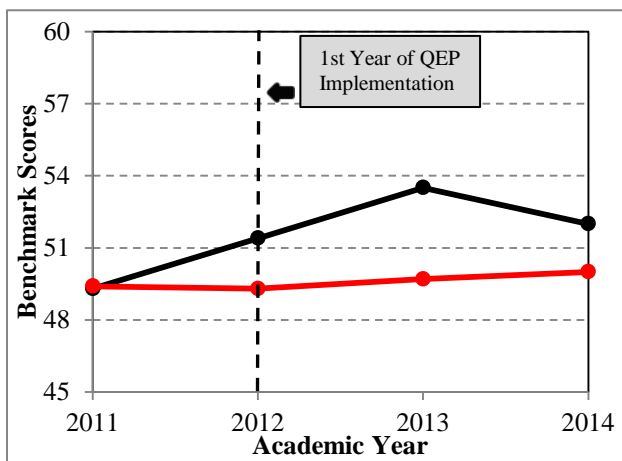


## QEP Assessment Plan SENSE Survey – Fall 2014

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Florida SouthWestern’s assessment measures for the Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP) include measurements of student satisfaction/engagement and student academic plans. Eighty-nine course sections were randomly selected from ENC0022 Writing for College Success, ENC1101 Composition I, MAT0057 Mathematics College Success, MAT1033 Intermediate Algebra, MAC1100 Mathematical Literacy College, MAC1105 College Algebra, MAC1114 Trigonometry, MAC1140 Pre-Calculus Algebra, MGF1107 Math for Liberal Arts II, and REA0019 Reading for College Success in Fall 2014. From those sections 1427 surveys were administered. The results of the SENSE Engaged Learning Benchmark are shown in Figure 1/Table 1. Results of the Clear Academic Plan and Pathway Benchmark are shown in Figure 2/Table 2.



**Figure 1/Table 1. SENSE Engaged Learning Benchmark Results through time comparing FSW results (black) with extra-large college comparison results (red) as provided by the Center for Community College Student Engagement. SENSE Surveys are conducted annually in the fall semester.**

|                                    | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| FSW Weighted Score                 | 49.3 | 51.4 | 53.5 | 52.0 |
| Extra-large college weighted score | 49.4 | 49.3 | 49.7 | 50.0 |
| % Difference                       | 0%   | 4%   | 8%   | 4%   |

**Figure 2. SENSE Clear Academic Plan & Pathway Benchmark Results through time comparing FSW results (black) with extra-large college comparison results (red) as provided by the Center for Community College Student Engagement. SENSE Surveys are conducted annually in the fall semester.**

|                                    | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| FSW Weighted Score                 | 48.9 | 48.9 | 53.8 | 57.6 |
| Extra-large college weighted score | 47.6 | 48.0 | 47.5 | 50.0 |
| % Difference                       | 3%   | 2%   | 13%  | 15%  |

