

Rancho Santiago Community College District



RESEARCH DEPARTMENT



**Rancho Santiago Community College District
School of Continuing Education
Headcount and Student Characteristics
Fall 2006-Fall 2008**

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Background

Historically, all records for students enrolled at Rancho Santiago Community College District (RSCCD) colleges (Santa Ana College and Santiago Canyon College) were housed on the mainframe and maintained by Information Technology Services (ITS). Beginning Fall 2006, prompted by a district-wide migration to a new student record system (DATATEL), the School of Continuing Education migrated to an interim system (ASAP), intended to be used as a bridge from the original mainframe system until the DATATEL migration is completed.

While ASAP addresses the record-keeping needs of our district's non-credit schools, it has left a gap in our longitudinal student records. As of Fall 2006 the RSCCD Research Department can no longer directly access current non-credit student data records. It has been necessary to interrupt the publication of many ongoing research studies that have been maintained for twenty or more years using the district's integrated student data records.

Because of inconsistencies between the two record-keeping systems, it has become necessary to begin a new "history" of non-credit RSCCD headcount and student characteristics.

Data Parameters

Consistent with the original publication (which continues in publication for the credit programs only), headcounts in this report are based upon unduplicated student counts on the 7th Monday of the fall semester. Data is provided for each college, as well as a total for the district. This report is not intended to provide total semester headcount; rather, it is a snapshot of active students (and their demographic characteristics) early in the semester for longitudinal comparison purposes only.

ALL RSCCD SCHOOL OF CONTINUING EDUCATION (UNDUPLICATED)						
Headcount and Student Characteristics						
source: ASAP database (7th week)	Fall 2006		Fall 2007		Fall 2008	
	19116		18960		20568	
	n	%	n	%	n	%
Ethnicity						
Native American	84	1%	96	1%	82	1%
African-American	404	4%	263	2%	209	1%
Asian	1153	9%	978	8%	1221	8%
<i>Chinese</i>	121	10%	144	15%	210	17%
<i>Japanese</i>	23	2%	35	4%	41	3%
<i>Korean</i>	43	4%	74	8%	137	11%
<i>Southeast Asian</i>	372	32%	372	38%	556	46%
<i>Other Asian</i>	594	52%	353	36%	277	23%
Latino	9339	74%	9509	74%	11855	77%
<i>Mexican American</i>	8210	88%	8346	88%	10499	89%
<i>Central American</i>	764	8%	803	8%	952	8%
<i>South American</i>	265	3%	276	3%	301	3%
<i>Other Latino</i>	100	1%	84	1%	103	1%
Filipino	43	0%	61	0%	78	1%
Caucasian	1430	11%	1655	13%	1726	11%
Pacific Islander	19	0%	22	0%	27	0%
Other	156	1%	200	2%	222	1%
Decline to State	51	0%	55	0%	58	0%
Not reported	6437	34%	6121	32%	5090	25%
Age						
17 and under	1398	7%	614	3%	1549	8%
18	709	4%	581	3%	752	4%
19	717	4%	675	4%	708	3%
20-21	1262	7%	1155	6%	1186	6%
22-25	2411	13%	2346	12%	2256	11%
26-29	2097	11%	2038	11%	1994	10%
30-39	4025	21%	4278	23%	4333	21%
40-49	2604	14%	2984	16%	3137	15%
50-64	1744	9%	2075	11%	2362	12%
over 64	2128	11%	2197	12%	2245	11%
Not reported	21	0%	17	0%	46	0%
Gender						
Male	8798	47%	8514	47%	9373	46%
Female	9727	53%	9704	53%	10835	54%
Not reported	591	3%	742	4%	360	2%
Citizenship Status						
U.S. Citizen	3035	36%	3423	35%	4623	36%
Immigrant	1285	15%	1849	19%	2449	19%
Other	4220	49%	4501	46%	5699	45%
Not reported	10576	55%	9187	48%	7797	38%

