



First to Second Semester Retention:
An Introduction to the New Cohort Logic
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This report provides the background detail to the Vol. 8, No. 2, Official Retention Report. The raw cohort figures contained on these pages can become small when disaggregated by different variables. To protect student privacy, this report is for internal use only.

The new logic for defining incoming student cohorts recognizes the increasing population of students who began taking college courses in high school and also responds to changes implemented for federal reporting. High school students, which make up the majority of the difference between the old and new cohorts, have been historically excluded by virtue of their entry semester and class. These students are coded as non-degree seeking when they begin taking courses, and when they arrive on campus after graduation from high school, they are coded as returning students. Hence, this group was previously excluded from student cohorts. Secondly, the federal government further refined their cohort definition to include students who were enrolled in any summer session prior to the fall semester. Previously, the federal definition implied only second summer session enrollments should be included in the cohorts.

The new logic uses a three pass system for gathering the cohort from the official census file for enrollments (INFOCENS) as opposed to the Retention Tracking System (RTS). On the first pass all students with an entry semester of summer I, summer II, or the first semester ("##3", "##4", or "##1), and an entry status of beginner or returning student ("B" or "R"). The second pass adds students with a high school graduation date equal to the cohort year and an entry class of freshman or sophomore ("*1" or "*2"). These two passes capture the beginners while the third pass gathers transfer students by including all students with the appropriate entry semester and degree-seeking class level.

The current retention report serves as a bridge to a new report format. The old and new cohort logics are displayed for the 1997 and 1998 cohorts. The new logic relies upon existing student records files which adds many more data points to leverage in our pursuit to better understand retention and attrition. Consequently, the next report (First Semester, 1999-00) will be substantively different.

Comments and suggestions are welcomed.

Persistence to the Second Semester

	97 Cohort			98 Cohort		
	OLD	NEW	% Change	OLD	NEW	% Change
IU	83.4%	83.6%	0.2%	83.6%	83.9%	0.3%
Bloomington	94.4%	94.5%	0.1%	95.1%	95.3%	0.2%
Indianapolis	76.4%	76.5%	0.1%	74.9%	75.1%	0.2%
East	72.5%	73.0%	0.5%	73.9%	73.9%	0.0%
Fort Wayne	76.5%	76.3%	-0.2%	76.8%	77.1%	0.3%
Kokomo	73.5%	74.0%	0.5%	75.1%	76.0%	0.9%
Northwest	74.8%	74.7%	-0.1%	77.6%	78.9%	1.3%
South Bend	77.6%	77.8%	0.2%	76.9%	77.1%	0.2%
Southeast	79.2%	79.1%	-0.1%	78.1%	78.2%	0.1%

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Persistence to the Second Semester - IU

Semester by Semester Retention through Two Semesters - IU

n=	104,432	14,885	14,784	14,932	15,229	15,732	16,894	NEW
	F86-92 avg.	F93	F94	F95	F96	F97	F98	F98
Ret. 2nd	84.8%	83.8%	83.3%	82.8%	83.4%	83.4%	83.6%	83.9%
Ret. 3rd	69.9%	68.1%	67.3%	67.5%	67.8%	68.2%		

