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This report provides views on the 1996, 1997, and 1998 incoming student cohorts' persistence to the second year. As previewed in report 8.2, 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 report format focuses on beginners who were full-time in their first fall semester. Past reports provided breakdowns on various characteristics for the entire incoming cohort (beginners and transfers combined). With this report, both below and on the first table on the campus pages, the persistence rates of beginners, transfers, and the overall cohort are displayed followed by a table that pertains to only the full-time beginners (FTB) population. This change in format responds to the guidelines for external publications (USNWR, College Board, Peterson's) to report on the FTB group exclusively.

Several new variables have been added to the report. The proportion of the incoming overall and beginner cohorts represented by the FTB subset is portrayed by percentages. This figure speaks to the composition of the cohorts at IUPUI and the regional campuses and has been proposed as a new data element collected by IPEDS. Four levels of persistence by high school rank is provided as well as figures for the top five reported high schools. The raw cohort figures contained on these pages can become small when disaggregated by different variables. To protect student privacy, cells with a "began" number of ten or less are masked.

Comments and suggestions are welcomed.

Persistence to the Second Year by Cohort Status

96 Cohort				97 Cohort		98 Cohort			
	began ret'd %				% began ret'd %		began ret'd %		
Beginner	13,153	9,200	69.9%	13,504	9,501	70.4%	14,858	10,438	70.3%
Transfer	3,263	1,988	60.9%	3,632	2,275	62.6%	3,537	2,188	61.9%
Overall	16,416	11,188	68.2%	17,136	11,776	68.7%	18,395	12,626	68.6%

Full-Time Beginners Only (FTB)

		96 Cohort			97 Cohor	t	98 Cohort		
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
FTB	10,963	8,215	74.9%	11,321	8,526	75.3%	12,664	9,459	74.7%
FTB as % of									
Beginners	83.3%	89.3%		83.8%	89.7%		85.2%	90.6%	
FTB as % of									
Overall	66.8%	73.4%		66.1%	72.4%		68.8%	74.9%	

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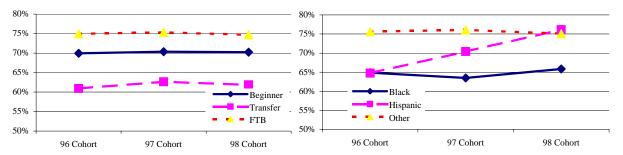
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Persistence to the Second Year - Full-Time Beginners Only (FTB)

