

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Item Name: 2013-14 High School Report Card

Action Item Discussion Item Information Item

Issue: The Committee is provided with a summary of the High School Report Card for 2013-2014.

Background

- These report cards are designed for and distributed to Arizona's high schools to help ensure that their graduates are ready for success in post-secondary education.
- The universe of students is limited to Arizona resident undergraduate students who graduated from an Arizona high school in the immediately previous year. Therefore, the information does not relate directly to any other reports on university students.
- If a student took remedial or other classes at a community college or other institution, that class work is not reported in this report.

Statutory/Policy Requirements

- Arizona Revised Statute §15-1822 requires the universities to develop annual reports on the performance of the previous year's Arizona high school graduates during their first year in higher education. Arizona community colleges produce an equivalent report for their students.

Key Data/Findings

- The Arizona University System recorded a decrease of 501 (-4.0%) in the number of Arizona high school graduates who enrolled in the Fall semester immediately following their senior year. That group totaled 12,013 in Fall 2013 and places enrollment of that group at a level that is slightly less than the previous five years. (See graphic on page 2.)
- The academic preparation of this class was better than previous years. Approximately 83% were admitted without academic deficiencies as compared to 82% in Fall 2012 and 80% in Fall 2011. Their first term GPAs were unchanged at 2.9 in Fall 2010 through Fall 2013.
- In first year English, the majority of students (79%) took freshman English and had an average grade of 3.2, unchanged from last year. Approximately 14 percent took advanced English and received an average grade of 3.4. This was unchanged from last year as well.

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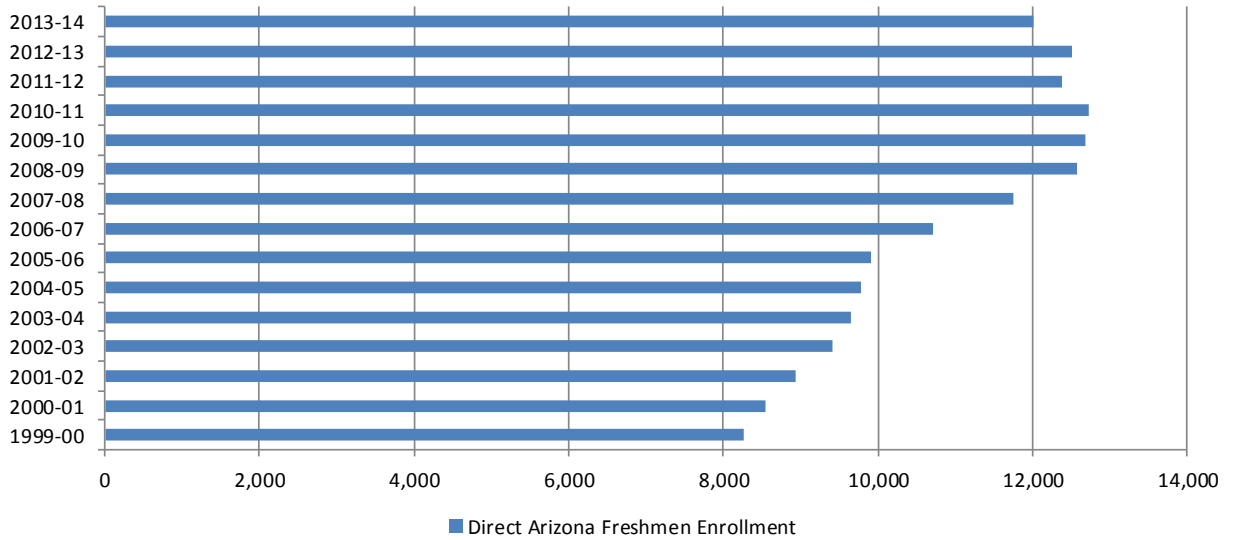
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Arizona Direct Entry Freshmen From Arizona High Schools



- In first year math, more students took calculus than college algebra. About 67 percent of freshmen taking math took either college algebra or calculus. The average grade in calculus was 2.6 and was 2.4 for college algebra.

Appendix

Attachment A is included in this document.

Recommendation

This updated 2013-14 High School Report Card is presented for the Committee's information and review.

