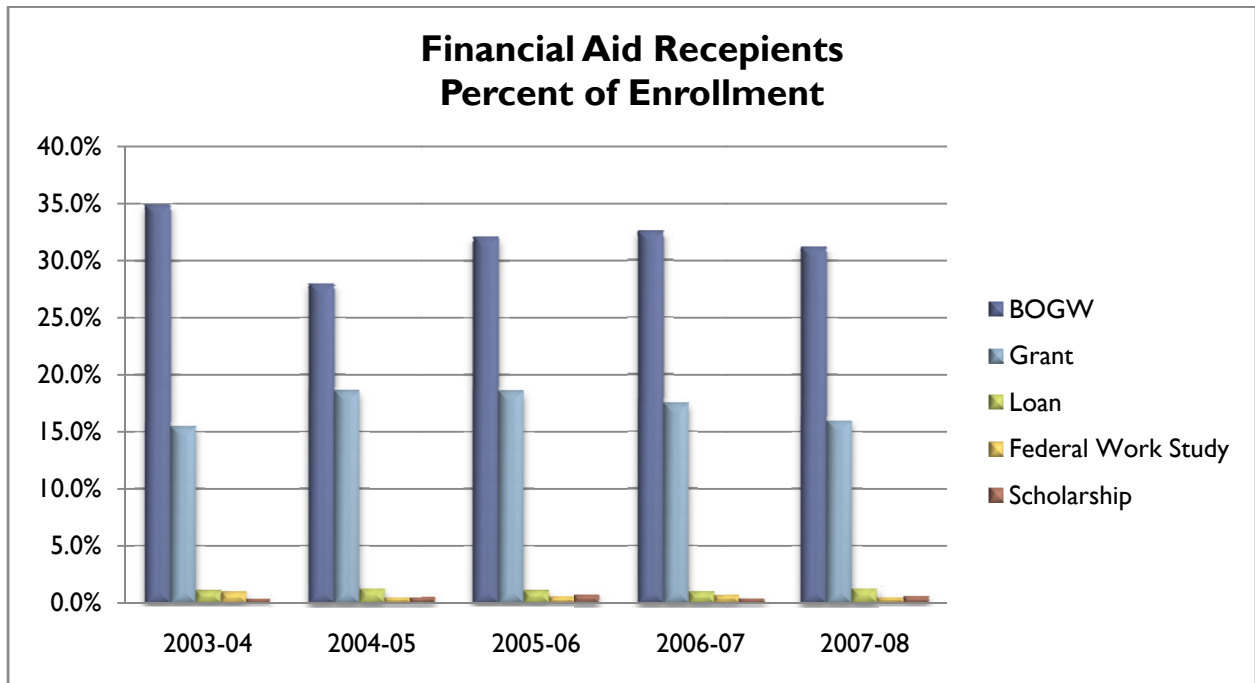
An average of 28% of El Camino College students received financial aid. Our largest Financial Aid program is the Board of Governor's Fee Waiver (BOGW). There was a total of 13, 893 BOGW recipients in 2003-04. In 2004-05 there was a 23% reduction in Fee Waiver recipients compared to a 5% reduction in the total student population. The BOG Fee Waiver has gradually increasing in subsequent years with 2007-08 at a total of 12, 286. The second largest program is the Federal Pell Grant. The total number of Pell Grant recipients has remained fairly stable since 2003-04.

The next largest program is the campus-based-Federal Work Study (FWS) and Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG). In 2003-04, El Camino College received an allocation in excess of \$500,000 and a total of 1,042 students received SEOG. The allocation and number of eligible students remained fairly consistent for the subsequent two years. In 2006-07, the first year of the partnership between El Camino College and Compton Educational Center, the campus-based awards were distributed between the two colleges. This explains the decrease in FWS and SEOG in 2006-07 and 2007-08.



