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Persistence to the Second Year : A Comparison
of the Fall 86 - Fall 94 Cohorts
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I am pleased to provide you with the latest edition of the Official Retention Report. This report, like its fall predecessors, provides a view on what proportion of student cohorts return to the subsequent fall term. The precedent for the Retention Tracking System and this report grew out of the desire to generate standard and official retention figures for all campuses for self-study and reporting purposes.

As a reminder, a cohort is comprised of those degree-seeking students, beginners or transfers, who are new to an IU campus in the fall or those who began in the previous summer session and re-enrolled in the fall. This cohort definition conforms to the standards required by various external groups for reporting purposes. A student's "home campus" is defined by their first semester enrollment regardless of intercampus transfer. Retention is defined as re-enrollment or receipt of a degree.

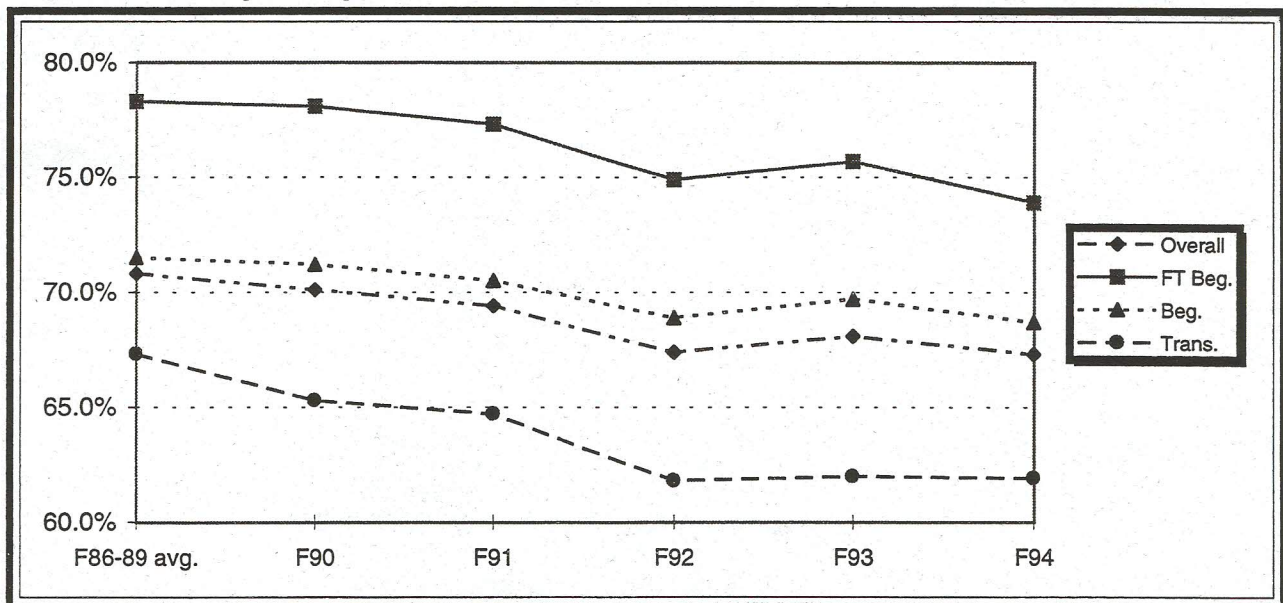
Previous editions of this report provided data on each of the cohorts. With this and future reports, the earliest cohorts will be aggregated to provide a manageable view of the data.

As always, your comments and questions are welcomed.

Persistence to the Second Year - IU

	F86-89 avg.	F90	F91	F92	F93	F94
IU	70.8%	70.1%	69.4%	67.4%	68.1%	67.3%
Bloomington	86.0%	87.0%	86.4%	85.8%	86.2%	84.1%
Indianapolis	61.4%	60.7%	59.7%	56.0%	56.8%	56.8%
East	49.7%	55.1%	53.4%	52.0%	52.1%	48.4%
Fort Wayne	59.0%	57.5%	59.3%	55.3%	56.7%	54.5%
Kokomo	56.7%	52.6%	53.2%	50.7%	50.4%	46.1%
Northwest	59.1%	59.5%	61.6%	56.7%	58.2%	60.8%
South Bend	55.5%	57.7%	58.7%	57.4%	57.6%	56.7%
Southeast	58.0%	63.2%	59.5%	55.8%	54.5%	53.5%