		96 Cohort		iiic Begi	97 Cohort	,		98 Cohort	
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
FTB	10,963	8,215	74.9%	11,321	8,526	75.3%	12.664	9,459	74.7%
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Am. Indian	26	22	84.6%	34	28	82.4%	38	23	60.5%
Asian	263	227	86.3%	260	217	83.5%	296	249	84.1%
Black	712	462	64.9%	734	466	63.5%	828	545	65.8%
Hispanic	241	156	64.7%	233	164	70.4%	264	201	76.1%
Other	9,721	7,348	75.6%	10,060	7,651	76.1%	11,238	8,441	75.1%
				Students I					
<25	10,676	8,050	75.4%	11,003	8,350	75.9%	12,339	9,276	75.2%
25-29	144	85	59.0%	143	72	50.3%	183	87	47.5%
30-39	101	58	57.4%	123	68	55.3%	98	66	67.3%
>40	41	21	51.2%	52	36	69.2%	43	30	69.8%
				By Se					
Male	4,527	3,322	73.4%	4,684	3,463	73.9%	5,478	4,033	73.6%
Female	6,436	4,893	76.0%	6,637	5,063	76.3%	7,186	5,426	75.5%
				By Resid	lency				
Resident	9,109	6,619	72.7%	9,397	6,874	73.2%	10,443	7,586	72.6%
Non-Res.	1,854	1,596	86.1%	1,924	1,652	85.9%	2,221	1,873	84.3%
				By High Sch	ool Rank				
Top 10%	1,622	1,455	89.7%	1,616	1,461	90.4%	1,717	1,556	90.6%
11%-25%	2,627	2,184	83.1%	2,647	2,203	83.2%	2,841	2,389	84.1%
26%-50%	3,437	2,598	75.6%	3,558	2,676	75.2%	3,978	2,969	74.6%
Bot 50%	2,203	1,233	56.0%	2,301	1,350	58.7%	2,864	1,660	58.0%
			By GP	A in the Firs	t Fall Seme	ster			
3.0 - 4.0	4,158	3,727	89.6%	4,449	3,973	89.3%	4,965	4,450	89.6%
2.0 - 2.99	4,172	3,484	83.5%	4,222	3,497	82.8%	4,758	3,861	81.1%
< 2.0	2,633	1,004	38.1%	2,649	1,056	39.9%	2,941	1,148	39.0%
				By SAT G	Groups				
1400+	153	134	87.6%	177	158	89.3%	204	188	92.2%
1200-1399	1,325	1,151	86.9%	1,511	1,318	87.2%	1,774	1,524	85.9%
1000-1199	3,570	2,934	82.2%	3,926	3,199	81.5%	4,258	3,472	81.5%
800-999	2,988	2,139	71.6%	3,014	2,161	71.7%	3,427	2,407	70.2%
600-799	769	450	58.5%	736	466	63.3%	722	417	57.8%
400-599	72	39	54.2%	58	30	51.7%	50	29	58.0%
No SAT	2,086	1,368	65.6%	1,899	1,194	62.9%	2,229	1,422	63.8%
				ve Attended	l High Scho				
1	149	127	85.2%	188	156	83.0%	231	179	77.5%
2	128	100	78.1%	133	112	84.2%	137	119	86.9%
3	161	102	63.4%	121	83	68.6%	170	97	57.1%
4	149	125	83.9%	189	158	83.6%	206	174	84.5%
5	177	85	48.0%	216	85	39.4%	201	90	44.8%

⁽a) 1-Carmel HS, 2- Center Grove HS, 3-Ben Davis HS, 4-North Central HS, 5-In-State GED.

Persistence to the Second Year - IU

by Ethnicity



Bloomington

Persistence to the Second Year by Cohort Status

		96 Cohort			97 Cohort		98 Cohort			
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	
Beginner	5,819	5,087	87.4%	6,102	5,340	87.5%	6,810	5,889	86.5%	
Transfer	598	498	83.3%	737	593	80.5%	638	523	82.0%	
Overall	6,417	5,585	87.0%	6,839	5,933	86.8%	7,448	6,412	86.1%	

	_	96 Cohort			97 Cohort			98 Cohort	
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
FTB	5,774	5,060	87.6%	6,042	5,305	87.8%	6,748	5,858	86.8%
FTB as % of	0,774	0,000	07.070	0,042	0,000	07.070	0,740	0,000	00.070
Beginners	99.2%	99.5%		99.0%	99.3%		99.1%	99.5%	
FTB as % of	00.Z /0	33.070		33.070	33.070		33.170	33.070	
Overall	90.0%	90.6%		88.3%	89.4%		90.6%	91.4%	
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Black	239	196	82.0%	242	213	88.0%	276	231	83.7%
Hispanic	99	80	80.8%	117	97	82.9%	132	113	85.6%
Other	5,436	4,784	88.0%	5,683	4,995	87.9%	6,340	5,514	87.0%
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<25	5,754	5,044	87.7%	6,013	5,283	87.9%	6,711	5,839	87.0%
25-29	12	9	75.0%	14	11	78.6%	22	7	31.8%
30-39	**	**	100.0%	12	8	66.7%	**	**	77.8%
>40	**	**	50.0%	**	**	100.0%	**	**	83.3%
				By Se	X				
Male	2,393	2,100	87.8%	2,543	2,216	87.1%	2,935	2,544	86.7%
Female	3,381	2,960	87.5%	3,499	3,089	88.3%	3,813	3,314	86.9%
				By Reside	ency				
Resident	4,018	3,524	87.7%	4,216	3,712	88.0%	4,698	4,092	87.1%
Non-Res.	1,756	1,536	87.5%	1,826	1,593	87.2%	2,050	1,766	86.1%
			Ву	High Scho	ol Rank				
Top 10%	1,246	1,159	93.0%	1,283	1,194	93.1%	1,331	1,247	93.7%
11%-25%	1,781	1,577	88.5%	1,801	1,599	88.8%	1,936	1,711	88.4%
26%-50%	1,910	1,616	84.6%	1,940	1,650	85.1%	2,258	1,901	84.2%
Bot 50%	310	257	82.9%	380	317	83.4%	537	433	80.6%
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3.0 - 4.0	2,612	2,455	94.0%	2,807	2,620	93.3%	3,228	3,020	93.6%
2.0 - 2.99	2,336	2,142	91.7%	2,375	2,158	90.9%	2,636	2,368	89.8%
< 2.0	826	463	56.1%	860	527	61.3%	884	470	53.2%
				By SAT G					
1200+	1,248	1,113	89.2%	1,456	1,320	90.7%	1,644	1,474	89.7%
800-1199	3,572	3,130	87.6%	3,848	3,363	87.4%	4,167	3,619	86.8%
400-799	108	88	81.5%	116	100	86.2%	122	97	79.5%
		****************		**************	High School	***********			
1	103	88	85.4%	94	80	85.1%	122	101	82.8%
2	84	76	90.5%	127	121	95.3%	129	121	93.8%
3	82	77	93.9%	126	118	93.7%	146	130	89.0%
4	76	62	81.6%	102	89	87.3%	94	72	76.6%
5	59	54	91.5%	67	62	92.5%	75	70	93.3%

