Q: What happens when McGill doesn't hit its own target for PhD students completing their degrees in 5 years?

A: McGill changed their benchmarks...and still fails to meet them.

Source: McGill Key Performance Indicators Reports 2014-2018
36.1% of AGSEM members have had to forego medical, dental, or optometric goods due to lack of money.

Source: 2017 AGSEM Member Survey
Almost one-third of AGSEM members work at least 11 hours a week on top of TAing and their graduate studies... that's at least 23 hours a week of work on top of grad school!

Source: 2017 AGSEM Member Survey
McGill's target funding support for international students: $38,000

2018-2019 average total funding for international students: $33,000

2018-2019 net funding (after fees) for international students: $13,456

Source: McGill Key Performance Indicators Reports 2014-2018 and Fee Schedules
McGill's target funding support for Canadian students: $28,000

2018-2019 average total international funding: $25,240

2018-2019 net funding (after fees) for international students: $21,809

Source: McGill Key Performance Indicators Reports 2014-2018 and Fee Schedules
McGill can nominate students to the PBEEE (a provincial scholarship for international students), valued at over $25,000/year.

McGill refused to nominate any students this year...and students need institutional support to apply.

Source: GPS Funding, June 10, 2019 email
Grad student funding per capita:

2008-2009: $21,094
2016-2017: $15,832

(...and this doesn't factor in inflation!)

Sources: GPS Reports, Student Aid and Scholarships Reports, McGill Senate, Enrollment Reports
TA hours per capita:

2006-2007: 67.6
2016-2017: 45.3

Sources: GPS Reports, Student Aid and Scholarships Reports, McGill Senate, Enrollment Reports