

Near North DSB

# Dual Credits

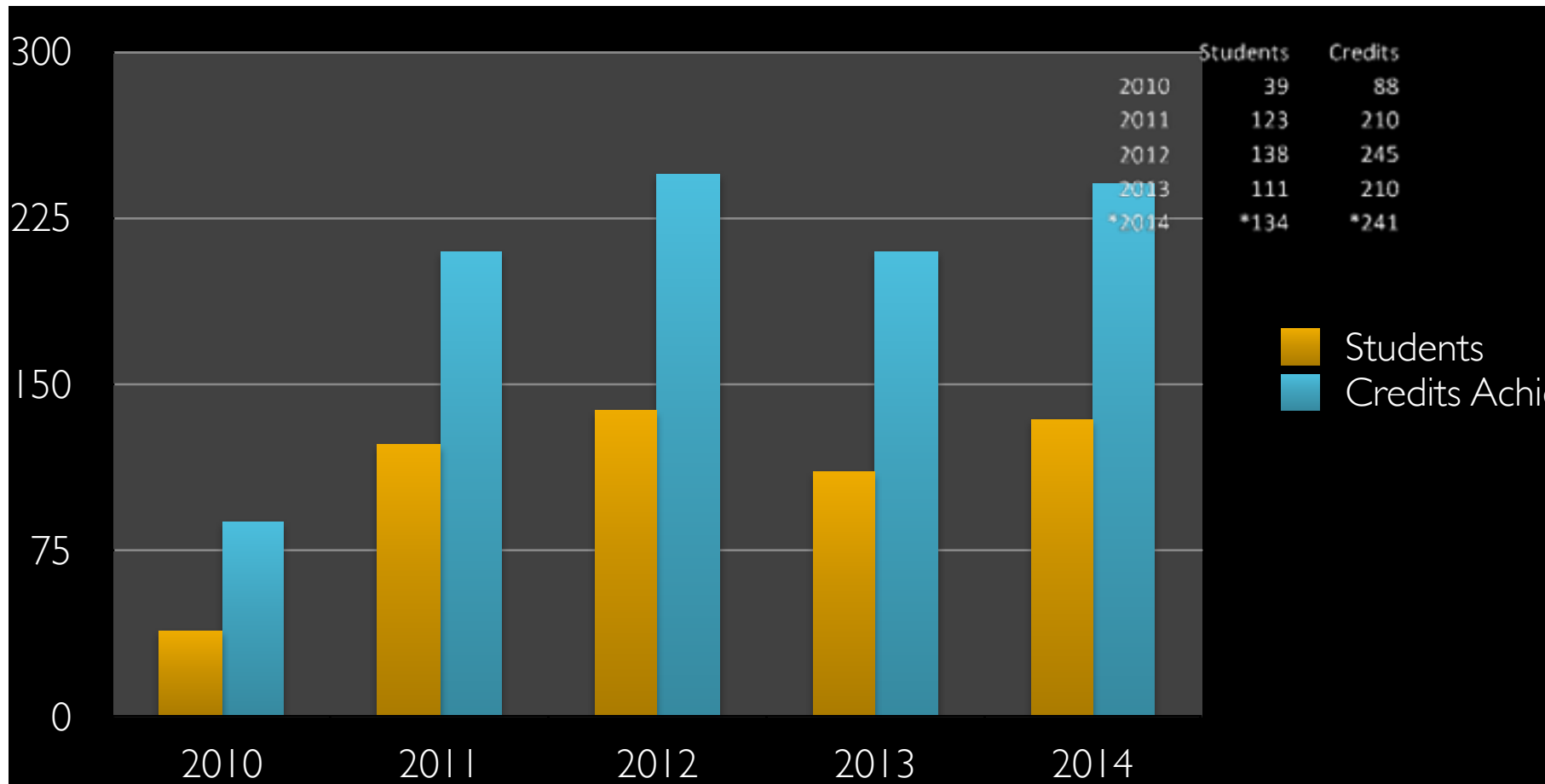
# Today's Presentation

- What are Dual Credits?
- How do Dual Credits Work?
- Dual Credit Examples
- [www.dualcredits.com](http://www.dualcredits.com)

# Dual Credits in Ontario

- All School Boards Participate in Dual Credits
- All Colleges Participate in Dual Credits
- 19,000 students in Ontario took a Dual Credit last year