⁽a) 1-Bloomington South HS, 2- North Central HS, 3-Carmel HS, 4-Bloomington North HS, 5-Center Grove HS.

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Persistence to the Second Year by Cohort Status

		96 Cohort			97 Cohort		98 Cohort			
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	
Beginner	3,059	1,725	56.4%	3,027	1,665	55.0%	3,545	1,983	55.9%	
Transfer	1,425	807	56.6%	1,438	872	60.6%	1,390	821	59.1%	
Overall	4,484	2,532	56.5%	4,465	2,537	56.8%	4,935	2,804	56.8%	

		96 Cohort			97 Cohort			98 Cohort	
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
FTB	2,102	1,303	62.0%	2,154	1,286	59.7%	2,576	1,533	59.5%
FTB as % of	, -	,		, -	,		,	,	
Beginners	68.7%	75.5%		71.2%	77.2%		72.7%	77.3%	
FTB as % of									
Overall	46.9%	51.5%		48.2%	50.7%		52.2%	54.7%	
				By Ethni	city				
Black	259	158	61.0%	263	143	54.4%	308	167	54.2%
Hispanic	38	20	52.6%	26	18	69.2%	26	20	76.9%
Other	1,805	1,125	62.3%	1,865	1,125	60.3%	2,242	1,346	60.0%
				Students B	y Age				
<25	2,003	1,248	62.3%	2,050	1,226	59.8%	2,450	1,462	59.7%
25-29	54	34	63.0%	53	31	58.5%	74	37	50.0%
30-39	29	15	51.7%	39	21	53.8%	40	25	62.5%
>40	16	6	37.5%	12	8	66.7%	12	9	75.0%
				By Se	x				
Male	929	552	59.4%	957	551	57.6%	1,188	682	57.4%
Female	1,173	751	64.0%	1,197	735	61.4%	1,388	851	61.3%
				By Reside	ency				
Resident	2,078	1,289	62.0%	2,126	1,265	59.5%	2,528	1,501	59.4%
Non-Res.	24	14	58.3%	28	21	75.0%	48	32	66.7%
				High Scho	*******************************				
Top 10%	132	98	74.2%	136	99	72.8%	152	121	79.6%
11%-25%	336	248	73.8%	292	205	70.2%	359	272	75.8%
26%-50%	600	374	62.3%	632	402	63.6%	724	435	60.1%
Bot 50%	843	475	56.3%	885	479	54.1%	1,119	586	52.4%
					Fall Semes				
3.0 - 4.0	656	546	83.2%	650	528	81.2%	729	609	83.5%
2.0 - 2.99	725	532	73.4%	763	550	72.1%	912	632	69.3%
< 2.0	721	225	31.2%	741	208	28.1%	935	292	31.2%
	_			By SAT Gr					
1200+	94	68	72.3%	104	67	64.4%	123	80	65.0%
800-1199	1,145	759	66.3%	1,207	749	62.1%	1,487	939	63.1%
400-799	312	176	56.4%	253	155	61.3%	289	155	53.6%
			By Top Five						
1	67	50	74.6%	62	38	61.3%	85	49	57.6%
2	68	45	66.2%	66	50	75.8%	62	50	80.6%
3	117	65	55.6%	93	59	63.4%	142	72	50.7%
4	65	49	75.4%	62	37	59.7%	77	53	68.8%
5	55	29	52.7%	96	35	36.5%	91	38	41.8%