Financial Aid Headcount

Financial Aid	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Federal Work Study	392	173	224	232	207
Percent of Student Enrollment	1.0%	0.5%	0.6%	0.7%	0.5%
Scholarship: institutional source	69	48	114	61	175
Scholarship: non-institutional source	105	133	129	65	52
Scholarship Total	174	181	243	126	227
Percent of Student Enrollment	0.4%	0.5%	0.7%	0.4%	0.6%
Stafford Loan, subsidized	294	316	254	235	335
Stafford Loan, unsubsidized	149	187	149	126	155
PLUS loan: parent loan for undergraduate student.	2	1	1	1	3
Loan Total	445	504	404	362	493
Percent of Student Enrollment	1.1%	1.3%	1.1%	1.0%	1.3%
BOGW, Part A	3,694	345	371	950	1,262
BOGW, Part B	6,887	6,701	7,113	6,510	7,373
BOGW, Part C	3,312	3,519	4,121	4,093	3,615
Fee Waiver	0	0	0	23	36
BOGW Total	13,893	10,565	11,605	11,576	12,286
Percent of Student Enrollment	34.9%	28.0%	32.1%	32.5%	31.2%
Academic Competitiveness Grant				11	194
Cal Grant B	838	1,023	992	929	962
Cal Grant C	49	62	67	70	56
EOPS Grant	438	722	970	817	443
CARE Grant	171	172	147	146	140
Chafee Grant	12	34	39	47	46
Pell Grant	3,628	3,908	3,442	3,381	3,868
SEOG (Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant)	1,042	1,086	1,065	850	798
Grant Total	6,178	7,007	6,722	6,240	6,313
Percent of Student Enrollment	15.5%	18.6%	18.6%	17.5%	16.0%
Grand Total	21,082	18,430	19,198	18,536	19,526
Unduplicated Student Total	10,268	10,463	11,237	10,354	10,599
Percent of Student Enrollment	25.8%	27.7%	31.1%	29.1%	26.9%



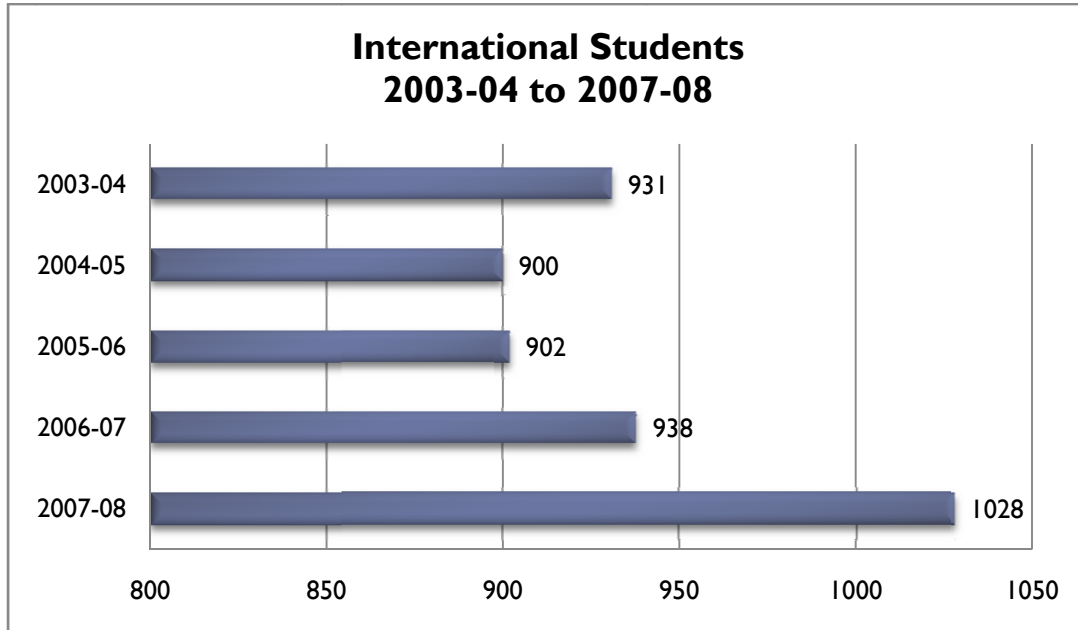
Financial Aid Amount Awarded

Financial Aid	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Federal Work Study	\$573,512	\$348,879	\$398,559	\$376,601	\$410,748
Scholarship: institutional source	\$46,331	\$35,448	\$60,156	\$49,849	\$124,198
Scholarship: non-institutional source	\$116,628	\$133,212	\$123,261	\$51,252	\$35,399
Scholarship Total	\$162,959	\$168,660	\$183,417	\$101,101	\$159,597
Stafford Loan, subsidized	\$786,489	\$810,724	\$654,404	\$610,466	\$1,085,664
Stafford Loan, unsubsidized	\$428,557	\$507,310	\$408,638	\$356,747	\$415,695
PLUS loan: parent loan for undergraduate student.	\$14,898	\$6,000	\$2,476	\$5,000	\$24,374
Loan Total	\$1,229,944	\$1,324,034	\$1,065,518	\$972,213	\$1,525,733
BOGW, Part A	\$75,909	\$189,076	\$69,004	\$356,848	402,290
BOGW, Part B	\$1,209,998	\$2,309,783	\$1,805,462	\$1,909,291	2,128,422
BOGW, Part C	\$351,219	\$1,088,512	\$1,090,128	\$1,179,965	1,004,068
Fee Waiver				\$13,664	14280
BOGW Total	\$1,637,126	\$3,587,371	\$2,964,594	\$3,459,768	\$3,549,060
Academic Competitiveness Grant				\$4,875	\$129,250
Cal Grant B	\$980,638	\$1,229,539	\$1,158,468	\$1,096,714	\$1,132,784
Cal Grant C	\$17,568	\$22,968	\$22,662	\$26,928	\$19,170
EOPS Grant	\$158,514	\$277,666	\$387,594	\$333,609	\$181,722
CARE Grant	\$167,735	\$109,929	\$109,332	\$87,285	\$63,650
Chafee Grant	\$53,629	\$95,330	\$103,177	\$212,848	\$205,606
Pell Grant	\$7,937,975	\$8,897,431	\$7,856,500	\$7,426,564	\$9,227,349
SEOG (Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant)	\$548,700	\$550,615	\$563,373	\$410,100	\$376,800
Grant Total	\$9,864,759	\$11,183,478	\$10,201,106	\$9,594,048	\$11,207,081
Grand Total	\$13,468,300	\$16,612,422	\$14,813,194	\$14,503,731	\$16,852,219

