## Santa Monica College
**Financial Aid Dependency Status**
2003-04 to 2006-07

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<td>Dependent</td>
<td>5,697 52.35%</td>
<td>4,937 43.30%</td>
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<td>5,186 47.65%</td>
<td>6,466 56.70%</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td>10,883 100.00%</td>
<td>11,403 100.00%</td>
<td>13,844 100.00%</td>
<td>13,037 100.00%</td>
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Source: California Community College Chancellor's Office MIS Data