

C. Characteristics of Undergraduate Students

1. Mean Math and Verbal SAT scores (senior public institutions) – N/A

2. Basic skills testing and remediation by subject area

a. Name of the basic skills placement test administered and criteria (if any) for selecting test takers in Fall 2006.

- COMPASS Test provided by ACT
- Criteria: All new degree seeking students

b. Total number of students tested and needing remediation in Fall 2006.

The College's Academic Support Center reported more than 20,000 visits by students during the 2006-2007 academic year. The Center offers tutoring and other academic support services to students free of charge.



| Total number of students evaluated | Number of students needing remediation | Number of recent HS graduates evaluated | Number of recent HS graduates needing remediation |
|------------------------------------|--|---|---|
| 1163 | 862 | 885 | 651 |

c. First-time freshmen (FTF) enrolled in remediation in Fall 2006 by subject

| Subject Area | Number of FTF enrolled | Percent of FTF enrolled | Number of FTF recent HS graduates | Percent of FTF recent HS graduates |
|--------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Reading | 157 | 19.7 | 127 | 20.6 |
| Writing | 176 | 22.1 | 140 | 22.7 |
| Math Computation | 224 | 28.1 | 156 | 25.2 |
| Elementary Algebra | 545 | 68.3 | 439 | 71.0 |

d. First-time freshmen (FTF) enrolled in remediation in at least one subject area in Fall 2006

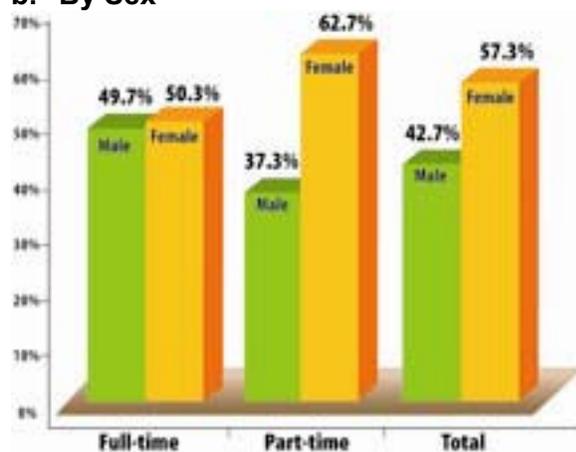
| | Number of FTF | Percent of FTF | Number of FTF who are recent HS graduates | Percent of FTF who are recent HS graduates |
|--|---------------|----------------|---|--|
| Needing remediation in at least one subject area | 798 | 50.1 | 618 | 63.3 |

3. Race/Ethnicity, Sex and Age (separately) Fall 2006

a. By Race/Ethnicity

| Race/Ethnicity | Full-time | | Part-time | | Total | |
|-----------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| | Num | Pct | Num | Pct | Num | Pct |
| White | 1846 | 66.6 | 2275 | 62.5 | 4121 | 64.3 |
| Black | 188 | 6.8 | 314 | 8.6 | 502 | 7.8 |
| Hispanic | 245 | 8.8 | 326 | 9.0 | 571 | 8.9 |
| Asian | 168 | 6.1 | 255 | 7.0 | 423 | 6.6 |
| American Indian | 4 | 0.1 | 6 | 0.2 | 10 | 0.2 |
| Alien | 96 | 3.5 | 217 | 6.0 | 313 | 4.9 |
| Unknown | 223 | 8.1 | 245 | 6.7 | 468 | 7.3 |
| TOTAL | 2,770 | 100.0% | 3,638 | 100.0% | 6,408 | 100.0% |

b. By Sex



| Sex | Full-time | | Part-time | | Total | |
|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| | Num | Pct | Num | Pct | Num | Pct |
| Male | 1378 | 49.7 | 1358 | 37.3 | 2736 | 42.7 |
| Female | 1392 | 50.3 | 2280 | 62.7 | 3672 | 57.3 |
| TOTAL | 2,770 | 100.0% | 3,638 | 100.0% | 6,408 | 100.0% |

c. By Age

| Age | Full-time | | Part-time | | Total | |
|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| | Num | Pct | Num | Pct | Num | Pct |
| LT 18 | 11 | 0.4 | 142 | 3.9 | 153 | 2.4 |
| 18 – 19 | 1262 | 45.6 | 348 | 9.6 | 1610 | 25.1 |
| 20 – 21 | 836 | 30.2 | 508 | 14.0 | 1344 | 21.0 |
| 22 – 24 | 320 | 11.6 | 564 | 15.5 | 884 | 13.8 |
| 25 – 29 | 148 | 5.3 | 526 | 14.5 | 674 | 10.5 |
| 30 – 34 | 52 | 1.9 | 333 | 9.2 | 385 | 6.0 |
| 35 – 39 | 28 | 1.0 | 288 | 7.9 | 316 | 4.9 |
| 40 – 49 | 43 | 1.6 | 544 | 15.0 | 587 | 9.2 |
| 50 – 64 | 24 | 0.9 | 287 | 7.9 | 311 | 4.9 |
| 65+ | 1 | 0.0 | 26 | 0.7 | 27 | 0.4 |
| Unknown | 45 | 1.6 | 72 | 2.0 | 117 | 1.8 |
| TOTAL | 2,770 | 100.0% | 3,638 | 100.0% | 6,408 | 100.0% |

More and more recent high school graduates are deciding to start their higher education at RVCC. As a result, students under the age of 22 now account for 48 percent of the College's student body.

4. Number of students receiving financial assistance under each state-funded aid program, including both need-based and merit-based, both grants and loans (TAG, EOF, OSRP, Distinguished Scholars, Urban Scholars, NJ STARS and NJCLASS) in FY 2006



NJ STARS provides an opportunity for New Jersey's best and brightest students to attend college for free. The program provides free tuition and fees to students who graduate in the top 20 percent of their class and enroll full-time at a community college.

| | Recipients | Awards* | Dollars(\$) | \$/Recipient | \$/Award |
|----------------------|------------|---------|-------------|--------------|----------|
| TAG | 517 | 811 | 569,371 | 1,101.30 | 702.06 |
| EOF | 87 | 146 | 72,851 | 837.37 | 498.98 |
| Bloustein Scholars | 6 | 11 | 5,500 | 916.67 | 500.00 |
| Urban Scholars | 3 | 5 | 2,500 | 833.33 | 500.00 |
| NJCLASS Loans | --- | 6 | 18,980 | --- | 3,163.33 |
| NJ STARS (Fall 2006) | 37 | --- | 54,048 | 1,460.76 | --- |

* Students may receive multiple awards per academic year.

5. Percentage of students who are New Jersey residents, Fall 2006

| State Residents | Non-State Residents | Total | % State Residents |
|-----------------|---------------------|-------|-------------------|
| 894 | 7 | 901 | 99.2% |