Average Award	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Federal Work Study	\$1,463	\$2,017	\$1,779	\$1,623	\$1,984
Scholarships	\$936.55	\$931.82	\$754.80	\$802.39	\$703.07
Loans	\$2,763.92	\$2,627.05	\$2,637.42	\$2,685.67	\$3,094.79
BOGW	\$117.84	\$339.55	\$255.46	\$298.87	\$288.87
Grants	\$1,596.76	\$1,596.04	\$1,517.57	\$1,537.51	\$1,775.24
Total	\$638.85	\$901.38	\$771.60	\$782.46	\$863.07

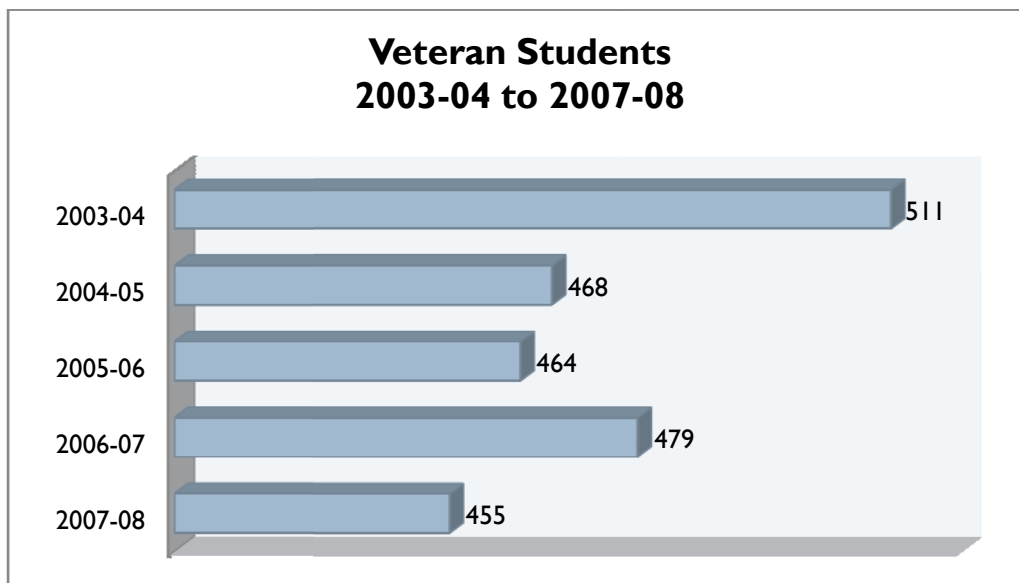
International Students

The number of international students has increased from 2004-2005 to 2007-2008 academic years. Between the 2004 and 2005 academic years, the number of international students only grew by 2 students. But there was an increase of 90 students between the 2006 and 2007 academic years.



Veterans

In the last five years there has been a slight decline in the number veteran enrolled at ECC. There were 511 veterans enrolled in 2003 and that has decreased slightly to 455 in 2007.



