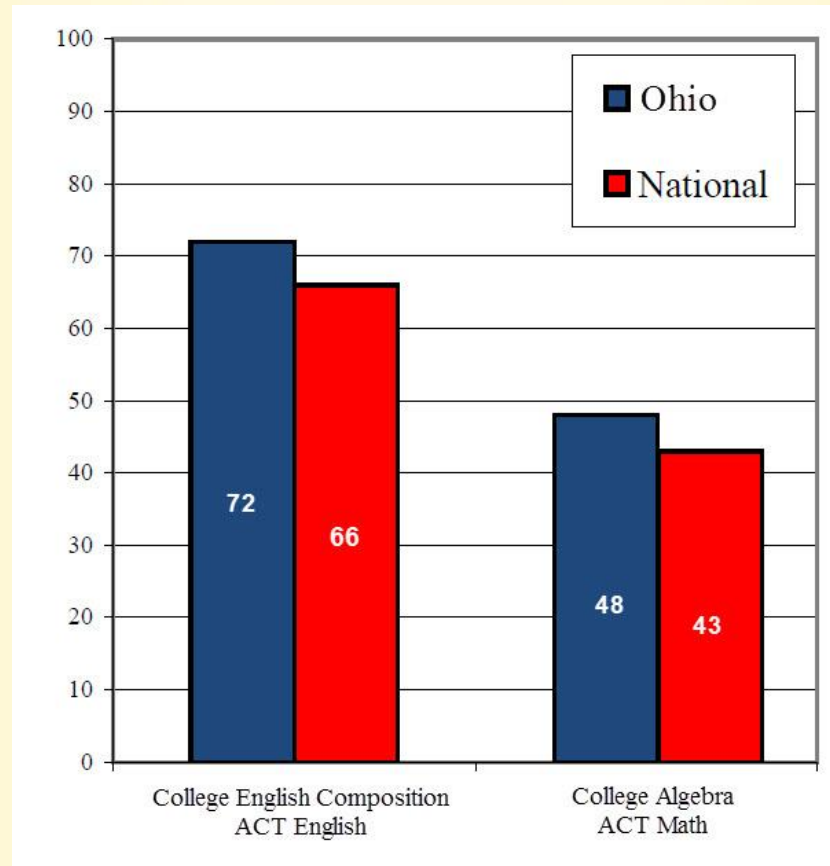


Optimizing Student Academic Success

Accountability to Students, State and Ourselves



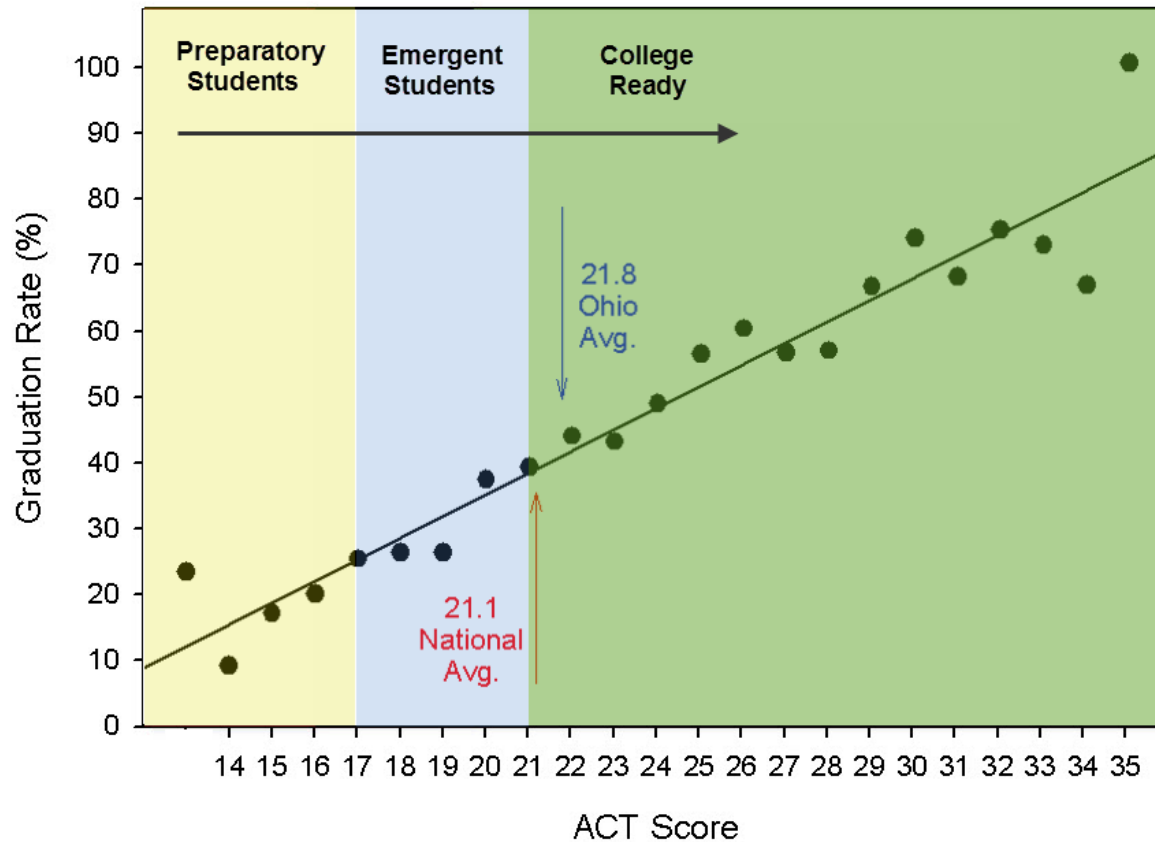
Ohio vs. National % College Readiness*



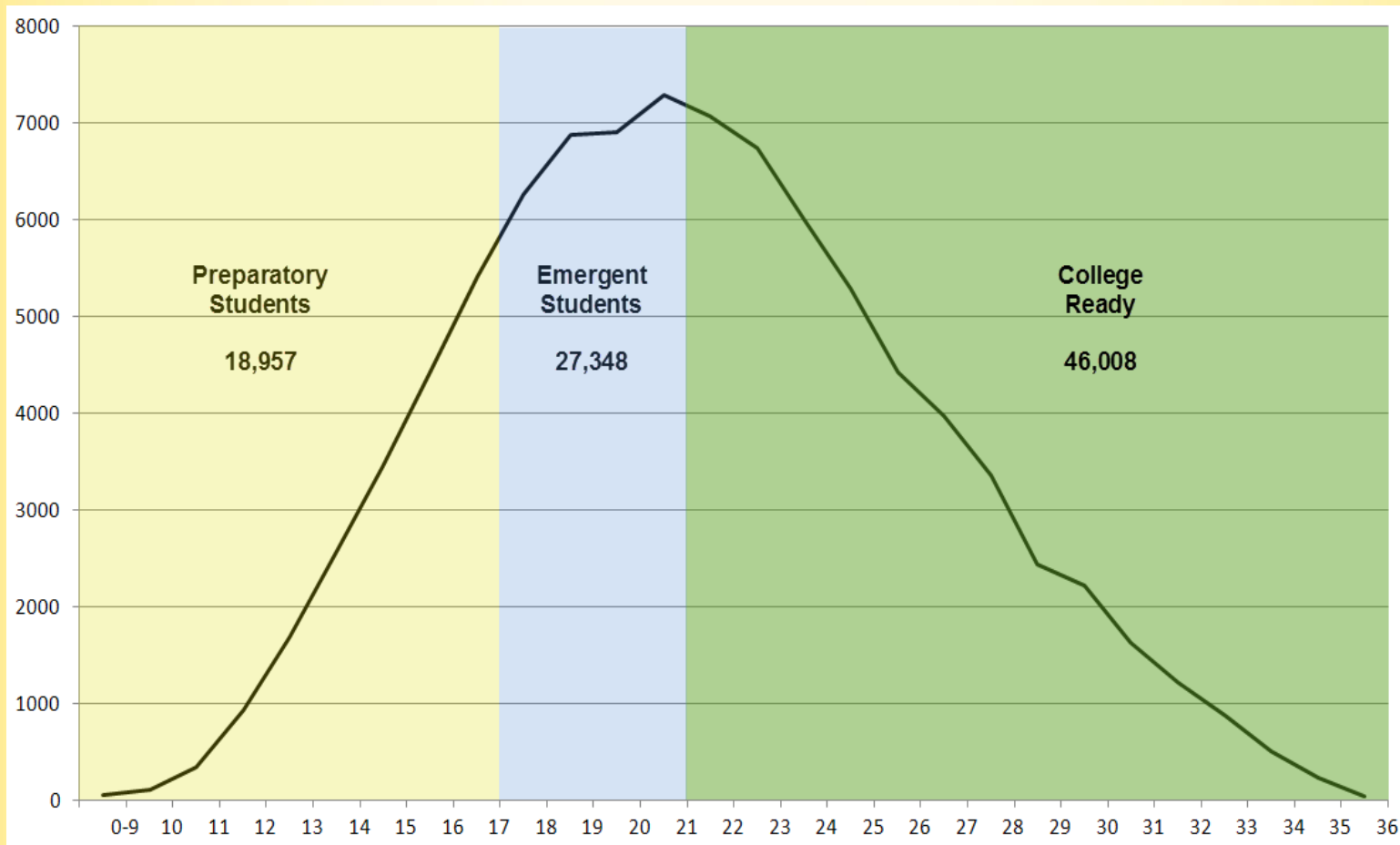
***Source: 2011 ACT Profile report; A benchmark “college-readiness” score is the minimum score needed on an ACT subject-area test to indicate a 50% chance of obtaining a B or higher or about a 75% chance of obtaining a C or higher in the corresponding credit-bearing college course.**