Persistence to the Second Semester

	F97	F98	97 Cohort - New Logic			98 Cohort - New Logic		
n=	15,732	16,894	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
Ret. 2nd	83.4%	83.6%	17,136	14,332	83.6%	18,395	15,442	83.9%
By Entry Status								
Beg.	85.0%	85.1%	13,504	11,495	85.1%	14,858	12,699	85.5%
Trans.	77.9%	77.4%	3,632	2,837	78.1%	3,537	2,743	77.6%
FTB (1)	89.3%	89.3%	11,321	10,128	89.5%	12,664	11,336	89.5%
By Student Type								
Trad.	88.9%	88.9%	12,393	11,120	89.7%	13,867	12,393	89.4%
N. Maj. (2)	70.2%	69.6%	4,743	3,212	67.7%	4,528	3,049	67.3%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester								
FT	88.5%	88.6%	13,603	12,075	88.8%	14,818	13,164	88.8%
< FT	63.5%	62.7%	3,533	2,257	63.9%	3,577	2,278	63.7%
By Ethnicity								
Black	79.6%	76.8%	1,197	949	79.3%	1,307	1,015	77.7%
Hispanic	84.4%	82.8%	338	287	84.9%	377	313	83.0%
Other	83.7%	84.1%	15,601	13,096	83.9%	16,711	14,114	84.5%
By Age								
<25	85.1%	85.0%	14,860	12,680	85.3%	16,190	13,835	85.5%
25-29	70.7%	70.2%	953	683	71.7%	1,011	722	71.4%
30-39	73.7%	74.4%	858	641	74.7%	760	567	74.6%
>40	68.9%	72.2%	465	328	70.5%	434	318	73.3%
By Sex								
Male	83.1%	83.3%	7,027	5,836	83.1%	7,790	6,518	83.7%
Female	83.6%	83.8%	10,109	8,496	84.0%	10,605	8,924	84.1%
By Residency								
Resident	81.9%	82.0%	14,584	12,002	82.3%	15,466	12,770	82.6%
Non-Res.	91.4%	91.4%	2,552	2,330	91.3%	2,929	2,672	91.2%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester								
3.0 - 4.0	92.7%	93.3%	6,973	6,486	93.0%	7,496	6,996	93.3%
2.0 - 2.99	92.2%	92.0%	5,762	5,321	92.3%	6,276	5,803	92.5%
< 2.0	58.0%	57.1%	4,401	2,525	57.4%	4,623	2,643	57.2%
By SAT Groups								
1200+	93.5%	95.1%	1,776	1,681	94.7%	2,171	2,057	94.7%
800-1199	80.3%	87.8%	8,036	7,095	88.3%	9,155	8,070	88.1%
400-799	87.5%	77.3%	1,125	911	81.0%	1,149	887	77.2%
No SAT	74.9%	74.4%	6,199	4,645	74.9%	5,920	4,428	74.8%

(1) FTB-Full-Time Beginner: "beginner" entry status and entry class code of A1, P1, B1, and B2.

(2) "New Majority" students are defined as freshmen > 22, sophomores > 23, juniors >24, seniors > 25, or traditional age students who are attending less than full-time.

Bloomington

Semester by Semester Retention through Two Semesters

n=	43,623	5,973	6,178	5,835	5,888	6,166	6,745	NEW
	F86-92 avg.	F93	F94	F95	F96	F97	F98	F98
Ret. 2nd	94.9%	94.8%	94.1%	94.2%	94.8%	94.4%	95.1%	95.3%
Ret. 3rd	86.1%	86.2%	84.1%	85.1%	86.7%	86.1%		

Persistence to the Second Semester

	F97	F98	97 Cohort - New Logic			98 Cohort - New Logic		
n=	6,166	6,745	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
Ret. 2nd	94.4%	95.1%	6,839	6,465	94.5%	7,448	7,098	95.3%
By Entry Status								
Beg.	95.1%	95.5%	6,102	5,810	95.2%	6,810	6,515	95.7%
Trans.	88.8%	91.0%	737	655	88.9%	638	583	91.4%
FTB (1)	95.3%	95.8%	6,042	5,764	95.4%	6,748	6,473	95.9%
By Student Type								
Trad.	94.9%	95.7%	6,609	6,284	95.1%	7,248	6,948	95.9%
N. Maj. (2)	81.6%	76.8%	230	181	78.7%	200	150	75.0%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester								
FT	94.8%	95.5%	6,740	6,397	94.9%	7,347	7,026	95.6%
< FT	66.3%	72.4%	99	68	68.7%	101	72	71.3%
By Ethnicity								
Black	93.1%	94.3%	263	246	93.5%	296	279	94.3%
Hispanic	96.1%	95.8%	133	127	95.5%	150	143	95.3%
Other	94.4%	95.1%	6,443	6,092	94.6%	7,002	6,676	95.3%
By Age								
<25	94.6%	95.4%	6,693	6,343	94.8%	7,325	7,005	95.6%
25-29	85.3%	68.6%	85	70	82.4%	71	51	71.8%
30-39	84.6%	84.0%	43	37	86.0%	29	24	82.8%
>40	81.3%	80.0%	18	15	83.3%	23	18	78.3%
By Sex								
Male	95.1%	95.1%	2,985	2,838	95.1%	3,297	3,142	95.3%
Female	93.8%	95.1%	3,854	3,627	94.1%	4,151	3,956	95.3%
By Residency								
Resident	94.2%	94.8%	4,745	4,483	94.5%	5,164	4,910	95.1%
Non-Res.	94.7%	95.6%	2,094	1,982	94.7%	2,284	2,188	95.8%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester								
3.0 - 4.0	97.5%	98.3%	3,165	3,087	97.5%	3,606	3,546	98.3%
2.0 - 2.99	96.4%	97.1%	2,674	2,577	96.4%	2,859	2,786	97.4%
< 2.0	78.6%	77.0%	1,000	801	80.1%	983	766	77.9%
By SAT Groups								
1200+	96.7%	97.4%	1,504	1,459	97.0%	1,739	1,692	97.3%
800-1199	94.4%	95.1%	4,038	3,845	95.2%	4,453	4,254	95.5%
400-799	90.7%	93.7%	125	111	88.8%	135	129	95.6%
No SAT	91.2%	91.6%	1,172	1,050	89.6%	1,121	1,023	91.3%

