

MINNESOTA MEASURES

A REPORT ON HIGHER EDUCATION PERFORMANCE

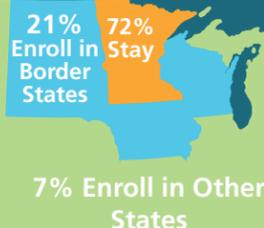
“To advance the promise of higher education to all Minnesotans and provide the critical information that guides higher education decisions.”
– Minnesota Office of Higher Education

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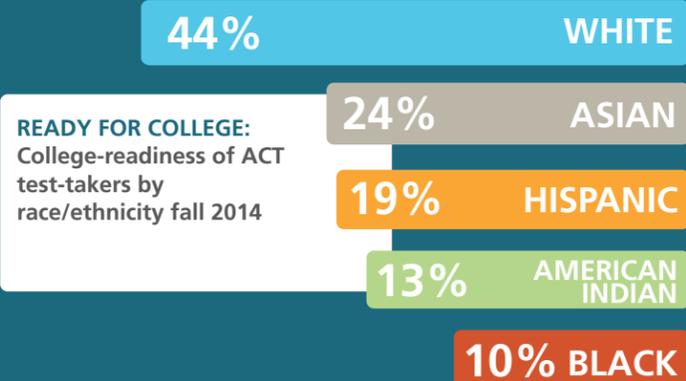
Preparing for and Entering College



COLLEGE GOING: 67 percent of Minnesota high school graduates enrolled immediately in college the next fall. Students stay close to Minnesota; 72 percent stay in Minnesota, 21 percent enroll in college in one of Minnesota's border states and 7 percent in other states.



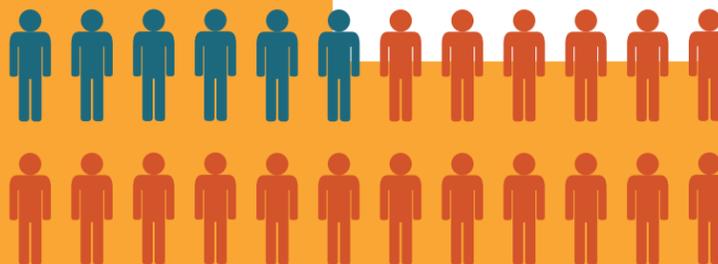
87% **FINANCIAL AID TO FRESHMEN:** Financial aid lowers the price of college for many students and their families; 87 percent of freshmen attending college full time received financial aid.



During College



24% STUDENTS OF COLOR



UNDERGRADUATE CHARACTERISTICS: Students of color are now 24 percent of Minnesota undergraduates. 64 percent of undergraduates are age 24 or younger.

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DEVELOPMENTAL EDUCATION: 24 percent of Minnesota's public high school graduating class of 2013 enrolled in developmental education at a Minnesota college in fall 2014.

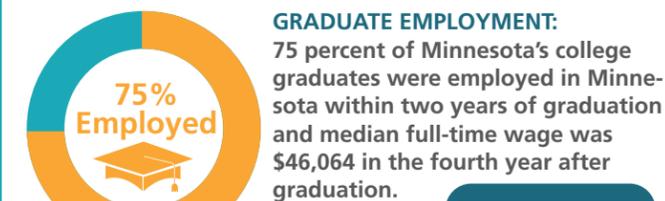
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FINANCIAL AID: Financial aid to Minnesota's undergraduates has tripled over the past decade from \$1.2 billion in 2001 to \$3.2 billion in 2013.



Outcomes of College



MINNESOTANS ARE EDUCATED: Minnesota ranks 2nd nationally in percentage of 24 to 64 year olds with an associate degree or higher.

This information, and more, can be found on OHE's website: www.ohe.state.mn.us/pdf/MinnesotaMeasures2015.pdf