Preparation and Likelihood of Graduation

UA Average 6-Year Graduation Rates vs. ACT Score



Ohio ACT Profile Report: Graduating Class 2011

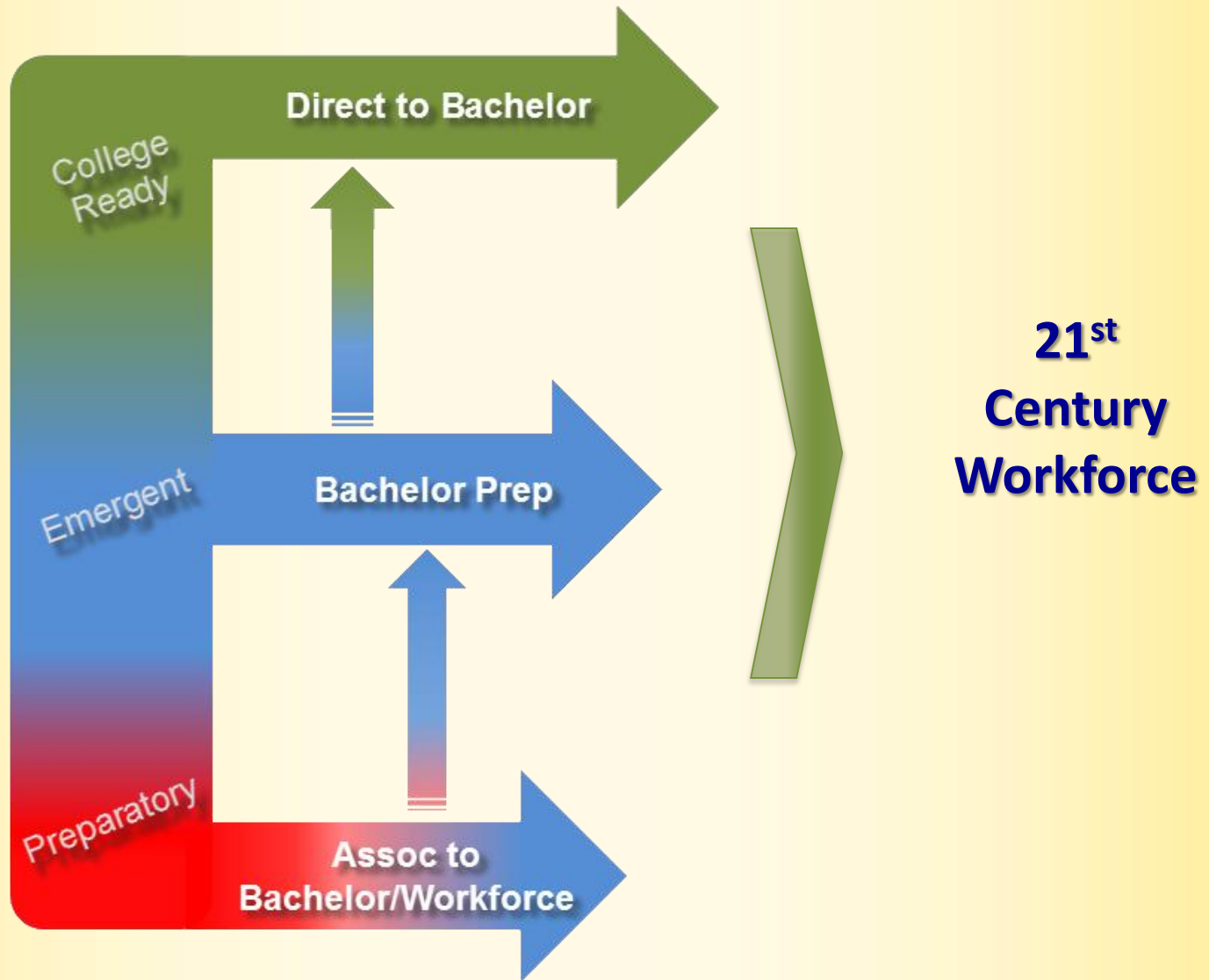


20% Preparatory

30% Emergent

50% College Ready

Inclusive Pathways to Success



Pathway to Success: College Ready

- Admit directly into majors
- Optimize success by early engagement with faculty and major
- Advising for undecided students
- Enhance learning opportunities (interdisciplinary focus; service learning; undergraduate research; global engagement; co-op)
- Accelerated-degree opportunities



Pathway to Success: Emergent Students

- Admit to UA as pre-major
- Optimize success with intensive support for major-readiness and education about college
- Identify clear pathways to major and degree programs that meet student needs
- Provide strong academic and career guidance



Pathway to Success: Preparatory Students

- Partner with community college institutions better suited to serve students' needs and to prepare them for subsequent university work
- Guaranteed acceptance based on Associate Degree completion and/or GPA performance
- Follows State recommendation
- Lower tuition resulting in lower debt
- Career-oriented programs help students enter/re-enter workforce



Living our Vision



...we shall create a better common future for students and society by leveraging our region's unique strengths, fostering economic and social vitality, and pursuing innovative solutions to major challenges