# FEDERAL PRIVACY LAW and DATA SHARING

Bay Region Dual Enrollment Professional Development

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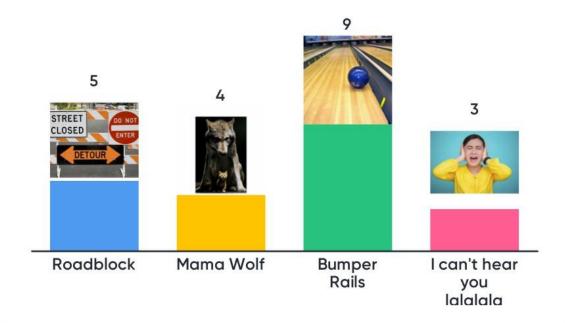
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#### Mentimeter

### Choose a visual representation of FERPA based on your expereince









#### Mentimeter

#### What do you really want to know about FERPA?

F-E-R-P-A what does it even stand for? I'm a newbie

Can a high share IEP information with a community college after the student has signed the FERPA agreement?

Does it concern me as a high school teacher?

A summary in bullet points and simplified wording

does the law continually change? wondering if we need to keep updated or if it's been in place but hasn't changed much

Is FERPA valid if the teacher is both the HS teacher and the college prof? What are the rules then?

What if student cannot remember their student ID? Am I allowed to tell them?

Are there any differences between how FERPA impacts community college faculty going into highschools versus high school faculty who are teaching college courses



# **Available Resource**



### Federal Privacy Law Related to Dual Enrollment—Strategies for Coordinators





# **Best Resource for FERPA**



Student Privacy Policy Office



# FERPA: the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act

- Protects student privacy in federally funded institutions
- Transfers rights from parents to students
  - At age 18 or when they enroll in college.
- Permits higher education institutions to disclose students' education records to parents who claim the students as dependents for federal tax purposes.





## **FERPA**

How can institutions share data?

- Written consent a FERPA waiver
- Exceptions
- Health and safety



# **FERPA** - Exceptions

- 1. Directory information
- 2. School officials

3. Other schools or institutions





# **FERPA** - Exceptions

4. Audits and evaluations

5. Studies

6. Health and Safety



# **Data Sharing - Why**

- 1. Program Improvement
  - a. Classroom
  - b. Process
  - c. Supports

2. Troubleshoot

3. Support Instructors



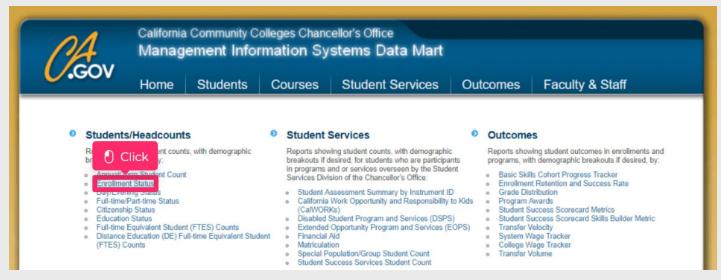
# **Data Sharing - How**

- 1. Agreement mandated by AB 288
- 2. Disaggregated? Anonymized? De-identified?
- 3. Publically available
  - a. Datamart
  - b. Dashboard
- 4. Talking



#### **Data Mart Tutorial**

#### How to Find Special Admit Student Status Enrollment Tutorial



Tutorial developed by Diane Walker

- Director Industry Liaison and Post Secondary Partnerships, Antelope Valley Unified School District

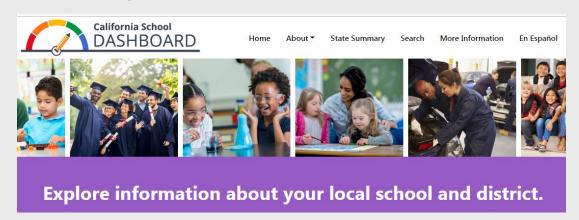


# **Data Mart Example - El Camino College**

	Spring 2017	Spring 2017	Spring 2018	Spring 2018
	Student Count	Student Count (%)	Student Count	Student Count (%)
El Camino CCD Total	22,446	100.00 %	22,932	100.00 %
First-Time Student	1,126	5.02 %	1,054	4.60 %
First-Time Transfer Student	1,208	5.38 %	1,334	5.82 %
Returning Student	2,001	8.91 %	2,115	9.22 %
Continuing Student	17,466	77.81 %	17,440	76.05 %
Uncollected/Unreported			3	0.01 %
Special Admit Student	<mark>645</mark>	2.87 %	986 Federal Privacy La	4.30 % aws & Data Sharing

#### **School Accountability Dashboard Tutorial**

How to navigate California's new dashboard for viewing data on college- and career-readiness

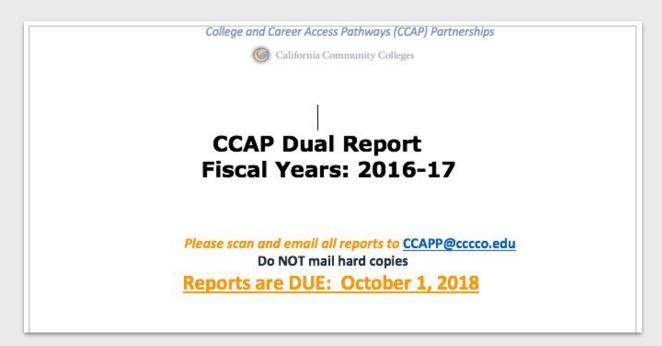


Tutorial developed by Kim Irons

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#### **AB 288 Reports**

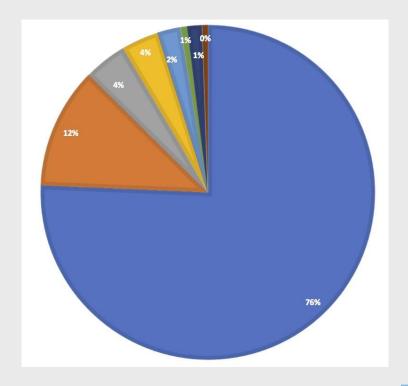




#### **AB 288 Reports - Sample from Los Angeles**

AB 288 reports - 9 colleges from multiple districts in the Los Angeles Area

- Latino 76%
- O Unknown 12%
- African American 4%
- Asian 4%
- White 2%
- Amer. Indian/Alaska Native 1%
- Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander 1%
- Two or more >1%





#### **Homegrown Data**

- Santa Rosa Junior College <u>data dashboard</u>
- El Camino College

El Camino College Dual Enrollment Student Profile and Course Outcomes



Fall 2016 to Spring 2017

