

**General Education Program and Assessment Committee
(GEPAC)**

**Spring 2024 Student Learning Outcome (SLO) 8
Assessment Report**

Prepared Spring 2024 Semester

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Introduction, Context and Methodology:

This report focuses on the assessment of *Student Learning Outcome (SLO) 8: Explore concepts, ideas and methods from a variety of discipline*. **Please note** that we are measuring all prefixes; however, the rubric indicates to measure prefixes in the general education program. We measure this goal with the number of different academic prefixes to which graduates are exposed. Course prefix was used to determine the variety of disciplines from a list of students intending to graduate in Spring 2024, along with the number of courses each student had taken of each course prefix, e.g., BIO, SOC, MUS.

Data analysis:

The mean number of different course prefixes of 908 graduating seniors in Spring 2024 was 13.99 (SD = 4.9, 95% CI [13.7, 14.3]).

Table 1: Number and percentage of students falling in each performance level of SLO #8

Performance Level	Number of Prefixes	Number of Students	Percentage of Total
	0 to 2	18	1.98%
1	3 to 4	26	2.86%
2	5 to 7	75	8.26%
3	8 to 10	73	8.04%
4	11 or more	716	78.85%
Total		908	100.00%

Table 2: The performance levels for SLO #8 across the four colleges

College	Size	Mean (SD)	95% CI
COB	197	16.02 (4.7)	[15.4, 16.7]
COE	158	13.59 (4.6)	[12.9, 14.3]
LAS	341	13.22 (4.6)	[12.7, 13.7]
VPA	212	13.63 (5.1)	[12.9, 14.3]
Total	908	13.99 (4.9)	[13.7, 14.3]

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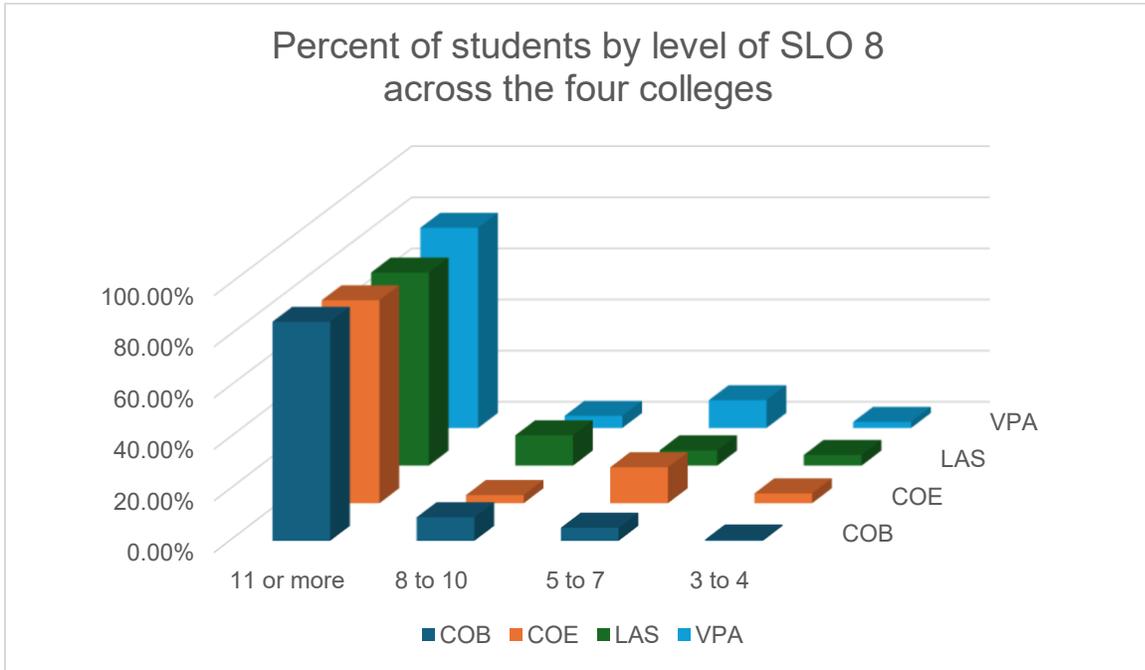


