

CUNY Proficiency Exam (CPE) College Report

LaGuardia Community College

Fall 2007

	LaGuardia						Associate Programs				Total University	
	Invited	Other (1)	Total	Took Exam	Show Rate	Pass Rate	Community Colleges		Total		Show Rate	Pass Rate
							Show Rate	Pass Rate	Show Rate	Pass Rate		
	N	N	N	N	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
1. Results												
Total	1,564	78	1,642	949	57.8	78.3	53.1	72.7	49.6	72.9	55.7	78.5
Required	825	0	825	612	74.2	76.5	70.6	72.0	67.6	72.5	70.0	77.8
Optional	739	0	739	259	35.1	80.3	32.5	75.8	28.8	75.4	33.1	81.8

Results by Selected Characteristics (2)

	LaGuardia		Associate Programs		Total University
	Took Exam	Pass Rate	Community Colleges	Total	Pass Rate
			Pass Rate	Pass Rate	
	N	%	%	%	%
2. Times Taken					
1st Time	836	79.6	74.5	74.6	79.8
2nd Time	92	69.6	64.1	64.8	71.3
3rd Time	20	70.0	58.1	57.8	65.8
4th Time or Higher	1	0.0	51.6	50.0	54.2
3. Admission Type					
Freshman	478	77.0	71.9	72.0	79.9
CUNY Transfer	121	79.3	74.4	75.7	75.4
Non-CUNY Transfer	182	83.0	74.6	74.0	77.2
4. Ethnicity					
American Indian	3	66.7	55.6	63.6	62.5
Asian	221	84.6	79.9	79.4	83.9
Black	166	67.5	68.9	69.9	73.3
Hispanic	349	76.2	70.1	69.6	74.0
White	162	86.4	78.8	78.6	84.4
5. Gender					
Male	340	75.6	73.3	73.4	79.7
Female	561	80.2	73.1	73.3	78.2
6. English Language Status					
Exempt (3)	211	85.3	81.8	81.0	84.9
Non-ESL	376	76.3	70.3	70.7	72.4
ESL (4)	267	75.7	70.2	70.0	72.2

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7. Comfort with English (5)					
Most comfortable in English	505	80.8	76.0	76.4	82.5
Most comfortable with other language	307	83.4	79.4	78.7	81.3
8. Special Program Status					
SEEK/CD	40	75.0	72.8	71.9	74.5
Regularly Admitted	861	78.6	73.2	73.4	79.1
9. Credit Accumulation					
45 to 59 credits	500	78.2	72.8	73.1	78.3
60 to 74 credits	103	75.7	68.3	70.8	77.9
75 to 89 credits	11	72.7	51.7	56.6	77.0
90 or more credits	7	71.4	73.7	65.6	75.6
10. Curriculum					
Business & Commerce Technologies	355	80.3	74.2	73.5	73.5
Data Processing Technologies	71	76.1	75.7	76.9	76.9
Health Services Technologies	132	76.5	76.0	78.0	78.0
Mechanical & Engineering Technologies	0	---	72.1	72.1	72.1
Natural Science Technologies	7	42.9	62.5	62.5	62.5
Public Service Related Technologies	23	65.2	60.1	63.6	63.6
Arts & Sciences or General Programs	277	80.1	74.2	74.2	74.2
Unclassified	16	68.8	68.8	60.0	60.0

(1) This column reports on students whose status as required or optional is unknown (many of whom were walk-ins).

(2) Information for each characteristic may not be known for all students.

(3) Students who were exempted from basic skills testing based on SAT scores, Regents scores, or Advanced Standing (Transfer).

(4) These students are designated ESL by readers of the essay sample (initial testing). Results are based on records with available English Language status, regardless of performance on the writing test.

(5) Information collected during this term's CPE administration.