



CCSSE 2012 Findings for Lake Tahoe Community College

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Presentation Overview

- Student Engagement and the CCSSE
- Student Respondent Profile
- *CCSSE* Benchmarks

What is Student Engagement?

...the amount of time and energy students invest in meaningful educational practices

...the institutional practices and student behaviors that are highly correlated with student learning and retention

CCSSE: A Tool for Community Colleges

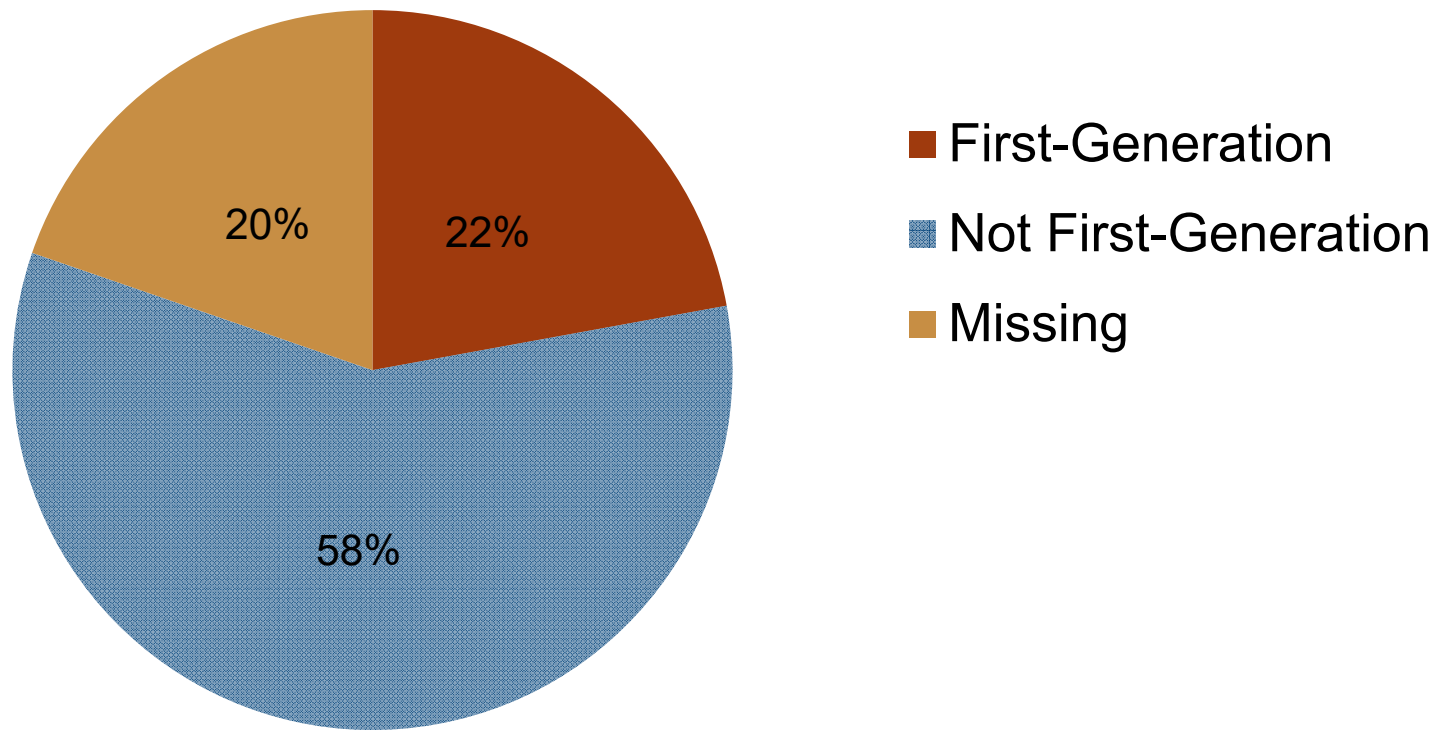
- As a tool for improvement, *CCSSE* helps us
 - Assess quality in community college education
 - Identify and learn from good educational practice
 - Identify areas in which we can improve
- Basic principles
 - Provides reliable data on issues that matter
 - Reports data publicly
 - Is committed to using data for improvement