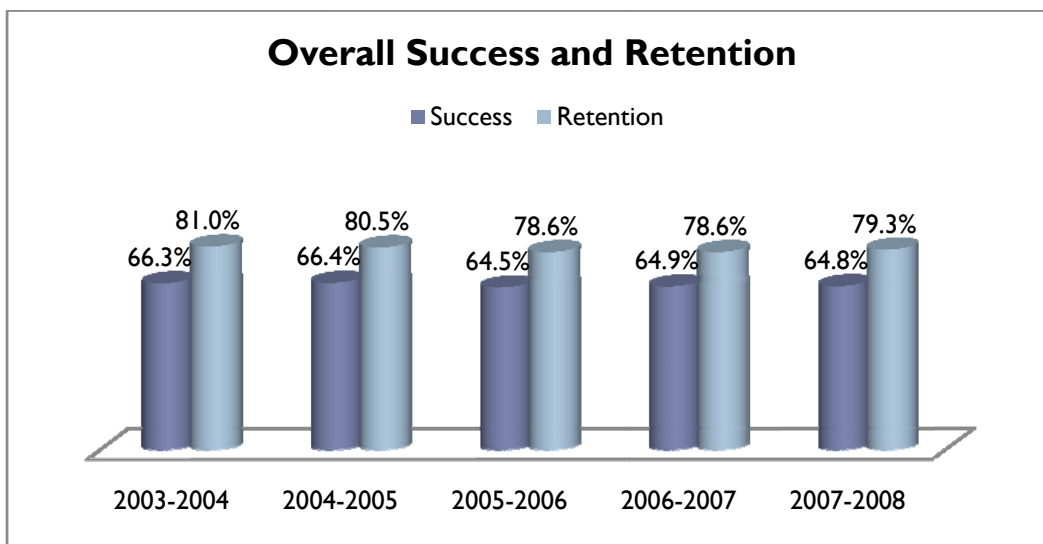
Section 4 – Success and Retention



Overall Success and Retention

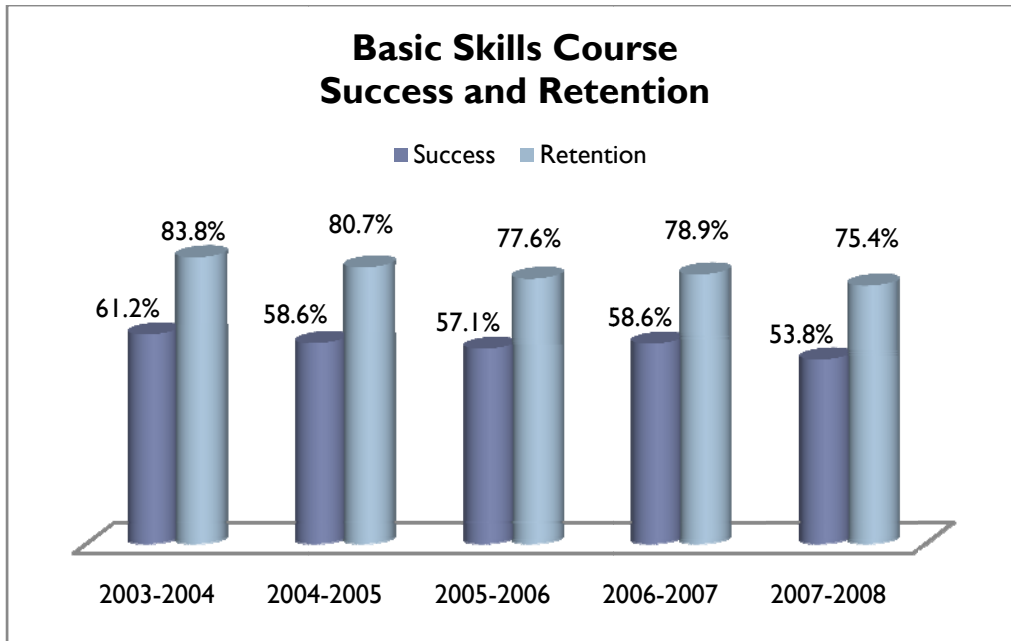
Student academic performance within a term can be measured in several ways. Most common are student *retention* (completing a course, regardless of final grade) and *success* (completing a course with a C/CR or better).

Looking at all courses across the curriculum, there is an average success rate of 65% and retention rate of 80%. Both success and retention rates have had a slight decline over the last 5 years.



