

**Iowa Coordinating Council for Post-High School Education (ICCPHSE)**

**Executive Committee  
Thursday, October 19, 2023  
2:00 PM – 3:30 PM  
Virtual Meeting**

**AGENDA**

1.	Welcome	Patricia Draves, Vice Chair
2.	Call to Order and Roll Call	Patricia Draves, Vice Chair
3.	Approval of Meeting Minutes – (Attachment) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>July 18, 2023</i></li></ul>	Jeremy Varner, Recording Secretary
4.	Permanent Secretary's Report <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Membership List (Attachment)</li><li>• Programs without concerns for ratification (Attachment)</li></ul>	Rachel Boon, Permanent Secretary
5.	Presentation: FAFSA Completion in Iowa	Meghan Oster
6.	Update on Iowa Department of Education Reorg	Jeremy Varner
7.	New Business for the Good of the Order	Patricia Draves, Vice Chair

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**Membership 2023-24**  
**August 2023**

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**PROGRAMS TO BE LISTED ON AGENDA FOR RATIFICATION  
October 2023  
ICCPHSE MEETING**

**North Iowa Area Community College**

Foundations in Programming

Certificate

CIP# 1102011000

On-campus

Pending completion of 20-days with no concerns on October 31, 2023:

**Northwestern College**

Engineering

Bachelor of Arts

CIP# 14.0101

On-campus

# FAFSA Completion in the US and Iowa

Meghan Oster, PhD

# Outline

## US Landscape

Leading States

States with FAFSA requirements

## Iowa

Historical trends

Current initiatives

## Considerations

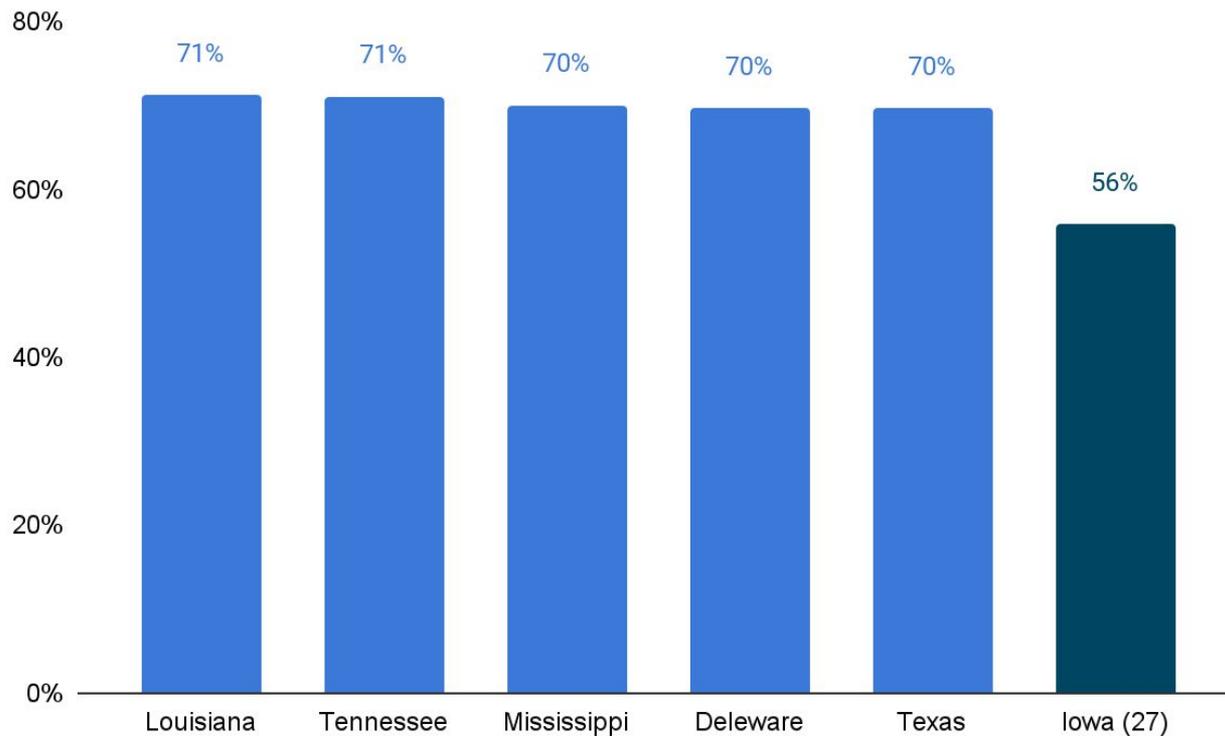
The Future of FAFSA in Iowa report

FAFSA changes

# US Landscape



# Leading States for the Class of 2023



# States with FAFSA requirements

Louisiana becomes the first state to mandate FAFSA completion.



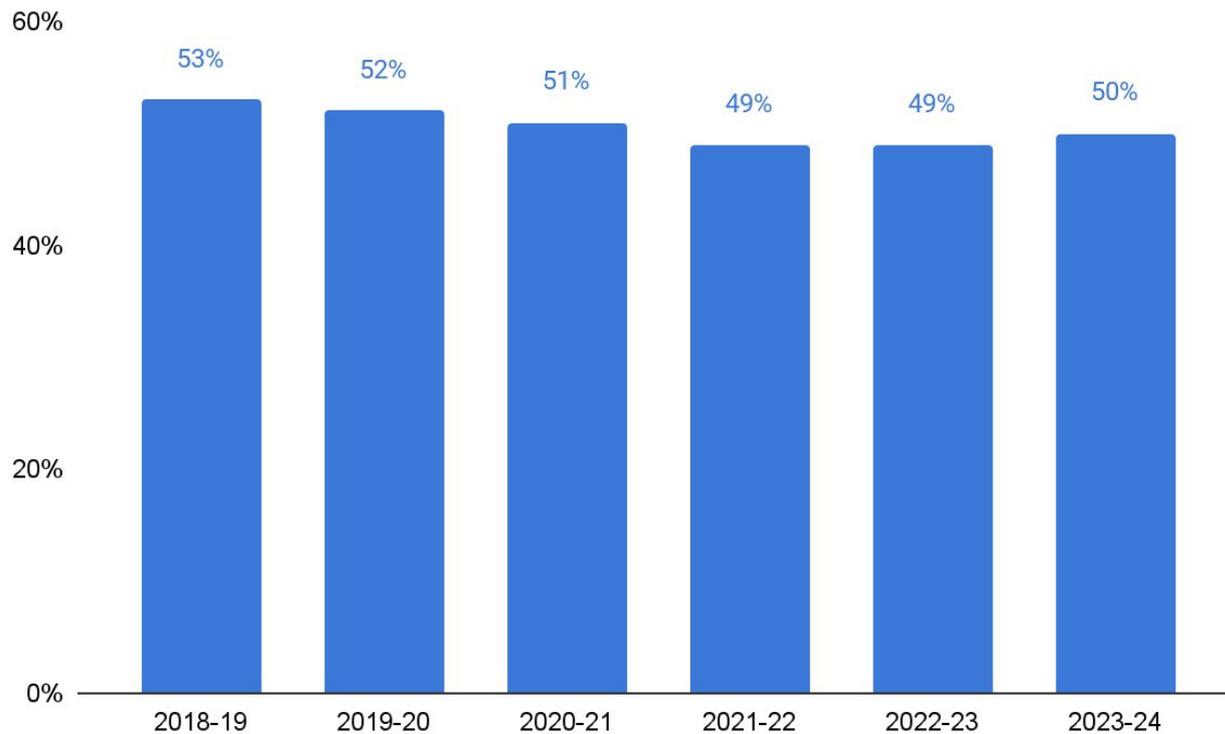
# Stats for States with FAFSA Requirement

State	Louisiana	Illinois	Alabama	Texas
Class of ...	2018	2021	2022	2022
Change in % of Seniors Completion Rank	12 → 2	10 → 4	34 → 9	23 → 5
Previous Year Completion %	59%	62%	47%	50%
Implementation Year Completion %	70%	66%	59%	63%
Implementation Year National Completion %	54%	50%	52%	52%
Y-O-Y Difference in Completed FAFSAs	+7,778	+4,664	+6,326	+49,072
Implementation Year % Change in Completions	26%	3%	25%	26%
Implementation Year National % Change in Completions	2%	5%	5%	5%

