



Move On When Ready

The Basics

SB 132 set MOWR requirements through the following definitions:



'Eligible high school student' means a student entering 9th, 10th, 11th, or 12th grade an at eligible high school.



'Eligible high school' means any private or public secondary educational institution located within Georgia and any home study program pursuant to Code Section 20-2-690.



'Dual credit course' means a postsecondary course taken by an eligible high school student at or through an eligible postsecondary institution for which the student receives secondary credit from his or her eligible high school.

Institutions are responsible for establishing their own dual enrollment/MOWR admission requirements. An 'eligible high school student' must meet the admission requirements set by the institution to be admitted to that institution.



Move On When Ready Basics



- * Students receive high school and college credit for taking one class.
- * Local systems retain their FTE funding, colleges are paid through General Assembly funding by Georgia Student Finance Commission (GSFC), MOWR fiscal agent.
- * Students do not have to pay tuition, mandatory fees or books up to 15 hours per semester.
- * May participate as part or fulltime MOWR students but must maintain fulltime high school student enrollment status each term.
- * Students may participate in summer school up to 15 hours like any other term.
- * Each course taken must be recorded with a course title, number and a grade on the high school transcript whether the student completes the course or not.
- * Cannot repeat MOWR courses student has already received high school credit.
- * Some required high school courses may not be available through MOWR.



MOWR EARLY GRADUATION OPTION



Earn a high school diploma (SB 2)

- Student must receive credit for the EOC courses: two English, two math, two science, and two social studies, and also the required PE and Health course
 - * **Note: Course(s) may be taken through MOWR and/or at high school**
 - * **Take EOC exams unless they are on MOWR exempt list.**
 - * **Exams count 20% of final grade**
- Earn and complete one of the following:
 - * **Associate degree**
 - * **Technical diploma**
 - * **Two certificate programs within one specific career pathway**
- The high school must award a high school diploma when both requirements are met.

