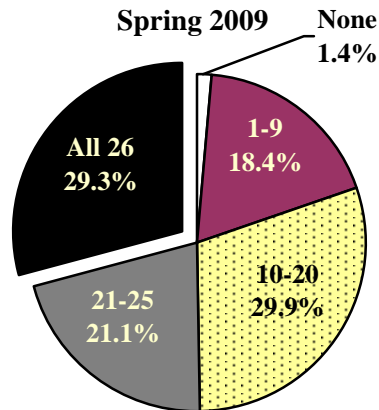
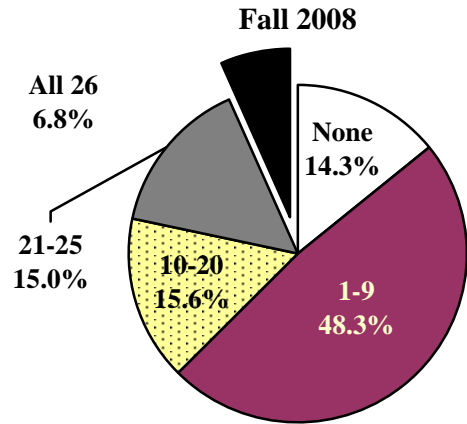


West Central: Uppercase Alphabet Recognition



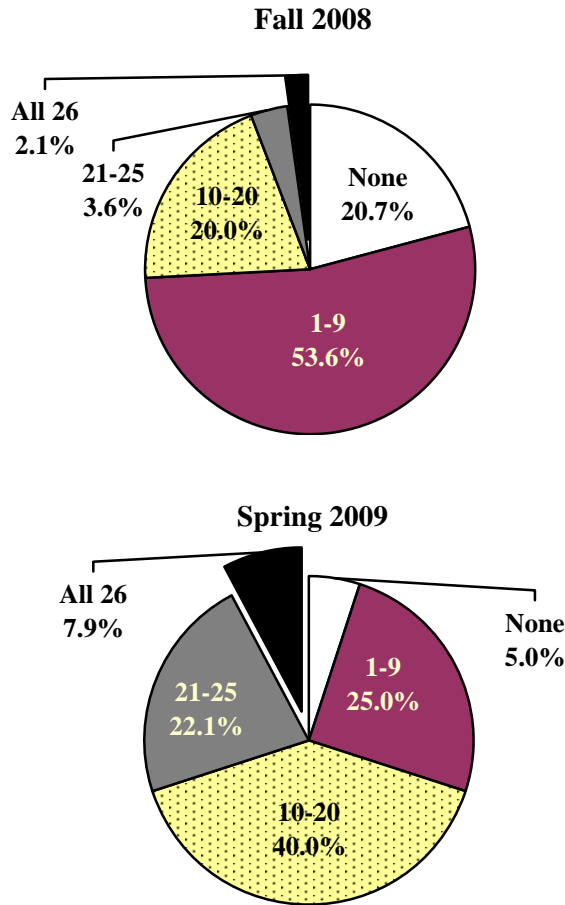
Letters	Fall 2008		Spring 2009	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
All 26	10	6.8%	43	29.3%
21-25	22	15.0%	31	21.1%
10-20	23	15.6%	44	29.9%
1-9	71	48.3%	27	18.4%
None	21	14.3%	2	1.4%
Total	147	100%	147	100%
Mean	9.6		18.0%*	

(Mean difference by demographic characteristics)

Spring Means	Students of Color			Gender		
	Color	White	Diff	Female	Male	Diff
Uppercase	19.3	17.9	1.4	19.0	17.5	1.5

* Indicates a statistically significant difference (p≤0.05).

West Central: Lowercase Alphabet Recognition



Letters	Fall 2008		Spring 2009	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
All 26	3	2.1%	11	7.9%
21-25	5	3.6%	31	22.1%
10-20	28	20.0%	56	40.0%
1-9	75	53.6%	35	25.0%
None	29	20.7%	7	5.0%
Total	140	100%	140	100%
Mean	6.3		14.4%*	

(Mean difference by demographic characteristics)

Spring Means	Students of Color			Gender		
	Color	White	Diff	Female	Male	Diff
Lowercase	17.1%	14.1%	3.0%	15.7%	13.6%	2.1%

* Indicates a statistically significant difference ($p \leq 0.05$).