

Data Brief: Retention Rates for Fall 2012 – Fall 2021 First-Time, Part-Time, Degree-Seeking Cohorts

First-time, part-time, degree-seeking (FTPTDS) student cohorts were calculated for the Fall 2012 – Fall 2021 semesters. The students in each cohort were retained if enrolled (regardless of attendance status) as of the 10th day for each semester following their first. Note that the sixth semester (150% of normal time) is identified, as it corresponds to the duration used generally to identify completion rates. The cohort with the highest retention percentage each semester is identified in grey.

First Semester (Cohort)	Cohort Size	Retention										
		Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth	Eleventh	Twelfth
Fall 2012	749	57.7%	45.7%	39.1%	33.1%	26.3%	21.0%	16.7%	13.1%	10.8%	8.3%	6.4%
		Spring 2013	Fall 2013	Spring 2014	Fall 2014	Spring 2015	Fall 2015	Spring 2016	Fall 2016	Spring 2017	Fall 2017	Spring 2018
Fall 2013	655	66.9%	52.1%	41.5%	39.8%	33.0%	23.7%	19.8%	15.1%	12.1%	8.4%	6.9%
		Spring 2014	Fall 2014	Spring 2015	Fall 2015	Spring 2016	Fall 2016	Spring 2017	Fall 2017	Spring 2018	Fall 2018	Spring 2019
Fall 2014	673	64.2%	51.1%	42.9%	39.8%	32.4%	25.9%	21.1%	14.6%	10.7%	7.4%	5.6%
		Spring 2015	Fall 2015	Spring 2016	Fall 2016	Spring 2017	Fall 2017	Spring 2018	Fall 2018	Spring 2019	Fall 2019	Spring 2020
Fall 2015	472	62.7%	48.7%	41.3%	35.4%	28.6%	23.1%	16.9%	12.3%	9.5%	8.1%	6.1%
		Spring 2016	Fall 2016	Spring 2017	Fall 2017	Spring 2018	Fall 2018	Spring 2019	Fall 2019	Spring 2020	Fall 2020	Spring 2021
Fall 2016	831	65.2%	52.5%	42.8%	34.7%	28.5%	20.5%	16.4%	10.5%	7.8%	5.7%	4.9%
		Spring 2017	Fall 2017	Spring 2018	Fall 2018	Spring 2019	Fall 2019	Spring 2020	Fall 2020	Spring 2021	Fall 2021	Spring 2022
Fall 2017	533	66.0%	53.1%	41.7%	35.3%	30.8%	20.3%	16.3%	10.5%	8.4%		
		Spring 2018	Fall 2018	Spring 2019	Fall 2019	Spring 2020	Fall 2020	Spring 2021	Fall 2021	Spring 2022		
Fall 2018	533	66.8%	49.3%	44.5%	31.5%	24.8%	19.1%	15.4%				
		Spring 2019	Fall 2019	Spring 2020	Fall 2020	Spring 2021	Fall 2021	Spring 2022				
Fall 2019	581	67.3%	44.6%	35.6%	31.2%	22.7%						
		Spring 2020	Fall 2020	Spring 2021	Fall 2021	Spring 2022						
Fall 2020	346	60.1%	47.4%	36.7%								
		Spring 2021	Fall 2021	Spring 2022								
Fall 2021	367	58.9%										
		Spring 2022										

150% of Normal Time

Second – Sixth Semester Retention Rates for Fall 2017 – Fall 2021 FTPTDS Cohorts

