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## FIRST-TIME FULL-TIME FRESHMAN RETENTION & GRADUATION RATES

Cohort	N	Retention %			Persistence %					Graduation %				
		Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8	4-Year	5-Year	6-Year	7-Year	8-Year
Fall 2005	706	82.3%	68.3%	63.5%	25.1%	5.4%	2.0%	0.8%	0.3%	33.3%	52.3%	58.2%	60.2%	60.8%
Fall 2006	396	79.5%	68.7%	64.9%	28.5%	8.6%	3.8%	0.8%	0.0%	29.8%	50.8%	58.1%	61.1%	62.1%
Fall 2007	668	79.2%	66.9%	62.0%	30.5%	7.6%	2.1%	0.9%	0.3%	26.8%	49.1%	56.7%	58.7%	59.6%
Fall 2008	922	83.1%	74.2%	68.5%	30.7%	8.5%	1.5%	0.4%	0.3%	33.6%	55.3%	63.6%	65.4%	66.2%
Fall 2009	1,126	87.1%	75.3%	71.3%	31.9%	5.0%	0.8%	0.4%	0.0%	36.7%	61.7%	66.3%	67.6%	68.1%
Fall 2010	1,335	84.6%	73.9%	70.0%	31.5%	3.8%	0.7%	0.1%		37.6%	62.6%	66.4%	67.4%	
Fall 2011	1,439	82.8%	72.8%	67.5%	33.5%	4.6%	1.3%			32.5%	59.8%	64.4%		
Fall 2012	1,493	84.4%	73.2%	68.9%	28.7%	4.3%				37.8%	62.0%			
Fall 2013	1,651	82.6%	75.0%	71.2%	25.6%					44.6%				
Fall 2014	1,548	83.9%	74.0%	69.4%										
Fall 2015	1,782	85.8%	77.7%											
Fall 2016	2,040	80.5%												

How to interpret retention tables:

- 82.3% of the Fall 2005 cohort were still enrolled after one year (fall 2006)
- 60.8% of the Fall 2005 cohort graduated within 8 years

Note: Persistence rates should be read in conjunction with graduation rates to determine the percentage of the original cohort who have either graduated or are still enrolled

Note: Retention rates do not include students who left to serve in the military, go on religious missions or are deceased

Note: For calculation of graduation rates, summer is a trailer term

Source: IPA Enrollment Table

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## FIRST-TIME FULL-TIME FRESHMAN RETENTION & GRADUATION RATES BY GENDER

<b>Females</b>														
<b>Cohort</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Retention %</b>			<b>Persistence %</b>					<b>Graduation %</b>				
		<b>Year 1</b>	<b>Year 2</b>	<b>Year 3</b>	<b>Year 4</b>	<b>Year 5</b>	<b>Year 6</b>	<b>Year 7</b>	<b>Year 8</b>	<b>4-Year</b>	<b>5-Year</b>	<b>6-Year</b>	<b>7-Year</b>	<b>8-Year</b>
Fall 2005	360	80.3%	65.0%	59.4%	21.1%	3.9%	1.1%	0.6%	0.3%	34.4%	52.2%	56.7%	58.1%	58.3%
Fall 2006	178	79.8%	70.8%	68.5%	21.9%	3.9%	1.7%	0.6%	0.0%	39.3%	57.9%	62.4%	64.0%	65.2%
Fall 2007	314	79.9%	69.4%	63.7%	27.1%	4.5%	1.3%	1.0%	0.3%	33.1%	55.7%	60.2%	61.8%	62.7%
Fall 2008	432	83.1%	74.5%	68.5%	24.1%	5.6%	0.2%	0.2%	0.0%	41.9%	60.9%	67.6%	68.3%	69.2%
Fall 2009	594	87.0%	74.2%	70.5%	30.1%	3.9%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	38.7%	63.6%	67.0%	68.5%	68.7%
Fall 2010	703	85.2%	76.4%	73.3%	29.3%	2.4%	0.6%	0.1%		43.7%	68.0%	70.7%	72.0%	
Fall 2011	754	85.0%	76.7%	71.5%	31.8%	3.3%	0.8%			39.0%	65.6%	69.5%		
Fall 2012	732	85.8%	76.4%	72.1%	22.1%	2.3%				47.7%	68.7%			
Fall 2013	849	85.5%	78.7%	76.2%	23.0%					52.1%				
Fall 2014	785	85.1%	76.6%	71.7%										
Fall 2015	939	85.9%	78.2%											
Fall 2016	1,066	79.5%												

