



**BOBCATS BEYOND THE CLASSROOM:
LIFE SKILLS FOR SUCCESS**



WHY THIS?
WHY
NOW?



Educate the
whole student

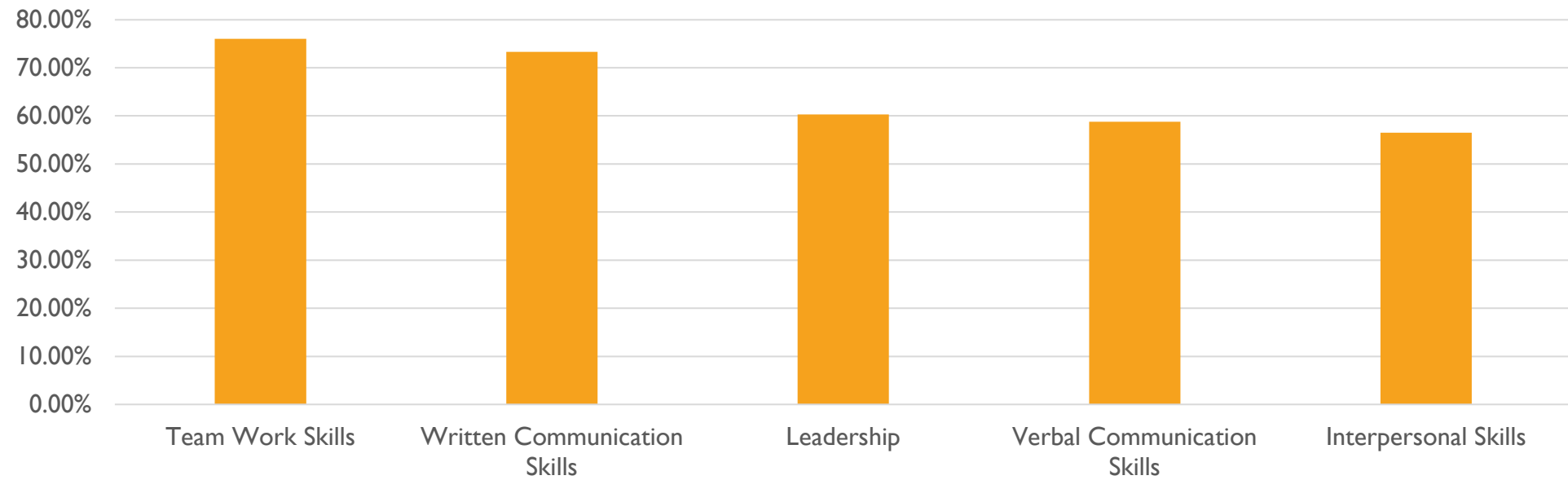
Support
and complement
GC Journeys high-
impact practices

Provide students with
the skills and experience
that employers
are seeking in
the workplace

Re-engage students in
the co-curriculum
Post COVID-
19 pandemic

Provide students with
life skills to help them
prepare for life
after Georgia College
& State University

HELPING STUDENTS DEVELOP THE SKILLS EMPLOYERS WANT





PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Each program in the system will fall into one or more of 10 categories

Students accumulate points for participation

Recognition of levels of participation within each program category

Students who complete the required number of experiences for all 10 categories are invite to join the "Green and Blue Society"

Students can track their participation on their dashboard in GC Connect



PROGRAM
CATEGORIES

Leadership Development

Communication Skills

Career Development

Mental Health and Wellbeing

Financial Literacy

Physical Health, Fitness, and Wellness

Intercultural and Global Understanding

Civic Engagement and Social Responsibility

Appreciation of the Arts

Bobcat Pride/Campus Involvement

PARTICIPATION & COMPLETION INCENTIVES

POINTS CAN BE REDEEMED FOR GCSU GEAR OR
OTHER INCENTIVES BASED ON LEVEL OF
PARTICIPATION AND POINTS ACCUMULATED



STUDENTS WHO COMPLETE THE
PROGRAM WILL:

- ❖ Gain admission to the Green and Blue Society
- ❖ Receive a cord of recognition for graduation
- ❖ Be invited to special events with employers and grad/professional schools, and alumni

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