Survey Respondents

- 503 adjusted survey count
- 84% overall “percent of target” rate

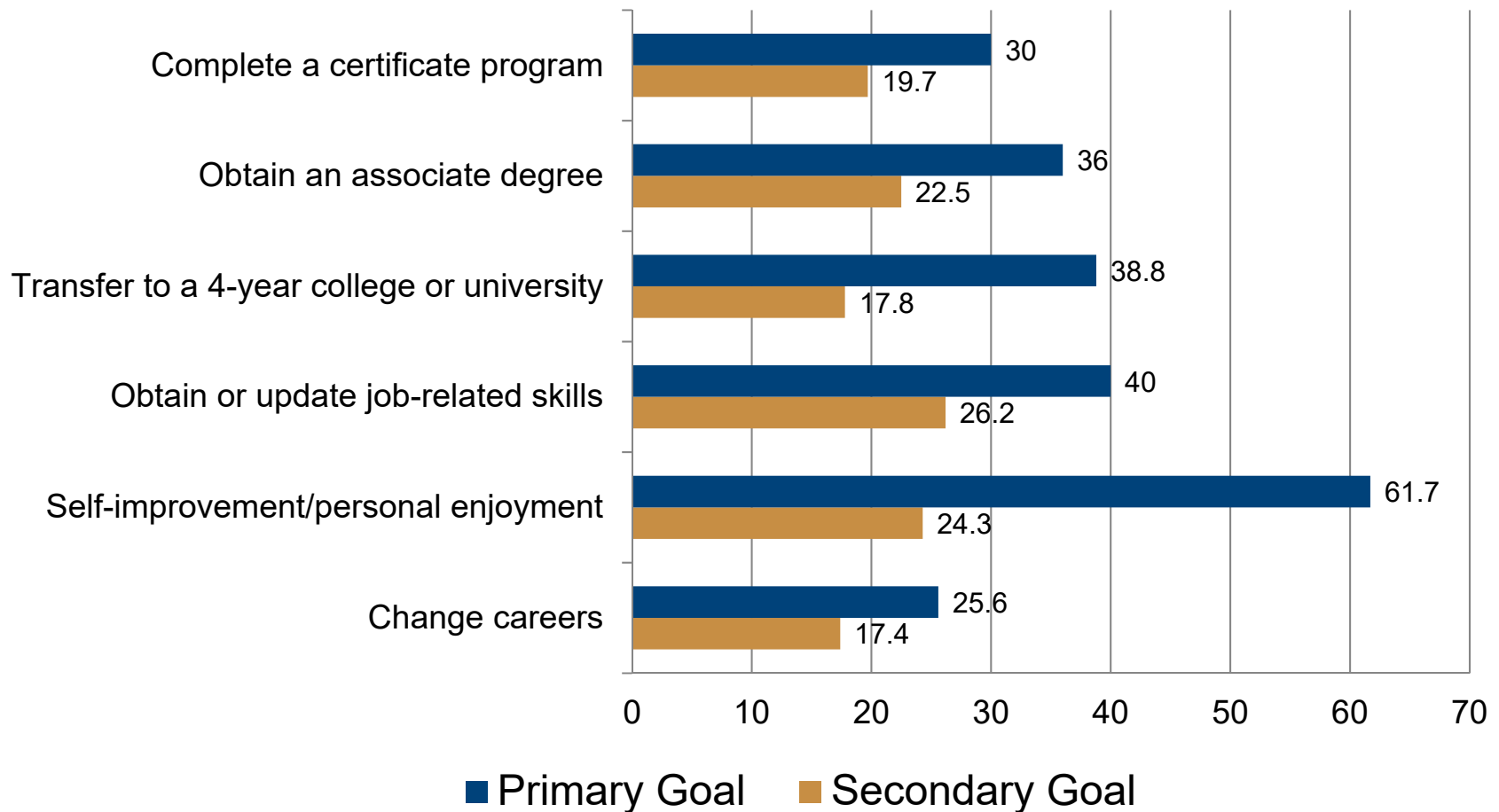
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Student Respondent Profile: First-Generation Status