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Indianapolis

Semester by Semester Retention through Two Semesters

n=	24,224	3,336	3,069	3,802	4,193	4,167	4,558	NEW
	F86-92 avg.	F93	F94	F95	F96	F97	F98	F98
Ret. 2nd	78.5%	76.3%	76.4%	76.9%	75.6%	76.4%	74.9%	75.1%
Ret. 3rd	60.2%	56.8%	56.8%	58.1%	56.7%	56.4%		

Persistence to the Second Semester

	F97	F98	97 Cohort - New Logic			98 Cohort - New Logic		
n=	4,167	4,558	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
Ret. 2nd	76.4%	74.9%	4,465	3,417	76.5%	4,935	3,705	75.1%
By Entry Status								
Beg.	76.2%	74.9%	3,027	2,308	76.2%	3,545	2,664	75.1%
Trans.	76.8%	74.8%	1,438	1,109	77.1%	1,390	1,041	74.9%
FTB (1)	83.0%	80.1%	2,154	1,785	82.9%	2,576	2,067	80.2%
By Student Type								
Trad.	82.5%	79.9%	2,565	2,142	83.5%	2,941	2,377	80.8%
N. Maj. (2)	69.4%	68.6%	1,900	1,275	67.1%	1,994	1,328	66.6%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester								
FT	83.1%	79.3%	2,952	2,452	83.1%	3,347	2,697	80.6%
< FT	63.1%	67.0%	1,513	965	63.8%	1,588	1,008	63.5%
By Ethnicity								
Black	78.3%	70.4%	507	394	77.7%	574	410	71.4%
Hispanic	81.4%	77.4%	46	38	82.6%	55	43	78.2%
Other	76.1%	75.4%	3,912	2,985	76.3%	4,306	3,252	75.5%
By Age								
<25	77.2%	75.4%	3,575	2,755	77.1%	4,012	3,030	75.5%
25-29	70.8%	70.8%	418	305	73.0%	473	340	71.9%
30-39	75.2%	71.5%	323	243	75.2%	324	235	72.5%
>40	73.5%	78.9%	149	114	76.5%	126	100	79.4%
By Sex								
Male	74.5%	75.2%	1,901	1,413	74.3%	2,205	1,660	75.3%
Female	77.9%	74.6%	2,564	2,004	78.2%	2,730	2,045	74.9%
By Residency								
Resident	76.3%	74.6%	4,296	3,284	76.4%	4,747	3,552	74.8%
Non-Res.	78.9%	81.2%	169	133	78.7%	188	153	81.4%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester								
3.0 - 4.0	89.6%	89.2%	1,639	1,478	90.2%	1,711	1,529	89.4%
2.0 - 2.99	89.4%	87.7%	1,359	1,217	89.6%	1,558	1,371	88.0%
< 2.0	51.0%	49.1%	1,467	722	49.2%	1,666	805	48.3%
By SAT Groups								
1200+	73.4%	87.5%	117	95	81.2%	181	158	87.3%
800-1199	80.5%	79.8%	1,518	1,237	81.5%	2,089	1,664	79.7%
400-799	81.2%	70.9%	347	290	83.6%	474	337	71.1%
No SAT	72.2%	70.2%	2,483	1,795	72.3%	2,191	1,546	70.6%