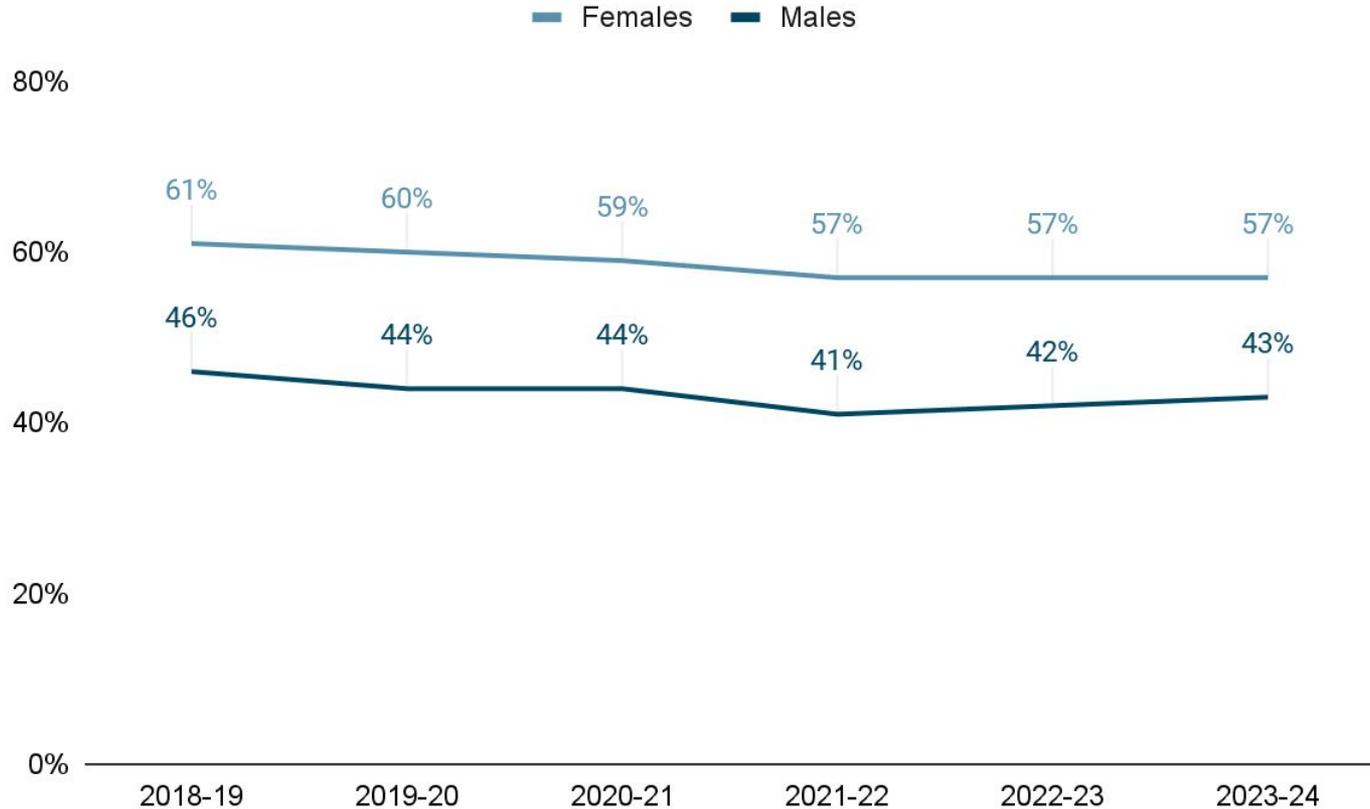
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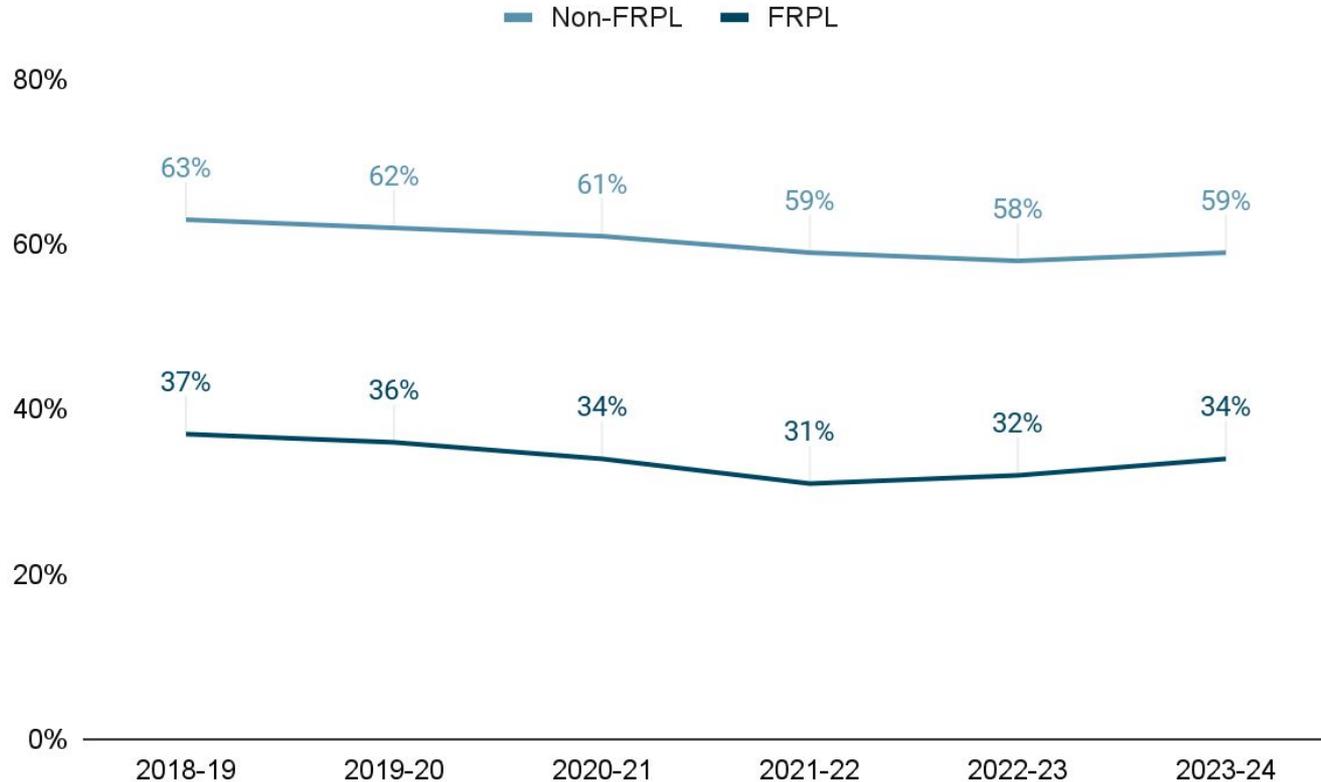
# Iowa FAFSA Rate Over Time



# Iowa FAFSA Rate Over Time by Gender



# Iowa FAFSA Rate Over Time by FRPL



# Current Initiatives

## Course to College

Support for HS counselors

- Focus on FAFSA completion
- Provide professional development
- Weekly calls
- Weekly FAFSA reports

## GEAR UP

Comprehensive support from  
7th to 12th grade

- Focus on creating a college-going culture
- Preparing for college has to happen before 12th grade
- Focus on low-income schools and students
- Work with admin and staff

## Summer Melt Prevention

College and Career Transition  
Counselors & Summer FAFSA  
Associates

- Complete FAFSA over the summer
- Support students in the transition
- Get juniors to start to think about FAFSA early

# Considerations



# The Future of FAFSA in Iowa

**FAFSA Constituents  
in Iowa**



**Deliberate Dialogue**



**Policy Considerations**

# The Future of FAFSA in Iowa



# FAFSA Changes

**Simpler**

Direct Data Exchange & Pell formula more predictable

**More generous**

More Pell-eligible students receiving larger amounts

**Delayed**

Filing won't start until December this year

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