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College Performance Indicators Report 2003-2004

During Spring 2005, Research & Planning Briefs will feature findings from CCSF's *College Performance Indicators Report 2003-2004* (CPI). The CPI is a comprehensive assessment of the College's progress and success based upon the goals and priorities of CCSF's Strategic Plan. The full CPI Report can be found at: www.ccsf.edu/Offices/Research_Planning/pdf/ccpi2005.pdf.

The Strategic Plan 2003-2008 outlines eight priorities for the College community:

- Priority 1: Basic Skills
- Priority 2: Academic Programs
- Priority 3: Workforce Development
- Priority 4: Outreach and Recruitment
- Priority 5: Student Development
- Priority 6: Resource Development
- Priority 7: Technology
- Priority 8: Organizational Effectiveness

The Strategic Plan can be found at: www.ccsf.edu/Offices/Research_Planning/pdf/strpln3.pdf.

Focus on Strategic Priority 2: This Research & Planning Brief examines the three of the four key indicators under Strategic Priority 2 – achievement of degrees, achievement of certificates, and successful course completion.

The annual number of students attaining degrees and certificates: The number of degrees earned at City College of San Francisco refers to the number of Associate Degrees in Arts (A.A.) or Associate Degrees in Science (A.S.) awarded annually. A certificate is an award in a program that requires the completion of 6 to 60 units. Table 11 measures the number of certificates awarded each year.

Degrees awarded: From 2002-2003 to 2003-2004, the number of students achieving degrees has increased by 2.3%.

Number of Students Attaining Degrees

Year	# of Degrees
95-96	1,070*
96-97	1,047*
97-98	263**
98-99	1,053*
99-00	994*
00-01	939*
01-02	1,043*
02-03	1,125***
03-04	1,151***

*Source: CCSF Performance on Partnership for Excellence Goals, State Chancellor's Office, 4/04.

**Data problem recognized by both the State Chancellor's Office & CCSF

***Source: <http://misweb.cccco.edu/mis/onlinestat/awards.cfm>

Certificates awarded: The number of certificates awarded has increased by 6.2% to an all-time high of 1,285.

Number of Students Awarded Certificates

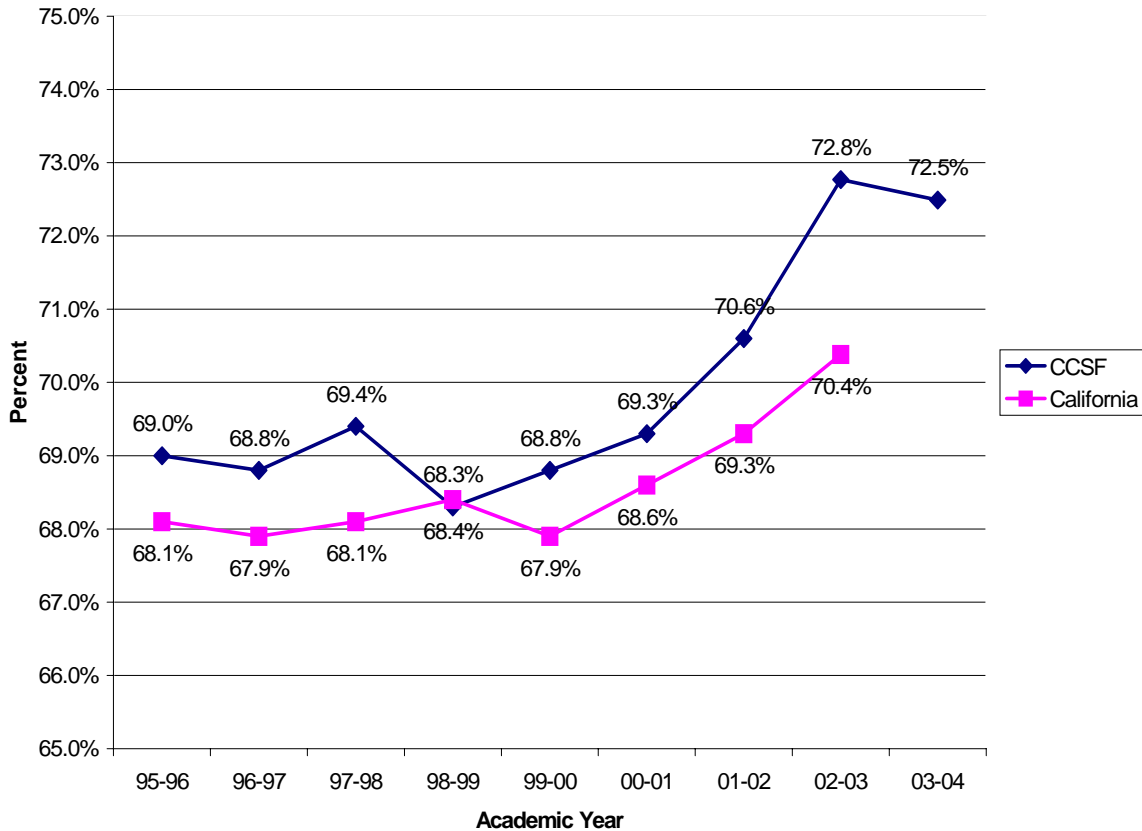
Year	Certificates
96-97	736
97-98	622
98-99	853
99-00	1,053
00-01	1,188
01-02	1,123
02-03	1,210
03-04	1,285