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East

Semester by Semester Retention through Two Semesters

n=	3,186	522	500	540	506	516	482	NEW
	F86-92 avg.	F93	F94	F95	F96	F97	F98	F98
Ret. 2nd	73.4%	73.9%	70.2%	67.4%	71.9%	72.5%	73.9%	73.9%
Ret. 3rd	51.6%	52.1%	48.4%	48.3%	54.1%	54.2%		

Persistence to the Second Semester

	F97	F98	97 Cohort - New Logic			98 Cohort - New Logic		
n=	516	482	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
Ret. 2nd	72.5%	73.9%	562	410	73.0%	510	377	73.9%
By Entry Status								
Beg.	72.7%	74.3%	465	341	73.3%	387	287	74.2%
Trans.	71.6%	72.6%	97	69	71.1%	123	90	73.2%
FTB (1)	77.7%	86.5%	278	218	78.4%	231	199	86.1%
By Student Type								
Trad.	75.2%	82.8%	252	196	77.8%	238	201	84.5%
N. Maj. (2)	70.4%	67.6%	310	214	69.0%	272	176	64.7%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester								
FT	76.3%	83.9%	320	246	76.9%	287	246	85.7%
< FT	67.6%	63.8%	242	164	67.8%	223	131	58.7%
By Ethnicity								
Black	86.7%	52.0%	17	15	88.2%	27	14	51.9%
Hispanic	66.7%	100.0%	3	2	66.7%	3	3	100.0%
Other	72.1%	74.9%	542	393	72.5%	480	360	75.0%
By Age								
<25	73.8%	74.9%	411	305	74.2%	355	267	75.2%
25-29	65.9%	72.9%	41	30	73.2%	48	34	70.8%
30-39	76.3%	76.5%	69	49	71.0%	59	45	76.3%
>40	58.8%	64.4%	41	26	63.4%	48	31	64.6%
By Sex								
Male	72.3%	67.8%	166	119	71.7%	182	124	68.1%
Female	72.6%	77.3%	396	291	73.5%	328	253	77.1%
By Residency								
Resident	72.3%	74.2%	530	386	72.8%	473	351	74.2%
Non-Res.	75.0%	70.3%	32	24	75.0%	37	26	70.3%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester								
3.0 - 4.0	85.9%	85.4%	213	184	86.4%	206	179	86.9%
2.0 - 2.99	87.4%	89.1%	114	100	87.7%	127	112	88.2%
< 2.0	54.3%	50.3%	235	126	53.6%	177	86	48.6%
By SAT Groups								
1200+	50.0%	80.0%	8	6	75.0%	5	4	80.0%
800-1199	82.0%	87.5%	193	157	81.3%	140	121	86.4%
400-799	68.0%	77.8%	69	51	73.9%	51	38	74.5%
No SAT	68.5%	67.7%	292	196	67.1%	314	214	68.2%

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Fort Wayne (IU Students Only)

Semester by Semester Retention through Two Semesters

n=	7,650	1,057	1,279	1,235	1,276	1,020	1,350	NEW
	F86-92 avg.	F93	F94	F95	F96	F97	F98	F98
Ret. 2nd	75.8%	79.1%	74.6%	74.4%	77.0%	76.5%	76.8%	77.1%
Ret. 3rd	58.3%	56.7%	54.6%	56.9%	54.1%	56.6%		

