

Budget Reduction Options

10% Reduction = \$107 million	Amount
Tuition Increase: \$10/credit hour In-state tuition would increase to \$66.50/credit hour and out-of-state to \$258.50/credit hour.	\$46 million
Basic Skills Cut Reduction would result in approximately \$240 less per student for literacy programs.	\$5 million
Additional Management Flexibility Cut If cuts are necessary, colleges need the greatest flexibility possible to implement them.	\$29 million
Categorical Reductions Eliminates or reduces funding for a number of specialized centers and programs.	\$2 million
Alternative Formula Model Move existing categorical healthcare and technical education funds into the instructional formula and revamp the funding formula to weight the amount of funding for high-cost, high-demand courses. TOTAL	\$25 million
	\$107 million



Impact of 10% Reductions

Reduced Student Access

- \$60 million spending cuts would potentially impact 16,700 FTE students and 1,000 faculty and staff positions
- For every \$10 million in spending cuts ≈ 2800 fewer FTE served
- Fewer program offerings, particularly in high cost areas
- Fewer course sections, delaying student completion

Quality Suffers

- Class sizes increase
- Increased use of part-time faculty
- Reduced student support services

Over the past three years:

- Our System has grown about 50,000 FTE or 25%.
- Our General Fund appropriation per FTE student has declined
 \$609 or 12%.