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Sobering Numbers on Postsecondary Remediation

Thanks to Reecie for forwarding the information below on the poor completion rates for remedial college students.

Your transition to postsecondary efforts, avoiding developmental education, are important for your students' success.

For the full report click on the link in the text or go directly to it at <http://www.completecollege.org/docs/CCA-Remediation-final.pdf>

The tables in appendix have data for each state.

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**Remediation:
Higher Ed's Bridge to Nowhere.**



9.5%

**Graduate within 3 years
from 2-year colleges**

The numbers are sobering.

- **Not even 1 in 10** community college students who start in remediation will make it to graduation day in three years.
- **Just over a third** of remedial students at 4-year schools will graduate in six years.

We can and must do better.

- See [the most comprehensive data ever released on remediation programs in America](#): the system has failed our students.
- Learn how [rebuilt college-level gateway courses](#) can provide students the just-in-time support they need to succeed. Developmental education should be provided as a corequisite to full college credit, not a prerequisite.
- Read the [Associated Press coverage](#) of our new national report, [Remediation: Higher Education's Bridge to Nowhere](#).

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