Program-Title Early Assessment Project STEM Inventory

Org-Type Higher-Education-based

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Type Student Program | Other

Subjects Math

Level High School (9-12th grade)

Other-Objectives

Served-per-Year 300,000 Demographics

Content he Early Assessment Program (EAP) is a collaborative effort among the State Board of Education (SBE), the California Department of

Education (CDE) and the California State University (CSU). The program was established to provide opportunities for students to measure their readiness for college-level English and mathematics in their junior year of high school, and to facilitate opportunities for them to improve their skills during their senior year. Goal The goal of the EAP program is to have California high school graduates ente the CSU fully prepared to begin college-level study. The Challenge More than 60 percent of the nearly 40,000 first-time freshmen admitted to the CSU require remedial education in English, mathematics or both. These 25,000 freshmen all have taken the required college preparatory curriculum and earned at least a B grade point average in high school. The cost in time and money to these students and to the state is substantial. Moreover, these students are confused by seemingly having done the right things in high

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school only to find out after admission to the CSU that they need further preparation.

Outcomes

Started Funded-Through

Length

Primary-Funding Primary-\$

Materials

Other-Funding

How-Assessed
Best-Practice-Why

Promising-Practice

Sponsor Sponsor-Org

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Other-Orgs All campuses of CSU, Educational Testing Services (ETS)