FOUR TCC AREAS THAT QUALIFY FOR SB 2

***Completion of these depends on entrance point and course availability.

TCSG's technical certificate programs that currently qualify

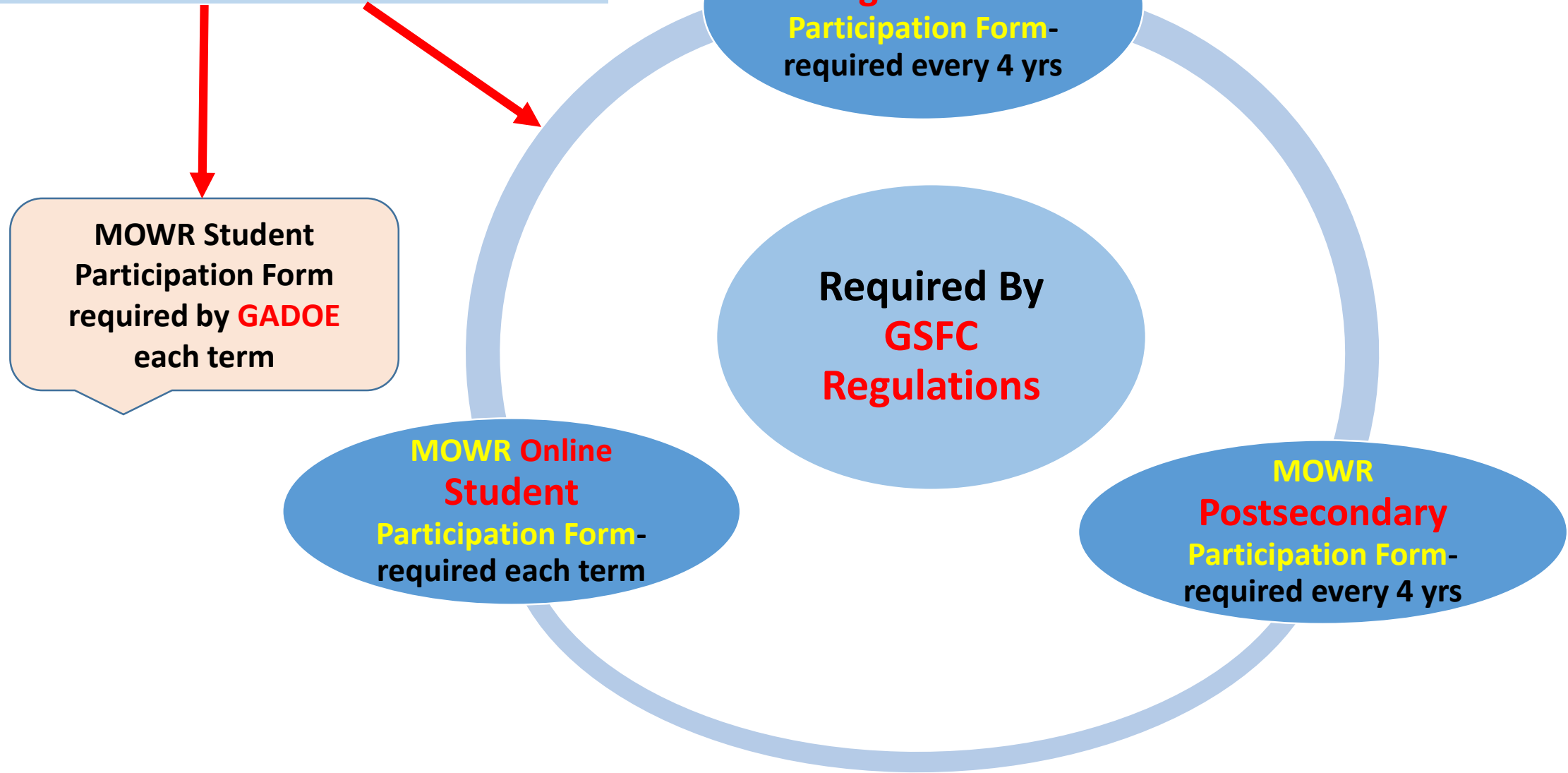
Computer Programmer

Networking

Welding

Manufacturing

Required Participation Forms





FY2016 MOWR Participating Schools



- Participating colleges / universities
 - 22 TCSG institutions
 - 30 USG institutions
 - 21 out of 36 private institutions signed participation agreements (one of which was a for-profit)
 - Only 17 actually had MOWR students



- Participating high schools
 - 437 public high schools
 - 203 private high schools
 - 858 home study entities



MOWR FY 18

**February 1 is new
notification date**

**Summer school
participation
begins at end of
9th grade year**

**Tuition,
mandatory fees
and books are all
paid**

MOWR FY 18

No GA residency requirement

15 hours per institution per semester-multiple can be attended

MOWR online application and student participation form required each term of participation

MOWR FY 18

**High schools can
remove students
who are not
following MOWR
or high school
guidelines**

**Georgia Student
Finance
Commission is
the fiscal and
regulatory agent**

**MOWR hours do
not count against
the HOPE cap
hours**

MOWR EOC TESTING CHANGES DURING 2017 School Year

Required of All Students	Allowed Exemption by MOWR
Ninth Grade Literature & Composition	American Literature & Composition
Coordinate Algebra or Algebra I	Physical Science
Analytic Geometry* or Geometry*	US History
Biology	Economics

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Most Common Questions

1. Can colleges set an age requirement? **Yes, up to individual college.**
2. How many terms can a student participate? **Three per year, fall, spring, summer for semester, and fall, winter, spring and summer for quarter.**
3. If a student is full-time at the high school can they still take courses through MOWR? **Yes, there is no limit to the total number of courses taken except 15 hours per college institution.**
4. Can they earn a full Carnegie unit of credit for only one semester of MOWR instruction? **Yes, if the MOWR college course is a 3 or more hour college class.**
5. Does a student have a certain time/date when they must announce they are pursuing SB2? **No, it can occur anytime during the 9—12 grades.**
6. Can they be Valedictorian or Salutatorian? SB 211—Prohibits local systems from excluding MOWR students from Valedictorian or Salutatorian determination. Became effective May, 2017.