Persistence to the Second Semester

	F97	F98	97 Cohort - New Logic			98 Cohort - New Logic		
n=	1,020	1,350	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
Ret. 2nd	76.5%	76.8%	1,446	1,104	76.3%	1,461	1,126	77.1%
By Entry Status								
Beg.	78.7%	79.8%	976	764	78.3%	973	782	80.4%
Trans.	72.5%	71.5%	470	340	72.3%	488	344	70.5%
FTB (1)	83.5%	84.3%	760	633	83.3%	777	656	84.4%
By Student Type								
Trad.	82.6%	82.6%	828	697	84.2%	913	760	83.2%
N. Maj. (2)	68.3%	68.5%	618	407	65.9%	548	366	66.8%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester								
FT	83.6%	82.6%	998	834	83.6%	1,017	851	83.7%
< FT	60.1%	66.0%	448	270	60.3%	444	275	61.9%
By Ethnicity								
Black	73.0%	79.0%	78	56	71.8%	71	57	80.3%
Hispanic	81.3%	65.6%	32	26	81.3%	34	21	61.8%
Other	76.6%	77.0%	1,336	1,022	76.5%	1,356	1,048	77.3%
By Age								
<25	77.8%	78.0%	1,156	897	77.6%	1,182	924	78.2%
25-29	69.3%	65.6%	126	88	69.8%	109	74	67.9%
30-39	70.5%	76.2%	104	78	75.0%	105	78	74.3%
>40	73.5%	72.2%	60	41	68.3%	65	50	76.9%
By Sex								
Male	74.0%	76.3%	585	431	73.7%	616	472	76.6%
Female	78.3%	77.2%	861	673	78.2%	845	654	77.4%
By Residency								
Resident	77.0%	77.1%	1,376	1,057	76.8%	1,353	1,045	77.2%
Non-Res.	67.2%	73.2%	70	47	67.1%	108	81	75.0%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester								
3.0 - 4.0	84.5%	84.7%	580	492	84.8%	538	453	84.2%
2.0 - 2.99	87.5%	86.9%	459	402	87.6%	479	426	88.9%
< 2.0	53.7%	56.6%	407	210	51.6%	444	247	55.6%
By SAT Groups								
1200+	96.4%	83.0%	33	31	93.9%	61	51	83.6%
800-1199	81.3%	81.3%	628	510	81.2%	658	533	81.0%
400-799	81.7%	79.3%	92	75	81.5%	85	68	80.0%
No SAT	70.2%	71.0%	693	488	70.4%	657	474	72.1%

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Kokomo

Semester by Semester Retention through Two Semesters

n=	4,834	708	668	572	572	616	607	NEW
	F86-92 avg.	F93	F94	F95	F96	F97	F98	F98
Ret. 2nd	76.9%	74.6%	68.9%	72.4%	71.9%	73.5%	75.1%	76.0%
Ret. 3rd	54.5%	50.4%	46.1%	49.7%	48.4%	51.3%		

Persistence to the Second Semester

	F97	F98	97 Cohort - New Logic			98 Cohort - New Logic		
n=	616	607	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
Ret. 2nd	73.5%	75.1%	666	493	74.0%	645	490	76.0%
By Entry Status								
Beg.	76.5%	75.4%	501	385	76.8%	505	386	76.4%
Trans.	65.2%	74.2%	165	108	65.5%	140	104	74.3%
FTB (1)	78.1%	81.5%	306	241	78.8%	334	272	81.4%
By Student Type								
Trad.	76.0%	79.5%	322	257	79.8%	359	288	80.2%
N. Maj. (2)	71.5%	70.7%	344	236	68.6%	286	202	70.6%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester								
FT	77.9%	79.3%	380	298	78.4%	396	321	81.1%
< FT	67.8%	70.1%	286	195	68.2%	249	169	67.9%
By Ethnicity								
Black	76.9%	72.7%	27	21	77.8%	11	9	81.8%
Hispanic	77.8%	80.0%	9	7	77.8%	14	12	85.7%
Other	73.3%	75.0%	630	465	73.8%	620	469	75.6%
By Age								
<25	75.2%	75.0%	529	398	75.2%	533	402	75.4%
25-29	62.2%	78.6%	43	28	65.1%	49	40	81.6%
30-39	68.3%	80.0%	66	47	71.2%	37	32	86.5%
>40	69.6%	61.1%	28	20	71.4%	26	16	61.5%
By Sex								
Male	70.2%	67.8%	232	162	69.8%	212	148	69.8%
Female	75.3%	78.9%	434	331	76.3%	433	342	79.0%
By Residency								
Resident	73.9%	75.8%	646	480	74.3%	622	478	76.8%
Non-Res.	63.2%	52.9%	20	13	65.0%	23	12	52.2%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester								
3.0 - 4.0	89.1%	90.1%	259	232	89.6%	250	225	90.0%
2.0 - 2.99	81.2%	87.8%	204	170	83.3%	211	186	88.2%
< 2.0	45.7%	41.9%	203	91	44.8%	184	79	42.9%
By SAT Groups								
1200+	66.7%	71.4%	18	13	72.2%	20	15	75.0%
800-1199	78.6%	80.1%	253	194	76.7%	271	222	81.9%
400-799	76.6%	75.0%	83	66	79.5%	55	41	74.5%
No SAT	68.9%	70.8%	312	220	70.5%	299	212	70.9%

