

Introductions

Please introduce yourself in the chat and answer the question - “Why did you choose this breakout group”

Acknowledgement about the data

- ▶ **High school graduation, college enrollment, persistence, college graduation data is not perfect**
 - Data needs to be continued to be cleaned and cross-referenced
- ▶ **National Student Clearinghouse**
 - Clearinghouse database institutions represent more than 93% of the nation's two-and four-year postsecondary institutions

WE NEED BETTER-
EDUCATED WORKERS!

WE NEED BETTER-EDUCATED HIGH-
SCHOOL GRADS!

We Need
BETTER-
PREPARED
MID-SCHOOLERS

We Need
BETTER
PRE-NATAL
CARE!

We Need
BETTER
JOBS!

We Need
FULL-DAY
KINDERGARTEN!

We Need
ELEMENTARY
KIDS THAT CAN
READ AND
DO MATH!

We Need
MORE PRE-K
PROGRAMS!

BUSINESS

COLLEGE

HIGH
SCHOOL

KINDER-
GARTEN

ELEMEN-
TARY

MID-
SCHOOL

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KIRKMAN'S DAILY TRUCK

Terms Defined

Graduated and Left – students who earned a degree: associates, bachelors, or certificate

New to College – students who enrolled in a semester for the first time

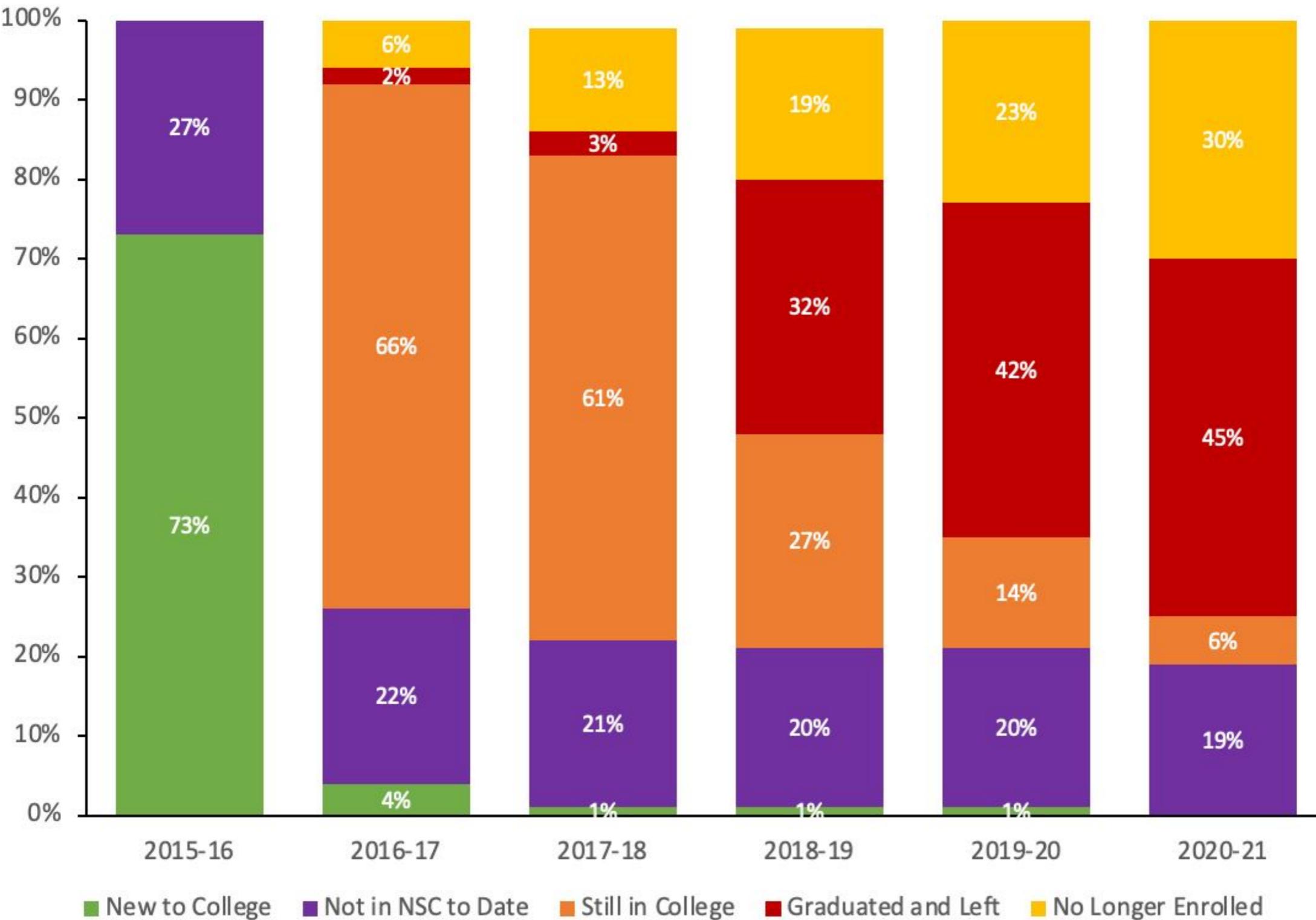
Retained – students who enrolled in a semester and then re-enrolled in the following semester

No Longer Enrolled – students who are no longer enrolled after being enrolled in a semester

Not in NSC to Date – students who are not in NSC for that school year

What happened to the Class of 2015?