Source: <http://misweb.cccco.edu/mis/onlinestat/awards.cfm>

The percentage of students successfully completing courses at City College of San Francisco: “Success” is defined as receiving a grade of A, B, C, or CR in a course. The percentage of successful students at City College of San Francisco is contrasted with student success at all community colleges throughout California.

Credit courses: From 2002-2003 to 2003-2004, success rates in credit courses within CCSF have decreased by 0.3%. No data is available for California community colleges in 2003-2004.

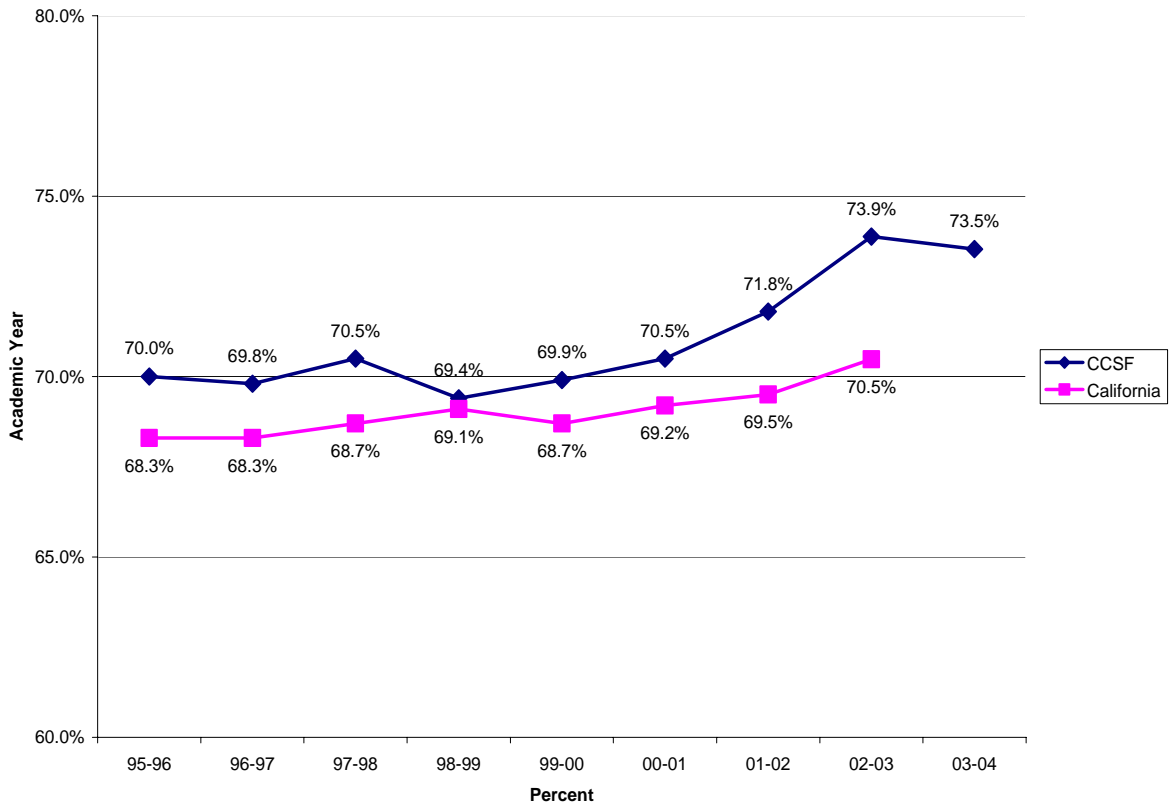
Successful Course Completion Rate – All Credit Courses



Source: CCSF Performance on Partnership for Excellence Goals, State Chancellor’s Office until 2002-2003, CCSF’s Decision Support System thereafter.

Transfer courses: From 2002-2003 to 2003-2004, CCSF success rates in transfer courses have decreased by 0.4%. No data is available for California community colleges in 2003-2004.

Successful Course Completion Rate – Transfer Courses



Source: CCSF Performance on Partnership for Excellence Goals, State Chancellor’s Office until 2002-2003, CCSF’s Decision Support System thereafter.