

# Puente Program Students' Success Rates in English and Counseling, and Transfer Rates (July 2024)

#### **Data Sources and Parameters**

Cuyamaca College is seeking to build a Puente Program to help historically underserved and racially minoritized communities, specifically Latinx students. As part of the Puente Program application process, this project seeks to provide baseline information on transfer rates, and successful course completion rates in transfer-level English and in Counseling courses by race/ethnicity. The current analyses provide insight into the college's English 120 and English 124 course success rates (transfer-level English courses), and success rates in all English courses offered by the department, disaggregated by race/ethnicity and by student population (first-time vs. all other students), with racial equity gaps noted where applicable. Equity gaps are defined as students who experience a 3 percentage point difference with the student reference group (White students). Counseling success rates were also analyzed, including in Counseling 095, Counseling 120, Counseling 140, and Counseling 150, as well as across all Counseling courses offered in the department. Data were sourced from the GCCCD Information System.

#### Results

## **English Success Rates**

First-time African American or Black students (59%), Latinx students (55%), Pacific Islander students (50%; <10 students), and students who identify with two or more races (55%) experienced equity gaps in success rate in English 120 when compared to White students (66%).

				2	2022-2023 Er	nglish 120	Success R	ates							
			First-Tin	ne Stude	nts				All Other Students						
	Succes	sful	Not Succes	sful	Withdre	ew	Total	Succes	ssful	Not Succes	sful	Withdre	w	Total	
Race/Ethnicity	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	
Asian	11	<b>6</b> 5%	5	29%	1	6%	17	21	<b>7</b> 2%	6	21%	2	7%	29	
African American/Black	17	59%	8	28%	4	14%	29	22	51%	14	33%	7	16%	43	
Hispanic/Latinx	166	55%	85	28%	50	17%	301	147	57%	62	24%	51	20%	260	
Middle Eastern	91	70%	23	18%	16	12%	130	74	62%	27	23%	18	15%	119	
Native American	*	67%	*	0%	*	33%	*	*	67%	*	33%	*	0%	*	
Pacific Islander	*	50%	*	50%	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	100%	*	0%	*	
Two or more	16	55%	10	35%	3	10%	29	19	73%	3	12%	4	15%	26	
White	84	66%	30	24%	13	10%	127	86	<b>6</b> 5%	24	18%	23	17%	133	
Other/Unknown	*	<b>75</b> %	*	25%	*	0%	*	*	89%	*	0%	*	11%	*	
Total	391	61%	163	25%	88	14%	642	379	61%	138	22%	106	17%	623	

First-time Asian students (60%), Latinx students (68%), and students who identify with two or more races (75%) experienced equity gaps in success rates in English 124 when compared to White students (80%). First-time Pacific Islander students experienced equity gaps in access as none enrolled in the course.

				2	022-2023 En	glish 124	4 Success Ra	ates							
			First-Tir	ne Stude	nts			All Other Students							
	Success	ful	Not Succes	sful	Withdre	w	Total	Succes	sful	Not Succes	sful	Withdre	w	Total	
Race/Ethnicity	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	
Asian	6	60%	3	30%	1	10%	10	21	91%	1	4%	1	4%	23	
African American/Black	*	88%	*	0%	*	13%	*	15	71%	4	19%	2	10%	21	
Hispanic/Latinx	44	<b>6</b> 8%	14	22%	7	11%	65	135	62%	42	19%	41	19%	218	
Middle Eastern	57	83%	5	7%	7	10%	69	58	<b>6</b> 7%	16	19%	12	14%	86	
Native American	*	100%	*	0%	*	0%	*	*	100%	*	0%	*	0%	*	
Pacific Islander								*	100%	*	0%	*	0%	*	
Two or more	9	<b>75</b> %	3	25%	0	0%	12	24	77%	3	10%	4	13%	31	
White	28	80%	2	6%	5	14%	35	99	76%	19	15%	13	10%	131	
Other/Unknown	*	100%	*	0%	*	0%	*	*	67%	*	33%	*	0%	*	
Total	153	<b>76</b> %	27	13%	21	10%	201	356	<b>6</b> 9%	86	17%	73	14%	515	

First-time Asian students (65%), African American or Black students (66%), Latinx students (57%), Native American students (60%; <10 students), Pacific Islander students (60%; <10 students), and students who identify with two or more races (60%) experienced equity gaps in success rates in the English Department when compared to White students (71%).

