# ACADEMIC AFFAIRS REORG. @VC

Captain's Chat Presentation & Campus Input Discussion, 2024



# AGENDA

- Our Process
- REORG Recommendations
- Next Steps
  - Input & Discussion

4.16.24

# REORG WORKGROUP

- Stephanie Branca (Business)
- Kaela Casey (Library)
- Tania De Clerk (Mod Lang)
- Kelly Denton (Acad Data Spcst)
- Topher Fredrickson (Math)
- Michael Haydon (Asst. Registrar)
- Rachel Johnson (Child Dev & Senate Pres.)
- Jennifer KG, VPAA
- Erica Mullins, (Biology)
- Debbie Newcomb, DEAN Caree Ed. 1
- Stacy Sloan-Graham, Comm Studies

# WORKGROUP PROCESS

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#### Context:

- What precipitated the need?
- Why this process?

#### Focus:

- Approach
- Synergies
- Workload Balance

#### **Actions:**

- Multiple meetings
- Consultation
- Recommendations.

#### Forum:

Captain's Chat: Input on Workgroup recommendations – today!

#### Final Steps:

- Survey input (APR)
- REORG decisions (MAY)

# RECOMMENDATIONS

## <u>Assumptions</u>

- Synergies within/among programs was most critical
  - Some synergies will have to happen across divisions as all interrelated areas/disciplines cannot be in one division.
- Workload balance is critical but secondary to synergies.
  - Workload for division staff and Chairs was the focus.

## Recommendations - more of a "minor" reorg:

#### **DEPARTMENT LEVEL:**

- Distance Education → LEAP Division (Learning, Equity, Achievement and Persistence) Division.
- 2. Library → Social and Behavioral Sciences Division OR English/Math/Comm. Division.
- 3. Geo Sciences merge with Physical Sciences Department OR CEII Division Agriculture/Water Sci Department.

#### **DISCIPLINE LEVEL:**

- **1.** Computer Science → CEI Division to the Business Dept.
- 2. **ECON**  $\rightarrow$  CEI Division to the Business Dept.

# NEXT STEPS

## <u>Input</u>

- Captain's Chat
- Survey

## REORG Decision

- Recommendations received by Executive Team
- Reorg decision for the coming year announced in May.

## Planning Future Reorgs

- Workgroup Asked:
  - What triggers a reorg? Major or minor?
- Request that the College Planning Committee (CPC) create a process for requesting a reorg or understanding and communicating the triggers for reorgs.
  - Rationale
  - How can a program/area/dept request?



# INPUT!

# THANK YOU - PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR INPUT...





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# CAPTAIN'S CHAT

April 17, 2024









# Draft 2024-2030 Educational Master Plan

Phillip Briggs

#### What is an Educational Master Plan?

- High-level long-term planning document
- Includes a current assessment of our college
- Includes long-term goals and objectives for the future
- Does not focus on how the goals will be obtained
- The "how" is the focus of shorter operational plans (equity plan, enrollment management plan, etc.)

## **Developing the Draft**

- Spring 2023:
- Full evaluation conducted of the 2017-2023 Educational Master Plan
- Educational Master Plan Retreat Apr 14, 2023 in Wright Event Center
- 2023-2024:
- Fall 2023 Campus Retreat at Crowne Plaza Hotel over 120 faculty, staff, administrators, and students
- Educational Master Plan Workgroup convened in Nov 2023