Persistence by Entry Status



Persistence to the Second Year - IU

n=	57,315	15,602	15,649	15,878	14,886	14,786
	F86-89 avg.	F90	F91	F92	F93	F94
Overall	70.8%	70.1%	69.4%	67.4%	68.1%	67.3%
By Entry Status (1)						
Beg.	71.5%	71.2%	70.5%	68.9%	69.7%	68.7%
Trans.	67.3%	65.3%	64.7%	61.8%	62.0%	61.9%
Full-Time Beg.	78.3%	78.1%	77.3%	74.9%	75.7%	73.9%
By Student Type						
Trad.	79.8%	79.5%	78.7%	75.7%	77.0%	74.8%
N. Maj. (2)	58.6%	58.0%	57.1%	55.6%	53.6%	51.9%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester						
FT	77.9%	77.7%	76.8%	74.1%	75.2%	73.3%
< FT	50.1%	49.8%	49.0%	47.4%	46.3%	45.5%
By Ethnicity						
Am. Ind.	61.5%	58.6%	65.0%	51.2%	59.1%	57.1%
Asian	80.8%	79.0%	78.3%	75.6%	80.7%	79.6%
Black	56.7%	59.8%	57.5%	56.5%	56.2%	57.5%
Hispanic	64.8%	72.7%	59.5%	60.5%	62.2%	59.4%
Other	71.7%	70.6%	70.3%	68.3%	68.9%	68.0%
By Age						
<25	72.9%	72.3%	71.7%	69.3%	70.3%	69.1%
25-29	55.6%	55.3%	56.7%	55.2%	52.2%	54.2%
30-39	59.8%	60.4%	58.5%	59.7%	57.3%	54.7%
>40	55.1%	55.9%	54.3%	55.6%	54.0%	56.4%
By Gender						
Male	70.7%	70.1%	68.4%	66.8%	66.5%	65.9%
Female	70.9%	70.1%	70.0%	67.9%	69.3%	68.3%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester						
3.0 - 4.0	84.0%	80.8%	82.3%	80.9%	81.5%	82.2%
2.0 - 2.99	80.9%	79.4%	79.3%	77.6%	77.5%	77.0%
< 2.0	37.8%	40.6%	39.2%	37.6%	37.1%	35.5%
By SAT Groups*						
1400+	85.5%	91.5%	85.3%	92.5%	92.3%	88.9%
1200-1399	88.3%	86.7%	86.3%	87.5%	89.4%	87.6%
1000-1199	85.0%	83.0%	84.1%	82.6%	82.8%	80.3%
800-999	76.7%	75.4%	75.8%	73.1%	73.7%	73.4%
600-799	65.1%	64.1%	63.3%	60.2%	61.9%	60.9%
400-599	52.5%	54.2%	53.1%	48.4%	54.5%	52.5%
No SAT	54.6%	58.0%	57.5%	56.4%	55.6%	55.9%

* SAT groups on the campus pages are collapsed to insure adequate representation within the cells.

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Bloomington

Persistence to the Second Year

n=	25,275	6,143	5,955	6,253	5,973	6,178
	F86-89 avg.	F90	F91	F92	F93	F94
Overall	86.0%	87.0%	86.4%	85.8%	86.2%	84.1%
By Entry Status (1)						
Beg.	86.6%	87.9%	87.1%	86.5%	86.9%	84.5%
Trans.	81.2%	80.0%	81.3%	80.7%	80.4%	80.5%
FT-Beg.	86.8%	88.1%	87.3%	86.6%	86.9%	84.7%
By Student Type						
Trad.	87.0%	88.0%	87.4%	86.6%	86.8%	84.7%
N. Maj. (2)	76.3%	75.3%	71.0%	72.2%	72.3%	67.9%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester						
FT	86.3%	87.4%	86.7%	86.0%	86.4%	84.3%
< FT	63.3%	63.9%	61.7%	70.8%	65.6%	62.5%
By Ethnicity						
Black	69.1%	76.6%	74.7%	73.6%	73.9%	70.7%
Hispanic	78.6%	79.8%	77.8%	82.9%	79.6%	68.1%
Other	87.1%	87.7%	87.1%	86.6%	87.0%	85.2%
By Age						
<25	86.2%	87.2%	86.6%	85.9%	86.3%	84.4%
25-29	71.3%	70.7%	83.3%	79.2%	76.0%	61.7%
30-39	69.0%	76.3%	61.4%	78.4%	75.0%	69.7%
>40	65.8%	**	63.6%	92.9%	**	70.0%
By Gender						
Male	86.5%	87.8%	86.5%	86.1%	85.8%	83.2%
Female	85.6%	86.4%	86.3%	85.6%	86.5%	84.8%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester						
3.0 - 4.0	93.1%	91.9%	92.9%	91.6%	93.3%	92.1%
2.0 - 2.99	90.3%	90.0%	88.5%	89.6%	88.7%	88.6%
< 2.0	54.1%	61.8%	62.6%	62.0%	61.9%	53.6%
By SAT Groups						
1200+	90.3%	91.3%	88.9%	90.6%	92.2%	89.9%
800-1199	88.3%	88.1%	88.7%	87.6%	87.7%	85.8%
400-799	78.0%	80.9%	80.1%	78.2%	80.5%	78.4%
No SAT	72.5%	80.5%	76.7%	79.1%	78.8%	76.6%