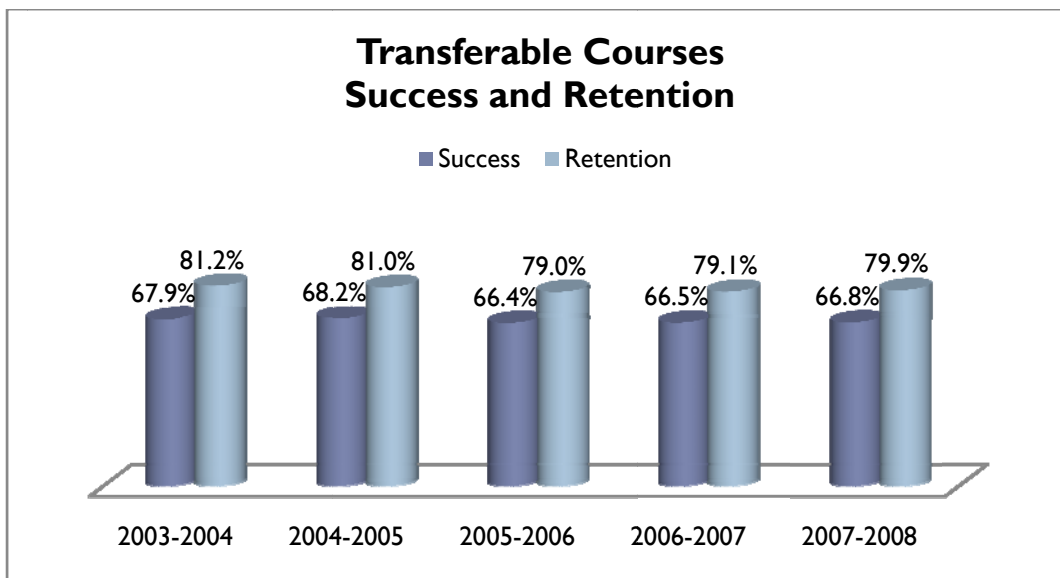
Basic Skills Success and Retention

Students who take basic skills courses have an average success rate 57.9% and retention rate of 80%. The success rate is 7 percentage points below the overall success rate. On the other hand, the basic skills retention rate is identical to that of the overall retention rate.



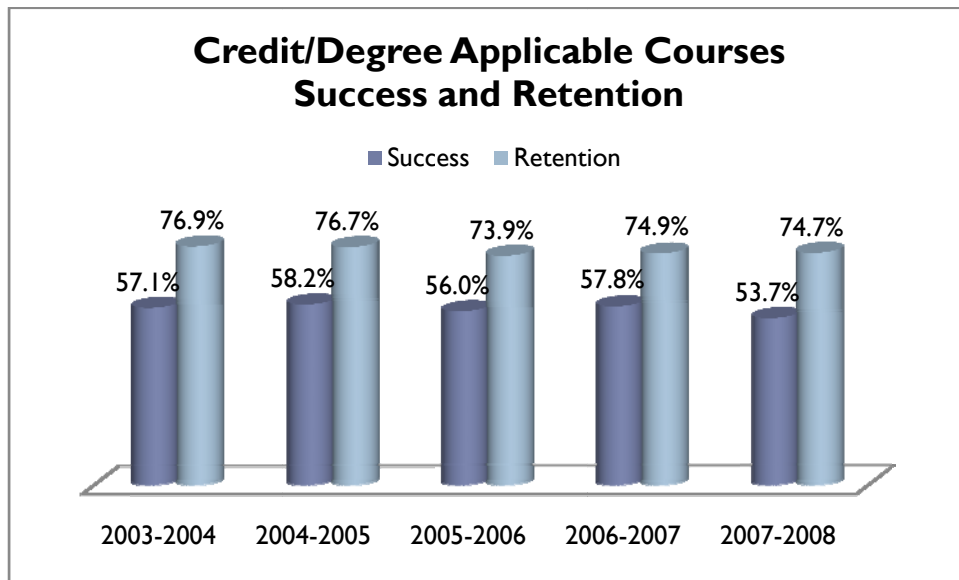
Transferable Success and Retention

The success rate for transfer level courses averages 67%, slightly higher than the overall and basic skills success rates. However, average retention rates for transfer level courses is about 80%, the same as it is for overall and basic skills.



Credit/Degree Applicable Success and Retention

The average success and retention rates for non-basic skills, non-transfer courses are lower in comparison to the three previous course types. Over the last five years, credit/degree applicable courses average a 57% success rate and 75% retention rate.