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source: ASAP database (7th week)	Fall 2006		Fall 2007		Fall 2008	
	19116		18960		20568	
	n	%	n	%	n	%
Educational Goal						
improved basic literacy	2566	35%	2815	35%	4325	49%
improve English	3704	38%	4061	37%	3725	28%
HS Diploma/GED	1503	15%	1430	13%	1930	15%
Work-related	535	5%	743	7%	987	7%
<i>get a job</i>	368	69%	510	69%	685	69%
<i>retain a job</i>	103	19%	129	17%	173	18%
<i>work-based project</i>	64	12%	104	14%	129	13%
enter college/training	183	2%	172	2%	238	2%
family goal	231	2%	228	2%	367	3%
US Citizenship	103	1%	195	2%	157	1%
military	12	0%	14	0%	18	0%
personal goal	768	8%	1043	10%	1200	9%
other	123	1%	162	1%	199	2%
no goal	80	1%	99	1%	96	1%
not reported	9308	49%	7998	42%	7326	36%
*a significant proportion of students did not provide these data; response category percent distributions have been calculated based on valid responses.						

SANTA ANA COLLEGE SCHOOL OF CONTINUING EDUCATION						
Headcount and Student Characteristics						
source: ASAP database (7th week)	Fall 2006		Fall 2007		Fall 2008	
	13167		12794		14112	
	n	%	n	%	n	%
Ethnicity						
Native American	59	1%	57	1%	43	0%
African-American	329	4%	171	2%	130	1%
Asian	743	8%	568	7%	710	7%
<i>Chinese</i>	49	7%	53	9%	96	14%
<i>Japanese</i>	3	0%	9	2%	7	1%
<i>Korean</i>	16	2%	32	6%	29	4%
<i>Southeast Asian</i>	336	45%	295	52%	462	65%
<i>Other Asian</i>	339	46%	179	32%	116	16%
Latino	7631	81%	6841	84%	9040	86%
<i>Mexican American</i>	6703	88%	6001	88%	8021	89%
<i>Central American</i>	656	9%	621	9%	767	8%
<i>South American</i>	184	2%	162	2%	188	2%
<i>Other Latino</i>	88	1%	57	1%	64	1%
Filipino	19	0%	19	0%	26	0%
Caucasian	490	5%	411	5%	438	4%
Pacific Islander	13	0%	7	0%	13	0%
Other	59	1%	42	1%	82	1%
Decline to State	23	0%	12	0%	7	0%
Not reported	3801	29%	4666	36%	3623	26%
Age						
17 and under	1048	8%	213	2%	1066	8%
18	531	4%	356	3%	525	4%
19	499	4%	467	4%	466	3%
20-21	871	7%	790	6%	805	6%
22-25	1714	13%	1657	13%	1638	12%
26-29	1509	11%	1473	12%	1461	10%
30-39	2881	22%	3088	24%	3195	23%
40-49	1798	14%	2125	17%	2254	16%
50-64	1099	8%	1401	11%	1519	11%
over 64	1202	9%	1211	9%	1167	8%
Not reported	15	0%	13	0%	16	0%
Gender						
Male	6070	48%	5655	47%	6493	47%
Female	6674	52%	6499	53%	7341	53%
Not reported	423	3%	640	5%	278	2%
Citizenship Status						
U.S. Citizen	1860	27%	1613	23%	2354	27%
Immigrant	1049	15%	1324	19%	1773	20%
Other	3866	57%	3969	57%	4728	53%
Not reported	6392	49%	5888	46%	5257	37%

