

CUNY Proficiency Exam (CPE) College Report

LaGuardia Community College

Spring 2006

	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	2,130	51	2,181	832	38.2	71.9	43.0	73.4	42.2	74.1	46.9	79.9
Required	1,221	0	1,221	555	45.5	71.5	55.8	72.5	57.9	73.4	59.3	78.6
Optional	909	0	909	226	24.9	70.4	25.8	75.4	23.5	75.6	28.3	84.0

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	729	73.3	75.1	75.5	81.7
2nd Time	86	65.1	63.8	65.9	68.7
3rd Time	16	50.0	61.1	63.1	66.8
4th Time or Higher	1	0.0	48.5	47.1	55.6
3. Admission Type					
Freshman	450	71.1	73.9	74.6	81.7
CUNY Transfer	105	69.5	70.1	70.4	74.9
Non-CUNY Transfer	160	77.5	77.2	77.6	80.6
4. Ethnicity					
American Indian	0	---	40.0	50.0	78.3
Asian	163	77.9	79.6	78.2	83.4
Black	140	67.1	69.8	70.9	74.6
Hispanic	310	68.4	71.5	72.5	76.5
White	159	76.7	78.9	79.4	86.4
5. Gender					
Male	273	72.9	75.1	74.9	81.6
Female	499	71.3	73.1	74.2	79.4
6. English Language Status					
Exempt (3)	132	81.8	83.6	83.3	87.1
Non-ESL	347	71.8	71.4	72.2	75.1
ESL (4)	253	66.0	70.1	70.2	73.4

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7. Comfort with English (5)					
Most comfortable in English	402	76.4	77.5	78.0	83.9
Most comfortable with other language	282	76.2	77.1	77.6	80.0
8. Special Program Status					
SEEK/CD	31	58.1	74.1	74.5	79.2
Regularly Admitted	741	72.5	73.8	74.4	80.3
9. Credit Accumulation					
45 to 59 credits	442	73.3	73.9	74.1	79.8
60 to 74 credits	95	69.5	68.4	72.4	79.1
75 to 89 credits	12	58.3	61.6	63.8	77.0
90 or more credits	0	---	47.6	64.6	73.0
10. Curriculum					
Business & Commerce Technologies	296	69.3	74.9	75.5	75.5
Data Processing Technologies	63	77.8	73.4	73.3	73.3
Health Services Technologies	115	75.7	75.4	76.5	76.5
Natural Science Technologies	13	61.5	55.0	55.0	55.0
Public Service Related Technologies	40	57.5	65.2	67.5	67.5
Arts & Sciences or General Programs	228	74.1	74.5	74.8	74.8
Unclassified	3	100.0	100.0	87.5	87.5

(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.