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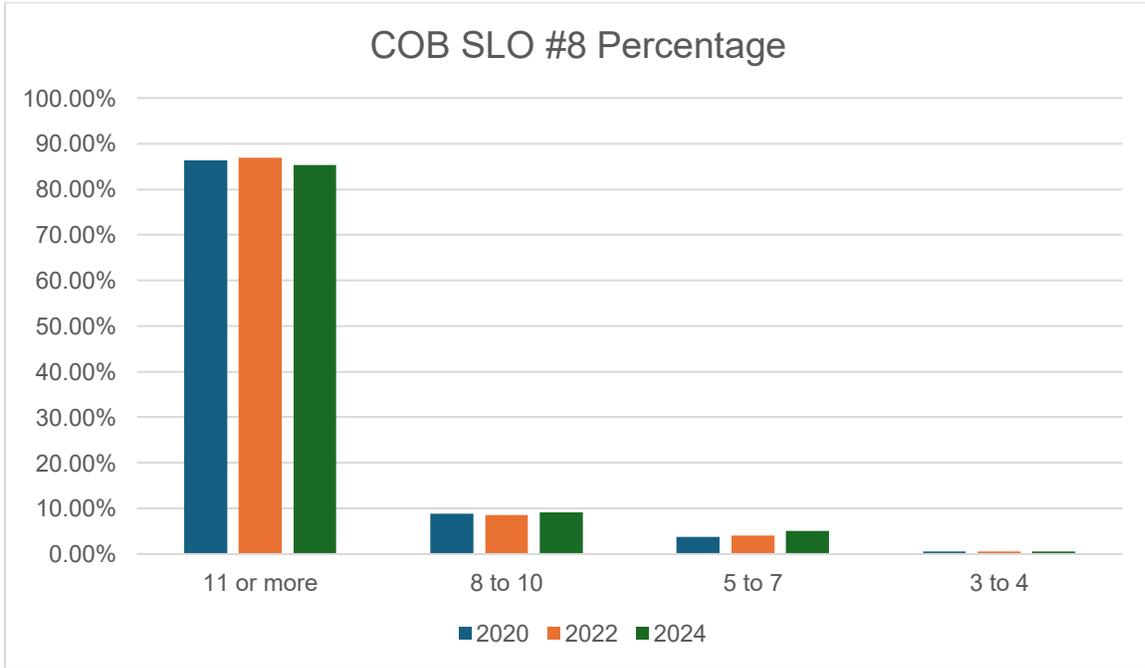