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Northwest

Semester by Semester Retention through Two Semesters

n=	6,808	1,095	1,054	904	844	845	794	NEW
	F86-92 avg.	F93	F94	F95	F96	F97	F98	F98
Ret. 2nd	78.4%	78.8%	79.3%	78.2%	80.9%	74.8%	77.6%	78.9%
Ret. 3rd	59.2%	58.4%	60.8%	56.9%	56.9%	52.4%		

Persistence to the Second Semester

	F97	F98	97 Cohort - New Logic			98 Cohort - New Logic		
n=	845	794	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
Ret. 2nd	74.8%	77.6%	906	677	74.7%	862	680	78.9%
By Entry Status								
Beg.	75.7%	77.4%	687	518	75.4%	674	534	79.2%
Trans.	72.2%	78.1%	219	159	72.6%	188	146	77.7%
FTB (1)	81.4%	82.4%	508	414	81.5%	537	448	83.4%
By Student Type								
Trad.	79.8%	81.0%	523	431	82.4%	575	477	83.0%
N. Maj. (2)	68.1%	72.0%	383	246	64.2%	287	203	70.7%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester								
FT	80.5%	81.0%	635	512	80.6%	640	534	83.4%
< FT	60.7%	70.0%	271	165	60.9%	222	146	65.8%
By Ethnicity								
Black	71.2%	77.1%	198	141	71.2%	206	163	79.1%
Hispanic	74.4%	75.7%	85	65	76.5%	77	59	76.6%
Other	76.0%	78.0%	623	471	75.6%	579	458	79.1%
By Age								
<25	76.2%	78.9%	716	547	76.4%	708	566	79.9%
25-29	69.2%	73.1%	67	44	65.7%	61	46	75.4%
30-39	71.4%	76.1%	78	56	71.8%	51	41	80.4%
>40	62.9%	61.8%	45	30	66.7%	42	27	64.3%
By Sex								
Male	70.2%	76.7%	290	203	70.0%	268	206	76.9%
Female	77.0%	78.0%	616	474	76.9%	594	474	79.8%
By Residency								
Resident	74.8%	77.5%	891	666	74.7%	850	672	79.1%
Non-Res.	73.3%	81.8%	15	11	73.3%	12	8	66.7%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester								
3.0 - 4.0	89.7%	89.7%	260	234	90.0%	260	235	90.4%
2.0 - 2.99	90.7%	86.0%	286	262	91.6%	294	256	87.1%
< 2.0	52.0%	59.5%	360	181	50.3%	308	189	61.4%
By SAT Groups								
1200+	61.9%	77.4%	22	14	63.6%	33	26	78.8%
800-1199	78.5%	81.9%	462	367	79.4%	446	371	83.2%
400-799	74.6%	75.3%	155	111	71.6%	176	131	74.4%
No SAT	70.0%	70.7%	267	185	69.3%	207	152	73.4%

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South Bend

Semester by Semester Retention through Two Semesters

n=	7,039	1,138	1,081	1,109	1,015	1,103	1,237	NEW
	F86-92 avg.	F93	F94	F95	F96	F97	F98	F98
Ret. 2nd	76.5%	73.4%	77.2%	74.0%	76.1%	77.6%	76.9%	77.1%
Ret. 3rd	56.7%	57.6%	56.7%	54.2%	55.3%	60.6%		