⁽a) 1-Carmel HS, 2- Center Grove HS, 3-Ben Davis HS, 4-North Central HS, 5- In-State GED

^{**} Began cell contains 10 or fewer students.

East Persistence to the Second Year by Cohort Status

		96 Cohort			97 Cohort		98 Cohort			
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	
Beginner	436	228	52.3%	465	244	52.5%	387	180	46.5%	
Transfer	109	65	59.6%	97	62	63.9%	123	67	54.5%	
Overall	545	293	53.8%	562	306	54.4%	510	247	48.4%	

		96 Cohort			97 Cohort			98 Cohort	
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
FTB	233	134	57.5%	278	157	56.5%	231	131	56.7%
FTB as % of									
Beginners	53.4%	58.8%		59.8%	64.3%		59.7%	72.8%	
FTB as % of									
Overall	42.8%	45.7%		49.5%	51.3%		45.3%	53.0%	
				By Ethni	city				
Black	**	**	66.7%	**	**	33.3%	**	**	70.0%
Hispanic	**	**	100.0%	**	**	100.0%	**	**	100.0%
Other	229	131	57.2%	268	153	57.1%	219	122	55.7%
				Students B	y Age				
<25	208	122	58.7%	251	148	59.0%	210	118	56.2%
25-29	**	**	50.0%	13	5	38.5%	**	**	57.1%
30-39	12	6	50.0%	13	4	30.8%	11	6	54.5%
>40	**	**	40.0%	**	**	0.0%	**	**	100.0%
				By Se	X				
Male	85	46	54.1%	85	53	62.4%	84	43	51.2%
Female	148	88	59.5%	193	104	53.9%	147	88	59.9%
				By Reside	ency				
Resident	221	128	57.9%	266	151	56.8%	222	126	56.8%
Non-Res.	12	6	50.0%	12	6	50.0%	**	**	55.6%
				High Scho	ol Rank				
Top 10%	13	8	61.5%	**	**	60.0%	**	**	88.9%
11%-25%	21	17	81.0%	43	33	76.7%	26	18	69.2%
26%-50%	52	38	73.1%	84	53	63.1%	77	47	61.0%
Bot 50%	105	46	43.8%	97	45	46.4%	84	43	51.2%
				in the First	Fall Semes				
3.0 - 4.0	70	52	74.3%	89	76	85.4%	85	62	72.9%
2.0 - 2.99	66	49	74.2%	69	44	63.8%	74	49	66.2%
< 2.0	97	33	34.0%	120	37	30.8%	72	20	27.8%
				By SAT G	***********				
1200+	**	**	100.0%	**	**	83.3%	**	**	80.0%
800-1199	103	68	66.0%	135	90	66.7%	105	69	65.7%
400-799	33	17	51.5%	39	22	56.4%	29	12	41.4%
			By Top Five		High School				
1	36	22	61.1%	36	20	55.6%	40	25	62.5%
2	30	11	36.7%	47	33	70.2%	27	16	59.3%
3	20	13	65.0%	24	19	79.2%	20	12	60.0%
4	15	8	53.3%	**	**	50.0%	14	7	50.0%
5	22	10	45.5%	17	5	29.4%	**	**	12.5%

⁽a) 1-Richmond HS, 2- Connersville Senior HS, 3-Centerville Senior HS, 4-New Castle Chrysler HS, 5-In-State GED

^{**} Began cell contains 10 or fewer students.

