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Focus on Participation of SF Residents & Annual Enrollment

Participation of SF Residents. CCSF experienced an increase in participation rate by San Francisco residents between Fall 1994 and Fall 2002. The number of San Francisco residents, aged 18 and over, has remained relatively flat during this eight-year period, showing an increase of only 3.5%. However, CCSF's fall enrollment of both credit and noncredit students rose from Fall 1994 to Fall 2002 by 19.36%. Similarly, fall enrollment by SF residents increased during that time by 16.74%. Ultimately, CCSF has experienced an increase in the participation rate of SF residents; in Fall 1994, 7.9% of residents enrolled at CCSF while in Fall 2002, 8.9% of residents enrolled at the College.*

Table 1
Longitudinal Comparison of SF Residents' Participation Rate
Fall 1994 – Fall 2002

	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
San Francisco Residents 18 and over (Dept. of Finance, Estimates)	618,037	614,387	625,428	631,415	635,754	637,857	638,755	639,502	639,657
Total Fall Enrollment (Cr & Noncr, Unduplicated) (CCSF Research Office, 2003)	56,287	58,352	60,978	60,890	60,754	60,071	61,685	65,219	67,186
Total Fall Enrollment From Within San Francisco (CCSF Research Office, 2003)	48,761	50,550	52,825	52,749	52,631	52,040	53,438	55,368	56,922
CCSF Participation Rate (CCSF Research Office, 2003)	7.9%	8.2%	8.4%	8.4%	8.3%	8.2%	8.4%	8.7%	8.9%

Annual Enrollments. CCSF's annual enrollment totaled 106,420 for 2002/03, which includes all enrollment for the Summer '02, Fall '02, and Spring '03 terms. Credit and noncredit enrollment was 99,827, and enrollments for "other" programs, including Contract Education, CACT/Garment 2002, Continuing Education, and the Institute for International Students, was 6,593. Between 1995/96 (when the College began collecting this data) and 2001/02, CCSF experienced a 23.7% increase in overall enrollment. There was no change in enrollment between 2001/02 and 2002/03.

*In July 2003, the U.S. Census Bureau produced new data showing a 1.5% drop in San Francisco population between July 1, 2001 and July 2, 2002; this figure is for the total San Francisco population, rather than that of residents 18 years and older. This population decrease may be a factor in the rise of the College's participation rate.

Table 2
Longitudinal Comparison of Annual Enrollments
1995/96 – 2002/03

	95/96	96/97	97/98	98/99	99/00	00/01	01/02	02/03
Credit & Noncredit	79,337	83,790	86,454	88,971	91,156	93,773	99,966	99,827
Total Other Programs								
Contract Education	1,259	1,803	942	1,793	698	671	732	885
CACT/Garment 2000	140	160	185	212	281	447	528	755
Continuing Education	4,992	5,283	5,760	4,702	5,080	5,217	4,891	4,660
Institute for Int'l Students	358	373	414	450	454	436	395	293
Total Other Programs	6,749	7,619	7,301	7,157	6,513	6,771	6,546	6,593
Total Annual Enrollment	86,086	91,409	93,755	96,128	97,669	100,544	106,512	106,420

Graph 1
Annual Credit & Noncredit Enrollments
1995/96 – 2002/03