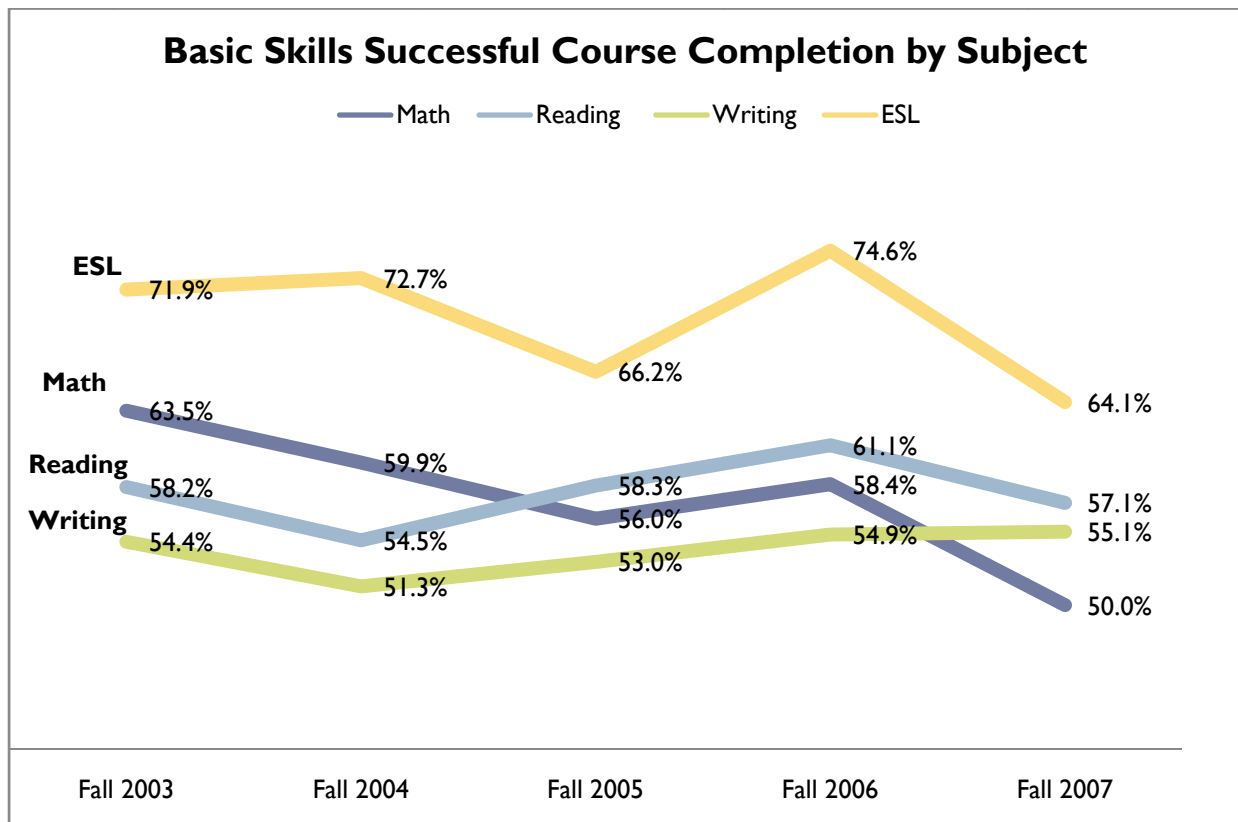


Section 5 – Student Outcomes



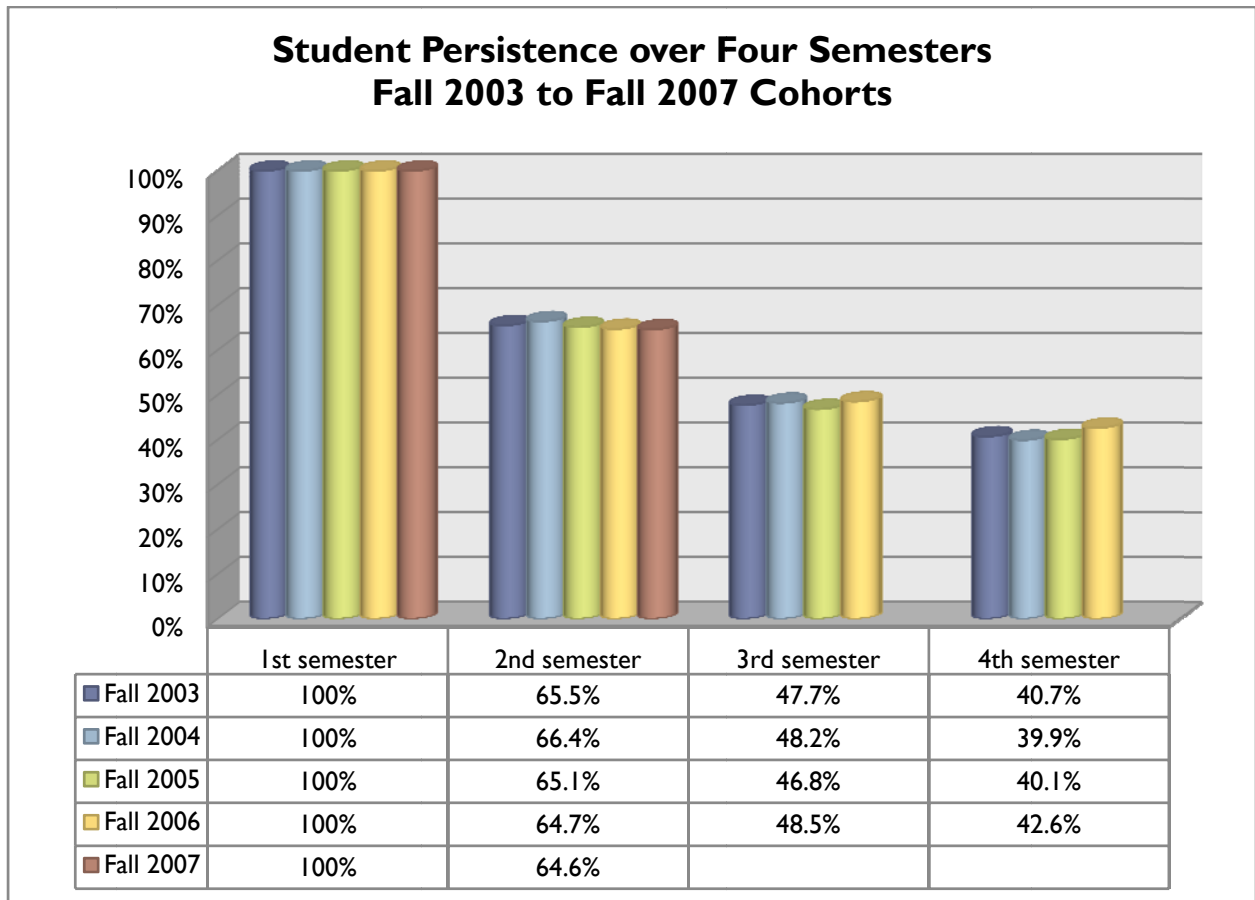
Basic Skills Successful Course Completion