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	n	%	n	%	n	%
Educational Goal						
improved basic literacy	2261	29%	2411	32%	3642	39%
improve English	2839	37%	2676	36%	2606	28%
HS Diploma/GED	1239	16%	921	12%	1325	14%
Work-related	397	5%	470	6%	611	7%
----- <i>get a job</i>	285	72%	342	73%	448	73%
----- <i>retain a job</i>	74	19%	74	16%	109	18%
----- <i>work-based project</i>	38	10%	54	11%	54	9%
enter college/training	146	2%	100	1%	155	2%
family goal	181	2%	144	2%	253	3%
US Citizenship	88	1%	154	2%	125	1%
military	8	0%	9	0%	6	0%
personal goal	479	6%	466	6%	408	4%
other	85	1%	83	1%	71	1%
no goal	34	0%	44	1%	39	0%
Not reported	5410	41%	5316	42%	4871	35%
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SANTIAGO CANYON COLLEGE SCHOOL OF CONTINUING EDUCATION						
Headcount and Student Characteristics						
source: ASAP database (7th week)	Fall 2006		Fall 2007		Fall 2008	
	5998		6216		6456	
	n	%	n	%	n	%
Ethnicity						
Native American	25	1%	39	1%	39	1%
African-American	76	3%	92	2%	79	2%
Asian	412	12%	411	9%	501	10%
<i>Chinese</i>	72	17%	91	22%	114	23%
<i>Japanese</i>	20	5%	26	6%	23	5%
<i>Korean</i>	27	7%	42	10%	108	22%
<i>Southeast Asian</i>	37	9%	77	19%	95	19%
<i>Other Asian</i>	256	62%	175	43%	161	32%
Latino	1736	52%	2698	57%	2815	57%
<i>Mexican American</i>	1530	88%	2370	88%	2478	88%
<i>Central American</i>	110	6%	185	7%	185	7%
<i>South American</i>	84	5%	116	4%	113	4%
<i>Other Latino</i>	12	1%	27	1%	39	1%
Filipino	24	1%	43	1%	52	1%
Caucasian	948	28%	1251	27%	1288	26%
Pacific Islander	6	0%	15	0%	14	0%
Other	99	3%	160	3%	140	3%
Decline to State	28	1%	43	1%	51	1%
Not reported	2644	44%	1464	24%	1477	23%
Age						
17 and under	350	6%	401	6%	483	8%
18	180	3%	226	4%	227	4%
19	220	4%	208	3%	242	4%
20-21	392	7%	370	6%	381	6%
22-25	699	12%	692	11%	618	10%
26-29	595	10%	569	9%	533	8%
30-39	1156	19%	1204	19%	1138	18%
40-49	813	14%	868	14%	883	14%
50-64	659	11%	687	11%	843	13%
over 64	928	15%	987	16%	1078	17%
Not reported	6	0%	4	0%	30	0%
Gender						
Male	2746	47%	2885	47%	2880	45%
Female	3083	53%	3227	53%	3494	55%
Not reported	169	3%	104	2%	82	1%
Citizenship Status						
U.S. Citizen	1187	66%	1823	63%	2269	58%
Immigrant	239	13%	532	18%	676	17%
Other	364	20%	544	19%	971	25%
Not reported	4208	70%	3317	53%	2540	39%

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	5998		6216		6456	
	n	%	n	%	n	%
Educational Goal						
improved basic literacy	311	15%	412	12%	683	17%
improve English	878	42%	1395	40%	1119	28%
HS Diploma/GED	267	13%	513	15%	605	15%
Work-related	141	7%	286	8%	376	9%
----- <i>get a job</i>	85	60%	174	61%	237	63%
----- <i>retain a job</i>	30	21%	59	21%	64	17%
----- <i>work-based project</i>	26	18%	53	19%	75	20%
enter college/training	37	2%	72	2%	83	2%
family goal	51	2%	84	2%	114	3%
US Citizenship	16	1%	41	1%	32	1%
military	4	0%	5	0%	12	0%
personal goal	296	14%	582	17%	792	20%
other	38	2%	81	2%	128	3%
no goal	46	2%	55	2%	57	1%
Not reported	3913	65%	2690	43%	2455	38%
*a significant proportion of students did not provide these data; response category percent distributions have been calculated based on valid responses.						