			20	22-2023 E	nglish Depai	rtment S	uccess Rate	es (All Cou	rses)					
			First-Ti	me Stude	nts					All Oth	er Studer	nts		
	Succes	sful	Not Succe	ssful	Withdre	w	Total	Succes	sful	Not Succe	ssful	Withdre	w	Total
Race/Ethnicity	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
Asian	22	<b>6</b> 5%	10	29%	2	6%	34	54	78%	9	13%	6	9%	69
African American/Black	36	<b>6</b> 6%	14	26%	5	9%	55	58	<b>5</b> 7%	24	24%	20	20%	102
Hispanic/Latinx	296	57%	148	28%	78	15%	522	381	57%	159	24%	132	20%	672
Middle Eastern	186	73%	41	16%	29	11%	256	206	67%	65	21%	39	13%	310
Native American	*	60%	*	0%	*	40%	*	*	83%	*	17%	*	0%	*
Pacific Islander	*	60%	*	40%	*	0%	*	*	50%	*	50%	*	0%	*
Two or more	31	60%	17	33%	4	8%	52	66	73%	12	13%	12	13%	90
White	164	71%	44	19%	24	10%	232	318	71%	70	16%	61	14%	449
Other/Unknown	*	71%	*	29%	*	0%	*	15	79%	2	11%	2	11%	19
Total	746	64%	278	24%	144	12%	1,168	1,104	<i>6</i> 4%	343	20%	272	16%	1,719

# **Counseling Success Rates**

First-time White students experienced relatively low success rates in Counseling 095 (20%). First-time Asian, Native American, and Pacific Islander students experienced equity gaps in access as none enrolled in the course.

				202	2-2023 Cou	nseling 0	95 Success	Rates						
			First-Tin	ne Studer	its					All Oth	er Studen	ts		
	Success	ful	Not Succes	sful	Withdre	ew	Total	Succes	sful	Not Succe	ssful	Withdre	w	Total
Race/Ethnicity	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
Asian								*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*
African American/Black	*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*	14	70%	2	10%	4	20%	20
Hispanic/Latinx	*	50%	*	25%	*	25%	*	35	80%	6	14%	3	7%	44
Middle Eastern	*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*	38	61%	9	15%	15	24%	62
Native American								*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*
Pacific Islander								*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*
Two or more	*	50%	0	0%	*	50%	*	7	70%	1	10%	2	20%	10
White	4	20%	5	25%	11	55%	20	37	86%	1	2%	5	12%	43
Other/Unknown								*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*
Total	12	39%	6	19%	13	42%	31	136	74%	19	10%	29	16%	184

First-time Asian students (36%), Black students (50%), Latinx students (45%), Pacific Islander students (0%; <10 students), and students who identify with two or more races (50%) experienced equity gaps in success rates in Counseling 120 when compared to White students (54%). First-time Native American students experienced equity gaps in access as none enrolled in the course.

				2022	2-2023 Cou	inseling 1	20 Success	Rates						
			First-T	ime Studen	ts					All Oth	er Studen	ts		
	Succes	sful	Not Succ	essful	Withdr	ew	Total	Succe	ssful	Not Succe	essful	Withdre	w	Total
Race/Ethnicity	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
Asian	4	36%	5	46%	2	18%	11	14	78%	2	11%	2	11%	18
African American/Black	9	50%	4	22%	5	28%	18	13	52%	9	36%	3	12%	25
Hispanic/Latinx	69	45%	62	40%	23	15%	154	101	<b>6</b> 6%	36	24%	15	10%	152
Middle Eastern	82	73%	23	21%	7	6%	112	102	<b>6</b> 9%	18	12%	27	18%	147
Native American								*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*
Pacific Islander	0	0%	0	0%	*	100%	*	*	50%	*	50%	0	0%	*
Two or more	6	50%	5	42%	1	8%	12	13	43%	12	40%	5	17%	30
White	39	54%	22	31%	11	15%	72	45	49%	24	26%	23	25%	92
Other/Unknown	0	0%	*	100%	0	0%	*	*	<b>75</b> %	*	25%	0	0%	*
Total	209	55%	123	32%	50	13%	382	298	<b>6</b> 3%	104	22%	75	16%	477

First-time Asian students (0%), Black students (33%; <10 students), and Native American students (0%) experienced equity gaps in success rates in Counseling 140 when compared to White students (67%). First-time Pacific Islander students experienced equity gaps in access as none enrolled in the course.

