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Table 23. Freshman Cohort by HS GPA and SAT Score Averages Fall Qua							
First-Time Freshmen	2004	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
• HS GPA ¹	3.96	3.96	3.98	3.96	4.00	4.06	4.08
• SAT Reasoning ² (Critical Reading & Math)	1242	1257	1265	1233	1278	1282	1295
• SAT Reasoning (Critical Reading, Math & Writing)	NA	1872	1886	1840	1908	1909	1931

¹ GPAs may exceed 4.0 with credit given for honors courses.

 $^2\,{\rm SAT}$ Reasoning Test scores reflect the higher of ACT scores converted to SAT Scores.

Table 24.

Freshman Cohort by Academic Indicator Ranges

Fall Quarter

High School GPA Range	Percentage in Range 2004 2014			
• 4.0 - High	51%	73%		
 3.90 - 3.99 3.60 - 3.89 	51% 14% 92 28%	% 10% 97 13%		
• 3.30 - 3.59	7%	2%		
• Low - 3.29	1%	1%		
Total	100%	100%		

Number of

Honors Courses:	Percentage in Range				
10th & 11th Grade	2004		2014		
 More than 8 	5%	1	4%	1	
• 7 - 8	9%	32%	4%	19	
• 5 - 6	18%		11%		
• 1 - 4	52%	-	45%	4	
• 0	16%		36%		
Total	100%		100%		

SAT Reasoning (Critical Reading & Math) Composite Percentage in Range				
Score Range	2004		2014	
• 1500 - 1600	51%	1	6%	
• 1300 - 1499	14%	92%	51%	789
• 1200 - 1299	28%		21%	
• 1000 - 1199	7%	•	18%	
• Low - 999	1%		4%	
Total	100%		100%	

Number of College Preparatory	Per	ı Range		
(A-G) Courses*	2004		2014	
• More than 50	5%	1	42%	1
• 46 - 50	9%	32%	30%	94%
• 41 - 45	18%		22%	
• 36 - 40	52%	-	5%	-
• 30 - 35	16%		<1%	
Total	100%		100%	-

* The G requirement went into effect in 2003.

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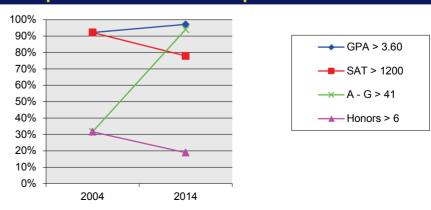


Figure 14. Academic Preparation: 2004-2014 Comparison

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