Exception: This does not apply to a student who moves into a school system after their sophomore year and does not take any courses on site at the participating high school.

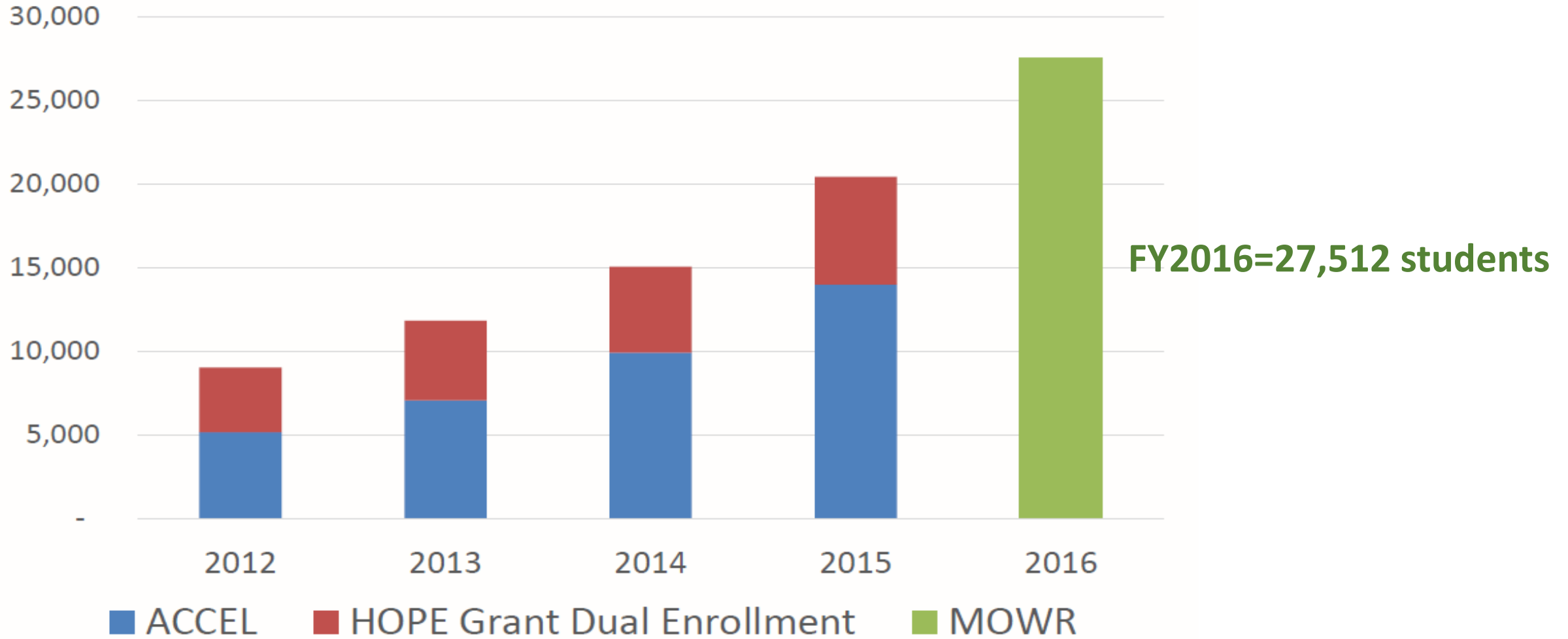


HOW DOES MOWR AFFECT JROTC?