				202	2-2023 Cou	nseling 1	40 Success	Rates										
	First-Time Students											All Other Students						
	Succes	sful	Not Succe	essful	Withdre	ew	Total	Succes	sful	Not Succes	ssful	Withdre	ew	Total				
Race/Ethnicity	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	#	%	#	%	#	%	#				
Asian	0	0%	*	100%	0	0%	*	*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*				
African American/Black	*	33%	*	67%	0	0%	*	11	<b>6</b> 5%	4	24%	2	12%	17				
Hispanic/Latinx	11	65%	4	24%	2	12%	17	24	59%	8	20%	9	22%	41				
Middle Eastern	23	79%	4	14%	2	7%	29	44	71%	6	10%	12	19%	62				
Native American	0	0%	*	100%	0	0%	*	0	0%	0	0%	*	100%	*				
Pacific Islander								*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*				
Two or more	*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*	*	57%	*	43%	0	0%	*				
White	*	67%	*	33%	0	0%	*	27	<b>6</b> 6%	6	15%	8	20%	41				
Other/Unknown								*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*				
Total	42	69%	15	25%	4	7%	61	115	<b>6</b> 6%	27	16%	32	18%	174				

Fewer than 10 first-time students enrolled in Counseling 150 in 2022-2023.

				202	2-2023 Cou	ınseling 1	50 Success	Rates						
			First-1	ime Stude	nts					All Otl	her Studen	ts		
	Succes	ssful	Not Succ	essful	Withdr	ew	Total	Succes	sful	Not Succe	essful	Withdre	w	Total
Race/Ethnicity	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
Asian	*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*							
African American/Black								0	0%	*	100%	0	0%	*
Hispanic/Latinx								7	58%	1	8%	4	33%	12
Middle Eastern								*	83%	0	0%	*	17%	*
Native American														
Pacific Islander														
Two or more								*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*
White								*	57%	*	14%	*	29%	*
Other/Unknown														
Total	*	100%	0	0%	0	0%	*	17	<b>6</b> 3%	3	11%	7	26%	27

First-time Asian students (39%), Native American students (0%), and Pacific Islander students (0%) experienced equity gaps in success rates in the Counseling Department when compared to White students (49%).

			202	2-2023 Cou	ınseling De <sub>l</sub>	partment	Success Ra	ites (All Co	urses)						
			First-Ti	me Studen	its				All Other Students						
	Success	ful	Not Succe	essful	Withdre	ew	Total	Succe	ssful	Not Succe	ssful	Withdre	w	Total	
Race/Ethnicity	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	
Asian	5	39%	6	46%	2	15%	13	17	81%	2	10%	2	10%	21	
African American/Black	12	52%	6	26%	5	22%	23	38	60%	16	25%	9	14%	63	
Hispanic/Latinx	82	47%	67	38%	26	15%	175	167	67 <mark>%</mark>	51	21%	31	12%	249	
Middle Eastern	108	75%	27	19%	9	6%	144	189	68%	33	12%	55	20%	277	
Native American	0	0%	*	100%	0	0%	*	*	80%	0	0%	*	20%	*	
Pacific Islander	0	0%	0	0%	*	100%	*	*	75%	*	25%	0	0%	*	
Two or more	8	53%	5	33%	2	13%	15	25	52%	16	33%	7	15%	48	
White	49	49%	30	30%	22	22%	101	113	62%	32	18%	38	21%	183	
Other/Unknown	0	0%	*	100%	0	0%	*	10	83%	2	17%	0	0%	12	
Total	264	56%	144	30%	67	14%	475	566	66%	153	18%	143	17%	862	

## **Four-Year Transfer Rates**

Results indicate that first-time African American or Black students (32%), Latinx students (26%), Middle Eastern students (30%), Native American students (25%), Pacific Islander students (25%), and students who identify with two or more races (29%) experienced equity gaps in four-year transfer rates when compared to White students (38%).

2019 First-Time Student Cohort and Transfer Rates											
	Cohort	Trans	sfers								
Race/Ethnicity	#	#	%								
Asian	122	53	43%								
African American/Black	117	37	32%								
Hispanic/Latinx	784	206	26%								
Middle Eastern	359	109	30%								
Native American	16	4	25%								
Pacific Islander	8	2	25%								
Two or more	103	30	29%								
White	569	215	38%								
Other/Unknown	21	6	29%								
Total	2,099	662	32%								

### Notes

<sup>\*</sup>Groups where total number of students is less than 10.

<sup>--</sup>No students in the group.