How K–12 Institutions Benefit from Participation in Cal-PASS Plus

As a K-12 educator or leader, do you know:

- Where your students go when they leave your institution?
- If your students are ready and adequately prepared to succeed in credit-bearing courses or certificate programs?
- If your students are successfully completing their postsecondary programs?
- How long it takes your students to complete college or university?

Cal-PASS Plus can help you answer these questions. As California’s only free actionable system of data, Cal-PASS Plus connects student performance from pre-K through grade 12 to college or university and the workplace. The system includes:

- Secure, password-protected, and FERPA-compliant student-level reports that detail students’ transitions to post-secondary institutions, college readiness metrics, and milestones achieved.
- Labor market information covering projected job openings, high-demand fields, and unemployment rates at the county and regional levels.
- Robust data sets available to download for internal research and analyses.
- Specialized tools, visuals, and dashboards to support conversations around such key topics as high school to community college transition, college readiness, career and technical education outcomes, and STEM.

These Cal-PASS Plus resources can support you and other members in:

- Increasing college and career readiness by collaborating across education segments to take action informed by data,
- Contributing to local and statewide efforts aimed at developing and implementing a multiple-measures approach to college placement practices,
- Fostering successful transitions between high school, higher education, and the workplace,
- Collaborating across K–12 and higher education institutions for improved student outcomes, and
- Improving alignment between high schools, colleges, and workplaces.

Participate in Cal-PASS Plus by: (1) completing a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for data sharing, and (2) submitting data using a simple “drag and drop” process.
Sample Cal-PASS Plus Reports

Feeder Summary
This report offers basic information to a district about which colleges and universities its students attend after graduating from high school. Data can be disaggregated by schools within the district, as well as by the total numbers of males and females within the district who transitioned to each California Community College, California State University, or University of California. The report can be run to determine how many students take time off between high school and higher education.

Feeder Summary with English or Math Remediation
This report extends the Feeder Summary report by including information about students who enrolled in remedial English or math courses once they started college. The information is disaggregated by students’ high school of origin, destination college or university, gender, and ethnicity.

Feeder Student Success Summary
This report documents achievement of a number of milestones that students reach within six years of enrolling in higher education, with data disaggregated by students’ high school of origin, destination college or university, gender, and ethnicity. The milestones are:

- Received a community college certificate.
- Received a community college associate’s degree.
- Transferred from a community college to a four-year university.
- Transferred to a university with an associate’s degree.
- Received a bachelor’s degree.

Feeder Student Success Summary with English or Math Remediation
This report combines the remediation and success summary reports by documenting whether students who begin in postsecondary remedial coursework in English or math meet postsecondary milestones within six years. These data are disaggregated by students’ high school of origin, destination college or university, gender, and ethnicity.

Find out more at www.calpassplus.org