The 5 year average success rate for students in basic skills ESL courses is 70%. Between fall 2006 and fall 2007, there was a 10 percentage point decline in the ESL success rate. The success rates for basic skills reading and writing have remained consistent while there has been a steady decline in math success rates. In fall 2003, the math success rate was 63.5% and it has slowly decreased to 50% in fall 2007.

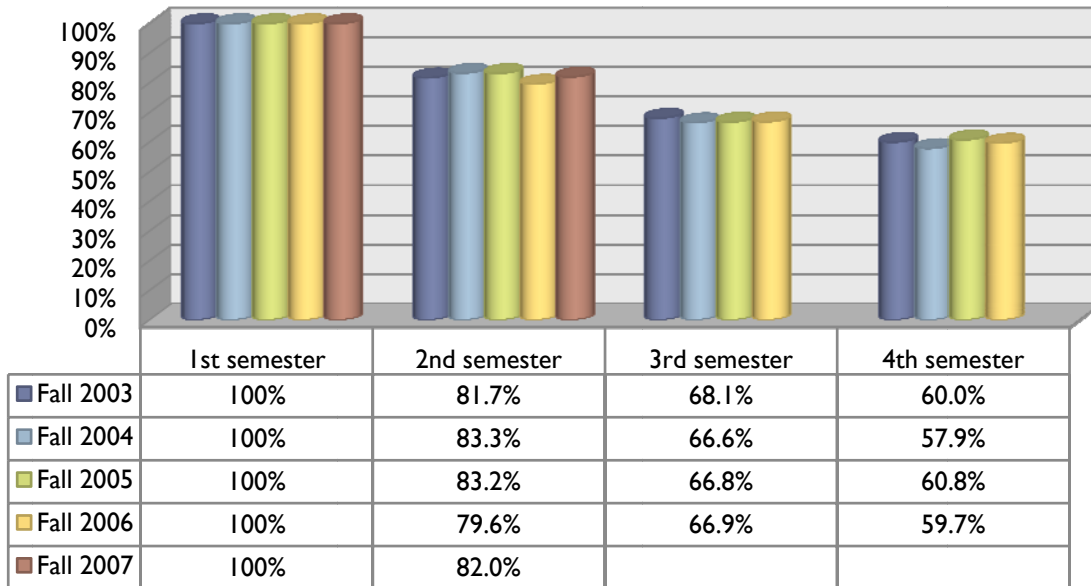


Persistence Rates

Student persistence refers the tracking of students over several terms. Persistence rates are based on five fall cohorts over four semesters, looking only at fall and spring enrollment. For the fall cohorts, the tracked trends are nearly the same for years. The same is true for the first time, full time cohorts (following page). Overall, the first time, full time cohorts have a higher persistence rate than overall fall cohorts.



First -Time, Full-Time Student Persistence over Four Semesters Fall 2003 to Fall 2007 Cohorts