#### **Educational Master Plan Workgroup Members:**

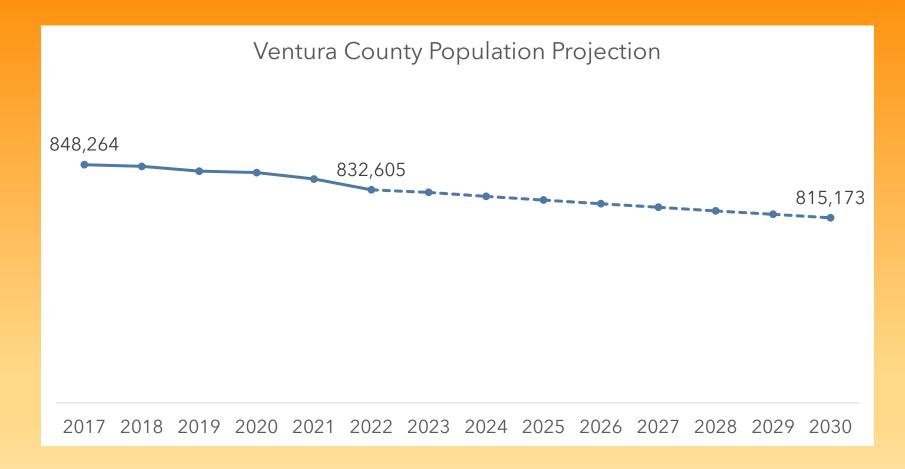
- April Montes, Classified Senate President
- Mark Huff, ASVC President
- Rachel Johnson, Academic Senate President
- Jennifer Kalfsbeek-Goetz, VP Academic Affairs
- JP Schumacher VP Student Affairs
- Phillip Briggs Dean IE
- Oscar Rivera Interim Dean of LEAP
- Gema Sanchez Interim Dean of Student Affairs
- Tamishiah Allen College Services Supervisor
- Tatiana Lawler Student Services Specialist
- Jessica Perez Student Activities Specialist
- Deanna Hall Child Development Faculty and Dept Chair
- Adrienne Arguijo Grant Director, HSI STEM
- Raquel De Los Santos Placement Project Specialist
- Alex Kolesnik Math Faculty
- Vanessa Stotler Director of Outreach and Marketing

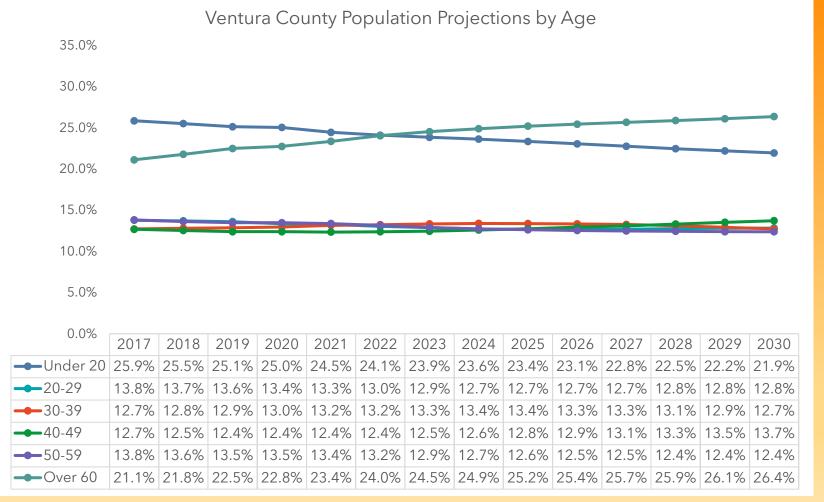
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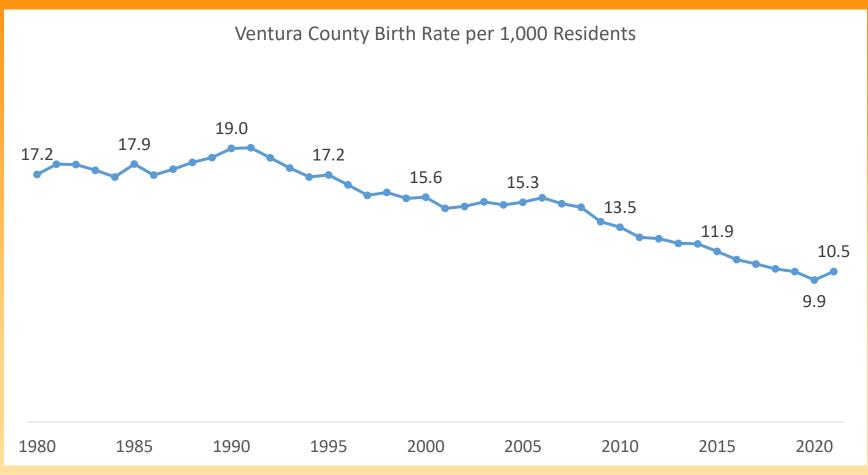
- Educational Master Plan Workgroup met twice a month from Nov-March
- Reviewed 23 pages of input from fall 2023 retreat attendees
- Analyzed an extensive amount of college and community data
- Reviewed goals and objectives from:
  - State of CA Vision 2030
  - VCCCD 2021-2027 Strategic Plan
  - Educational Master Plans from 10-15 other colleges
- Developed a first draft of the plan

