

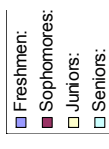
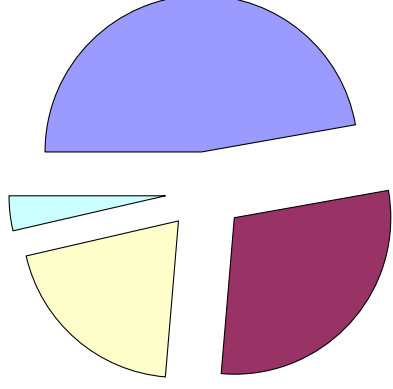
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# Introduction to Earth Science

# Class Composition by Class

- Freshmen: 52
- Sophomores: 32
- Juniors: 22
- Seniors: 4



# Philosophy

- Gatekeeper:
  - Demonstrate ability to learn and synthesize information, learn vocabulary
  - Mental capacity and ‘useless’ facts
- Tour guide/teacher:
  - The world is our only home; you are responsible
  - The world is more than south Florida
  - The world is more than the built urban environment

# Goals

- Scientific Method

# Your Academic Record

- Follows you for life
  - Work hard for good grades
- Never just ‘drop out’!
  - Make sure you are properly withdrawn