How to interpret retention tables:

- 80.3% of the Fall 2005 females were still enrolled after one year (fall 2006)
- 58.3% of the Fall 2005 males graduated within 8 years

Note: Persistence rates should be read in conjunction with graduation rates to determine the percentage of the original cohort who have either graduated or are still enrolled

Note: Retention rates do not include students who left to serve in the military, go on religious missions or are deceased

Note: For calculation of graduation rates, summer is a trailer term

Source: IPA Enrollment Table

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## FIRST-TIME FULL-TIME FRESHMAN RETENTION & GRADUATION RATES BY GENDER

<b>Males</b>														
<b>Cohort</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Retention %</b>			<b>Persistence %</b>					<b>Graduation %</b>				
		<b>Year 1</b>	<b>Year 2</b>	<b>Year 3</b>	<b>Year 4</b>	<b>Year 5</b>	<b>Year 6</b>	<b>Year 7</b>	<b>Year 8</b>	<b>4-Year</b>	<b>5-Year</b>	<b>6-Year</b>	<b>7-Year</b>	<b>8-Year</b>
Fall 2005	345	84.6%	71.9%	67.8%	29.3%	7.0%	2.9%	1.2%	0.3%	32.2%	52.5%	60.0%	62.6%	63.5%
Fall 2006	215	79.1%	66.5%	61.4%	33.5%	12.1%	5.1%	0.9%	0.0%	21.9%	45.1%	54.4%	58.1%	59.1%
Fall 2007	354	78.5%	64.7%	60.5%	33.6%	10.5%	2.8%	0.8%	0.3%	21.2%	43.2%	53.7%	55.9%	56.8%
Fall 2008	487	83.0%	73.7%	68.4%	36.1%	10.9%	2.7%	0.6%	0.6%	26.5%	50.3%	59.8%	62.6%	63.2%
Fall 2009	527	87.1%	76.5%	72.1%	33.6%	6.3%	1.3%	0.8%	0.0%	34.5%	59.4%	65.5%	66.4%	67.4%
Fall 2010	625	84.3%	71.4%	66.7%	34.1%	5.1%	0.8%	0.2%		30.9%	57.0%	61.8%	62.6%	
Fall 2011	680	80.6%	68.7%	63.2%	35.4%	6.0%	1.8%			25.3%	53.4%	58.7%		
Fall 2012	756	83.1%	70.1%	65.7%	34.7%	6.2%				28.6%	55.6%			
Fall 2013	790	79.6%	71.4%	66.1%	28.6%					36.8%				
Fall 2014	753	83.0%	71.6%	67.2%										
Fall 2015	828	85.6%	77.2%											
Fall 2016	972	81.7%												

How to interpret retention tables:

- 84.6% of the Fall 2005 males were still enrolled after one year (fall 2006)
- 63.5% of the Fall 2005 males graduated within 8 years

Note: Persistence rates should be read in conjunction with graduation rates to determine the percentage of the original cohort who have either graduated or are still enrolled

Note: Retention rates do not include students who left to serve in the military, go on religious missions or are deceased

Note: For calculation of graduation rates, summer is a trailer term

Source: IPA Enrollment Table

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## FIRST-TIME FULL-TIME FRESHMAN RETENTION & GRADUATION RATES BY ETHNICITY

AFRICAN-AMERICAN														
Cohort	N	Retention %			Persistence %					Graduation %				
		Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8	4-Year	5-Year	6-Year	7-Year	8-Year
Fall 2005	49	79.6%	69.4%	65.3%	20.4%	6.1%	4.1%	2.0%	0.0%	40.8%	59.2%	59.2%	59.2%	59.2%
Fall 2006	26	73.1%	69.2%	65.4%	30.8%	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%	0.0%	11.5%	42.3%	53.8%	53.8%	57.7%
Fall 2007	45	75.6%	62.2%	62.2%	31.1%	4.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	26.7%	48.9%	53.3%	55.6%	55.6%
Fall 2008	67	83.6%	68.7%	61.2%	29.9%	10.4%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	28.4%	47.8%	59.7%	61.2%	62.7%
Fall 2009	95	88.4%	68.4%	67.4%	47.4%	2.1%	2.1%	1.1%	0.0%	20.0%	53.7%	58.9%	58.9%	60.0%
Fall 2010	70	85.7%	75.7%	72.9%	42.9%	4.3%	0.0%	0.0%		31.4%	64.3%	68.6%	70.0%	
Fall 2011	108	79.6%	72.2%	67.6%	34.3%	5.6%	0.9%			30.6%	60.2%	63.9%		
Fall 2012	96	87.5%	77.1%	71.9%	24.0%	4.2%				42.7%	65.6%			
Fall 2013	73	89.0%	80.8%	75.3%	26.0%					49.3%				
Fall 2014	76	81.6%	76.3%	72.4%										
Fall 2015	61	86.9%	73.8%											
Fall 2016	108	85.2%												

