# What Are Students Telling Us About the Dual Enrollment Experience? 



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- Economically disadvantaged
- Academically disadvantaged
- Adult learners (25 years of age or older)


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- How do dually enrolled students perceive their sense of belonging within the college community?


## DESSE Participants

## WHO PARTICIPATED?

## 17 colleges <br> across 11 states participated in the DESSE

 Fall 2022 Pilot
## Nearly 5,000

students responded to the survey

## WHO PARTICIPATED? | GRADE



## WHO PARTICIPATED? | FIRST GENERATION



## WHO PARTICIPATED? | GENDER



## WHO PARTICIPATED? || RACE \& ETHNICITY



## Conversation



## DATA REVIEW ACTIVITY



## Someone who works at the high school helped me learn about dual enrollment

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 helped me learn about dual enrollmentHow much did each of the following help you learn about the opportunity to take dual enrollment coursework?


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## No one from the college contacted me when I struggled with dual enrollment coursework to help me get the assistance I need

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Have you struggled in the dual enrollment classes you are currently taking?


Yes

Has someone from this college contacted you when you have struggled with your dual enrollment coursework to help you get the assistance you need?

## 74\%

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## SENSE OF BELONGING

I feel like part of the community at this college.

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Strongly disagree
Disagree
Somewhat disagree
Somewhat agree
Agree
Strongly agree

## TAKING A CLOSER LOOK

Getting Started


Support Services


Teaching \& Learning


More Findings
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To earn credit toward a bachelor's degree

## 45\%

Not first-generation: 50\%
First-generation: 35\%

# Asian: 44\% <br> African American or Black: 39\% <br> Latino or Hispanic: 43\% <br> White: 52\% 

To earn credit toward a bachelor's degree

Did you participate in an orientation for dual enrollment courses through this college?

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Respondents who said "No"

How was the process to initially sign up for dual enrollment courses offered by this college?

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How much did each of the following help you determine the dual enrollment courses you are taking right now?

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Quite a bit or Very much

In the past year, how many times have you interacted with an advisor/counselor from this college?

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## I am aware of ...



Career Counseling
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## During the past year, I have never used ...

77\%
88\%

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Sometimes, Often, Very Often

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A little more, A lot more

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How do you prefer to take your dual enrollment courses?

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No preference


Online


23\%
In person at this college


45\%
In person at your high school you graduate from high school?

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Q \& A