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Indianapolis

Persistence to the Second Year

n=	13,054	3,735	3,766	3,670	3,336	3,069
	F86-89 avg.	F90	F91	F92	F93	F94
Overall	61.4%	60.7%	59.7%	56.0%	56.8%	56.8%
By Entry Status (1)						
Beg.	60.7%	59.6%	59.6%	54.9%	56.0%	56.0%
Trans.	63.6%	63.7%	60.3%	58.4%	58.5%	58.5%
FTB (1)	68.1%	66.0%	65.0%	58.8%	61.7%	62.0%
By Student Type						
Trad.	67.5%	68.0%	63.8%	57.4%	62.0%	60.9%
N. Maj. (2)	58.7%	57.3%	57.7%	55.3%	53.7%	53.6%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester						
FT	68.7%	67.7%	66.1%	60.4%	63.8%	63.3%
< FT	54.0%	53.1%	52.1%	50.1%	48.0%	46.6%
By Ethnicity						
Black	48.8%	54.2%	53.0%	45.5%	43.4%	51.8%
Hispanic	59.1%	61.9%	56.4%	42.4%	57.1%	53.8%
Other	62.6%	61.3%	60.5%	57.3%	57.9%	57.4%
By Age						
<25	61.6%	60.8%	59.4%	54.7%	56.7%	56.3%
25-29	58.4%	55.9%	57.5%	59.6%	51.8%	56.5%
30-39	63.4%	62.9%	64.8%	63.4%	63.0%	61.0%
>40	59.9%	68.2%	59.6%	58.7%	56.0%	61.5%
By Gender						
Male	59.0%	57.9%	56.4%	52.7%	53.7%	54.0%
Female	63.2%	62.9%	62.1%	58.5%	59.2%	58.9%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester						
3.0 - 4.0	77.6%	75.6%	76.8%	74.9%	73.6%	75.2%
2.0 - 2.99	73.0%	71.6%	73.4%	67.1%	67.3%	65.4%
< 2.0	34.5%	36.8%	34.8%	32.1%	28.9%	29.6%
By SAT Groups						
1200+	75.3%	52.8%	62.5%	51.4%	64.3%	79.5%
800-1199	66.5%	63.8%	64.8%	61.0%	62.5%	59.3%
400-799	61.3%	59.3%	58.5%	52.8%	54.9%	57.6%
No SAT	53.6%	58.7%	55.6%	54.1%	52.9%	54.2%