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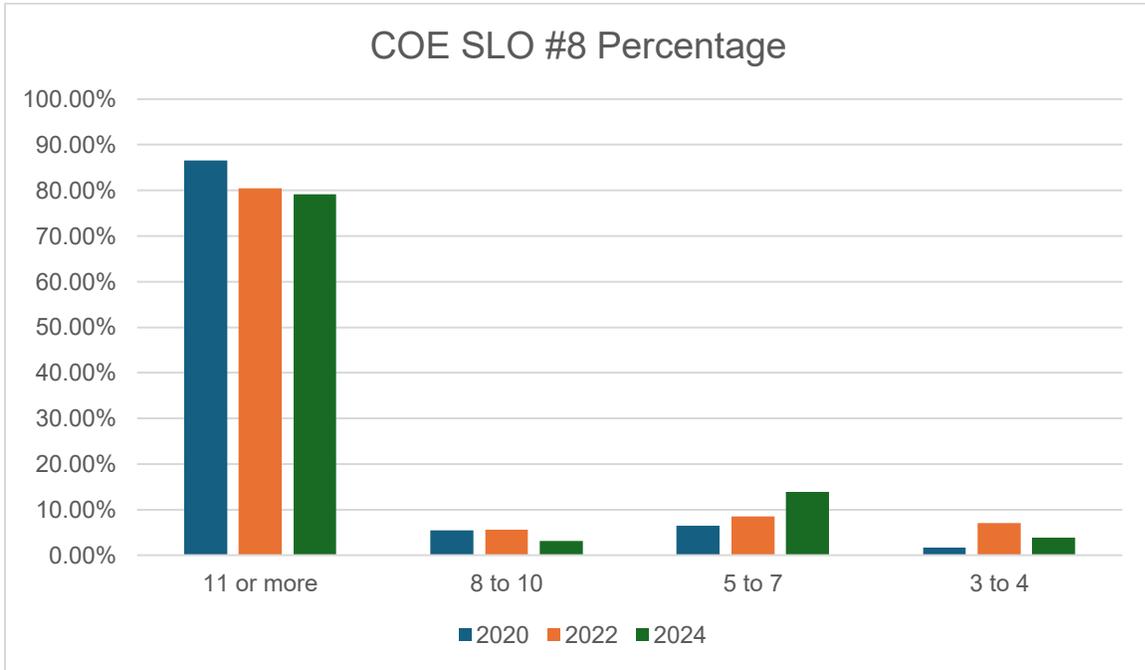


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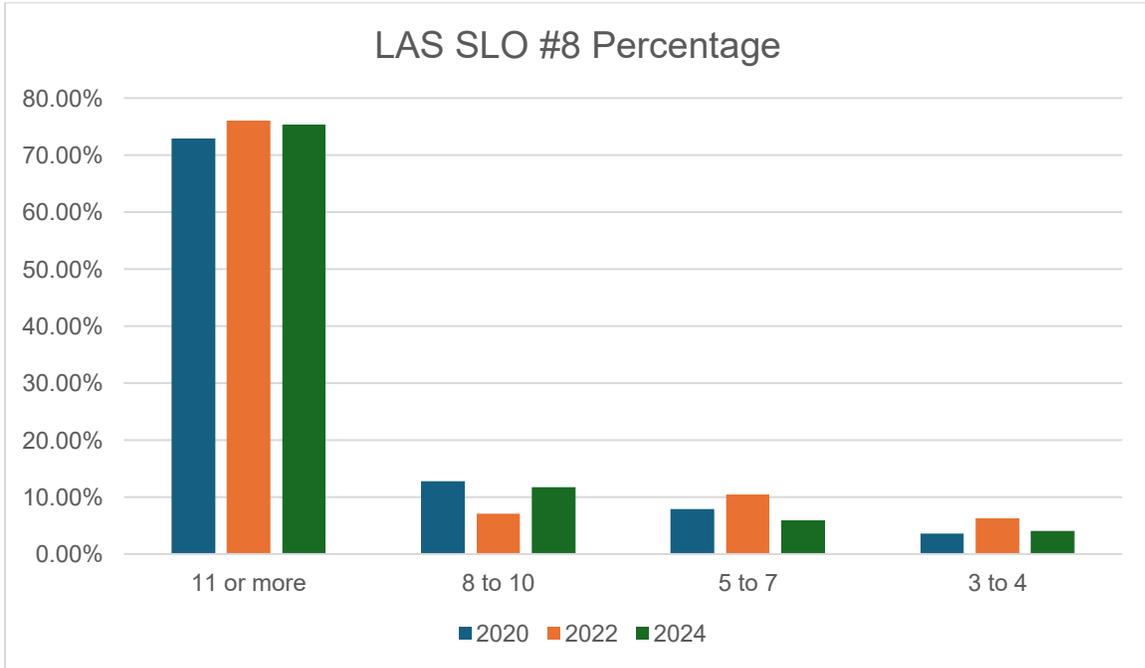


