

## CCCApply Ethnicity Questions

### Ethnicity and Race

Per U.S. Dept. of Education guidelines, colleges are required to collect the following racial and ethnic data.

#### **Are you of Hispanic or Latino ethnicity?**

Hispanic - A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

#### **If yes, check one or more:**

- ✓ Mexican, Mexican-American, Chicano
- ✓ Central American
- ✓ South American
- ✓ Hispanic: Other

#### **What is your race? Check one or more:**

- ✓ Asian: Indian
- ✓ Asian: Chinese
- ✓ Asian: Japanese
- ✓ Asian: Korean
- ✓ Asian: Laotian
- ✓ Asian: Cambodian
- ✓ Asian: Vietnamese
- ✓ Asian: Filipino
- ✓ Asian: Other  
Asian - A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian Subcontinent.
- ✓ Black or African American  
A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.
- ✓ American Indian/Alaskan Native  
A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America) who maintains cultural identification through tribal affiliation or community attachment.
- ✓ Pacific Islander: Guamanian
- ✓ Pacific Islander: Hawaiian
- ✓ Pacific Islander: Samoan
- ✓ Pacific Islander: Other  
Pacific Islander - A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.
- ✓ White  
A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.

# Student Ethnic Distribution Fall 2011 as of November 29, 2011

See attachment for reporting methodology

		Foothill College		De Anza College	
		Number in Group	Column Percent	Number in Group	Column Percent
African American	African American	70	0%	118	0%
	African American - African American	662	4%	838	3%
	African American - African American, White	77	0%	78	0%
	Total	809	5%	1,034	4%
Asian	Asian	296	2%	333	1%
	Asian - Asian Other, White	278	2%	745	3%
	Asian - Cambodian			86	0%
	Asian - Chinese	1,560	9%	2,827	12%
	Asian - Chinese, Asian Other			65	0%
	Asian - Chinese, Vietnamese			189	1%
	Asian - Chinese, White	51	0%	77	0%
	Asian - Indian	418	2%	1,155	5%
	Asian - Japanese	210	1%	320	1%
	Asian - Japanese, White	88	1%	78	0%
	Asian - Korean	263	2%	756	3%
	Asian - Vietnamese	562	3%	2,223	9%
	Total	3,726	22%	8,854	37%
	Filipino	Filipino	87	1%	153
Asian - Filipino		487	3%	1,303	5%
Asian - Filipino, White		78	0%	111	0%
Total		652	4%	1,567	6%
Latino	Latino	733	4%	871	4%
	Latino - Central American	208	1%	201	1%
	Latino - Hispanic Other	190	1%	253	1%
	Latino - Hispanic Other, White	118	1%	130	1%
	Latino - Mexican	1,403	8%	2,360	10%
	Latino - Mexican, Hispanic Other	66	0%	166	1%
	Latino - Mexican, Hispanic Other, White			70	0%
	Latino - Mexican, Native American			54	0%
	Latino - Mexican, White	265	2%	383	2%
	Latino - South American	137	1%	163	1%
	Latino - South American, White	54	0%	70	0%
	Latino Ethnicity Not Reported - Mexican			92	0%
	Total	3,174	19%	4,813	20%
White	White - White	6,329	37%	5,619	23%
	Total	6,329	37%	5,619	23%
zAll Other	Decline to State	1,957	12%	1,956	8%
	Native American	44	0%		
	Native American - Native American			77	0%
	Native American - Native American, White	64	0%	100	0%
	Pacific Islander	111	1%	123	1%
	Pacific Islander - Pacific Islander Other	99	1%	64	0%
	Total	2,275	13%	2,320	10%
Total		16,965	100%	24,207	100%

## FHDA Institutional Research and Planning

### Ethnicity Reporting Methodology

November 28, 2011

The attached data sheet -- student ethnic distribution by college fall 2011-- uses a stepwise segmentation\* methodology. The basis for the segments is the Foothill and De Anza Colleges' strategic planning focus on under-served student populations.

1. The stepwise segmentation gives priority to 1) Latinos 2) African Americans and 3) Filipinos (in this order). For example, if a student selects Hispanic: Mexican and African American they will be grouped as Hispanic.
2. This report includes ethnic combinations of 50 or more students (for example, students selecting both Chinese and Vietnamese).
3. If a given combination has less than 50 students then the ethnic group (Latino, African American, Asian, Filipino, Native American, Pacific Islander, White) is reported instead of the specific ethnicity combination. This grouping will still use the stepwise segmentation approach outlined above.

\* Stepwise Segmentation is an approach with a defined group of respondents first "pulled out" into a group and the remaining respondents then broken into other groups in similar fashion. The result is mutually exclusive groups.