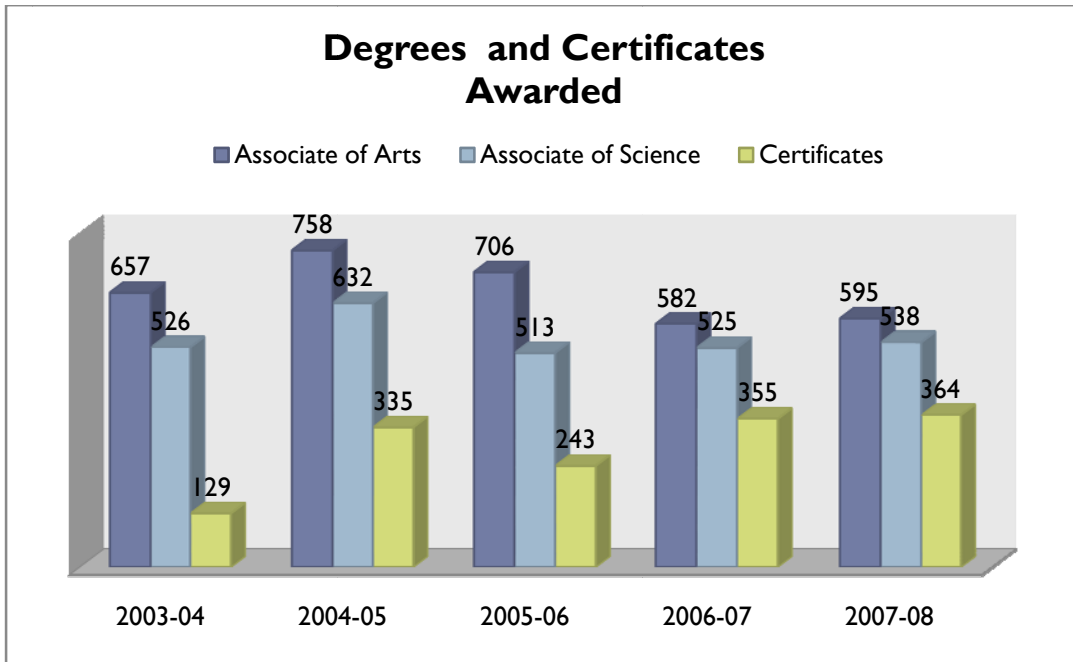
Degrees Awarded

El Camino College has awarded a total 7,458 degrees and certificate in the last five years. From 2003 to 2007, there has been a moderate increase in the number of degrees awarded that averaged at 5% per year. But there was a 31% increase from the 2003-2004 to 2004-2005 academic years. This is attributed to the increase in enrollment that the college experienced in 2001-2002 and 2003-2003 academic years (see Appendix).

Starting in 2006, the gap between the number Associate of Arts and Associate of Science degrees awarded has narrowed. In 2005, 193 more AA degrees were awarded than AS degrees while in 2006 there was 57 more AA degrees than AS degrees awarded. For certificates, there was a 46% increase in the number awarded from the 2005-2006 to 2006-2007 academic years.

Degrees and Certificates Awarded 2003-2007

Degrees and Certificates	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Associate of Arts	657	758	706	582	595
Associate of Science	526	632	513	525	538
Certificates	129	335	243	355	364
Total Degrees	1,312	1,725	1,462	1,462	1,497



Transfer Destinations

In the last five years, there has been a moderate decline in the number of students who transfer to the UC system that averaged 5 % per year. The largest UC transfer destination for ECC students is UCLA with an average of 168 students. For the Cal State system, there has been an increase averaging 6% per year. The top Cal States transfer schools are Dominguez Hills and Long Beach with an average of 686 and 667 students, respectively. On the other hand, transfers to private institutions have decreased an average of 14% per year. University of Phoenix and USC are the top private school destinations.

UC System

Name	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
University of California, Berkeley	71	67	57	59	67
University of California, Davis	20	10	1	9	9
University of California, Irvine	74	81	87	77	62
University of California, Los Angeles	210	200	151	149	131
University of California, Merced	N/A	4	4	3	8
University of California, Riverside	34	32	24	35	31
University of California, San Diego	45	44	40	60	42
University of California, Santa Barbara	45	40	41	34	42
University of California, Santa Cruz	22	23	11	12	23
Total UC Transfers	521	501	416	438	415

Cal State System

Name	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
California State Polytechnic University, Pomona	48	53	68	45	47
California State University, Dominguez Hills	636	637	603	617	938
California State University, Fullerton	110	101	127	122	212
California State University, Long Beach	587	687	670	698	692
California State University, Los Angeles	146	155	125	141	95
California State University, Northridge	85	108	96	98	93
San Diego State University	21	33	49	35	27
Other Cal States	78	55	44	51	35
Total Cal State Transfers	1711	1829	1782	1807	2139

Private Institutions

Name	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Biola University	20	17	16	13	11
Chapman University	19	22	18	6	7
Devry University	31	29	18	16	17
Loyola Marymount University	56	59	55	49	49
Mount St. Mary's College	32	32	22	17	22
National University	42	49	29	35	22
Otis College of Art and Design	15	12	9	17	6
Pepperdine University	27	19	23	13	12
University of Phoenix	258	191	139	128	95
University of Southern California	102	125	102	75	73
Other Private Institutions	263	216	140	158	139
Total Private Transfers*	865	771	571	527	453

Source: National Student Clearinghouse

*Some private institutions do not report to National Student Clearinghouse.

Appendix



10 year Enrollment History

