

# De Anza College Office of Institutional Research and Planning

**To:** EWRT and ESL Departments

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**Subject:** Additional Disaggregation of fall 2018 EWRT1A Students

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At the January 31, 2019 AB705 Steering Committee meeting, some EWRT and ESL faculty requested additional data in regards to success rates by high school GPA and prior course enrollment in addition to overall success rate information located [here](#).

## **Question 1: What are the success rates of students in EWRT1A by high school GPA?**

**Table 1: Success Rates in EWRT1A – Fall 2018 – By GPA Range**

|            | Success |         | Non Success |         | Withdraw |         | Total  |         |
|------------|---------|---------|-------------|---------|----------|---------|--------|---------|
|            | Grades  | Percent | Grades      | Percent | Grades   | Percent | Grades | Percent |
| Above 2.6  | 637     | 87%     | 54          | 8%      | 31       | 5%      | 722    | 100%    |
| 1.9 - 2.59 | 137     | 60%     | 54          | 26%     | 37       | 14%     | 228    | 100%    |
| Below 1.9  | 43      | 43%     | 28          | 26%     | 25       | 31%     | 96     | 100%    |
| No GPA     | 408     | 79%     | 59          | 11%     | 61       | 10%     | 528    | 100%    |
| Total      | 1,225   | 77%     | 195         | 13%     | 154      | 10%     | 1,574  | 100%    |

Includes only transcript data from CalPass which is actual HSGPA.

- Students with a HSGPA above 2.6 had the highest success rate at 87%; this was the largest group of students comprising 45% of the whole population.
- Students who did not have HSGPA data available had a success rate of 79%; this was the second largest group of students at 34% of the population.
- Students with a HSGPA of 1.9-2.59 had a success rate of 60% and those below 1.9 had a success rate of 43% and was the smallest group at 6% of the whole population.
- We did not have actual transcripts from CalPass for 326 students or 17%.

**Question 2: What are the success rates of students in EWRT1A by their course taking history?**

**Table 2: Success Rates in EWRT1A – Fall 2018 – By Prior EWRT Enrollment**

|                         | Success |         | Non Success |         | Withdraw |         | Total  |         |
|-------------------------|---------|---------|-------------|---------|----------|---------|--------|---------|
|                         | Grades  | Percent | Grades      | Percent | Grades   | Percent | Grades | Percent |
| No EWRT in last 3 years | 1,233   | 84%     | 147         | 9%      | 111      | 7%      | 1,491  | 100%    |
| EWRT1A or Higher        | 69      | 57%     | 39          | 28%     | 19       | 14%     | 127    | 100%    |
| EWRT211                 | 201     | 77%     | 36          | 13%     | 31       | 10%     | 268    | 100%    |
| EWRT200                 | 4       | 29%     | 4           | 29%     | 6        | 43%     | 14     | 100%    |
| Total                   | 1,507   | 81%     | 226         | 11%     | 167      | 8%      | 1,900  | 100%    |

Table 2 includes all students enrolled in EWRT1A in fall 2018 and their success rates. It includes the highest EWRT course a student enrolled in over the past 3 years (from summer 2015 through summer 2018).

- Students who had not enrolled in an EWRT course prior to enrolling in EWRT1A had the highest success rate at 84% and make up the largest group of students at 78% of the whole population.
- Students who had taken EWRT1A or another non basic skills EWRT course prior had a success rate of 57%.
- Students who started in EWRT211 had a success rate of 77% and the 14 students who started in EWRT200 had a success rate of 29%.

**Question 3: How many students who received an ESL placement enrolled in EWRT1A and what was their success rates?**

**Table 3: Success Rates in EWRT1A – Fall 2018 – By Prior ESL Placement**

|          | Success |         | Non Success |         | Withdraw |         | Total  |         |
|----------|---------|---------|-------------|---------|----------|---------|--------|---------|
|          | Grades  | Percent | Grades      | Percent | Grades   | Percent | Grades | Percent |
| ESL Test | 137     | 90%     | 11          | 7%      | 5        | 3%      | 153    | 100%    |
| No Test  | 1370    | 78%     | 215         | 12%     | 162      | 9%      | 1747   | 100%    |
| Total    | 1507    | 81%     | 226         | 11%     | 167      | 8%      | 1900   | 100%    |

Table 3 includes all students in EWRT1A in fall 2018 and those who had received an ESL placement at any time.

- 153 students in EWRT1A had received an ESL placement in the past, their success rate was 90% compared to all other students in EWRT1A at 78%.