# Near North DSB Enrollment 2010-2014



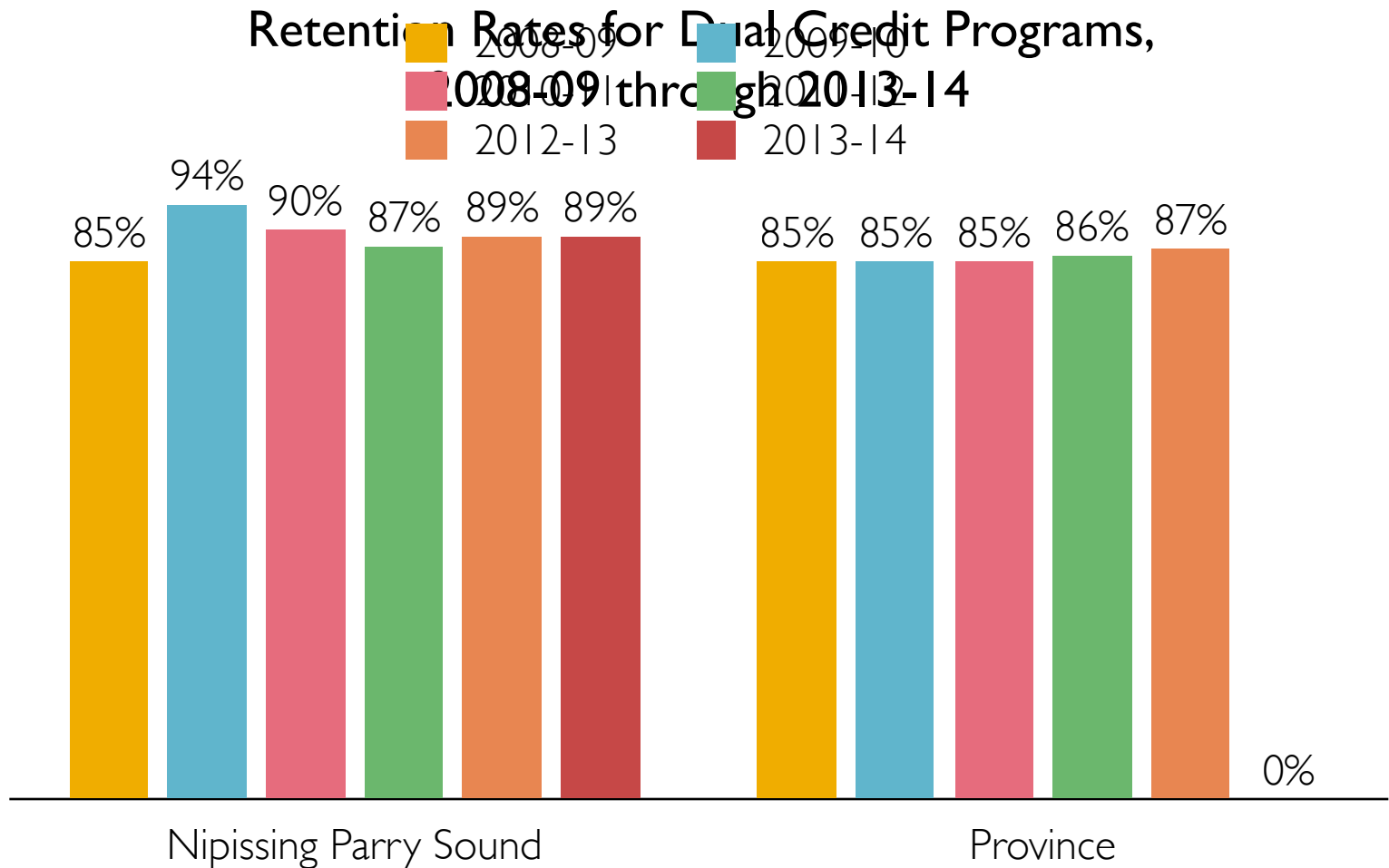
# What are Dual Credits?

- Dual Credit courses allow students who are still in secondary school to take one or more courses at a local college and earn both a high school credit toward their OSSD and a college credit from the college offering the course.
- Students are taking these courses either by “topping up” current College Programs or in a separate “congregated group.”