Fort Wayne

Persistence to the Second Year by Cohort Status

		96 Cohort			97 Cohort		98 Cohort			
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	
Beginner	912	510	55.9%	976	569	58.3%	973	583	59.9%	
Transfer	438	230	52.5%	470	250	53.2%	488	260	53.3%	
Overall	1,350	740	54.8%	1,446	819	56.6%	1,461	843	57.7%	

Full-Time Beginners Only (FTB)

		96 Cohort			97 Cohort			98 Cohort	
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
FTB	718	427	59.5%	760	480	63.2%	777	483	62.2%
FTB as % of	7.10	721	00.070	700	+00	00.270	,,,	+00	02.270
Beginners	78.7%	83.7%		77.9%	84.4%		79.9%	82.8%	
FTB as % of	70.770	00.7 70		11.570	04.470		7 0.0 70	02.070	
Overall	53.2%	57.7%		52.6%	58.6%		53.2%	57.3%	
Overall	00.270	07.770		By Ethni			00.270	07.070	
Black	30	11	36.7%	35	17	48.6%	31	21	67.7%
Hispanic	15	10	66.7%	20	9	45.0%	14	7	50.0%
Other	673	406	60.3%	705	454	64.4%	732	455	62.2%
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<25	681	402	59.0%	732	464	63.4%	748	464	62.0%
25-29	20	15	75.0%	12	7	58.3%	15	9	60.0%
30-39	13	6	46.2%	**	**	40.0%	**	**	77.8%
>40	**	**	100.0%	**	**	83.3%	**	**	75.0%
				By Se	X				
Male	302	176	58.3%	316	188	59.5%	352	215	61.1%
Female	416	251	60.3%	444	292	65.8%	425	268	63.1%
				By Reside					
Resident	694	411	59.2%	747	475	63.6%	734	458	62.4%
Non-Res.	24	16	66.7%	13	5	38.5%	43	25	58.1%
			Ву	High Scho	ol Rank				
Top 10%	52	37	71.2%	35	31	88.6%	47	35	74.5%
11%-25%	116	81	69.8%	127	94	74.0%	128	93	72.7%
26%-50%	217	143	65.9%	243	151	62.1%	222	146	65.8%
Bot 50%	241	124	51.5%	287	158	55.1%	297	155	52.2%
			By GPA	in the First	Fall Semes	ster			
3.0 - 4.0	195	157	80.5%	249	193	77.5%	229	190	83.0%
2.0 - 2.99	271	189	69.7%	284	214	75.4%	301	215	71.4%
< 2.0	252	81	32.1%	226	73	32.3%	247	78	31.6%
				By SAT Gi	oups				
1200+	47	35	74.5%	28	21	75.0%	49	33	67.3%
800-1199	470	286	60.9%	529	335	63.3%	525	324	61.7%
400-799	68	35	51.5%	75	49	65.3%	60	40	66.7%
					High Scho				
1	47	27	57.4%	48	32	66.7%	54	37	68.5%
2	43	26	60.5%	50	37	74.0%	51	27	52.9%
3	36	24	66.7%	39	27	69.2%	45	28	62.2%
4	36	26	72.2%	43	27	62.8%	34	21	61.8%
5 (a) 1. D. Nalaan St	35	23	65.7%	46	33	71.7%	38	24	63.2%

⁽a) 1- R Nelson Snider HS, 2- Northrop HS, 3-Homestead HS, 4-North Side HS, 5-Carroll HS.

Fort Wayne - IU Students only

^{**} Began cell contains 10 or fewer students.

Kokomo

Persistence to the Second Year by Cohort Status

	96 Cohort				97 Cohort		98 Cohort			
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	
Beginner	477	236	49.5%	501	271	54.1%	505	254	50.3%	
Transfer	129	64	49.6%	165	73	44.2%	140	71	50.7%	
Overall	606	300	49.5%	666	344	51.7%	645	325	50.4%	