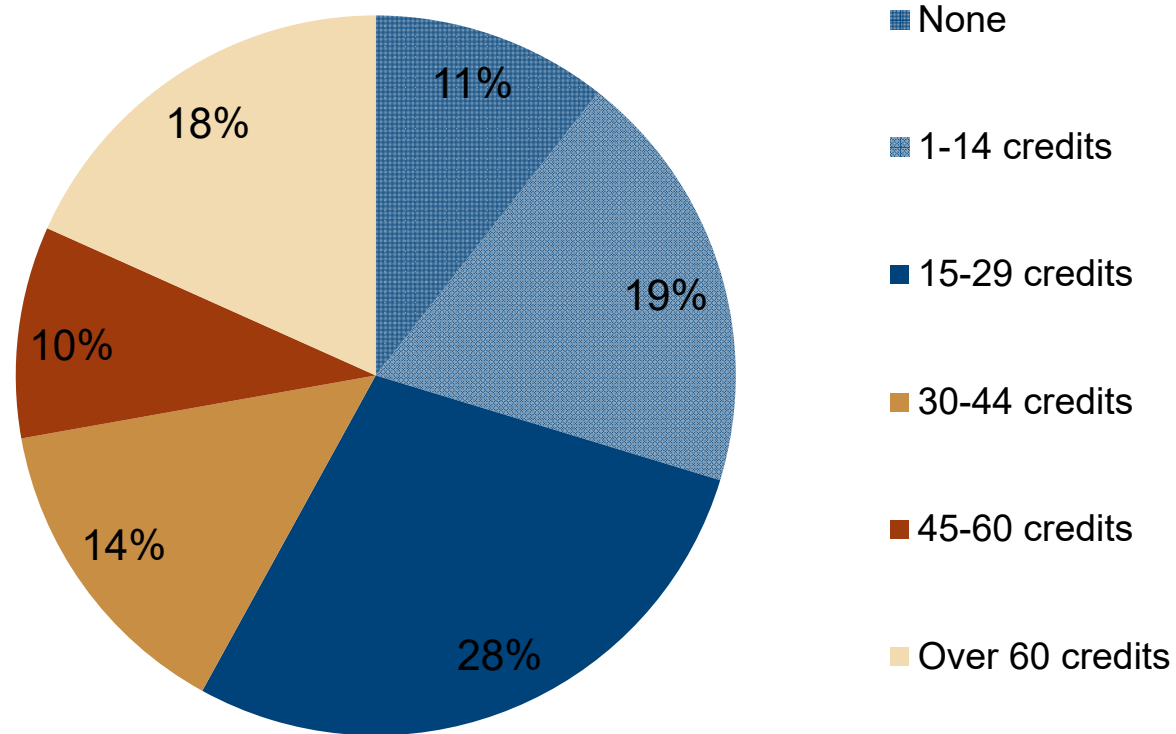
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Student Respondent Profile: Goals