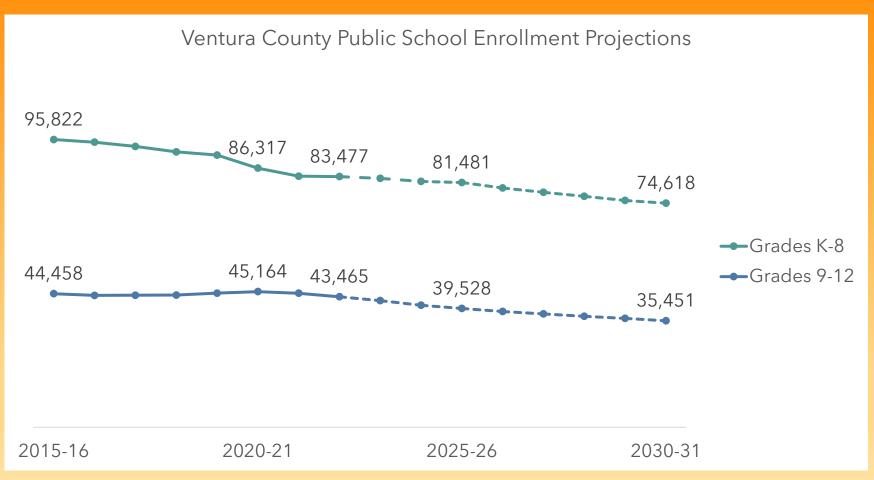
#### 2024-2030 Goals

- **1. Equity in Access** address systemic practices and barriers to ensure student-ready access to an equity-minded student experience.
- 2. Build Capacity for Engagement and Servingness build trusting relationships and foster a deeper sense of connection to the campus to move from a transactional culture to a relational one.
- 3. Equity in Success implement equitable servingness practices that intentionally maximize student academic and career achievement.

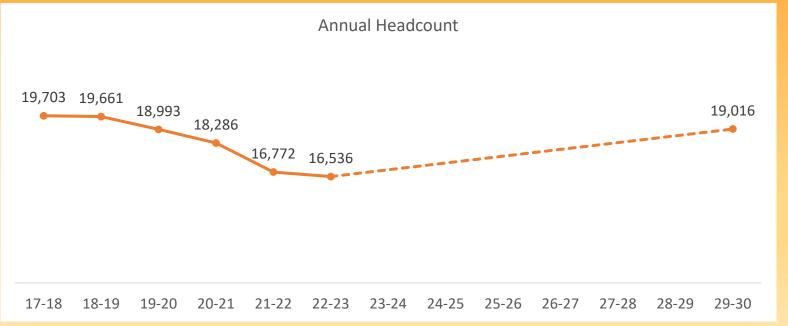




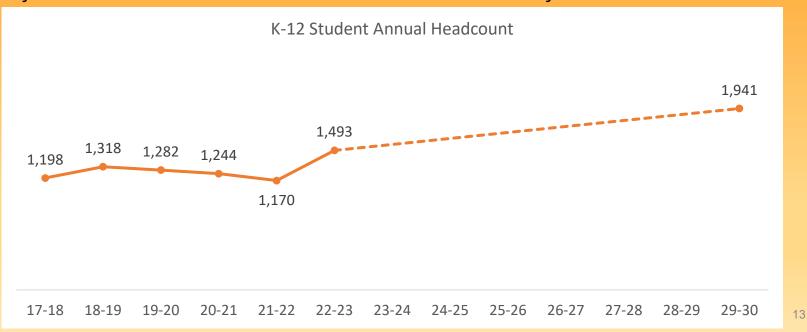




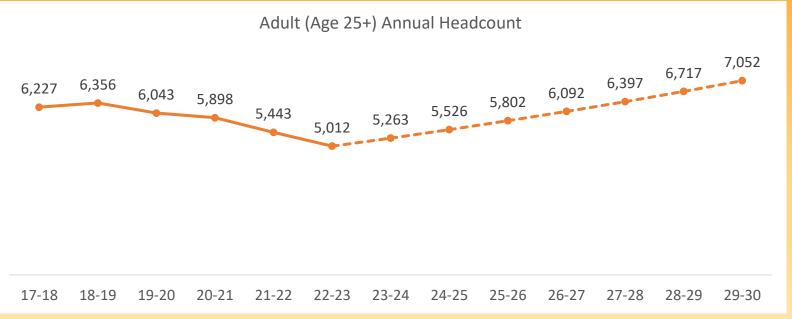
#### Objective 1: Increase enrollment/headcount by 10-15% from 2022-2023



#### Objective 2: Increase dual enrollment/headcount by 30% from 2022-2023



Objective 3: Increase enrollment of adult population (25+) by 5% each year



- Objective 4 Increase fall-to-spring persistence rate to 80-85%
  - Fall-to-spring persistence: % of first-time fall students who enroll in the subsequent spring semester
- Objective 5 Increase fall-to-fall persistence rate to 68-73%.
  - Fall-to-fall persistence: % of first-time fall students who enroll in the subsequent fall semester.