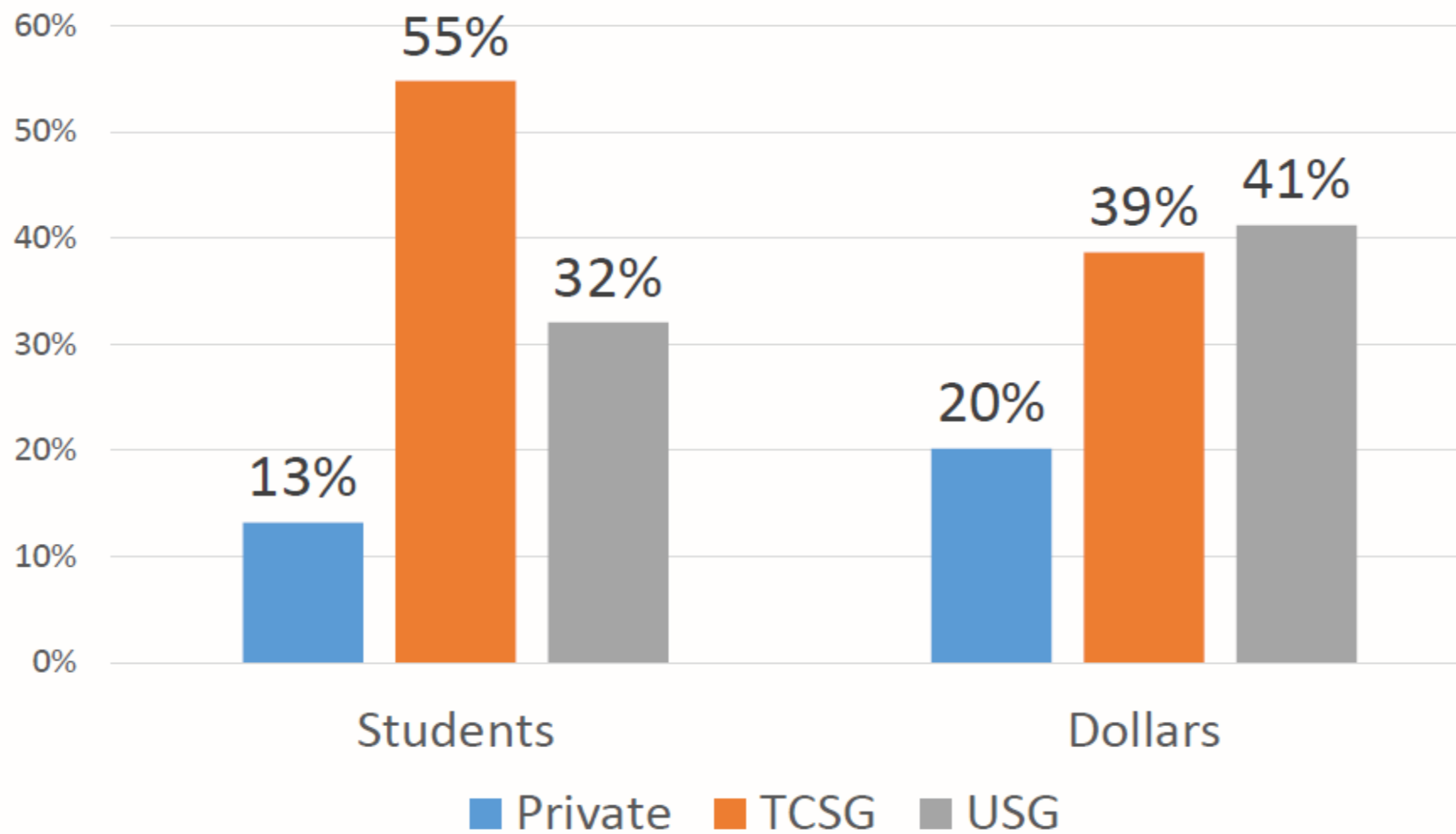


1. Becomes another option for students to look at instead of JROTC.
2. Recruiting for your program's enrollment is even more crucial.
3. Length of time students participate in JROTC could decrease.
4. Reduce student availability for after school events.