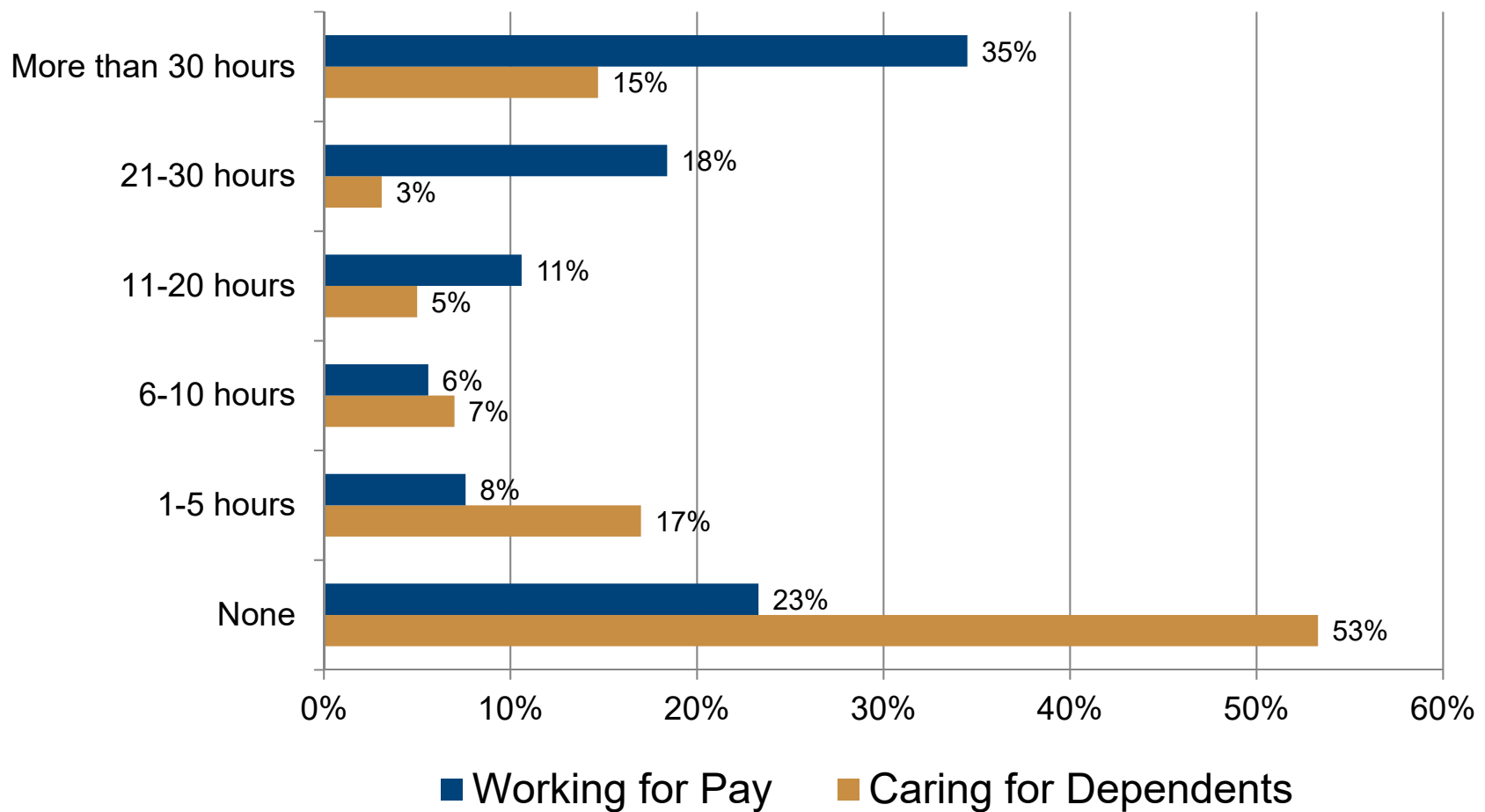
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Student Respondent Profile: Total Credit Hours Earned



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Student Respondent Profile: External Commitments