		96 Cohort			97 Cohort			98 Cohort	
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
FTB	340	169	49.7%	306	180	58.8%	334	182	54.5%
FTB as % of	0.10	100	10.1 /0		100	00.070		102	0 1.0 /0
Beginners	71.3%	71.6%		61.1%	66.4%		66.1%	71.7%	
FTB as % of	1 110 70	1 11070		011170	00.170		00.170	7 111 70	
Overall	56.1%	56.3%		45.9%	52.3%		51.8%	56.0%	
	00.1,0	00.070		By Ethni			00,0	00.070	
Black	**	**	33.0%	**	**	66.7%	**	**	0.0%
Hispanic	**	**	0.0%	**	**	50.0%	**	**	42.9%
Other	329	166	50.5%	295	173	58.6%	325	179	55.1%
				Students B					
<25	328	165	50.3%	296	175	59.1%	322	175	54.3%
25-29	**	**	16.7%	**	**	42.9%	**	**	50.0%
30-39	**	**	40.0%	**	**	50.0%	**	**	100.0%
>40	0	0	-	**	**	42.9%	**	**	0.0%
				By Se	X				
Male	112	46	41.1%	102	59	57.8%	103	48	46.6%
Female	228	123	53.9%	204	121	59.3%	231	134	58.0%
				By Reside	ency				
Resident	340	169	49.7%	302	178	58.9%	332	182	54.8%
Non-Res.	0	0	-	**	**	50.0%	**	**	0.0%
			Ву	High Scho	ol Rank				
Top 10%	26	22	84.6%	16	13	81.3%	19	14	73.7%
11%-25%	52	30	57.7%	55	34	61.8%	67	50	74.6%
26%-50%	107	60	56.1%	116	75	64.7%	118	66	55.9%
Bot 50%	135	53	39.3%	109	54	49.5%	120	49	40.8%
			By GPA	in the First	Fall Semes	ster			
3.0 - 4.0	133	96	72.2%	107	88	82.2%	116	88	75.9%
2.0 - 2.99	108	63	58.3%	114	70	61.4%	123	75	61.0%
< 2.0	99	10	10.1%	85	22	25.9%	95	19	20.0%
				By SAT Gr	oups				
1200+	14	9	64.3%	13	7	53.8%	15	8	53.3%
800-1199	188	111	59.0%	185	115	62.2%	205	127	62.0%
400-799	45	21	46.7%	26	13	50.0%	25	9	36.0%
			By Top Five						
1	74	35	47.3%	51	27	52.9%	69	37	53.6%
2	20	14	70.0%	18	8	44.4%	12	9	75.0%
3	23	5	21.7%	21	13	61.9%	29	17	58.6%
4	22	11	50.0%	24	14	58.3%	14	6	42.9%
5	18	10	55.6%	19	8	42.1%	13	8	61.5%

⁽a) 1-Kokomo HS, 2- Taylor Jr-Sr HS, 3-Western HS, 4-Logansport HS, 5-Northwestern HS.

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Northwest

Persistence to the Second Year by Cohort Status

	96 Cohort			97 Cohort			98 Cohort			
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	
Beginner	730	417	57.1%	687	360	52.4%	674	413	61.3%	
Transfer	179	93	52.0%	219	114	52.1%	188	117	62.2%	
Overall	909	510	56.1%	906	474	52.3%	862	530	61.5%	