Class of 2015 (n=766) Postsecondary Enrollment and Progress



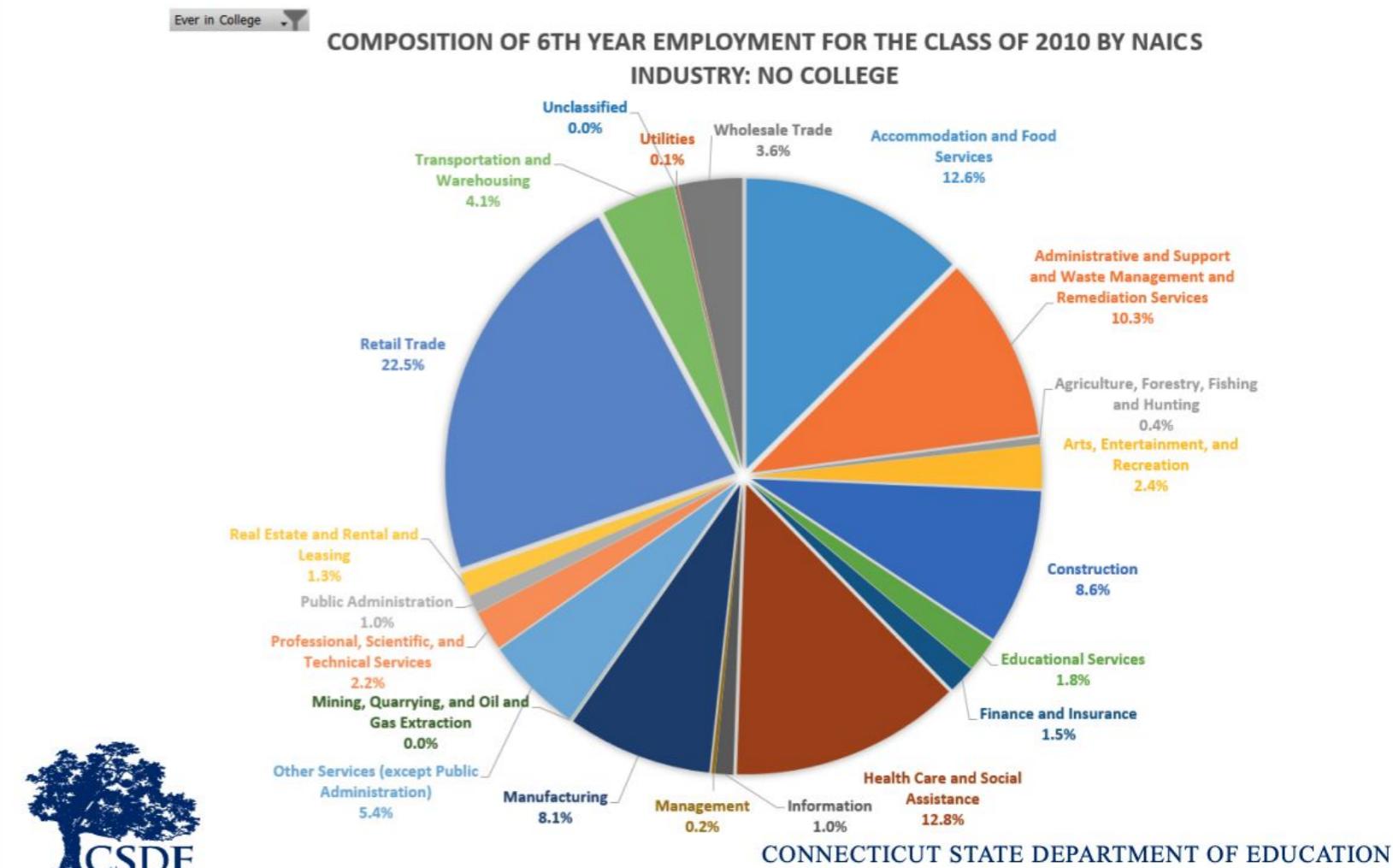
- 19% of the class haven't been to college
- 30% went to college but dropped out
- 6% are still without a degree
- About 1% try college for the first time each year
- About a third (33%) graduated college in 4 years
- Almost half (45%) graduated college in 6 years
- 73% go to college in the first year

Source: National Student Clearinghouse

Current Thinking of Next Steps

- ▶ Disaggregate the data by race/ethnicity
- ▶ Explore institution level/type of post-secondary enrollment (e.g. 2-year, 4-year, NCC, CSCU, UCONN)

And those who don't go to college? 18% of the workers from the Class of 2010 did not enroll in college in the first 6 years



- ▶ P20WIN Project Request to match CSDE with DOL wage and employment data (sector)