

Program Update

Interim Joint Appropriations and Revenue Committee

Kentucky General Assembly

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Mission and Expansion

2008 to Present

Mission

To expand student access to and success in rigorous coursework, particularly among populations traditionally underrepresented in these courses, enabling students to pursue advanced college and career opportunities.

College Readiness Program (AP®)

Supports middle and high school pre-AP and AP Math, Science and English courses to increase AP participation and success

Access to Algebra

Supports middle school math teachers in grades 6-8 to increase the number of students on track to meet math benchmark by the time they graduate high school

Computer Science (CS) Initiatives

Supports CS education in K-12 classrooms through Code.org training as part of the Kentucky CS Expansion Initiative and manages CSforKY, the state CSforALL campaign

2008 2014 2016









Statewide Participation

2019-2020 School Year

2019-20	Schools	Teachers	Enrollments
College Readiness Program	39 (22+17)*	161	4538
Access to Algebra	27	177	6230
CS Initiatives K-12 Training	34	38	2775
	100	376	13543

^{*}The number of schools indicated includes traditional active program schools funded for math, science, and English plus schools with individual AP MSE teachers in one or more content areas.









Program Elements



The NMSI College
Readiness Program
supports improvements
in earning qualifying
scores (QS) of 3, 4, or 5
(on a 5-point scale) on
national AP® math,
science, and English
exams, which may earn
college credit.



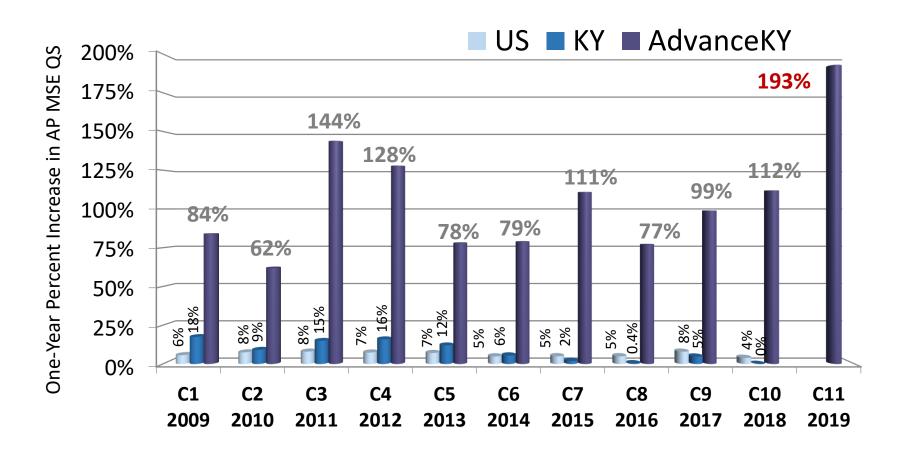








First-Year Percent Increase











Three-Year Growth: Cohorts 1-7

Cohorts 1-7	MSE QS: All Students	MSE QS: FRL Students	MSE QS: Minority Students
Baseline	2513	308	83
Year 3	6387	1255	257
% Change	<i>154.2%</i>	<i>307.5%</i>	209.6%