**Question 4: Of the students who received an ESL placement and enrolled in EWRT1A, had they taken an EWRT course in the past?**

**Table 4: Success Rates in EWRT1A – Fall 2018 – By Prior ESL Placement and EWRT Enrollment**

|          |            | Success |         | Non Success |         | Withdraw |         | Total  |         |
|----------|------------|---------|---------|-------------|---------|----------|---------|--------|---------|
|          |            | Grades  | Percent | Grades      | Percent | Grades   | Percent | Grades | Percent |
| ESL Test | EWRT Prior | 25      | 89%     | 2           | 8%      | 2        | 3%      | 29     | 100%    |
|          | No EWRT    | 112     | 91%     | 9           | 7%      | 3        | 3%      | 124    | 100%    |
| No Test  | EWRT Prior | 251     | 61%     | 79          | 24%     | 54       | 14%     | 384    | 100%    |
|          | No EWRT    | 1119    | 82%     | 136         | 10%     | 108      | 8%      | 1363   | 100%    |
| Total    |            | 1507    | 78%     | 226         | 13%     | 167      | 9%      | 1900   | 100%    |

Table 4 includes all EWRT1A students and those who received an ESL placement, then breaks it out if the student had taken an EWRT course in the past three years.

- Of the students with an ESL placement, 124 had not taken an EWRT course prior and enrolled in EWRT1A, their success rate was 91%.
  - Of the students who did take EWRT prior, their success was 89%.

**Question 5: Of the students who received an ESL placement and enrolled in EWRT1A, what EWRT course did they take in the past?**

**Table 5: Success Rates in EWRT1A – Fall 2018 – By Prior ESL Placement and Prior EWRT Course**

|                         | Success |         | Non Success |         | Withdraw |         | Total  |         |
|-------------------------|---------|---------|-------------|---------|----------|---------|--------|---------|
|                         | Grades  | Percent | Grades      | Percent | Grades   | Percent | Grades | Percent |
| EWRT1A                  | 6       | 89%     |             |         | 1        | 11%     | 7      | 100%    |
| EWRT211                 | 18      | 89%     | 2           | 9%      | 1        | 2%      | 21     | 100%    |
| ESL Test EWRT200        | 1       | 100%    |             |         |          |         | 1      | 100%    |
| No EWRT In last 3 years | 112     | 91%     | 9           | 7%      | 3        | 3%      | 124    | 100%    |
| Total                   | 137     | 90%     | 11          | 7%      | 5        | 3%      | 153    | 100%    |
| EWRT1A                  | 63      | 53%     | 39          | 33%     | 18       | 15%     | 120    | 100%    |
| EWRT211                 | 183     | 74%     | 34          | 14%     | 30       | 12%     | 247    | 100%    |
| No Test EWRT200         | 3       | 23%     | 4           | 31%     | 6        | 46%     | 13     | 100%    |
| No EWRT In last 3 years | 1121    | 82%     | 138         | 10%     | 108      | 8%      | 1367   | 100%    |
| Total                   | 1370    | 78%     | 215         | 12%     | 162      | 9%      | 1747   | 100%    |
| Total                   | 1507    | 81%     | 226         | 11%     | 167      | 8%      | 1900   | 100%    |

Table 5 includes all EWRT1A students and those who received an ESL placement, then breaks it out if the student had taken an EWRT course in the past three years and the EWRT course they took.

- Of the students with an ESL placement, 124 had not taken an EWRT course prior and enrolled in EWRT1A, their success rate was 91%.
  - Of the students who did take EWRT prior, those that took EWRT1A in the past had a success rate of 89%, EWRT211 in the past resulted in an 89% success rate as well, and EWRT200 only had 1 student who passed for a 100% success rate.
- When looking at overall success rates, success rates for students who received an ESL placement had higher success rates than all other students who did not received an ESL placement.

**Question 6: How many students enrolled in an ESL course and dropped it to enroll in EWRT1A in the same quarter?**

In fall 2018, 19 students registered for an ESL course, dropped it, and enrolled in EWRT1A.

- Of the 19, 8 had taken an ESL course in the past while the other 8 had not enrolled in an ESL course in the past 3 years.
- Of the 8 students, 3 had previously passed ESL273, 4 previously passed ESL263, and 1 previously withdrew from ESL262.

In winter 2019, 9 students were enrolled in an ESL course, dropped it and enrolled in EWRT1A.

- Of the 9 students, 2 had taken an ESL course in the past while the 7 others had not enrolled in an ESL course in the past 3 years.
- Of the 2 students, 1 passed ESL273 and 1 passed ESL263.