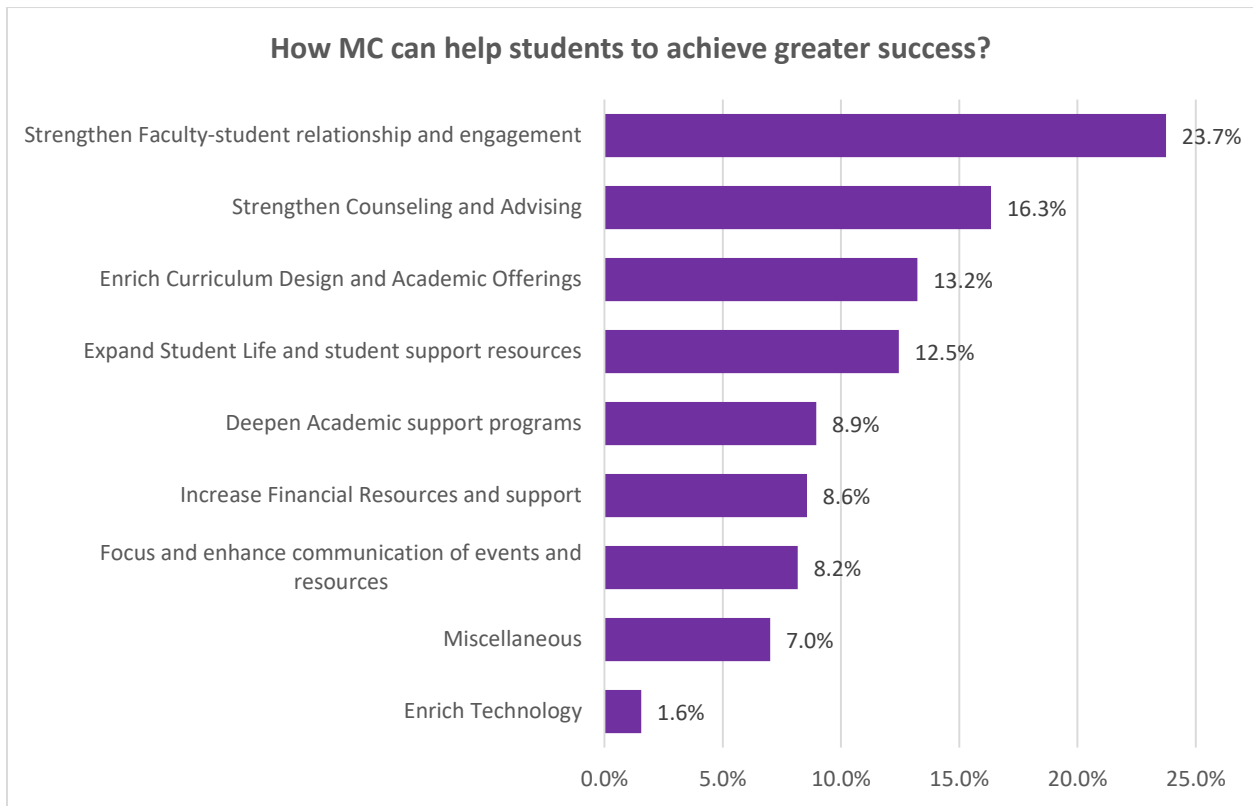


Question 3: How do you think MC can help student achieve greater success?



Detailed Description of Each Category

Strengthen Faculty-student Relationship and Engagement

- Authentic caring faculty and staff, more understanding and engaging faculty, build personal connection with MC
- Faculty who take time to talk about student work. Faculty who spend time with students before/after class
- Having faculty and staff with similar background
- Treat all students/people as equal
- Human connection
- Compassion for students whose native language is not English
- Relevant and timely feedback
- Offer incentives to engage students
- Make more course materials available on Blackboard
- Train faculty to be aware of student diversity

Strengthen Counseling and Advising

- Need more advisors and counselors – spend more time with students, face-to-face, consistent advisors
- Need understanding caring counselors
- Better counseling appointments
- Assign a dedicated counselor to each student to develop a relationship
- Enhance communication of course selection relevancy towards major/degree achievement and/or career goal
- Help students to stay engaged and focused
- Transfer advising. Guidance program in career selection and connection to professionals in the field
- Freshman STSTU – First Year Experience, /FYE
- Starfish – not working sometimes
- Make orientation, Summer Bridge program mandatory.