

MUS Performance Funding FY 2018 and FY 2019

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PBF Objectives

Goal: Increase degree production and help reach the State's goal of increasing the percentage of the population with a higher education credential from 40% to 60%.

Objectives: Improve student learning and attainment outcomes.

- Increase success of under-represented student populations;
- Increase early college access for Montana high school students;
- Improve student success in freshmen year (ex. freshmen/sophomore retention, success of students in developmental courses);
- Increase number of students transferring from 2-year to 4-year campuses;
- Increase number of students completing degree and certificate programs;
- Grow graduate education and research capacity consistent with institutional missions.



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Model Overview

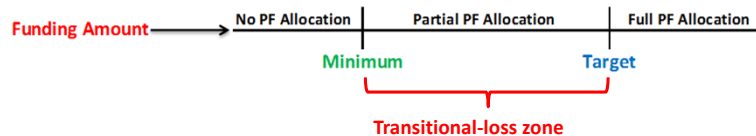
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Model Overview (cont.)

6. A transitional-loss zone is created to account for random, non-systematic fluctuations in the metrics
 - Campuses that fall below the target, but within the transitional-loss zone receive a portion of the eligible funding amount (Partial PF Allocation)



7. Earn-back opportunity in year-two (if a campus falls short of its target in the first year of the biennium)
 - Year-one residual → apply for a portion to target improvement
 - Year-two residual → Board-approved need-based aid reserve



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Performance Funding Pool

The MUS will continue with performance funding and commit to allocating a total of **\$30,000,000** to the MUS Ed. Units through a performance-based funding model in next the biennium.

FY 2018 = \$15M FY 2019 = \$15M (non-cumulative)



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Metric Weights (See Appendix A for definitions)

METRICS	Flagships	4-year Regional	2-year Colleges
Undergrad Degrees & Certificates	30%	40%	30%
Retention Rates	30%	50%	30%
Graduate Degrees & Certificates	20%		
Research Expenditures	20%		
Masters Degrees & Certificates		10% (MT Tech & MSUB)	
Dual Enrollment		10% (UMW & MSUN)	15%
Remediation Success			12.5%
Credit Accumulation			12.5%
Weights for Underrepresented Group Metrics			
Undergrad Degrees & Certificates	37.5%	50.0%	50%
Retention Rates	37.5%	50.0%	50%
Graduate Degrees Awarded	25.0%		



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Growth Target

- To receive the full performance funding allocation the campus must meet an established growth target
- Example:

Compare current to previous 3 years

Current Retention Rate = 73%, Previous 3-yr average = 72%

Current # of degrees awarded = 300, Previous 3-yr average = 290

Index metrics to standard scale of 1000

$73\% / 72\% * 50\% * 1000 = 507$

$300 / 290 * 50\% * 1000 = \underline{517}$
1024

Growth Rate = 1% or 1010 points



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Bonus Point Calculation

- Bonus points are awarded for student success in under-represented groups:
 - American Indian | Veterans | Pell recipients | Non-traditional age
- A multiplier is used to calculate weights of bonus points
- Example for Undergrad Degrees and Certificates (using .25 multiplier)
 - If an under-represented student is in 1 category = .25 of a completion
 - If an under-represented student is in 2 categories = .5 of a completion
 - If an under-represented student is in 3 categories = .75 of a completion
 - If in all four categories, the underrepresented student equals the addition of 1 extra completion.

.25 multiplier is used to calculate bonus points



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Transitional-loss Zone

- Because there is natural random variation in the metrics, a campus's observed score may vary over time by chance and not because of systematic efforts on the university's part.
- To account for random variation without unduly punishing a campus, there is a transitional-loss zone based on the standard deviation of the overall score (including the bonus) over the last five years.

Residual Funds

- If a campus falls short of its target in the first year of the biennium, it has the opportunity to apply for a portion of the funds to be granted back for targeted improvement in specific areas (e.g. retention).
 - Plans must be approved and monitored by OCHE
- Funds left at the end of the biennium will be swept into a Board-approved need-based aid reserve to be allocated through normal state need-based aid processes, in support of retention and degree attainment.

FY 2018 Performance Funds

Campus	Resident FTE (FY15 to FY17 avg.)	Campus Share of Resident FTE	Eligible \$\$ Amount	PF Metrics Index Score	FY18 Allocation	% of Eligible \$\$ Amt. Received
MSU Bozeman	8,568	32.7%	\$4,911,887	1,042	\$4,911,887	100%
Gallatin College	352	1.3%	\$201,526	1,379	\$201,526	100%
MSU Billings	2,490	9.5%	\$1,427,740	975	\$760,807	53%
City College	721	2.8%	\$413,536	1,093	\$413,536	100%
MSU Northern	941	3.6%	\$539,481	1,003	\$468,710	87%
Great Falls College	1,180	4.5%	\$676,542	1,053	\$676,542	100%
UM Missoula	6,918	26.4%	\$3,965,729	1,030	\$3,965,729	100%
Missoula College	1,182	4.5%	\$677,803	1,041	\$677,803	100%
MT Tech	1,576	6.0%	\$903,236	1,150	\$903,236	100%
Highlands College	326	1.2%	\$186,671	1,187	\$186,671	100%
UM Western	1,052	4.0%	\$603,252	1,329	\$603,252	100%
Helena College	859	3.3%	\$492,597	1,086	\$492,597	100%
Total	26,165	100.0%	\$15,000,000		\$14,262,295	



