

Chabot College Assessment of College-wide Learning Goals Civic Responsibility

The majority of Chabot students—80%—are proficient or mostly proficient in civic responsibility, according to faculty who assessed civic responsibility student learning outcomes in their general education courses in Spring 16. In addition, 87% percent were partially proficient or higher. This is higher than Chabot students rated themselves.

Assessment by faculty is the direct way to assess student learning—only faculty can tell how much students learn. An indirect way to assess is to ask the students themselves. Of students surveyed in the all-student Fall 2015 survey, 26% thought they were making a lot of progress in this area; 64% said they were making some or a lot of progress. Of graduates surveyed at Spring 2015 graduation, 60% said they had learned a lot; 89% learned some or a lot.

Direct Assessment:

Faculty assessment of student learning: Spring 2016

	Levels of Proficiency				
	Proficiency/ Mastery	Mostly proficient	Partially proficient	Little understanding	No understanding
Percentage of students assessed by faculty					
Proficiency in Civic Responsibility	62%	18%	7%	5%	8%
<i>Total: Mostly proficient and above:</i>	80%				
<i>Total: Partially proficient and above:</i>	87%				

Indirect Assessment:

Student assessment of their progress: Fall 2015

	Amount of progress in this area			
	A lot	Some	A little	None
Percentage of all students in campus-wide survey				
Civic Responsibility:				
Ability to make a positive contribution to my community:	26%	38%	23%	13%
<i>Total: A lot of progress:</i>	26%			
<i>Total: Some or a lot of progress:</i>	64%			

NOTE: Student percentages have a margin of error of 2 to 4 percentage points.

Degree and Certificate Graduates' assessment of their learning: Spring 2015

	Amount of learning in this area			
	A lot	Some	A little	None
Percentage of students in graduate survey				
Civic Responsibility:				
Ability to make a positive contribution to my community:	60%	29%	7%	4%
<i>Total: A lot of learning:</i>	60%			
<i>Total: Some or a lot of learning:</i>	89%			

Assessments by Faculty and Students of Student Learning in Civic Responsibility

