Alaska Pacific University Scorecard: Benchmarked Against Council of Independent College (CIC) Peers

	Fall 2006/ FY 2007	Fall 2007/ FY 2008	Fall 2008/ FY 2009	Fall 2009/ FY 2010	Fall 2010/ FY 2011	Fall 2011/ FY2012	Fall2012	CIC avg for schools <750 FTES	CIC median
Academic Excellence									
Collegiate Learning Assessment (CLA)[1]		91	89	68	81				
National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE)[2]									
% part-time faculty	30.2%	29.7%	24.2%	23.5%	28.3%	27.2%		24%	22.80%
Student/faculty ratio	9.9	12.1	9.0	9.6	8.5	8.5		11.8	14.0
6 year Graduation Rate[3]		34.9%	33.3%	47.8%	26.5%	46.2%		45.0%	55.3%
Minority Serving Institution (20%)		14.0%	15.0%	16.0%	19.0%	19.0%			
Graduate Employment rates [4]									
People focused									
Faculty									
Avg. Asst. Prof Salary	$45,288	$53,088	$48,564	$48,369	$50,214	$48,865		$43,036	$52,558
Avg. Assoc. Prof Salary	$54,454	$52,459	$55,735	$57,435	$58,784	$57,984		$48,009	$60,791
Avg. Prof. Salary	$66,591	$68,443	$66,779	$69,988	$72,243	$68,302		$54,691	$73,639
Staff									
Staff Salaries (-5% median for Anchorage)									
Students									
% Change in tuition		7.1%	7.6%	8.0%	8.0%	2.8%			
Discount Rate all students	28.7%	20.8%	22.4%	27.8%	30.5%	30.0%		23.7%	21.5%
Discount Rate new FT CUP freshmen								33.3%	32.2%
Total Inst. Aid per student	$2,708	$3,345	$3,817	$5,001	$5,863	$5,409		$5,774	$6,813
Avg. Inst. Aid per First Year student	$9,242	$9,842	$8,495	$13,754	$7,680	$8,459			
Unique Learning Environment									
First to second year retention (from prior fall)	69.0%	77.0%	79.0%	74.0%	67.0%	76.0%		65.0%	75.0%
Most distinctive 1st year experience [5]									
Sustainability of the triple bottom line									
People									
Full-time first time undergraduates	57	42	65	27	45	19	28	116	343
Yield on freshmen (admit to enrolled)	37.2%	48.7%	57.1%	83.3%	5.1%	42.5%		35.4%	28.9%
Student Full Time Equivalents (FTE)	524	521	597	552	529	491	500	501	1771
CUP Tuition and Fees	$19,610	$21,010	$22,610	$24,410	$26,360	$27,110		$19,705	$25,248
Profit									
Net tuition rev. per student	$13,425	$12,710	$13,189	$12,963	$13,359	$14,732		$11,828	$13,533
Percent of expenses covered by tuition	45.8%	46.5%	47.9%	46.6%	46.1%	46.5%		48.7%	63.2%
Endowment Assets per student	$89,228	$94,775	$80,673	$86,676	$89,138	$118,786		$18,602	$16,978
Total Instructional Expenses per student	$7,596	$9,952	$10,205	$9,998	$10,480	$11,541		$7,469	$7,506
Total Expenses per student	$20,908	$27,341	$27,537	$27,823	$29,010	$31,767		$24,150	$21,481
Planet									
AASHE Sustainability Resource Tracking (STARS)[6]						35			

1. CLA test-a nationally benchmarked standard- measures student progress i.e., the development of student competencies in critical thinking, analytical reasoning, problem solving, and clear, cogent communication from their freshmen to senior years. CLA score of 90 is "well above" peer averages.

2. NSSE- a nationally benchmarked survey of students- measures the five benchmarks of effective educational practices : level of academic challenge, student-faculty interaction, active learning, enriching educational experience, supportive campus environment .

3. Graduation rates of full-time, first time degree seeking undergraduate student cohort enrolled in a four-year institution until they complete their bachelor's degree at the same institution

4. http://www.alaskapacific.edu/wp-content/uploads/PGES-2012.pdf

5.http://www.alaskapacific.edu/blog/alaskas-storied-yukon-river-classroom-without-walls-students-2013/

6. Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education - STAR ratings: Bronze = 25; Silver = 45; Gold = 65; Platinum = 85