ARIZONA UNIVERSITY SYSTEM

WRAP UP

Summary of 2012-2013 High School Graduates

Summary Characteristics

Number of High School Students Enrolled at the University	12,013		With Academic Deficiency	Without Academic Deficiency	Total
<i>Percent Who Are</i> American Indian Asian American African American Hispanic Pacific Islander Two or More Races Female	2%	<i>First Term Avg. GPA</i> All Arizona H.S	2.7	3.0	2.9
	7%				
	3%				
	28%				
	0%				
	4%				
	56%				
<i>Admitted Without Academic Deficiency</i> All Arizona H.S.	83%	<i>Fall Enrollment Continuing in Spring</i> All Arizona H.S.	90%	95%	94%

First English Course	FE	AE	OE	First Math Course	CA	C	OM
<i>Number Enrolling</i>				<i>Number Enrolling</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	6,217	1,403	628	All Arizona H.S.	2,462	2,961	2,685
<i>Percent Enrolling</i>				<i>Percent Enrolling</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	52%	12%	5%	All Arizona H.S.	20%	25%	22%
<i>Average Grade</i>				<i>Average Grade</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	3.2	3.5	2.9	All Arizona H.S.	2.4	2.6	2.1
<i>Percent "C" or Higher</i>				<i>Percent "C" or Higher</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	93%	97%	92%	All Arizona H.S.	76%	81%	81%

FE = Freshman English
 AE = Advanced English
 OE = Other Lower Division English

CA = College Algebra
 C = Calculus
 OM = Other Lower Division Math

NOTE: Blank boxes indicate that the data are not applicable.

ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

WRAP UP

Summary of 2012-2013 High School Graduates

Summary Characteristics

Number of High School Students Enrolled at the University	5,561		With Academic Deficiency	Without Academic Deficiency	Total
<i>Percent Who Are</i> American Indian Asian American African American Hispanic Pacific Islander Two or More Races Female	1%	<i>First Term Avg. GPA</i> All Arizona H.S.	2.8	3.1	3.1
	10%				
	4%				
	27%				
	0%				
	5%				
	51%				
<i>Admitted Without Academic Deficiency</i> All Arizona H.S.	80%	<i>Fall Enrollment Continuing in Spring</i> All Arizona H.S.	91%	96%	95%

First English Course	FE	AE	OE	First Math Course	CA	C	OM
<i>Number Enrolling</i>				<i>Number Enrolling</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	2,823	548	574	All Arizona H.S.	1,227	2,190	1,018
<i>Percent Enrolling</i>				<i>Percent Enrolling</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	51%	10%	10%	All Arizona H.S.	22%	39%	18%
<i>Average Grade</i>				<i>Average Grade</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	3.4	3.5	3.0	All Arizona H.S.	2.4	2.6	2.6
<i>Percent "C" or Higher</i>				<i>Percent "C" or Higher</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	95%	98%	93%	All Arizona H.S.	76%	81%	92%

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NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY

WRAP UP

Summary of 2012-2013 High School Graduates

Summary Characteristics

Number of High School Students Enrolled at the University	2,533		With Academic Deficiency	Without Academic Deficiency	Total
<i>Percent Who Are</i> American Indian Asian American African American Hispanic Pacific Islander Two or More Races Female	3%	<i>First Term Avg. GPA</i> All Arizona H.S	2.4	3.1	3.0
	1%				
	3%				
	22%				
	0%				
	5%				
	63%				
<i>Admitted Without Academic Deficiency</i> All Arizona H.S.	82%	<i>Fall Enrollment Continuing in Spring</i> All Arizona H.S.	85%	93%	91%

First English Course	FE	AE	OE	First Math Course	CA	C	OM
<i>Number Enrolling</i>				<i>Number Enrolling</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	1,458	161	50	All Arizona H.S.	417	267	1,074
<i>Percent Enrolling</i>				<i>Percent Enrolling</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	58%	6%	2%	All Arizona H.S.	16%	11%	42%
<i>Average Grade</i>				<i>Average Grade</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	3.3	3.7	2.6	All Arizona H.S.	3.0	2.8	1.7
<i>Percent "C" or Higher</i>				<i>Percent "C" or Higher</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	92%	96%	84%	All Arizona H.S.	91%	84%	78%

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UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

WRAP UP

Summary of 2012-2013 High School Graduates

Summary Characteristics

Number of High School Students Enrolled at the University	3,919		With Academic Deficiency	Without Academic Deficiency	Total
<i>Percent Who Are</i> American Indian Asian American African American Hispanic Pacific Islander Two or More Races Female	1%	<i>First Term Avg. GPA</i> All Arizona H.S	2.6	2.8	2.8
	8%				
	3%				
	32%				
	0%				
	4%				
	57%				
<i>Admitted Without Academic Deficiency</i> All Arizona H.S.	88%	<i>Fall Enrollment Continuing in Spring</i> All Arizona H.S.	90%	96%	96%

First English Course	FE	AE	OE	First Math Course	CA	C	OM
<i>Number Enrolling</i>				<i>Number Enrolling</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	1,936	694	4	All Arizona H.S.	818	504	593
<i>Percent Enrolling</i>				<i>Percent Enrolling</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	49%	18%	0%	All Arizona H.S.	21%	13%	15%
<i>Average Grade</i>				<i>Average Grade</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	2.9	3.4	3.3	All Arizona H.S.	2.1	2.6	2.1
<i>Percent "C" or Higher</i>				<i>Percent "C" or Higher</i>			
All Arizona H.S.	91%	97%	100%	All Arizona H.S.	67%	80%	68%

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