

2014 Academic Year Grade Analysis by Location

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Fall 2014 and Winter 2015 WELD-115 and WELD-215 Grades by Location

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		A	B	C	D	E	Pass	Fail	W	
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	%	40.8%	33.0%	11.5%	2.6%	3.7%	0.0%	0.0%	8.4%	100.0%
Hurd Road	Count	25	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	29
	%	86.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	6.9%	0.0%	0.0%	6.9%	100.0%
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	%	31.6%	25.5%	12.9%	4.0%	6.7%	2.1%	2.9%	14.3%	100.0%
Monroe High School	Count	74	54	35	1	5	0	0	6	175
	%	42.3%	30.9%	20.0%	0.6%	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%	3.4%	100.0%
Whitman Center	Count	462	366	219	71	195	69	119	206	1707
	%	27.1%	21.4%	12.8%	4.2%	11.4%	4.0%	7.0%	12.1%	100.0%
Total	Count	6599	5265	2700	875	1545	419	612	3290	21305
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The average grade awarded in Fall 2014 and Winter 2015 was 2.85 ($SD = 1.25$), which is traditionally in the “B -” range. Grades at the Whitman Center were the lowest ($M = 2.63$, $SD = 1.39$), a quarter of a GPA point below grades at the main campus, although developmental outcomes were very similar (~40% pass rate compared to ~60% fail rate). Grades were highest for Hurd Road students, although the number of students was small given the limited course offerings. Given that welding courses are predominantly offered at the Hurd Road location, a subsequent analysis of WELD-115 and WELD-215 revealed a sizable grading difference between courses offered there ($M = 3.70$, $SD = 1.07$) and the main campus ($M = 2.97$, $SD = 1.17$). While grades were slightly higher than average at the Monroe High School location, this is relatively unsurprising given that high-achieving high school students are more likely to self-select to begin their college careers early. Finally, internet classes had a high withdrawal rate, 27%.