



## 2017 Merritt College Student Success Scorecard

Merritt College, established in 1954, is one of the four colleges of the Peralta Community College District in Alameda County. It offers a comprehensive day and evening program of transfer, technical, occupational and basic skills education and is committed to meeting the educational needs of the diverse student population it serves. Merritt College is named for one of the pioneer developers of Oakland, Dr. Samuel Merritt. Dr. Merritt first came to Oakland, then referred to as the “Contra Costa,” in 1850.

### Student Information (2015-2016)

Students		10,705	
GENDER		RACE/ETHNICITY	
Female	63.2%	African American	26.2%
Male	34.0%	American Indian/Alaska Native	0.4%
Unknown Gender	2.8%	Asian	14.5%
AGE		Filipino	2.7%
Under 20 years old	19.4%	Hispanic	27.5%
20 to 24 years old	27.8%	Pacific Islander	0.6%
25 to 39 years old	34.8%	White	17.3%
40 or more years old	18.0%	Two or More Races	4.7%
Unknown Age	0.0%	Unknown Ethnicity	6.1%

### Other Information (2015-2016)

Full-Time Equivalent Students	4,185.5
Credit Sections	1,464
Non-Credit Sections	9
Median Credit Section Size	25
Percentage of Full-Time Faculty	56.6%
Percentage of First-Generation	**
Student Counseling Ratio	712:1

\* Insufficient data



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Cohort Tracked for Six Years Through 2015-2016	Completion			Persistence			30 Units			Remedial			Career Technical Education
	Prepared	Unprepared	Overall	Prepared	Unprepared	Overall	Prepared	Unprepared	Overall	Math	English	ESL	
Cohort	57.6%	31.0%	34.8%	69.5%	73.2%	72.7%	66.1%	60.3%	61.1%	31.1%	34.6%	5.6%	40.4%
Female	61.5%	27.3%	31.1%	50.0%	73.2%	70.6%	57.7%	56.0%	56.2%	30.3%	33.6%	7.7%	38.8%
Male	56.3%	36.6%	40.4%	84.4%	72.4%	74.7%	71.9%	67.2%	68.1%	30.5%	38.5%	2.9%	44.5%
Under 20 years old	59.1%	33.5%	37.5%	72.7%	72.4%	72.4%	65.9%	61.9%	62.5%	37.7%	39.4%	20.0%	44.1%
20 to 24 years old	57.1%	22.7%	27.5%	42.9%	63.6%	60.8%	57.1%	47.7%	49.0%	20.1%	33.5%	20.0%	44.4%
25 to 39 years old	57.1%	22.7%	27.5%	71.4%	84.1%	82.4%	71.4%	61.4%	62.7%	32.6%	34.3%	2.0%	38.4%
40 or more years old	0.0%	35.7%	34.5%	100.0%	78.6%	79.3%	100.0%	64.3%	65.5%	28.4%	23.7%	3.6%	39.6%
African-American	30.0%	23.4%	23.9%	60.0%	70.3%	69.7%	40.0%	53.1%	52.3%	25.6%	30.1%	0.0%	31.2%
American Indian/Alaska Native	N/A	0.0%	0.0%	N/A	100.0%	100.0%	N/A	100.0%	100.0%	50.0%	66.7%	N/A	12.5%
Asian	87.5%	43.3%	58.7%	62.5%	73.3%	69.6%	56.3%	66.7%	63.0%	53.1%	53.8%	10.0%	49.4%
Filipino	33.3%	42.9%	40.0%	33.3%	85.7%	70.0%	33.3%	85.7%	70.0%	50.0%	28.6%	0.0%	41.7%
Hispanic	57.1%	37.5%	39.8%	92.9%	76.9%	78.8%	85.7%	67.3%	69.5%	33.6%	41.3%	5.6%	37.3%
Pacific Islander	N/A	0.0%	0.0%	N/A	71.4%	71.4%	N/A	42.9%	42.9%	20.0%	22.2%	N/A	50.0%
White	44.4%	40.0%	41.0%	66.7%	66.7%	66.7%	88.9%	60.0%	66.7%	37.5%	26.3%	0.0%	42.9%



Transfer Level Achievement	Math			English		
		1-Year	2-Year		1-Year	2-Year
	Cohort Size	Cohort Rate	Cohort Rate	Cohort Size	Cohort Rate	Cohort Rate
All	278	15.1%	25.5%	278	45.3%	58.3%
Female	167	10.2%	18.6%	167	41.9%	54.5%
Male	109	22.0%	35.8%	109	49.5%	63.3%
< 20 years old	198	17.7%	29.8%	198	52.0%	64.1%
20 to 24 years old	46	10.9%	17.4%	46	37.0%	54.3%
25 to 39 years old	19	5.3%	15.8%	19	21.1%	31.6%
40+ years old	15	6.7%	6.7%	15	13.3%	26.7%
African American	95	10.5%	16.8%	95	30.5%	45.3%
American Indian/Alaska Native	*	0.0%	0.0%	*	0.0%	0.0%
Asian	26	34.6%	50.0%	26	46.2%	61.5%
Filipino	*	25.0%	37.5%	*	62.5%	62.5%
Hispanic	102	9.8%	19.6%	102	44.1%	57.8%
Pacific Islander	*	0.0%	0.0%	*	100.0%	100.0%
White	24	29.2%	54.2%	24	75.0%	83.3%



## Skills Builder

### Median Earnings Change

**+25.5%**

N=610

Disciplines with the highest enrollment	Median % Change	Total N
Child Development/Early Care and Education	40.6%	73
Real Estate	17.6%	73
Preschool Age Children	19.8%	64
Horticulture	17.4%	55
Educational Technology	12.3%	46
Business and Commerce, General	27.9%	44
Administration of Justice	34.9%	34
Dietetic Technology	14.6%	33
Landscape Design and Maintenance	21.0%	32
Emergency Medical Services	51.0%	30

\*: Cohort fewer than 10 students

### Demographics

Gender	Median % Change	Total N
Female	24.1%	382
Male	26.5%	172
Age	Median % Change	Total N
Under 20	381.1%	11
20-24	95.1%	125
25-39	20.7%	310
40 or over	12.4%	164
Ethnicity/Race	Median % Change	Total N
African American	22.4%	134
American Indian/Alaska Native	43.0%	**
Asian	13.8%	96
Filipino	23.3%	19
Hispanic	42.4%	119
Pacific Islander	7.9%	*
White	19.5%	169

N/A: Cohort has no students.

\*: Suppressed to protect student Privacy.

Note: The sum of subgroup counts may not add up to the total count due to missing demographic information.