

Retention Rates

The Higher Education Act, as amended by the Higher Education Opportunity Act of 2008, requires that all postsecondary education institutions participating in Title IV, HEA financial aid programs make available to current and prospective students the retention rate of first-time degree or certificate seeking students. Retention rate is defined as the percentage of first-time degree/certificate seeking students enrolled in the fall who either re-enrolled or successfully completed their program by the subsequent fall.

IPEDS Fall-to-Fall Retention Rate	
Fall 2008 - Fall 2009	
<i>Full-time</i> , First-time, Degree/certificate seeking	64%
<i>Part-time</i> , First-time, Degree/certificate seeking	45%

Data Source: IPEDS Fall Enrollment Survey