• Close equity gaps in gender, race/ethnicity, veterans, students with disabilities, and first-generation students.

#### Goal 2

Build Capacity for Engagement and Servingness

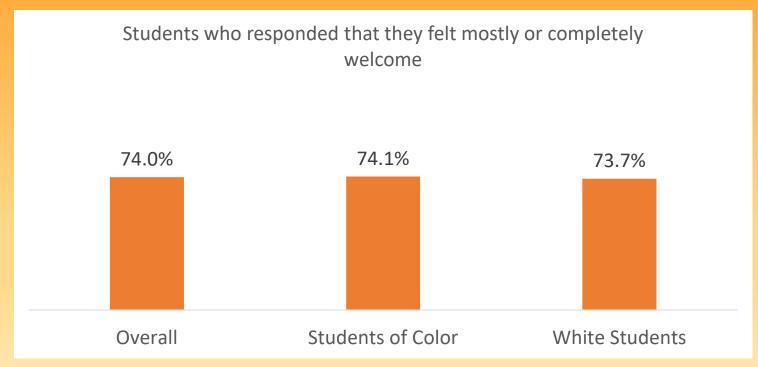
 Build trusting relationships and foster a deeper sense of connection across the campus to move from a transactional culture to a relational one

Both students and employees

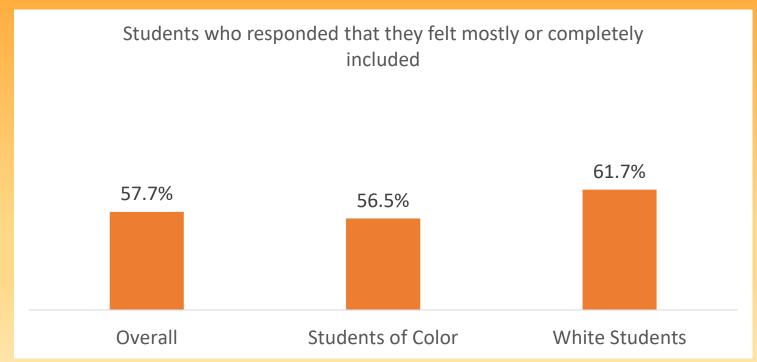
## Student Engagement Objectives

- 1. Improve communication across the campus
- 2. Increase feelings of welcoming and inclusion
- 3. Increase sense of mattering and affirmation
- 4. Increase feeling of safety on campus
- 5. Increase student participation in clubs, organizations, and events
- Close equity gaps in gender, race/ethnicity, veterans, students with disabilities, and first-generation students in each of the above objectives

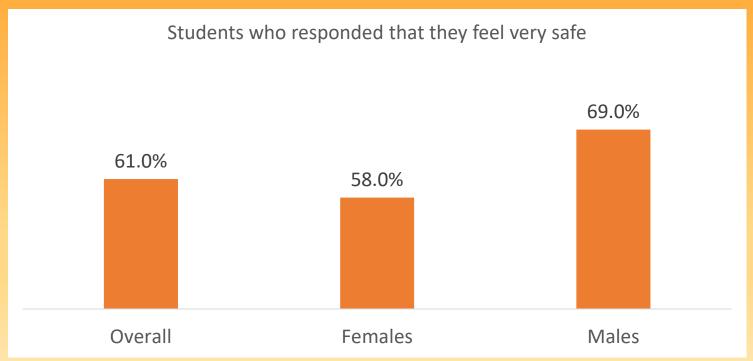
## How welcome do you feel at VC?