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East

Persistence to the Second Year

n=	1,579	539	504	564	522	500
	F86-89 avg.	F90	F91	F92	F93	F94
Overall	49.7%	55.1%	53.4%	52.0%	52.1%	48.4%
By Entry Status (1)						
Beg.	48.6%	54.7%	53.0%	50.8%	49.7%	47.8%
Trans.	57.0%	57.5%	55.1%	57.6%	65.8%	51.2%
FTB (1)	57.9%	65.6%	59.5%	54.8%	55.8%	51.7%
By Student Type						
Trad.	49.1%	54.0%	51.9%	46.4%	53.5%	48.3%
N. Maj. (2)	49.9%	55.4%	53.8%	54.3%	51.5%	48.4%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester						
FT	58.4%	67.3%	61.0%	55.9%	57.8%	52.1%
< FT	43.3%	46.5%	45.0%	47.0%	45.4%	43.5%
By Ethnicity						
Black	37.1%	53.8%	33.3%	38.1%	29.4%	30.8%
Hispanic	**	**	**	**	**	**
Other	50.0%	55.0%	54.0%	52.2%	53.1%	48.9%
By Age						
<25	47.5%	52.2%	50.6%	47.4%	50.3%	47.8%
25-29	46.9%	61.8%	61.4%	65.4%	58.5%	42.1%
30-39	57.0%	60.2%	53.8%	64.6%	54.3%	46.2%
>40	54.5%	57.1%	66.7%	53.3%	58.6%	65.7%
By Gender						
Male	45.5%	48.3%	48.2%	46.7%	44.2%	44.8%
Female	52.1%	58.4%	55.9%	54.2%	56.6%	50.5%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester						
3.0 - 4.0	63.0%	66.7%	70.0%	67.5%	70.0%	64.3%
2.0 - 2.99	61.6%	70.1%	72.3%	71.8%	59.7%	57.7%
< 2.0	27.9%	32.8%	28.0%	24.7%	31.3%	30.1%
By SAT Groups						
1200+	**	**	**	**	**	**
800-1199	61.5%	58.3%	51.2%	56.6%	60.0%	51.3%
400-799	49.8%	53.7%	52.3%	51.4%	54.1%	55.3%
No SAT	45.9%	54.8%	54.5%	50.2%	47.3%	44.6%

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Fort Wayne

Persistence to the Second Year

n=	4,114	1,246	1,194	1,104	1,057	1,281
	F86-89 avg.	F90	F91	F92	F93	F94
Overall	59.0%	57.5%	59.3%	55.3%	56.7%	54.5%
By Entry Status (1)						
Beg.	60.0%	59.6%	59.7%	57.1%	58.3%	56.6%
Trans.	56.7%	52.8%	58.4%	51.9%	53.2%	49.6%
FTB (1)	65.1%	66.1%	65.1%	63.2%	65.7%	61.6%
By Student Type						
Trad.	63.0%	61.1%	63.4%	58.2%	61.0%	61.9%
N. Maj. (2)	56.5%	55.1%	56.5%	53.5%	53.1%	47.0%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester						
FT	65.4%	66.8%	66.8%	62.7%	63.7%	61.6%
< FT	47.5%	41.3%	45.9%	41.3%	43.1%	38.8%
By Ethnicity						
Black	43.4%	56.0%	37.1%	41.7%	43.2%	50.8%
Hispanic	57.9%	**	63.6%	27.3%	68.8%	48.5%
Other	59.3%	57.5%	59.9%	55.9%	57.0%	54.8%
By Age						
<25	60.6%	60.1%	61.8%	57.2%	56.9%	57.1%
25-29	49.9%	45.7%	47.9%	41.9%	57.8%	39.8%
30-39	58.0%	53.8%	53.7%	51.9%	52.7%	44.7%
>40	47.0%	40.0%	43.2%	59.1%	57.8%	46.9%
By Gender						
Male	58.8%	57.5%	58.6%	57.9%	49.3%	50.5%
Female	59.0%	57.3%	59.8%	53.8%	61.3%	57.4%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester						
3.0 - 4.0	71.7%	65.8%	69.4%	65.2%	70.2%	67.2%
2.0 - 2.99	70.2%	66.4%	70.9%	66.8%	67.2%	65.7%
< 2.0	32.2%	33.8%	36.5%	32.7%	29.3%	33.0%
By SAT Groups						
1200+	75.5%	46.7%	66.7%	90.5%	75.0%	**
800-1199	68.7%	65.6%	65.7%	60.8%	62.1%	61.4%
400-799	59.3%	56.2%	60.0%	53.1%	54.5%	58.3%
No SAT	47.5%	46.4%	48.8%	47.2%	49.8%	43.6%