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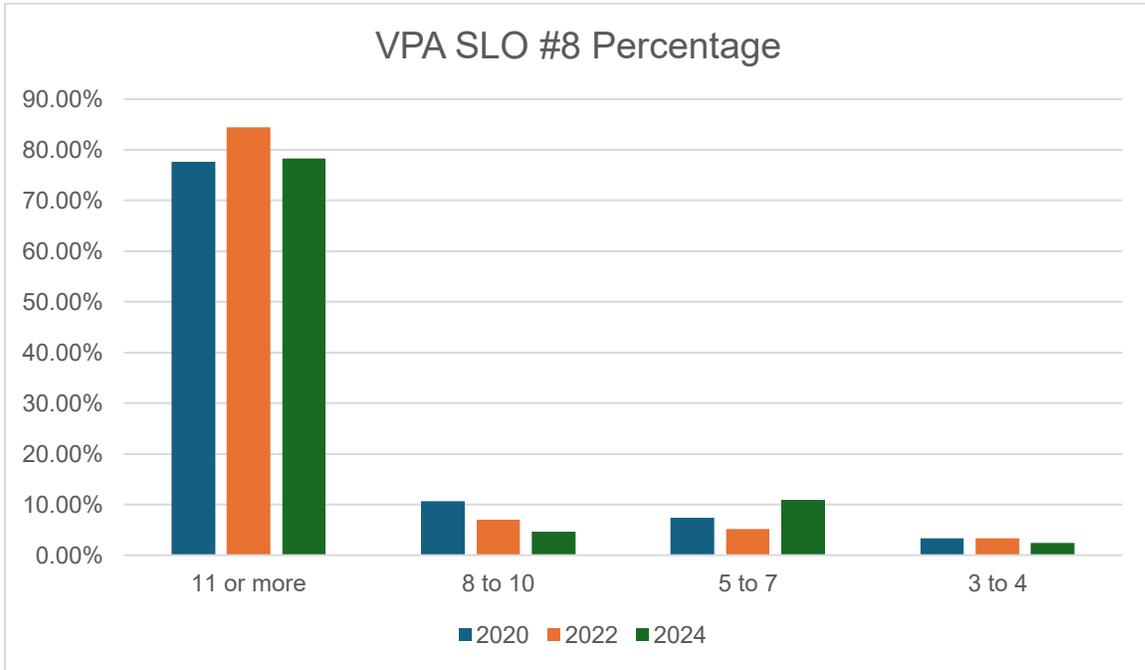


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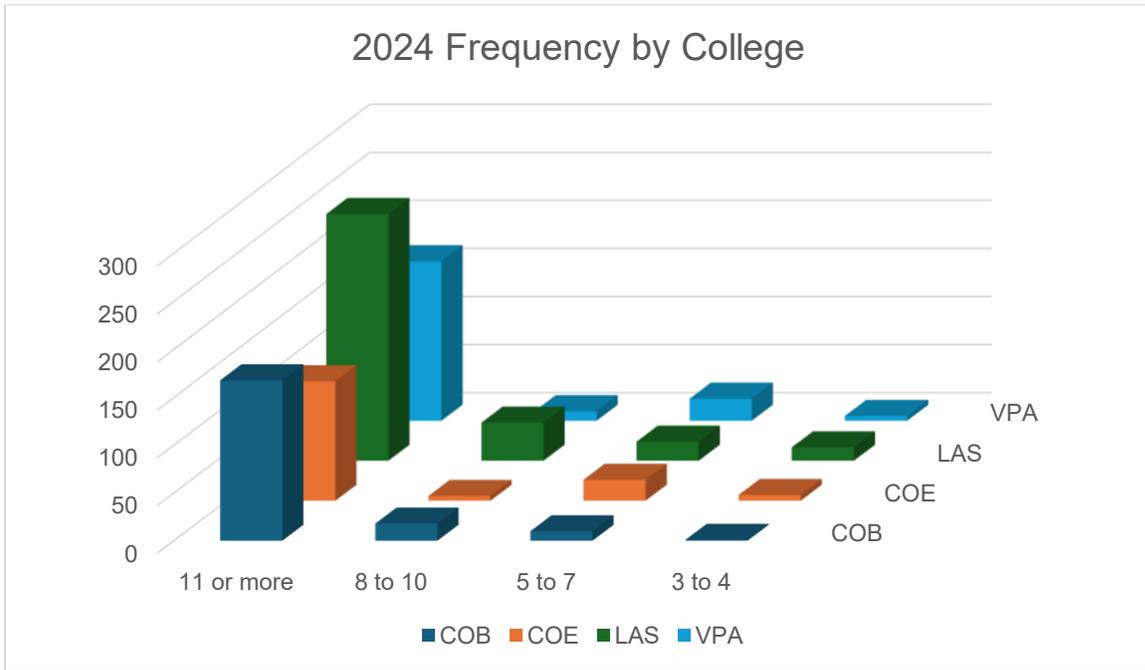