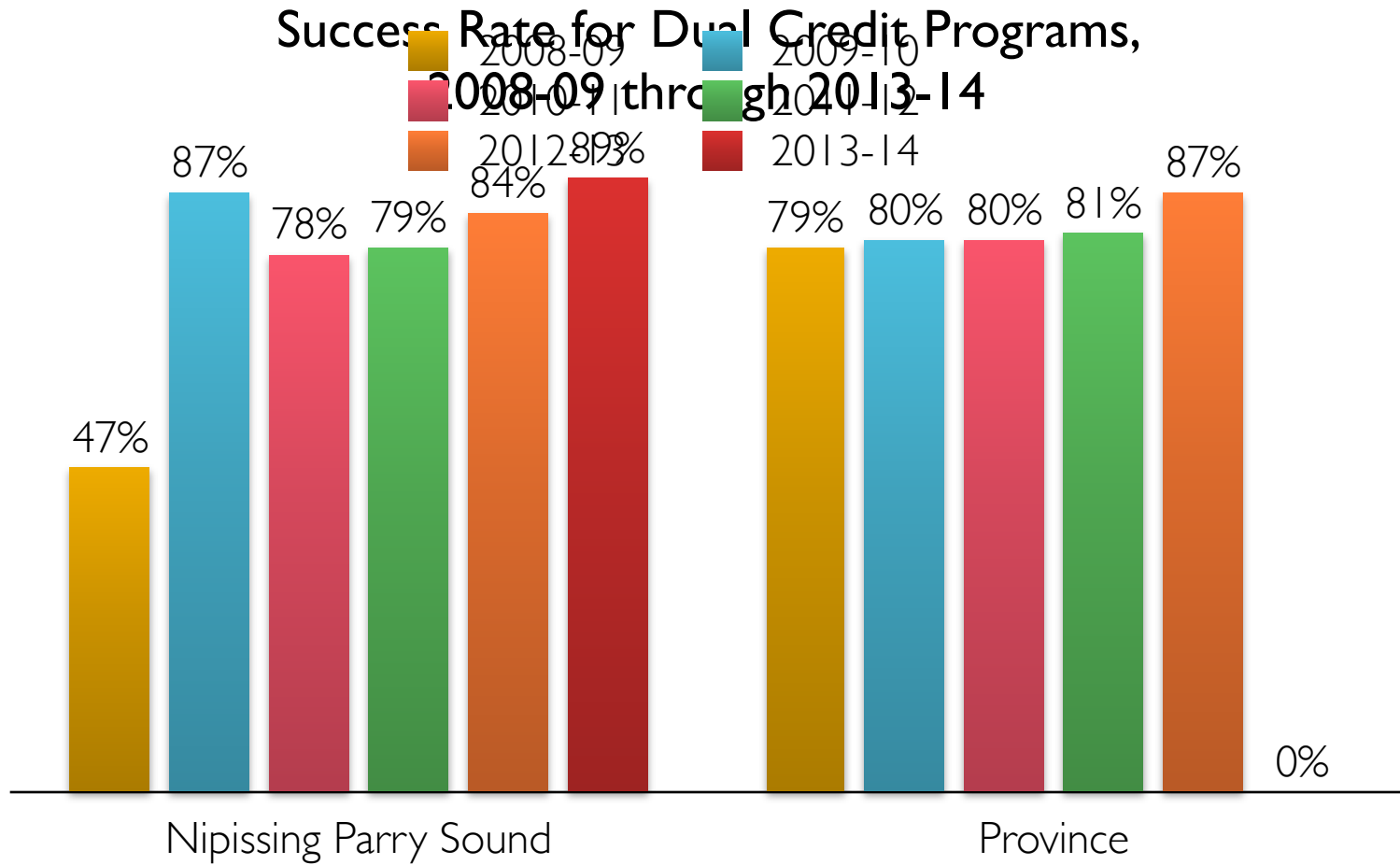
# Dual Credit Goals

- To encourage students to complete their secondary school education and to consider postsecondary education as their next step.
- To introduce students to a variety of career options within various sectors.
- To help students make appropriate career choices and choose educational pathways before they enter a postsecondary institution.
- To ease the transition from secondary school to College.

# Finish what you start.....



# Success!





# Current Apprenticeship Dual Credits

- Auto Body
- Automotive Service
- General Carpenter
- Cook

# Current Apprenticeship Dual Credits

- Small Engine Technician
- Truck and Coach Technician
- Heavy Equipment Technician
- Welder

# Current Post Secondary Dual Credits

- Electrical Techniques
- Plumbing Techniques
- Early Childhood Education
- Practical Nursing
- Counseling and Addictions Worker

# Current Post Secondary Dual Credits

- Graphic Design and Digital Photography
- Metal Fabrication / Welding Techniques
- Motive Power and Small Engine Repair Techniques
- Building Construction Techniques

# New Dual Credits in 2015-16

- Aviation
- Civil Engineering
- Ecotourism

# Funding Covers

- Student registration at College
- Transportation to and from College
- Text Books
- Lab Equipment

# Who is this for?

- Full time students in grade 11 or 12
- Students who have some interest in College as a post secondary destination
- Students in SHSM and OYAP programs
- Students who want to get a “real” sense of what post secondary looks like before making a big decision

- Description of SCWI and Dual Credits
- Valuable information with one click
  - course code and credit value
  - sample schedule
  - description of each course
  - can print copies at home or school



# Keep in mind as you plan.....

- Student must be full time to take part in Dual Credits
- Student can earn a maximum of 4 Dual Credits on their high school transcript
- Dual Credits are “Elective Credits” and cannot replace “Compulsory Credits.”

# More Information?

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