

A green road sign with the word "Persistence" written in white, set against a blue sky with clouds. The sign is tilted and mounted on a wooden post. The word "Persistence" is written in a large, white, sans-serif font. The sign has a reflective border. The background is a bright blue sky with scattered white clouds.

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Team Persistence



What is persistence? (And other terms defined)



Why are we focusing on part-time students?



What does the data say?



What do our students say?



Where do we go from here?

Meet Team Persistence

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What is persistence?

Persistence is when students continue and overcome obstacles from term to term.

- It's measured through continued enrollments from:
 - Fall to Spring
 - Fall to Fall
 - Fall to Fall to Fall

Why Focus
on Part-
Time?

75% of all SRJC
students are
part time



Why Focus on Part-Time?



Reflection Activity

- What are the attributes of a successful part time student?
- What current SRJC programs, activities, and/or classroom practices contribute to the success(es) of the part time student?

Student Voice

Nikki Magallanes
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Student Voice

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Local Data Findings

Source: Office of Institutional Research (OIR)

Fall 2018

Full Time 4,192 (19%)

Part Time 17,964 **(81%)**

Total 22,156

Spring 2019

Full Time 3,961 (18%)

Part Time 17,848 **(82%)**

Total 21,809

Fall to Spring Persistence

Full time 88.4%

Part Time **59.8%**

Combined Average 65.2%

DI Part Time 63.2%

Local Data Findings:

DI-Disproportionate Impact

Fall to Spring Persistence

	Full-Time (≥12units)	Part-Time (<12units)
African American	86.3%	56.3%
Asian	85.0%	60.3%
Latinx	89.2%	61.2%
Multi Ethnicity	91.2%	60.1%
Native Am..	90.0%	54.5%
Pacific Isla..	92.3%	51.6%
White	88.0%	58.6%
First Gen S..	90.7%	60.1%
Financial Aid	91.9%	72.8%
Foster Youth	84.3%	57.6%
LGBTQ	91.2%	56.9%
DSPS	89.9%	79.6%
Veteran	81.4%	55.7%
Homeless	91.3%	43.8%
Averages	88.4%	59.8%
Combined Average	65.2%	DI <63.2%

Successes:

The SEA
program
and part-
time
students

Student Equity & Achievement Data:
ALL Programs-FA17 & SP18 / PT students