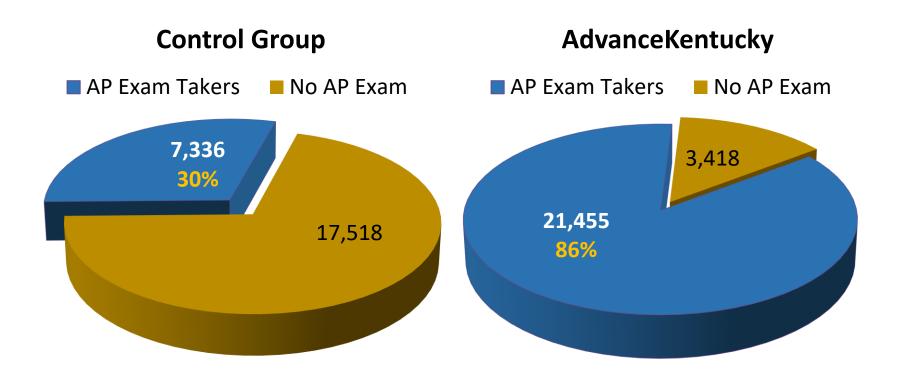








AP Participation – Matched Pair Analysis



Source: KYSTATS

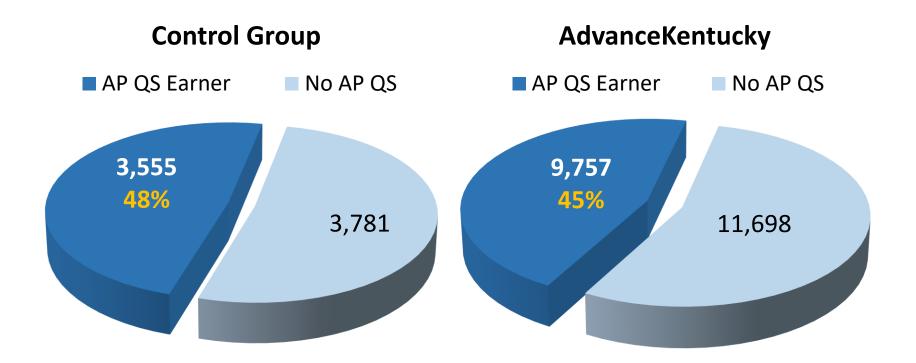








AP Success – Matched Pair Analysis



Source: KYSTATS





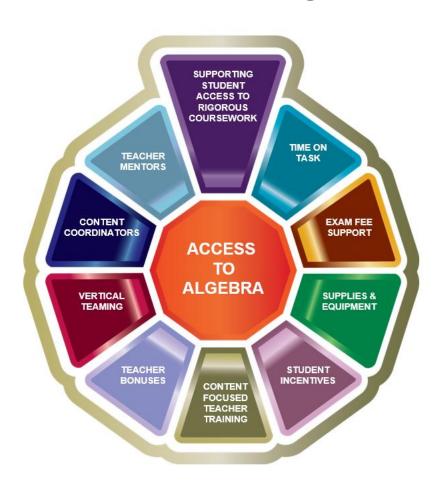




Access to Algebra

Program Elements

The Access to Algebra program seeks to increase the number of students on track to meet college readiness math benchmarks by the time they enter high school.









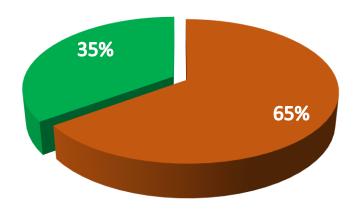


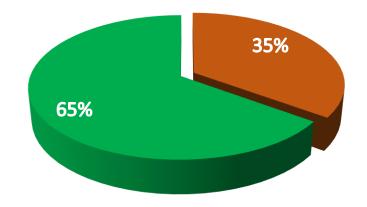
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Cohort 1 Longitudinal Performance

2018 Seventh Grade

2019 Eighth Grade





- More Than One Year Below Grade Level
- On Track or at Grade Level Benchmark

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Note: Students in seventh grade identified as more than one year below grade level are 30 or more points below eighth grade benchmark.

Source: AdvanceKentucky and College Board





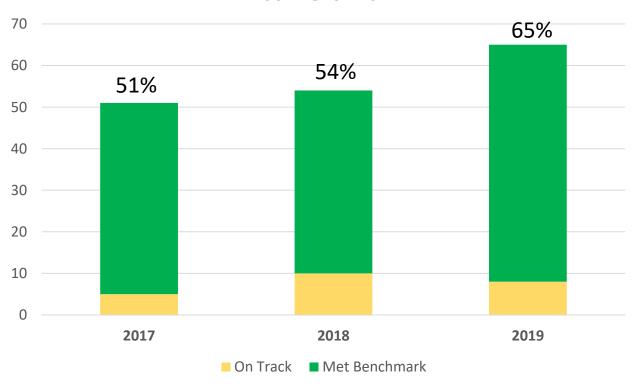




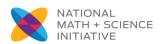
Access to Algebra

Three Year Growth – Cohort 1

Percentage of Eighth Grade Students on Track to Meet Math Benchmark



Source: AdvanceKentucky and College Board









Computer Science Initiatives

Professional Development



Supports Grades K-12

- CS Fundamentals (grades K-5)
- CS Discoveries (grades 6-10)
- AP CS Principles (grades 9-12)

CSD and **CSP** Training

- Summer Professional Development (5 days)
- 4 one-day workshops during academic year

CSF Training

2 One-day Workshops





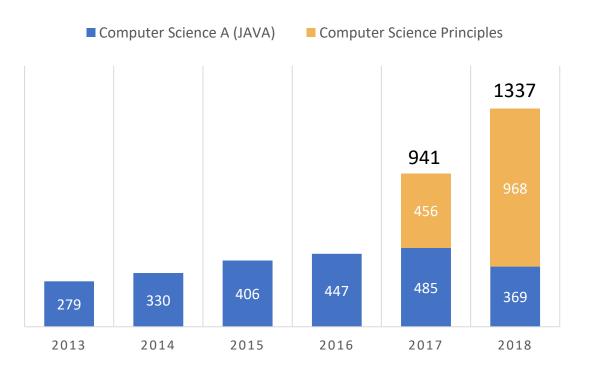




Computer Science Initiatives

Growth of CS Principles (All)

Number of AP CS Exams (All)



increase in CS
Principles exams in one year

(2017-2018)

Source: College Board





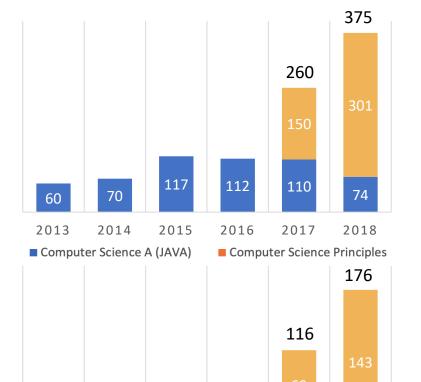




Computer Science Initiatives

Growth of CS Principles (Female & Minority)

an initiative of Kentucky Science and Technology Corporation



45

2016

37

2015

22

2014

47

2017

Number of AP CS Exams (Female)

- 235% increase since the addition of AP CS Principles
- Female students represented
 22% of all exams in 2013 and
 28% of all exams in 2018

Number of AP CS Exams (Minority)

- 291% increase since the addition of AP CS Principles
- Minority students represented
 11% of all exams in 2013
 13% of all exams in 2018

Source: College Board



31

2013



33

2018





2020-2022 Biennium

Funding Request

Fiscal Year	Funding
FY20 Base	\$1.7 M
FY21 Request	\$2.5 M
FY22 Request	\$2.5 M