		96 Cohort			97 Cohort			98 Cohort	
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
FTB	560	347	62.0%	508	288	56.7%	537	352	65.5%
FTB as % of									
Beginners	76.7%	83.2%		73.9%	80.0%		79.7%	85.2%	
FTB as % of									
Overall	61.6%	68.0%		56.1%	60.8%		62.3%	66.4%	
				By Ethni	city				
Black	119	66	55.5%	119	59	49.6%	135	83	61.5%
Hispanic	61	34	55.7%	52	30	57.7%	53	36	67.9%
Other	380	247	65.0%	337	199	59.1%	349	233	66.8%
				Students B	y Age				
<25	523	324	62.0%	476	276	58.0%	513	337	65.7%
25-29	19	10	52.6%	17	3	17.6%	14	8	57.1%
30-39	13	8	61.5%	**	**	55.6%	**	**	66.7%
>40	**	**	100.0%	**	**	66.7%	**	**	75.0%
				By Se	X				
Male	205	119	58.0%	168	87	51.8%	190	129	67.9%
Female	355	228	64.2%	340	201	59.1%	347	223	64.3%
				By Reside	ency				
Resident	556	344	61.9%	504	287	56.9%	534	349	65.4%
Non-Res.	**	**	75.0%	**	**	25.0%	**	**	100.0%
				High Scho	ol Rank				
Top 10%	58	51	87.9%	39	32	82.1%	57	50	87.7%
11%-25%	97	66	68.0%	103	61	59.2%	79	59	74.7%
26%-50%	161	110	68.3%	160	96	60.0%	138	101	73.2%
Bot 50%	214	102	47.7%	168	90	53.6%	212	114	53.8%
			By GPA	0.000.000.000.000.000.000.000.000.000.000.000.000.000.000	Fall Semes				
3.0 - 4.0	131	115	87.8%	122	106	86.9%	134	122	91.0%
2.0 - 2.99	224	175	78.1%	174	123	70.7%	199	136	68.3%
< 2.0	205	57	27.8%	212	59	27.8%	204	94	46.1%
				By SAT Gr					
1200+	20	18	90.0%	18	11	61.1%	26	22	84.6%
800-1199	330	213	64.5%	304	194	63.8%	332	236	71.1%
400-799	116	63	54.3%	105	51	48.6%	114	58	50.9%
			By Top Five						
1	56	38	67.9%	57	30	52.6%	41	25	61.0%
2	35	21	60.0%	34	20	58.8%	48	32	66.7%
3	31	26	83.9%	35	22	62.9%	37	23	62.2%
4	28	17	60.7%	32	23	71.9%	35	25	71.4%
5	28	19	67.9%	14	9	64.3%	12	10	83.3%

⁽a) 1-Portage HS, 2- Merrillville Sr HS, 3-Hobart HS, 4-Lake Central HS, 5-Griffith HS.

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South Bend

Persistence to the Second Year by Cohort Status

	96 Cohort			97 Cohort			98 Cohort			
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	
Beginner	840	463	55.1%	843	504	59.8%	984	579	58.8%	
Transfer	258	153	59.3%	339	213	62.8%	345	202	58.6%	
Overall	1,098	616	56.1%	1,182	717	60.7%	1,329	781	58.8%	

		96 Cohort			97 Cohort			98 Cohort	
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
FTB	593	344	58.0%	631	405	64.2%	734	466	63.5%
FTB as % of	000	011	00.070		100	0 /0		100	00.070
Beginners	70.6%	74.3%		74.9%	80.4%		74.6%	80.5%	
FTB as % of									
Overall	54.0%	55.8%		53.4%	56.5%		55.2%	59.7%	
				By Ethni					
Black	44	24	54.5%	41	18	43.9%	49	29	59.2%
Hispanic	22	9	40.9%	11	6	54.5%	24	16	66.7%
Other	527	311	59.0%	579	381	65.8%	661	421	63.7%
				Students B	y Age				
<25	560	330	58.9%	574	371	64.6%	679	438	64.5%
25-29	14	6	42.9%	19	10	52.6%	34	13	38.2%
30-39	13	6	46.2%	27	17	63.0%	13	10	76.9%
>40	**	**	33.3%	11	7	63.6%	**	**	62.5%
				By Se	X				
Male	233	123	52.8%	247	149	60.3%	306	191	62.4%
Female	360	221	61.4%	384	256	66.7%	428	275	64.3%
				By Reside	ency				
Resident	574	332	57.8%	605	388	64.1%	711	451	63.4%
Non-Res.	19	12	63.2%	26	17	65.4%	23	15	65.2%
	_		Ву	High Scho	ol Rank				
Top 10%	35	28	80.0%	39	35	89.7%	46	35	76.1%
11%-25%	93	65	69.9%	95	74	77.9%	100	76	76.0%
26%-50%	164	102	62.2%	178	109	61.2%	204	123	60.3%
Bot 50%	189	88	46.6%	209	119	56.9%	253	154	60.9%
				in the First	Fall Semes				
3.0 - 4.0	153	122	79.7%	210	177	84.3%	227	182	80.2%
2.0 - 2.99	195	141	72.3%	209	161	77.0%	242	184	76.0%
< 2.0	245	81	33.1%	212	67	31.6%	265	100	37.7%
	_			By SAT Gr					
1200+	25	16	64.0%	37	22	59.5%	74	57	77.0%
800-1199	335	202	60.3%	357	241	67.5%	436	281	64.4%
400-799	69	36	52.2%	81	46	56.8%	43	25	58.1%
					High School				
1	80	38	47.5%	71	51	71.8%	94	62	66.0%
2	31	20	64.5%	29	21	72.4%	40	28	70.0%
3	28	19	67.9%	39	21	53.8%	48	34	70.8%
4	27	14	51.9%	46	20	43.5%	43	25	58.1%
5	35	17	48.6%	20	14	70.0%	24	13	54.2%

