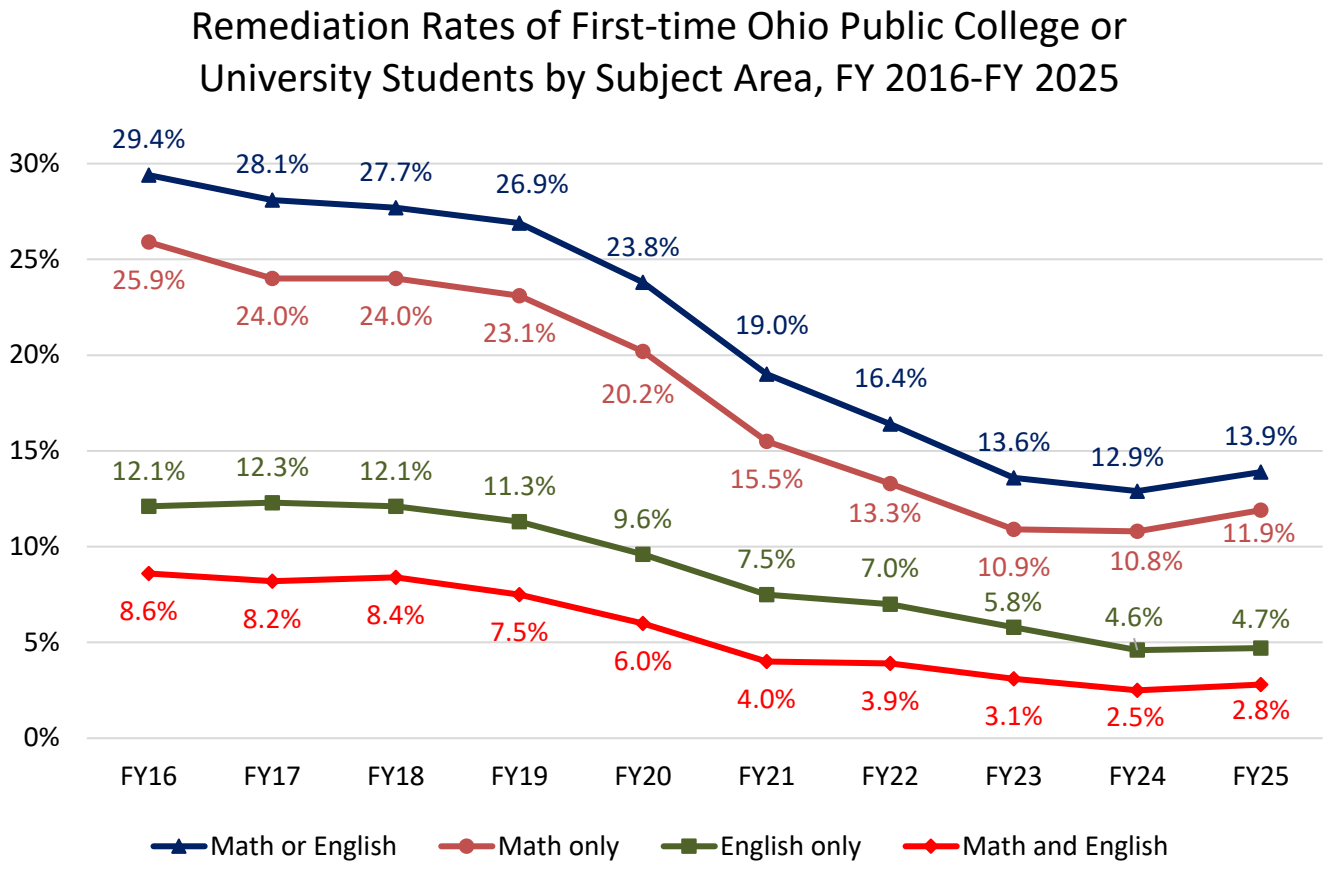
Remediation rates of first-time Ohio public college and university students increase following sustained decline



Source: Ohio departments of Education and Workforce and Higher Education's annual *Ohio Remediation Report*

- The percentage of Ohio public high school graduates enrolled for the first time in a public Ohio college or university who have taken a remedial course in either math or English (remediation rate) increased by 1.0 percentage point in FY 2025 after decreasing each year from FY 2016 to FY 2024.
- Remediation rates in more specific areas also increased:
  - 1.1 percentage points for Math only
  - 0.1 percentage points for English only
  - 0.3 percentage points for Math and English
- Despite the small increases in FY 2025, remediation rates for all subject areas decreased from FY 2016 to FY 2025:
  - 15.5 percentage points for Math or English
  - 14.0 percentage points for Math only
  - 7.4 percentage points for English only
  - 5.8 percentage points for Math and English
- Remedial courses are designed to help academically underprepared students move on to college-level coursework. However, these courses do not bear credit towards a certificate or degree, which may increase costs and time to certificate or degree completion.