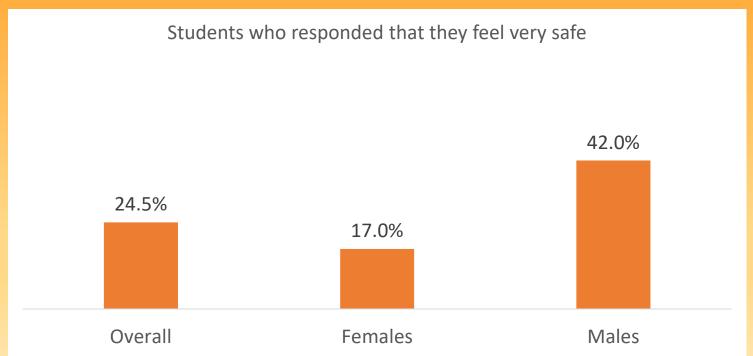
#### How included do you feel at VC?



## How safe do you feel at VC (Daytime)?



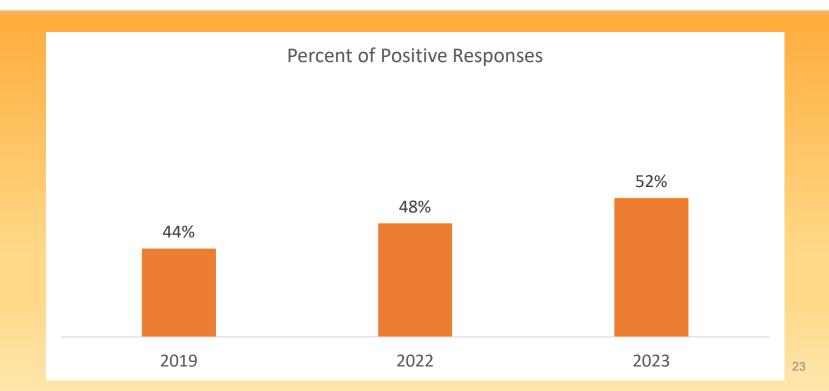
## How safe do you feel at VC (Nighttime)?



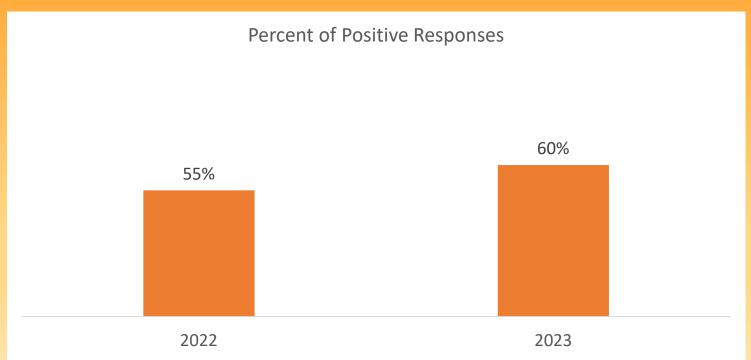
#### Employee Engagement Objectives

- 1. Improve communication across the campus
- 2. Increase sense of belonging on campus
- 3. Increase sense of inclusion on campus
- 4. Increase feeling of safety on campus
- 5. Increase employee participation in clubs, organizations, and events
- 6. Increase effectiveness of participatory governance structure
- 7. Increase employee diversity to be reflective of the demographics of our student population

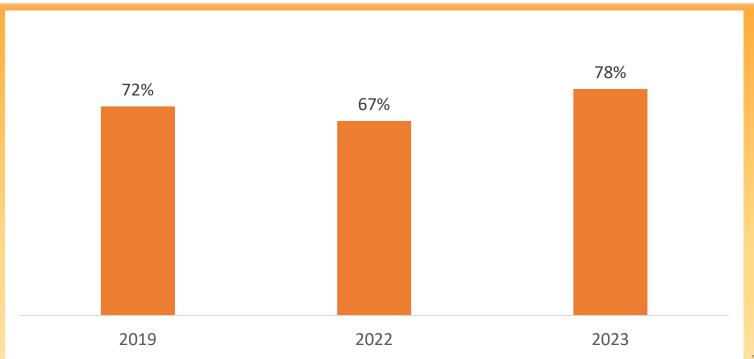
#### **ModernThink Survey - Communication**