⁽a) 1-Penn HS, 2- John Adams HS, 3-Mishawaka HS, 4-James W Riley HS, 5-In-State GED

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Southeast

Persistence to the Second Year by Cohort Status

	96 Cohort			97 Cohort			98 Cohort			
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	
Beginner	880	534	60.7%	903	548	60.7%	980	557	56.8%	
Transfer	127	78	61.4%	167	98	58.7%	225	127	56.4%	
Overall	1,007	612	60.8%	1,070	646	60.4%	1,205	684	56.8%	

		96 Cohort			97 Cohort			98 Cohort	
	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%	began	ret'd	%
FTB	643	431	67.0%	642	425	66.2%	727	454	62.4%
FTB as % of				_					
Beginners	73.1%	80.7%		71.1%	77.6%		74.2%	81.5%	
FTB as % of									
Overall	63.9%	70.4%		60.0%	65.8%		60.3%	66.4%	
				By Ethni	city				
Black	**	**	22.2%	16	7	43.8%	17	7	41.2%
Hispanic	**	**	75.0%	**	**	50.0%	**	**	66.7%
Other	630	426	67.6%	622	416	66.9%	704	443	62.9%
				Students B	y Age				
<25	619	415	67.0%	611	407	66.6%	706	443	62.7%
25-29	11	6	54.5%	**	**	25.0%	**	**	55.6%
30-39	**	**	90.0%	11	8	72.7%	**	**	57.1%
>40	**	**	33.3%	12	8	66.7%	**	**	40.0%
				By Se	X				
Male	268	160	59.7%	266	160	60.2%	320	181	56.6%
Female	375	271	72.3%	376	265	70.5%	407	273	67.1%
				By Reside	ency				
Resident	628	422	67.2%	631	418	66.2%	684	427	62.4%
Non-Res.	15	9	60.0%	11	7	63.6%	43	27	62.8%
				High Scho	*******************************				
Top 10%	60	52	86.7%	58	51	87.9%	56	46	82.1%
11%-25%	131	100	76.3%	131	103	78.6%	146	110	75.3%
26%-50%	226	155	68.6%	205	140	68.3%	237	150	63.3%
Bot 50%	166	88	53.0%	166	88	53.0%	242	126	52.1%
			************************************		Fall Semes				
3.0 - 4.0	208	184	88.5%	215	185	86.0%	217	177	81.6%
2.0 - 2.99	247	193	78.1%	234	177	75.6%	271	202	74.5%
< 2.0	188	54	28.7%	193	63	32.6%	239	75	31.4%
				By SAT Gr					
1200+	24	20	83.3%	26	23	88.5%	42	34	81.0%
800-1199	415	304	73.3%	374	272	72.7%	428	284	66.4%
400-799	90	53	58.9%	100	61	61.0%	90	50	55.6%
			By Top Five						
1	77	62	80.5%	68	46	67.6%	66	41	62.1%
2	76	50	65.8%	81	45	55.6%	91	59	64.8%
3	72	44	61.1%	69	52	75.4%	71	50	70.4%
4	33	21	63.6%	35	25	71.4%	22	15	68.2%
5	29	21	72.4%	41	32	78.0%	42	34	81.0%

⁽a) 1-Floyd Central HS, 2- New Albany HS, 3-Jeffersonville HS, 4-Charlestown HS, 5-Our Lady of Providence HS.

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