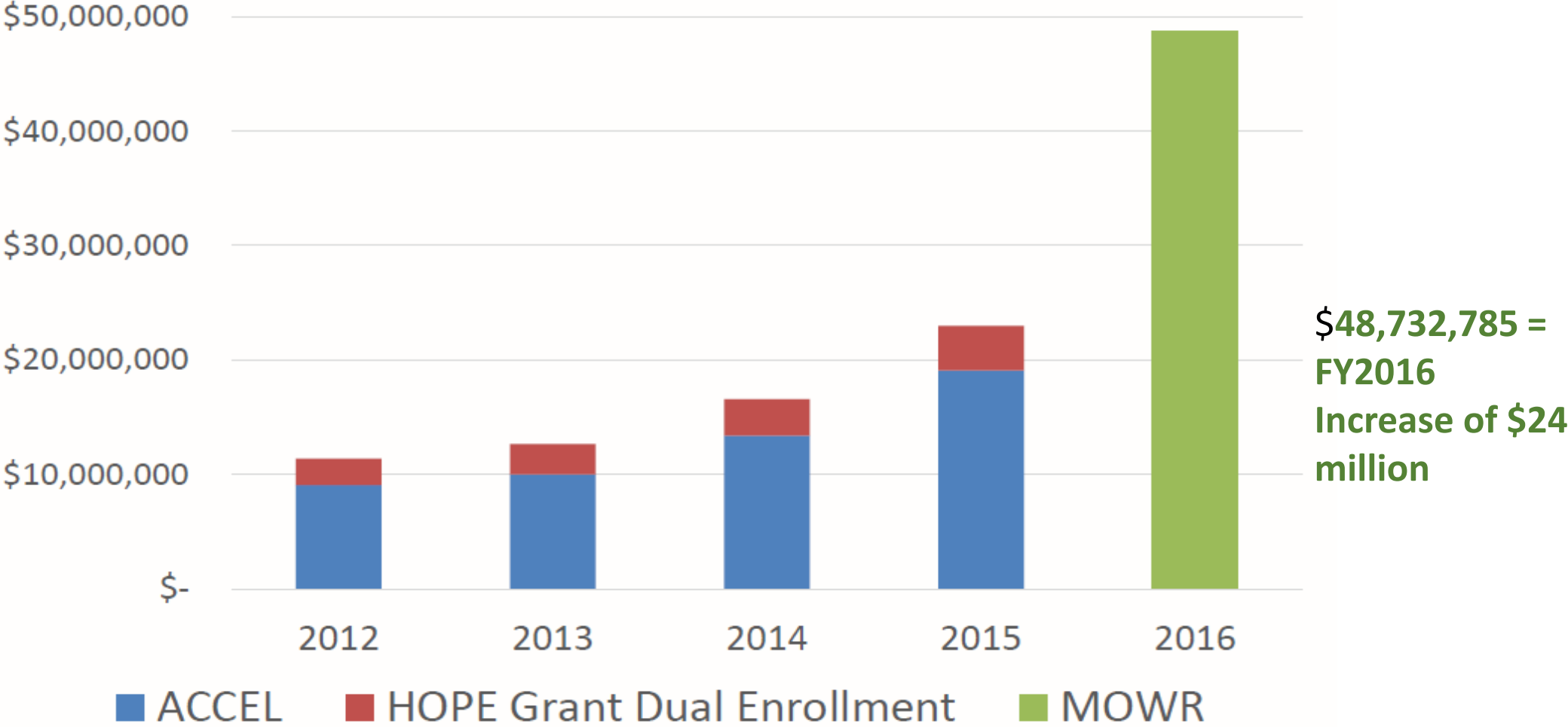
Growth in Dual Enrollment Students



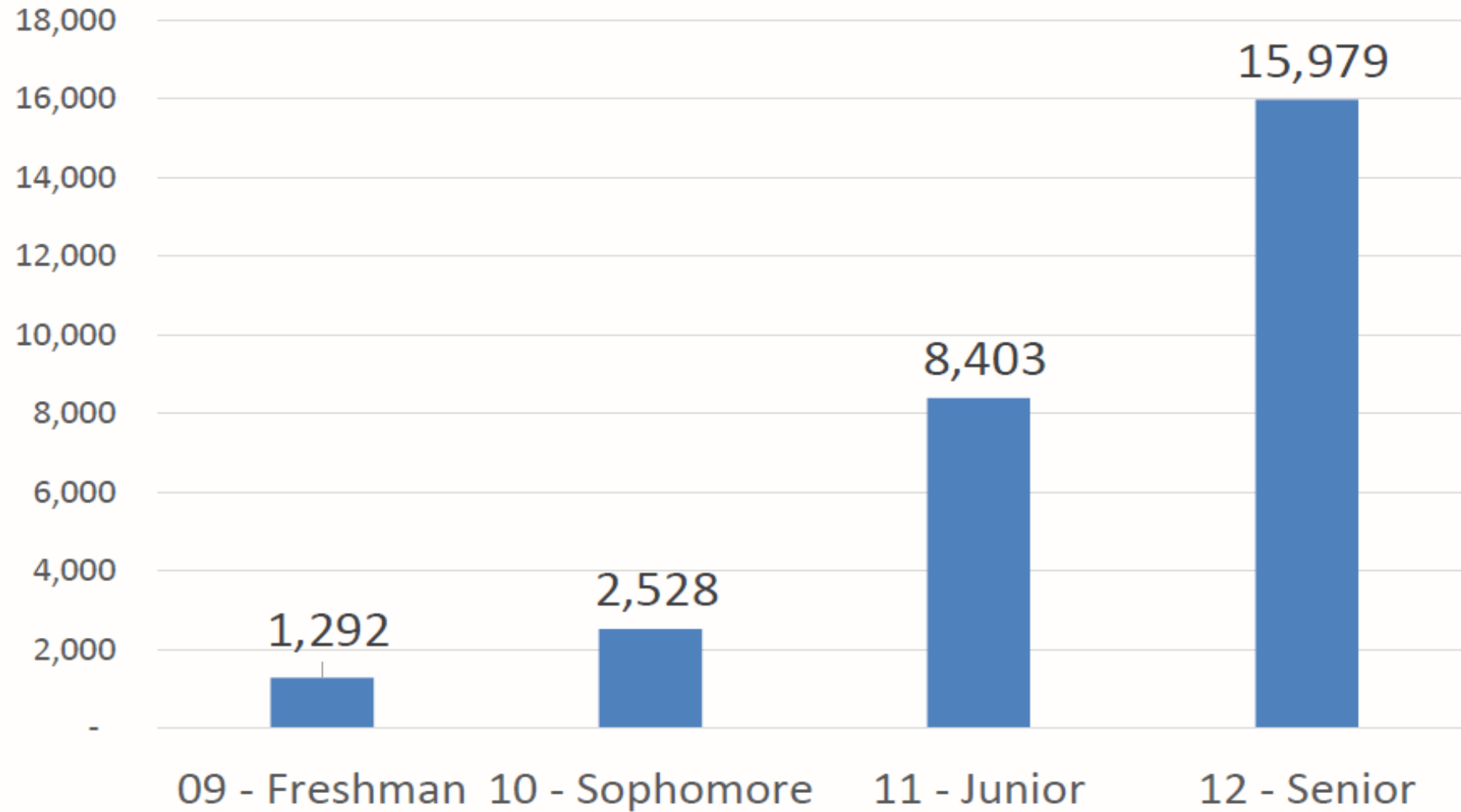
FY2016 MOWR Students and Dollars



Growth in Dual Enrollment Dollars



FY2016 MOWR Students





How Did We Do?

<http://gadoe.org/surveys/CTAE-FP5Q7ND>

