# **Student Success Analysis**

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# **Student Success Analysis - Topic Selection**

- Factors that contribute the greatest student success in K-12 education
- Reasons:
  - More education choices than ever before
  - Would different factor combinations yield greater academic success than others

### **Student Success Analysis - Data**

- National Center for Education Statistics
  - Responsible for the collection, analysis and reporting of data pertaining to education within the U.S.
  - 2019 National Household Education Surveys Program
  - Parent and Family Involvement in Education (PFI) survey
- Questions we hope to answer
  - What combination of factors yield the greatest student success?
  - How do those factors differ with different education paths?

### **Student Success Analysis - Data Exploration Phase**

- Narrowed down original csv containing categorical data to potential columns
- Removed missing or incomplete data
- Binned categories
  - 80+ different ages combined into 5 ranges
  - Homework hours combined into 4 ranges
  - Total HH income reduced to 4 ranges
- Clean dataframe written to Postgres

# **Student Success Analysis - Analysis Phase**

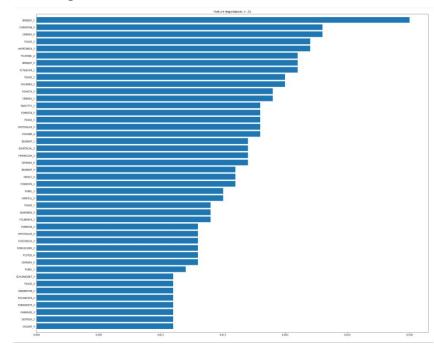
- Data split 75/25
- Tried Random Forest Classifier and Extremely Random Forest
- AdaBoost Classifier
- Noise elimination

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
fail	0.66	0.47	0.55	804
pass	0.72	0.85	0.78	1285
accuracy			0.70	2089
macro avg	0.69	0.66	0.66	2089
weighted avg	0.69	0.70	0.69	2089

Training Score: 0.6893358876117497 Testing Score: 0.7012924844423168

# **Student Success Analysis - Analysis Phase**

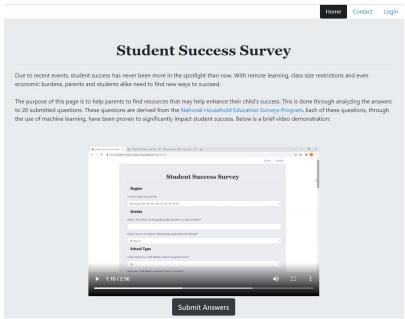
- Reviewed Feature Importances
- Reviewed findings
- Stored Features with an importance value greater than .01
- Determine features for dashboard



#### **Student Success Analysis - Dashboard**

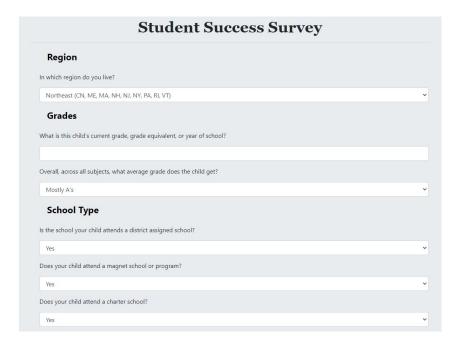
- Front end
- Backend authentication for resource management





### **Student Success Analysis - Dashboard**

Capturing responses and storing in the database



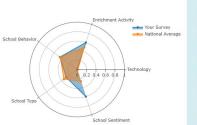
#### **Student Success Analysis - Dashboard**

- Radar chart
- Dynamic Resource links



#### Radar Chart

The chart displays your results compared to a sample of 100 students from across the country.



#### **School Sentiment**

School sentiment comprises the student's enjoyment of school, the parent/guardian level of satisfaction with the teacher and satisfication with academic standards. Listed below are resources and tools to help improve your student's level of success in these key areas.

- . How to help your child get motivated in school
- 10 ways to gets kids to love school
- What to do if your teen hates school
- Improving students' relationships with teachers has important, positive and long-lasting implications for both students' academic and social development.
- Students benefit when there are parent-school partnerships surrounding
  their school work
- Analyzing different approaches to family-school communication
- Common Core State Standards
- . "Collaborating For Success" Parent Engagement Toolkit
- 5 Ways Policy Makers Can Improve The Quality Of Education

#### School Behavior

How a child interacts with school in terms of attendance and homework plays a key role in their success. How much and how often the student commits to their studies can influence future success.

- What's the right amount of homework? Research shows homework in the appropriate amount is beneficial, especially for middle and high school.
- Research on how much homework is too much
- School absenteeism, who misses school and how much matters for

# **Student Success Analysis - Technologies**

- Technologies, languages, tools and algorithms used throughout the project
  - Excel
  - Jupyter Notebook
  - Pvthon
  - Matplotlib
  - AdaBoost Classifier
  - Heroku
  - Postgres
  - Bootstrap
  - Flask
  - SQLAlchemy
  - HTML
  - Plotly
  - Java
  - WT Forms