

SACSCOC Policy: Institutional Requirements for Public Disclosure

Standard 8.1 of the *Principles of Accreditation* and SACSCOC's *Policy Statement on Institutional Obligations for Public Disclosure* require that accredited institutions identify, evaluate, and publish goals and outcomes for student achievement, appropriate to the institution's mission, the nature of the students it serves, and the kinds of programs offered. It further requires that the institution use multiple measures to document student success. In compliance with Standard 8.1 and SACSCOC policy, the table below provides a statement of Polk State College's goals and outcomes for student achievement.

| Goal | Outcome | Source |
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| 1. Increase performance funding graduation rate (first-time lower-division and first-time upper-division, full-time within 150% of time) over the prior two-year average | Current Year (Fall 2014 Cohort) – 44.07% Prior Two-Year Average – 39.48% | 2018-2019 Florida College System Performance-Based Funding Model for Polk State College |
| 2. Increase performance funding retention rate (first-time lower-division and first-time upper-division, full- and part-time) over the prior two-year average | Current Year (Fall 2015 Cohort) – 61.81% Prior Two-Year Average – 57.09% | 2018-2019 Florida College System Performance-Based Funding Model for Polk State College |
| 3. Achieve at least a 75% Student Success Rate (Florida College System Accountability Measure 1 Part 2) for AA and AS students | Fall 2013 Cohort AA Degree Students – 84.12% AS/AAS Degree Students – 76.05% | Florida College System Accountability Measure 1 Part 2 |
| 4. Achieve at least an 80% passing rate on the National Certification Examination for the Occupational Therapy Assistant of the National Board of Certification in Occupational Therapy | 2017 Results: 100% | ACOTE/AOTA Report Data Provided by Occupational Therapy Assistant Program Director |
| 5. Achieve at least a 75% five-year average passing rate for the credentialing exam for the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT) | 2012-2016 Average: 84% | ARRT report data provided by Radiography Program Director |
| 6. Pass rate on National Council Licensing Exam for Registered Nurse (NCLEX-RN) will exceed state and national averages | 2017 Results: Polk Average 95.57% State Average 73.99% National average 87.12% | NCLEX-RN Report Data Provided by Nursing Program Director |