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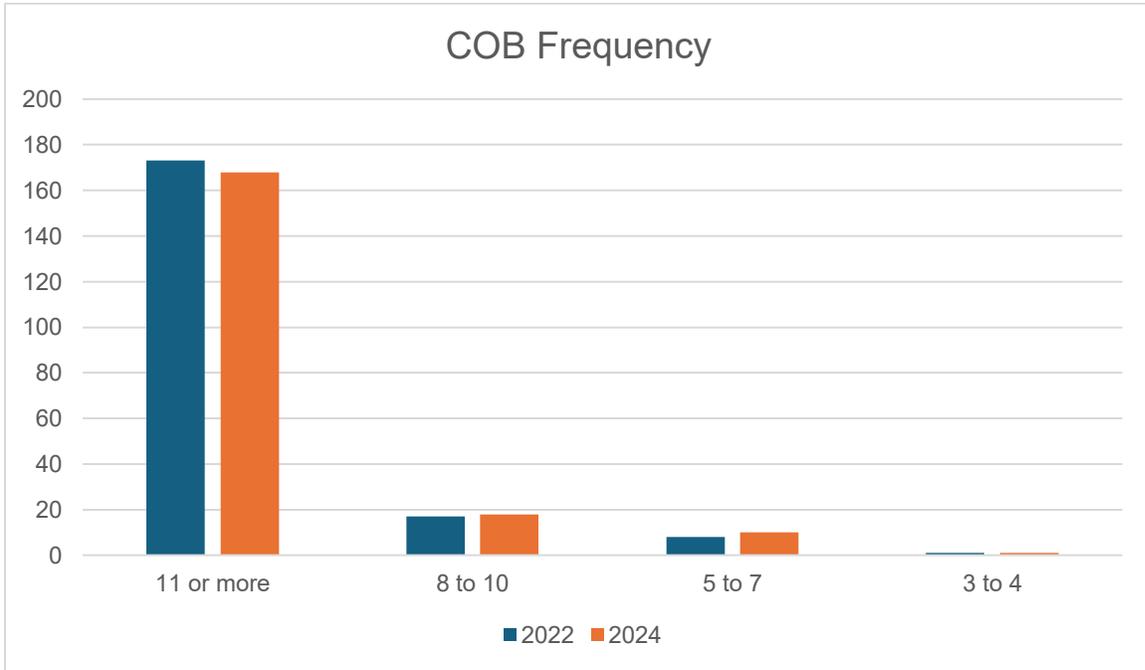