## **ModernThink Survey - Belonging**



#### **ModernThink Survey - Proud to be Part of VC**



#### Goal 3

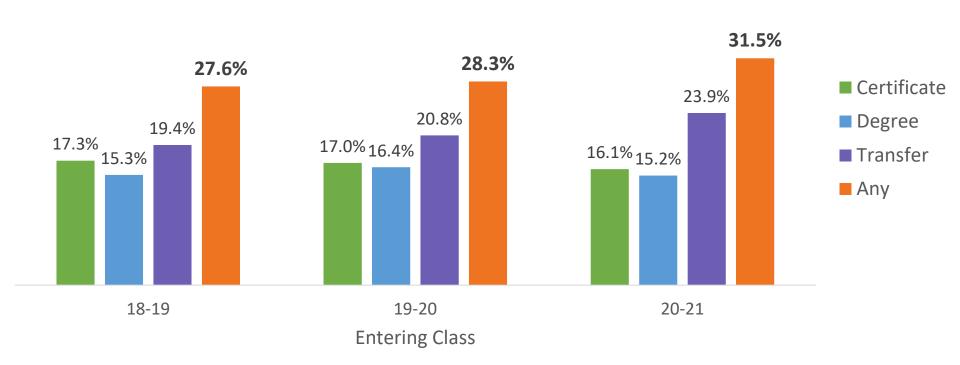
Equity in Success

 Implement equitable servingness practices that intentionally maximize student academic and career achievement

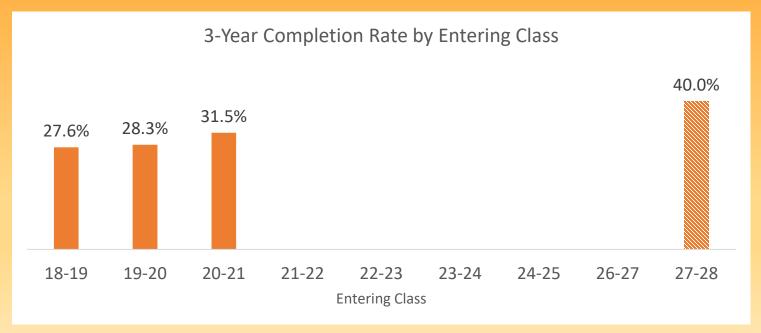
#### **Objectives**

- 1. Increase first-year transfer-level English completion rate to 51% by 2030
- Increase first-year transfer-level English completion rate for degree/transfer-seeking students to 60% by 2030
- 3. Increase first-year transfer-level Math completion rate to 37% by 2030
- 4. Increase first-year transfer-level Math completion rate for degree/transfer-seeking students to 42% by 2030
- 5. Increase course success rate to 80% by 2030

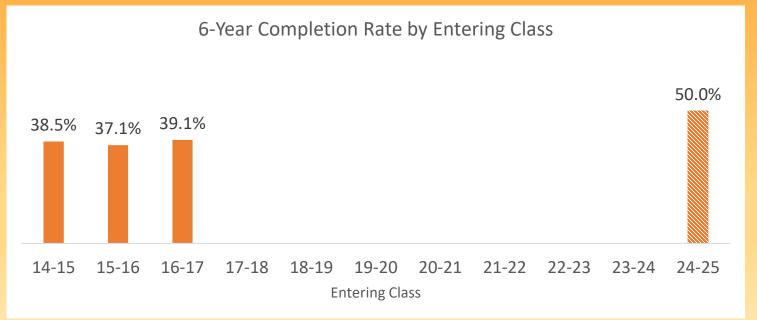
#### 3-Year Completion Rates by Entering Class



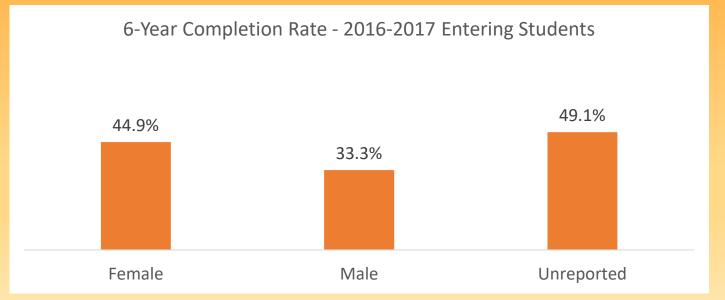
Objective 6: Increase 3-year degree/certificate/transfer completion rate to 40%



Objective 7: Increase 6-year degree/certificate/transfer completion rate to 50%



Objective 8: Close equity gaps in gender, race/ethnicity, veterans, students with disabilities, and first-generation students in each of the above objectives





# **Full Draft Plan is Online**

College Planning Committee Webpage

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#### **Provide Feedback**

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 Feedback will be reviewed by the College Planning Committee