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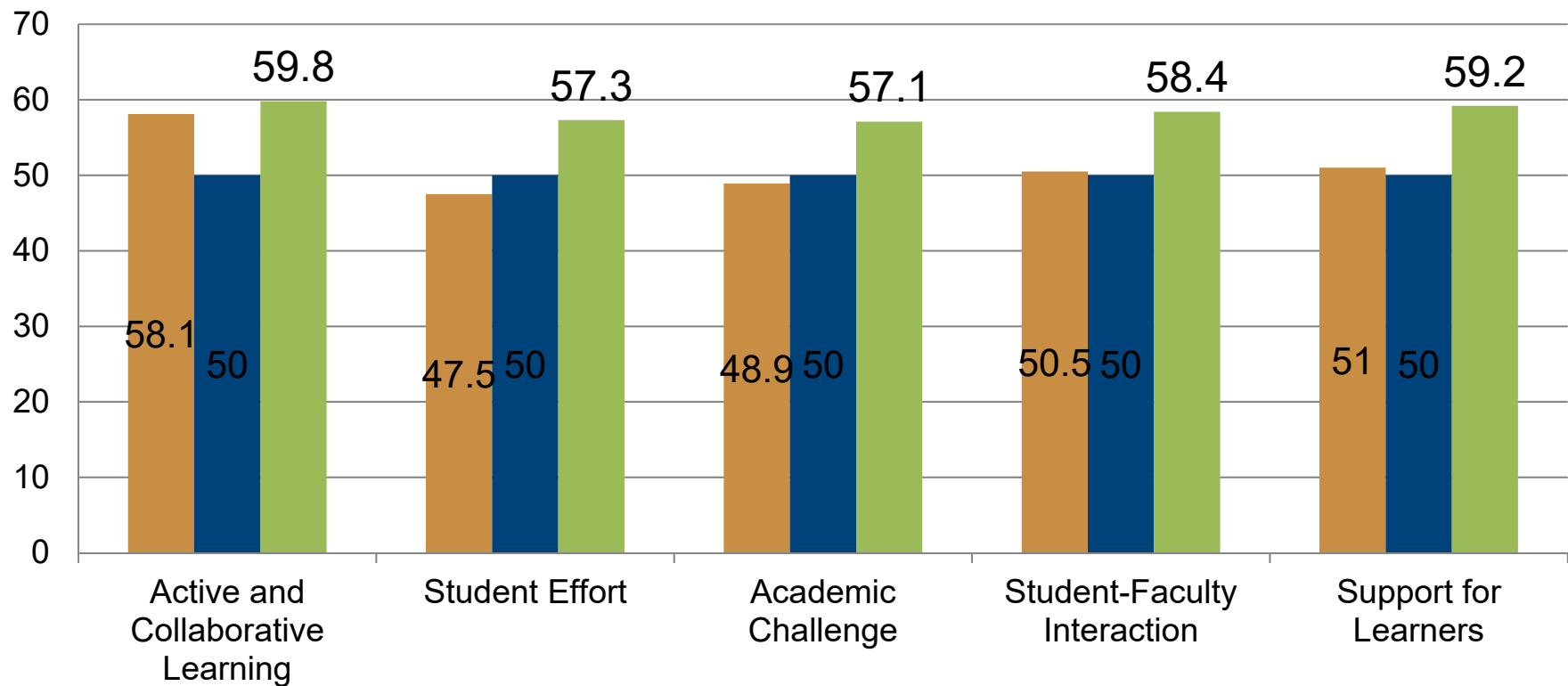
CCSSE Benchmarks for Effective Educational Practice

The five *CCSSE* benchmarks are

- Active and Collaborative Learning
- Student Effort
- Academic Challenge
- Student-Faculty Interaction
- Support for Learners

CCSSE Benchmarks for Effective Educational Practice

CCSSE Benchmark Scores for LTCC compared to 2012 Cohort and High Performing Colleges



Source: 2012 CCSSE data ■ LTCC ■ 2012 Cohort ■ High Performing Colleges

Benchmarking – and Reaching for Excellence

The most important comparison:

*where we are now,
compared with
where we want to be.*

Questions?
