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Seamless Alignment and Integrated Learning Support: Program Overview and Update

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Remedial Education in Tennessee

- 67% Requiring No Remedial Classes
- 33% Requiring At Least One Remedial Level Course
Remedial Education & Graduation Rates

- 95%:
  - Earning a Certificate or Associate's Degree Within 3 Years
- 5%:
  - No Certificate or Degree Within 3 Years

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Remedial Education: Current Model

11th Grade
Student scores at 19 or below on ACT Mathematics

12th Grade
Student takes Bridge Math (often not connected to remedial needs)

Freshman Year, College
Student is placed into remedial mathematics.
No credit
Tuition charged
SAILS
Seamless Alignment and Integrated Learning Support

11th Grade
Student scores at 19 or below on ACT Mathematics

12th Grade
Student takes SAILS Math Dual Credit Joint w/CC and K12

Freshman Year, College
Student has completed all remediation and enters credit bearing math.

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Inside the SAILS Classroom
**SAILS Pilot: 2012**

- Anchored by four Community Colleges:
  - Chattanooga State
  - Northeast State
  - Cleveland State
  - Jackson State

- 500 Students

- 82% of students completed all remedial competences

- 25% of students went on to also complete credit-bearing math prior to graduation
SAILS Expansion: 2013

Statewide total: 8,370 Students