Persistence to the Second Semester

	F97	F98	97 Cohort - New Logic			98 Cohort - New Logic		
n=	1,103	1,237	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
Ret. 2nd	77.6%	76.9%	1,182	920	77.8%	1,329	1,024	77.1%
By Entry Status								
Beg.	77.6%	78.1%	843	656	77.8%	984	766	77.8%
Trans.	77.6%	73.6%	339	264	77.9%	345	258	74.8%
FTB (1)	82.6%	83.6%	631	524	83.0%	734	610	83.1%
By Student Type								
Trad.	82.5%	82.3%	653	552	84.5%	811	678	83.6%
N. Maj. (2)	71.6%	70.1%	529	368	69.6%	518	346	66.8%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester								
FT	83.3%	81.3%	838	701	83.7%	931	771	82.8%
< FT	63.8%	68.9%	344	219	63.7%	398	253	63.6%
By Ethnicity								
Black	72.7%	73.5%	70	51	72.9%	86	63	73.3%
Hispanic	70.0%	74.2%	22	16	72.7%	35	27	77.1%
Other	78.1%	77.2%	1,090	853	78.3%	1,208	934	77.3%
By Age								
<25	79.3%	78.0%	913	724	79.3%	1,078	845	78.4%
25-29	68.7%	65.6%	113	78	69.0%	115	75	65.2%
30-39	76.3%	75.0%	102	80	78.4%	91	68	74.7%
>40	67.4%	78.9%	54	38	70.4%	45	36	80.0%
By Sex								
Male	76.8%	74.3%	449	346	77.1%	502	377	75.1%
Female	78.1%	78.5%	733	574	78.3%	827	647	78.2%
By Residency								
Resident	77.3%	77.2%	1,090	845	77.5%	1,221	945	77.4%
Non-Res.	81.1%	73.3%	92	75	81.5%	108	79	73.1%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester								
3.0 - 4.0	89.3%	88.7%	446	403	90.4%	498	443	89.0%
2.0 - 2.99	88.4%	89.4%	334	295	88.3%	365	326	89.3%
< 2.0	57.6%	55.4%	402	222	55.2%	466	255	54.7%
By SAT Groups								
1200+	75.6%	82.4%	46	36	78.3%	87	71	81.6%
800-1199	80.1%	80.6%	501	403	80.4%	589	478	81.2%
400-799	81.2%	87.3%	125	103	82.4%	59	52	88.1%
No SAT	74.4%	70.6%	510	378	74.1%	594	423	71.2%

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Southeast

Semester by Semester Retention through Two Semesters

n=	7,068	1,056	954	935	935	986	1,121	NEW
	F86-92 avg.	F93	F94	F95	F96	F97	F98	F98
Ret. 2nd	78.8%	77.7%	75.4%	76.8%	78.2%	79.2%	78.1%	78.2%
Ret. 3rd	58.6%	54.5%	53.5%	57.9%	60.3%	61.1%		

Persistence to the Second Semester

	F97	F98	97 Cohort - New Logic			98 Cohort - New Logic		
n=	986	1,121	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
Ret. 2nd	79.2%	78.1%	1,070	846	79.1%	1,205	942	78.2%
By Entry Status								
Beg.	79.3%	77.9%	903	713	79.0%	980	765	78.1%
Trans.	78.8%	79.0%	167	133	79.6%	225	177	78.7%
FTB (1)	85.6%	84.2%	642	549	85.5%	727	611	84.0%
By Student Type								
Trad.	86.0%	83.6%	641	561	87.5%	782	664	84.9%
N. Maj. (2)	69.5%	70.1%	429	285	66.4%	423	278	65.7%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester								
FT	85.8%	83.0%	740	635	85.8%	853	718	84.2%
< FT	64.5%	69.1%	330	211	63.9%	352	224	63.6%
By Ethnicity								
Black	71.4%	55.6%	37	25	67.6%	36	20	55.6%
Hispanic	75.0%	50.0%	8	6	75.0%	9	5	55.6%
Other	79.5%	79.1%	1,025	815	79.5%	1,160	917	79.1%
By Age								
<25	82.3%	79.5%	867	711	82.0%	997	796	79.8%
25-29	68.5%	71.8%	60	40	66.7%	85	62	72.9%
30-39	67.1%	73.7%	73	51	69.9%	64	44	68.8%
>40	61.7%	67.3%	70	44	62.9%	59	40	67.8%
By Sex								
Male	78.1%	76.1%	419	324	77.3%	508	389	76.6%
Female	79.9%	79.7%	651	522	80.2%	697	553	79.3%
By Residency								
Resident	79.5%	78.8%	1,010	801	79.3%	1,036	817	78.9%
Non-Res.	74.1%	74.2%	60	45	75.0%	169	125	74.0%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester								
3.0 - 4.0	90.8%	91.2%	411	376	91.5%	427	386	90.4%
2.0 - 2.99	89.4%	89.0%	332	298	89.8%	383	340	88.8%
< 2.0	54.5%	55.0%	327	172	52.6%	395	216	54.7%
By SAT Groups								
1200+	90.3%	90.2%	28	27	96.4%	45	40	88.9%
800-1199	85.9%	83.5%	443	382	86.2%	509	427	83.9%
400-799	80.2%	79.0%	129	104	80.6%	114	91	79.8%
No SAT	71.7%	71.9%	470	333	70.9%	537	384	71.5%

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