

### SACS Comprehensive Standard 3.5.1

- The institution identifies college-level general education competencies and the extent to which graduates have attained them.



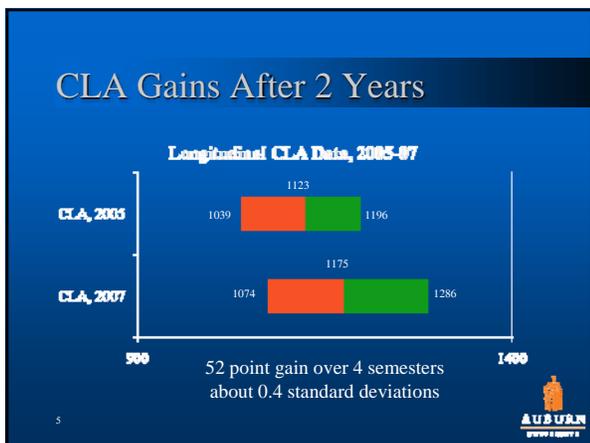
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### Collegiate Learning Assessment

- Holistic assessment of an integrated skill set
  - Analytic reasoning
  - Critical thinking
  - Problem solving
  - Written communication
- Administered to typical freshmen and seniors



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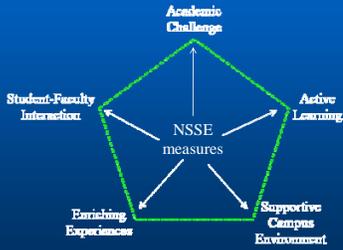
### National Survey of Student Engagement

- 20-minute online survey measuring
  - Academic experiences and behaviors
  - Emphasis of courses and work assigned
  - Time use and activities
  - Satisfaction and estimated gains
- Administered to freshmen and seniors



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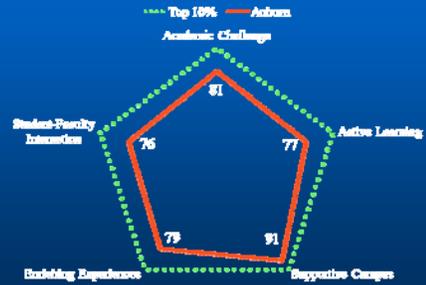
## Five Benchmarks of Learning



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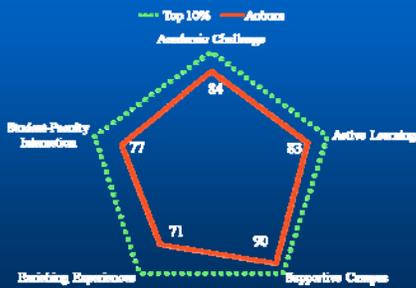
## 2008 Freshman Benchmarks



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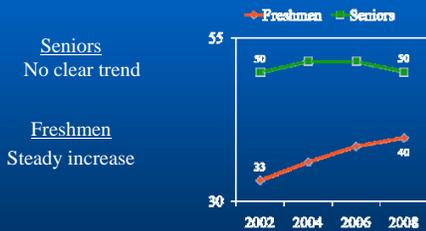
## 2008 Senior Benchmarks



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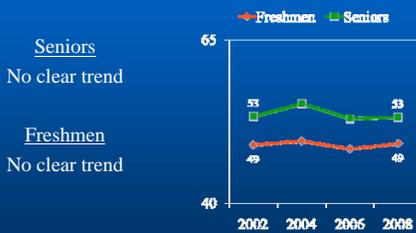
## Active Learning



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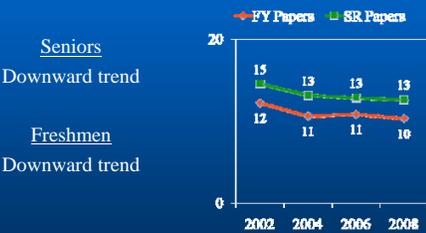
## Level of Academic Challenge



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## Number of Papers Written



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## Next Steps

- Launch new CLA longitudinal studies
- Continue NSSE assessments
- Convene campus discussions on using results

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