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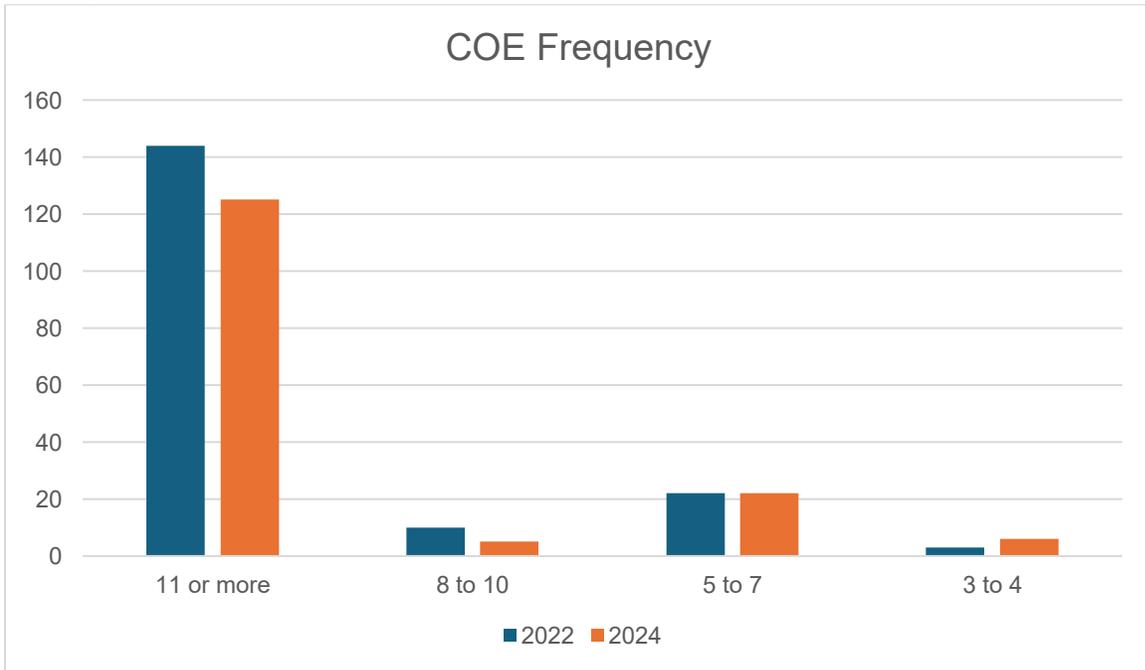


