

# Hang in There!

As you reach the midpoint in the semester, it is a good time to think about where you are in your classes and what you need to do **NOW** to finish well. Read and reflect on the questions below, then take the **actions** you need to hang in there and earn the advantages your education will provide you.

## Assess My Progress

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| 1. How well am I doing in this class?                                    | Great | Okay | Need some help |
| 2. Am I on track to reach my goals in this class?                        |       |      | Yes No         |
| 3. Have I met with my instructor to get advice/help?                     |       |      | Yes No         |
| 4. Have I taken advantage of tutoring (if it is offered for this class)? |       |      | Yes No         |
| 5. Do I have a study partner or participate in a study group?            |       |      | Yes No         |
| 6. Did I attend any workshops on academic success?                       |       |      | Yes No         |
| 7. Do I know the campus support services available to help me?           |       |      | Yes No         |
| 8. Am I faced with any unanticipated obstacles to my course goals?       |       |      | Yes No         |

## Actions to Take

What adjustments do I need to make to assure my success in this class?

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Who could help me succeed in this class?

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What's one thing I could do today to move forward?

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## Educational Advantage

5.4% unemployment rate for those with a Bachelor's degree

7% unemployment rate for those who hold an AA degree

9.2% unemployment rate for people 25 and over with some college but no degree