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FY 2019 Performance Funds

Campus	Resident FTE (FY15 to FY17 average)	Campus Share of Resident FTE	Eligible \$\$ Amount	PF Metrics Index Score	FY19 Allocation	% of Eligible \$\$ Amt. Received
MSU Bozeman	8,569	32.7%	\$4,910,613	1,066	\$4,910,613	100%
Gallatin College	352	1.3%	\$201,686	1,372	\$201,686	100%
MSU Billings	2,491	9.5%	\$1,427,567	958	\$554,065	39%
City College	722	2.8%	\$413,470	1,146	\$413,470	100%
MSU Northern	942	3.6%	\$539,550	1,020	\$539,550	100%
Great Falls College	1,180	4.5%	\$676,235	1,103	\$676,235	100%
UM Missoula	6,919	26.4%	\$3,965,003	1,060	\$3,965,003	100%
Missoula College	1,180	4.5%	\$676,446	954	\$480,124	71%
MT Tech	1,576	6.0%	\$902,885	1,103	\$902,885	100%
Highlands College	327	1.3%	\$187,551	990	\$167,347	89%
UM Western	1,058	4.0%	\$606,012	1,077	\$606,012	100%
Helena College	860	3.3%	\$492,983	1,097	\$492,983	100%
Total	26,176	100.0%	\$15,000,000		\$13,909,973	



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FY 2019 Performance Funds

MSU Billings

METRICS

	3-yr Average	Current Level	% Increase	Index Score	Weight	Weighted Score
Undergraduate Degrees Awarded	544	509	-6%	936	40%	374
Under-Represented/At-risk Graduates	662	609	-8%	919	50%	-10
Retention	60.5%	60.4%	-0.1%	999	50%	500
Under-Represented/At-risk Students	54.4%	55.5%	2%	1020	50%	3
Graduate Degrees	131	110	-16%	838	10%	84

sub-total, Primary Metrics **958**

sub-total, Under-Represented Bonus (.25 multiplier) 0

TOTAL 958

Growth Target 1,010

Transitional-zone Minimum 924

% of Eligible Funding 39%



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FY 2019 Performance Funds

City College at MSUB

	3-yr Average	Current Level	% Increase	Index Score	Weight	Weighted Score
Degrees/Certificates Awarded	264	240	-9%	908	30%	272
Under-Represented/At-risk Graduates	328	309	-6%	941	50%	-7
Retention Rates	53%	53%	0%	999	30%	300
Under-Represented/At-risk Students	50%	53%	4%	1044	50%	5
Dual Enrollment	437	768	76%	1756	15%	263
Remedial Success	32%	43%	33%	1327	13%	166
Credit Accumulation	38%	44%	16%	1160	13%	145

sub-total, Primary Metrics 1146

sub-total, Under-Represented Bonus (.25 multiplier) 0

TOTAL 1,146

Growth Target = 1,010



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Appendix A: Metric Definitions

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Undergraduate Degrees & Certificates Awarded	Annual number of undergraduate degrees and certificates awarded. Includes two and four degrees, as well as one-year certificates (CAS) and less than one-year certificates (16 to 29 credits, Cert of Technical Studies - CTS*) awarded at 2-year colleges.
Retention Rates	Fall to Fall retention rates for both 2-year and 4-year Colleges. The cohort will include all incoming undergraduates: new full- and part-time first-year students as well as new full- and part-time transfer students.
Early College Enrollment (Dual Enrollment)	Annual number of high school students (age 19 or younger) enrolled in at least one college class; fall term unduplicated number plus spring term unduplicated number.
Graduate Degrees & Certificates Awarded	Annual number of graduate degrees and certificates awarded, including graduate-level certificates, masters, 1st professional, and doctoral degrees.
Research Expenditures	Annual expenditures for research from all sources except current unrestricted funds (tuition and state support).
2-year College Menu	2-year Colleges will select two metrics from the following menu:
Success in Remedial Education	Total number of students who complete college level English and/or Math courses with a grade of C- or higher after completing a remedial course.
Credit Accumulation - Momentum Points	First-time, full-time students completing 24 or more credit hours within their first academic year AND first-time, part-time students completing 12 or more credit hours within their first academic year.
Underrepresented/At Risk Populations (Weighted Subcategories)	There will be special weighting in the allocation model of successes by specific access groups, specifically Pell-eligible students, American Indian students, non-traditional age students, and veterans.

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