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Kokomo

Persistence to the Second Year

n=	2,503	754	770	807	708	668
	F86-89 avg.	F90	F91	F92	F93	F94
Overall	56.7%	52.6%	53.2%	50.7%	50.4%	46.1%
By Entry Status (1)						
Beg.	56.5%	51.3%	53.4%	51.4%	52.1%	45.9%
Trans.	57.5%	57.4%	52.7%	48.0%	42.0%	47.2%
FTB (1)	66.0%	57.4%	60.0%	58.6%	59.4%	52.9%
By Student Type						
Trad.	57.0%	53.0%	56.4%	50.3%	51.7%	49.6%
N. Maj. (2)	56.6%	52.5%	52.2%	50.8%	49.9%	44.2%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester						
FT	66.1%	59.0%	60.1%	58.1%	59.0%	51.5%
< FT	47.8%	47.8%	47.0%	44.4%	41.4%	39.5%
By Ethnicity						
Black	52.5%	39.1%	28.6%	58.8%	27.3%	29.4%
Hispanic	53.3%	**	45.5%	50.0%	**	70.0%
Other	56.8%	52.8%	53.8%	50.5%	50.7%	46.2%
By Age						
<25	55.2%	50.3%	53.7%	48.9%	49.3%	45.0%
25-29	56.9%	53.2%	52.5%	56.7%	47.1%	56.5%
30-39	60.5%	59.8%	55.8%	51.0%	57.1%	49.2%
>40	63.4%	65.1%	43.8%	62.5%	53.6%	42.9%
By Gender						
Male	52.9%	49.6%	46.8%	44.9%	41.1%	39.0%
Female	58.6%	54.1%	56.9%	53.5%	55.2%	49.8%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester						
3.0 - 4.0	71.9%	66.4%	66.3%	69.1%	67.8%	69.6%
2.0 - 2.99	68.1%	62.2%	62.0%	60.5%	59.7%	55.7%
< 2.0	30.5%	29.4%	27.6%	22.5%	24.7%	17.7%
By SAT Groups						
1200+	76.5%	**	**	**	**	**
800-1199	62.6%	58.8%	62.1%	53.1%	53.8%	53.2%
400-799	56.6%	49.5%	50.2%	48.3%	51.0%	40.6%
No SAT	52.9%	51.0%	49.9%	50.6%	47.3%	44.6%

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Northwest

Persistence to the Second Year

n=	3,434	1,014	1,211	1,149	1,096	1,054
	F86-89 avg.	F90	F91	F92	F93	F94
Overall	59.1%	59.5%	61.6%	56.7%	58.2%	60.8%
By Entry Status (1)						
Beg.	58.2%	58.9%	62.7%	57.0%	58.6%	60.4%
Trans.	63.9%	62.1%	57.6%	55.9%	57.5%	62.2%
FTB (1)	64.6%	64.9%	69.2%	61.3%	62.8%	63.0%
By Student Type						
Trad.	64.8%	63.4%	68.3%	58.1%	62.5%	63.2%
N. Maj. (2)	55.4%	56.7%	57.6%	55.8%	54.6%	58.1%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester						
FT	65.4%	65.7%	67.7%	62.0%	62.5%	62.7%
< FT	49.0%	47.2%	52.2%	47.8%	50.0%	56.4%
By Ethnicity						
Black	50.4%	50.0%	56.1%	50.0%	55.7%	55.7%
Hispanic	50.0%	69.3%	49.4%	49.5%	48.0%	54.5%
Other	62.1%	60.5%	64.0%	59.4%	60.3%	62.9%
By Age						
<25	60.3%	60.4%	62.6%	57.9%	59.8%	61.0%
25-29	52.0%	60.6%	56.7%	49.0%	49.4%	59.8%
30-39	58.4%	58.5%	62.4%	60.8%	57.3%	57.1%
>40	56.1%	41.9%	56.1%	44.6%	50.0%	64.3%
By Gender						
Male	59.3%	59.5%	59.8%	52.8%	54.8%	56.7%
Female	59.0%	59.4%	62.4%	58.8%	60.4%	62.8%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester						
3.0 - 4.0	77.7%	71.3%	81.2%	75.2%	76.3%	78.2%
2.0 - 2.99	73.0%	73.5%	73.3%	70.5%	70.1%	74.4%
< 2.0	32.4%	35.6%	34.3%	28.6%	32.5%	32.4%
By SAT Groups						
1200+	80.0%	76.9%	93.8%	**	**	**
800-1199	69.8%	66.4%	68.1%	64.5%	65.1%	68.0%
400-799	56.2%	58.3%	59.1%	55.6%	58.6%	58.9%
No SAT	52.9%	51.9%	56.8%	50.3%	48.5%	53.8%

