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1. Number of Course Enrollments

Metric	Description	Corresponding
		Metric in
		Program Table
		DED
Number of course	The number of registrations in courses (may	PS 101
enrollments	include duplicated students)	

Benchmarking	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Historic	Annual enrollments in the selected program from 2010-11 to the present	PS 101
Microregion Median	Doing What Matters microregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 101
Macroregion Median	Doing What Matters macroregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 101
Statewide Median	Median in the state in the selected program in the selected year	PS 101
Top in State	Highest figure in the selected program in the selected year in the state	PS 101

2. Number of Students Who Got a Degree or Certificate

Metric	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Number of Students Who Got a Degree or Certificate	Number of distinct students who earned a locally- issued certificate, Chancellor's Office approved certificate, associate degree, and/or CCC bachelor's degree in the selected TOP code	PS 408

Benchmarking	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Historic	Annual number of students who completed in the selected program from 2010-11 to the present	PS 408
Microregion Median	Doing What Matters microregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 408
Macroregion Median	Doing What Matters macroregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 408
Statewide Median	Median in the state in the selected program in the selected year	PS 408
Top in State	Highest figure in the selected program in the selected year in the state	PS 408

3. Number of Students Who Transferred

Metric	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Number of Students Who Transferred	Number of students who last took a course in the selected TOP code in the selected year, did not take a course at any California community college the following year, and enrolled for the first time in a four-year institution the following year	PS 410

Benchmarking	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Historic	Annual number of students who transferred in the selected program from 2010-11 to the present	PS 410
Microregion Median	Doing What Matters microregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 410
Macroregion Median	Doing What Matters macroregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 410
Statewide Median	Median in the state in the selected program in the selected year	PS 410
Top in State	Highest figure in the selected program in the selected year in the state	PS 410

4. Employed in the Second Fiscal Quarter After Exit

Metric	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Employed in the Second Fiscal Quarter After Exit	Among students who enrolled in 0.5 credit non-introductory units in credit courses and/or took 12+contact hours in non-introductory noncredit courses in the selected TOP code in the selected year, and did not enroll in either a community college or a four-year institution the following year, the percentage who were employed two quarters after exiting the community college system	PS 500

Benchmarking	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Historic	Annual number of students who were employed in the second fiscal quarter after exit in the selected program from 2010-11 to the present	PS 500
Microregion Median	Doing What Matters microregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 500
Macroregion Median	Doing What Matters macroregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 500
Statewide Median	Median in the state in the selected program in the selected year	PS 500
Top in State	Highest figure in the selected program in the selected year in the state	PS 500

5. Employed in the Fourth Fiscal Quarter After Exit

Metric	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Employed in the Fourth Fiscal Quarter After Exit	Among students who enrolled in 0.5 credit non-introductory units in credit courses and/or took 12+contact hours in non-introductory noncredit courses in the selected TOP code in the selected year, and did not enroll in either a community college or a four-year institution the following year, the percentage who were employed four quarters after exiting the community college system	PS 501

Benchmarking	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Historic	Annual number of students who were employed four quarters after exit in the selected program from 2010-11 to the present	PS 501
Microregion Median	Doing What Matters microregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 501
Macroregion Median	Doing What Matters macroregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 501
Statewide Median	Median in the state in the selected program in the selected year	PS 501
Top in State	Highest figure in the selected program in the selected year in the state	PS 501

6. Job Closely Related to Field of Study

Metric	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Job Closely Related to Field of Study	Among students who last took a course in the selected TOP code in the selected year and did not enroll in either a community college or four-year institution the following year, and responded to the CTE Outcomes Survey, the percentage who reported they were employed in the same or similar field as their program of study	PS 502

Benchmarking	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Historic	Annual number of students who reported being employed in the same or similar field as their program of study in the selected program from 2010-11 to the present	PS 502
Microregion Median	Doing What Matters microregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 502
Macroregion Median	Doing What Matters macroregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 502
Statewide Median	Median in the state in the selected program in the selected year	PS 502
Top in State	Highest figure in the selected program in the selected year in the state	PS 502

7. Median Earnings in the Second Fiscal Quarter After Exit

Metric	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Median Earnings in the Second Fiscal Quarter After Exit	Among students who enrolled in 0.5 credit non-introductory units in credit courses and/or took 12+contact hours in non-introductory noncredit courses in the selected TOP code in the selected year, and did not enroll in a community college or a four-year institution the following year, the median sum of wages earned in the second quarter after exiting the California community college system	PS 508

Benchmarking	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Historic	Annual median earnings two quarters after exit in the selected program from 2010-11 to the present	PS 508
Microregion Median	Doing What Matters microregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 508
Macroregion Median	Doing What Matters macroregion median in the selected program in the selected year	PS 508
Statewide Median	Median in the state in the selected program in the selected year	PS 508
Top in State	Highest figure in the selected program in the selected year in the state	PS 508

8. Median Change in Earnings

Metric	Description	Corresponding Metric in
		Program Table
		DED
Median Change in Earnings	Among students who enrolled in 0.5 credit non-introductory units in credit courses and/or took 12+contact hours in non-introductory noncredit courses in the selected TOP code in the selected year, and did not enroll in either a community college or four-year institution the following year, the percentage change in earnings one year before and one year after exiting the California community college system	PS 512

Benchmarking	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table
		DED
Historic	Annual median change earnings in the selected	PS 512
	program from 2010-11 to the present	
Microregion Median	Doing What Matters microregion median in the	PS 512
	selected program in the selected year	
Macroregion Median	Doing What Matters macroregion median in the	PS 512
	selected program in the selected year	
Statewide Median	Median in the state in the selected program in the	PS 512
	selected year	
Top in State	Highest figure in the selected program in the	PS 512
	selected year in the state	

9. Attained a Living Wage

Metric	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table DED
Attained a Living Wage	Among completers and skills-builder students who last took a course in the selected TOP code in the selected year and did not enroll in either a community college or four-year institution the following year, the proportion of students who had attained a living wage	PS 513

Benchmarking	Description	Corresponding Metric in Program Table
		DED
Historic	Annual proportion of students earning a living wage	PS 513
	in the selected program from 2010-11 to the present	
Microregion Median	Doing What Matters microregion median in the	PS 513
	selected program in the selected year	
Macroregion Median	Doing What Matters macroregion median in the	PS 513
	selected program in the selected year	
Statewide Median	Median in the state in the selected program in the	PS 513
	selected year	
Top in State	Highest figure in the selected program in the	PS 513
	selected year in the state	