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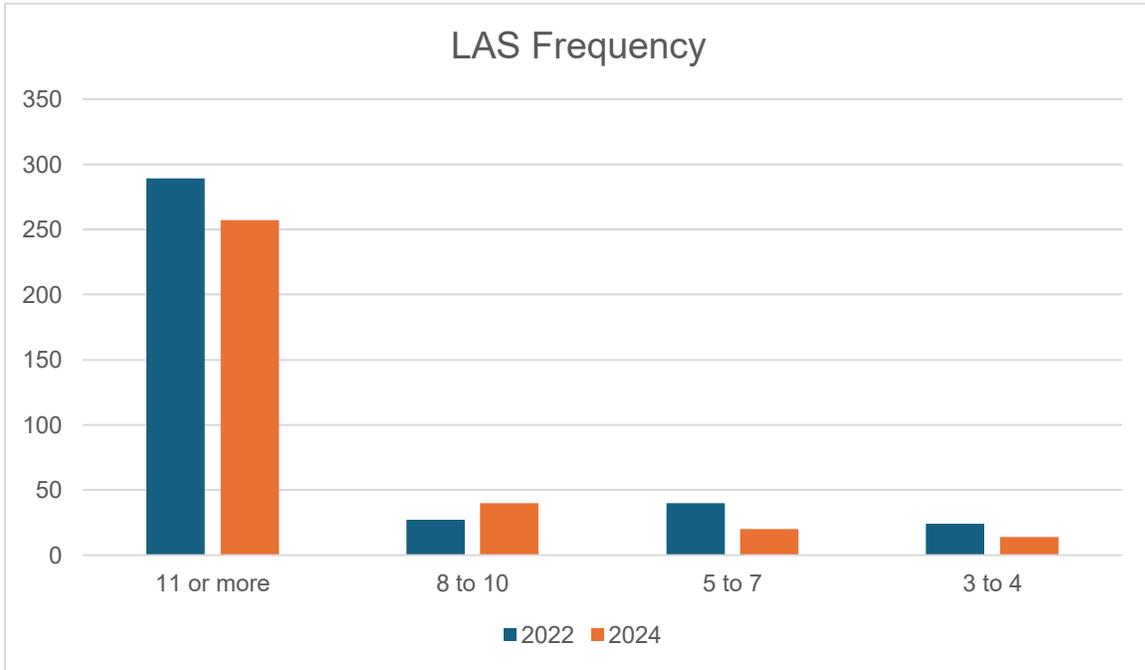
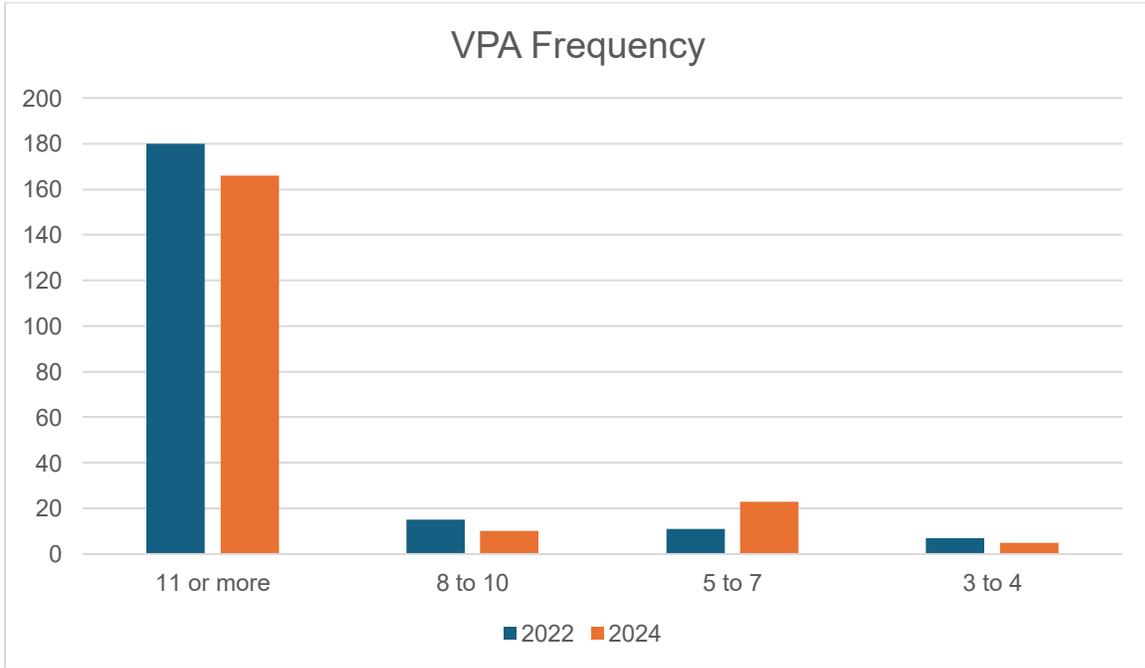


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Appendix 1

Student Learning Outcome (SLO) #8—Explore concepts, ideas, and methods from a variety of disciplines.

Definition: Breadth of study is exposure to ideas from a variety of disciplines as defined by the course prefix. Through a transcript audit of graduating seniors, the number of different prefixes taken in the general education program is determined.

This SLO is met by completing the General Education Program.

	Performance Levels			
	4	3	2	1
Student output and quality of work	11 or more different prefixes counted among courses taken for general education.	10-8 different prefixes counted among courses taken for general education.	7-5 different prefixes counted among courses taken for general education.	3-4 different prefixes counted among courses taken for general education.