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South Bend

Persistence to the Second Year

n=	3,438	1,143	1,229	1,229	1,138	1,082
	F86-89 avg.	F90	F91	F92	F93	F94
Overall	55.5%	57.7%	58.7%	57.4%	57.6%	56.7%
By Entry Status (1)						
Beg.	53.4%	56.4%	57.1%	56.8%	57.5%	55.1%
Trans.	60.5%	61.4%	62.9%	58.6%	57.7%	60.8%
FTB (1)	59.9%	61.1%	66.3%	64.0%	64.2%	60.6%
By Student Type						
Trad.	60.6%	61.1%	65.6%	59.4%	63.1%	64.0%
N. Maj. (2)	52.7%	56.1%	55.0%	56.1%	53.9%	50.5%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester						
FT	62.3%	64.8%	68.3%	64.1%	64.0%	62.8%
< FT	44.3%	48.0%	44.6%	46.2%	47.8%	46.1%
By Ethnicity						
Black	41.2%	43.1%	37.1%	52.9%	49.3%	52.5%
Hispanic	48.6%	66.7%	30.4%	51.9%	40.0%	36.8%
Other	56.1%	58.3%	60.4%	57.7%	58.4%	57.3%
By Age						
<25	55.7%	58.1%	60.7%	57.8%	59.1%	56.7%
25-29	56.2%	53.3%	56.8%	47.5%	50.8%	58.9%
30-39	55.3%	58.6%	51.7%	61.7%	56.5%	55.3%
>40	50.8%	60.0%	51.4%	60.3%	51.0%	53.7%
By Gender						
Male	55.1%	57.4%	55.4%	54.1%	54.8%	58.5%
Female	55.7%	58.0%	60.5%	59.4%	59.1%	55.5%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester						
3.0 - 4.0	73.0%	70.0%	71.4%	73.0%	72.7%	74.8%
2.0 - 2.99	70.2%	68.8%	70.3%	67.5%	70.8%	67.2%
< 2.0	25.5%	35.1%	32.0%	28.4%	31.2%	30.5%
By SAT Groups						
1200+	68.6%	75.0%	80.0%	**	91.7%	75.0%
800-1199	61.9%	65.7%	65.3%	62.0%	63.3%	65.7%
400-799	53.0%	56.4%	63.5%	60.0%	59.9%	46.7%
No SAT	52.2%	54.5%	53.9%	53.9%	53.1%	54.7%

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Southeast

Persistence to the Second Year

n=	3,918	1,028	1,020	1,102	1,056	954
	F86-89 avg.	F90	F91	F92	F93	F94
Overall	58.0%	63.2%	59.5%	55.8%	54.5%	53.5%
By Entry Status (1)						
Beg.	57.6%	63.0%	58.2%	54.7%	53.8%	52.6%
Trans.	61.7%	65.2%	68.9%	62.7%	59.0%	58.1%
FTB (1)	66.1%	69.5%	68.6%	60.8%	60.2%	57.0%
By Student Type						
Trad.	58.4%	66.8%	64.9%	57.9%	62.4%	56.8%
N. Maj. (2)	57.8%	61.3%	56.6%	54.7%	48.8%	50.1%
By Course Load in the First Fall Semester						
FT	66.3%	69.5%	69.1%	62.8%	62.0%	58.7%
< FT	44.8%	51.1%	41.8%	42.5%	38.3%	41.2%
By Ethnicity						
Black	51.6%	52.9%	39.1%	76.5%	38.7%	33.3%
Hispanic	**	**	**	**	71.4%	70.0%
Other	58.1%	63.4%	60.0%	55.7%	54.8%	53.7%
By Age						
<25	60.0%	66.1%	61.7%	58.2%	58.4%	54.6%
25-29	49.2%	50.0%	50.7%	48.6%	36.0%	50.0%
30-39	55.9%	59.0%	53.0%	51.7%	38.6%	48.8%
>40	45.4%	50.0%	54.9%	41.9%	44.9%	46.2%
By Gender						
Male	57.4%	63.1%	55.8%	55.3%	55.0%	51.4%
Female	58.3%	63.3%	62.0%	56.3%	54.2%	54.9%
By GPA in the First Fall Semester						
3.0 - 4.0	72.2%	75.3%	73.5%	70.0%	70.4%	70.3%
2.0 - 2.99	73.5%	72.4%	75.0%	68.5%	67.2%	70.9%
< 2.0	32.5%	34.1%	26.8%	32.8%	25.5%	26.6%
By SAT Groups						
1200+	74.4%	**	**	**	73.3%	90.0%
800-1199	71.6%	74.7%	78.8%	69.7%	68.0%	63.8%
400-799	59.6%	66.5%	56.3%	52.3%	56.6%	52.6%
No SAT	49.4%	54.5%	51.0%	48.6%	42.2%	45.6%

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