

Glossary of Relevant Terms and Abbreviations

See Appendix A for complete descriptions of all remedial programs contained within this report.

Headcount

Represents the number of individual students who are participating or enrolled in at least one remedial education activity or course.

Full-time Equivalent (FTE)

Computed by adding the proportion of credits of each students' full-time credit load involving/representing remedial education instruction. Example: Four *headcount* students with remedial education instructional loads of .20, .50, .20, and .10 equates to 1.0 FTE in remedial education.

Resident Education

Instruction delivered primarily for students enrolled in a degree program.

Tuition Assistance Program (TAP)

Funding given to the University by the state on the basis of overall student financial aid needs and allocated to individual students according to individual need. TAP funds can only be used for tuition, and therefore cannot be used to support other education expenses such as books or costs of living. Due to CUNY standard accounting and reporting procedures, TAP is double-counted on the revenues side as both an incoming state grant as well as tuition revenue.

SEEK

Search for Education, Elevation and Knowledge (SEEK) program (see Appendix A for program description)

CD

College Discovery (CD) program (see Appendix A for program description)

Senior Colleges

Colleges providing only four-year baccalaureate degree programs at the undergraduate level. Senior colleges also offer graduate degree programs; these programs and their student counts are not considered in this report.

Baruch, Brooklyn, City, Hunter, Lehman, Queens, York

Hybrid Colleges

Colleges providing both four-year baccalaureate and two-year associate's degree programs.

John Jay, Medgar Evers, NYC Technical (NYCTC), Staten Island

Community Colleges

Colleges providing only two-year associate's degree programs.

Borough of Manhattan (BMCC), Bronx, Hostos, LaGuardia, Kingsborough, Queensborough