  

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Cohort	N	Retention %			Persistence %					Graduation %				
		Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8	4-Year	5-Year	6-Year	7-Year	8-Year
Fall 2005	274	86.9%	71.5%	66.1%	27.0%	5.5%	1.5%	0.7%	0.4%	33.6%	56.2%	63.5%	65.3%	65.7%
Fall 2006	136	76.5%	67.6%	65.4%	30.1%	9.6%	3.7%	0.7%	0.0%	30.9%	52.9%	61.0%	64.7%	65.4%
Fall 2007	209	79.9%	64.6%	59.8%	27.3%	7.7%	2.9%	1.0%	0.5%	29.7%	50.2%	56.0%	58.4%	58.9%
Fall 2008	294	88.8%	77.9%	74.1%	33.7%	8.5%	1.4%	0.0%	0.3%	35.4%	61.9%	69.7%	71.8%	72.1%
Fall 2009	372	87.6%	78.8%	75.5%	29.6%	6.5%	0.8%	0.3%	0.0%	41.7%	64.8%	70.4%	71.5%	72.0%
Fall 2010	363	87.6%	79.1%	76.0%	32.2%	3.6%	1.1%	0.0%		41.3%	66.9%	70.8%	72.2%	
Fall 2011	385	89.4%	79.7%	74.3%	39.5%	6.2%	1.6%			34.5%	66.0%	72.2%		
Fall 2012	369	86.7%	75.3%	71.3%	34.1%	3.8%				34.4%	64.2%			
Fall 2013	342	86.0%	78.1%	74.0%	24.9%					47.7%				
Fall 2014	376	86.4%	73.7%	69.9%										
Fall 2015	364	91.5%	82.7%											
Fall 2016	373	89.0%												

How to interpret retention tables:







Fall 2016 58 75.9%

How to interpret retention tables:

- 78.1% of the Fall 2005 White students were still enrolled after one year (fall 2006)
- 57.9% of the Fall 2005 White students graduated within 8 years

Note: Retention rates do not include students who left to serve in the military, go on religious missions or are deceased

Source: IPA Enrollment Table & IPA Degree Table

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### FIRST-TIME FULL-TIME FRESHMAN RETENTION & GRADUATION RATES BY ETHNICITY

NONRESIDENT ALIEN														
Cohort	N	Retention %			Persistence %					Graduation %				
		Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8	4-Year	5-Year	6-Year	7-Year	8-Year
Fall 2005	4	75.0%	75.0%	50.0%	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	25.0%	25.0%	25.0%	25.0%	25.0%
Fall 2006	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Fall 2007	8	75.0%	62.5%	62.5%	25.0%	12.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	12.5%	50.0%	62.5%	62.5%	62.5%
Fall 2008	12	83.3%	75.0%	66.7%	8.3%	8.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	41.7%	41.7%	41.7%	50.0%	58.3%
Fall 2009	9	100.0%	88.9%	77.8%	22.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	44.4%	66.7%	66.7%	66.7%	66.7%
Fall 2010	15	86.7%	46.7%	40.0%	20.0%	6.7%	0.0%	0.0%		13.3%	26.7%	33.3%	33.3%	
Fall 2011	8	87.5%	87.5%	75.0%	12.5%	0.0%	0.0%			37.5%	62.5%	62.5%		
Fall 2012	53	83.0%	69.8%	69.8%	22.6%	5.7%				39.6%	60.4%			
Fall 2013	95	80.0%	75.8%	76.8%	36.8%					36.8%				
Fall 2014	90	91.1%	78.9%	73.3%										
Fall 2015	127	88.2%	83.5%											
Fall 2016	157	82.2%												
OTHER/UNKNOWN														
Cohort	N	Retention %			Persistence %					Graduation %				
		Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8	4-Year	5-Year	6-Year	7-Year	8-Year
Fall 2005	30	80.0%	70.0%	63.3%	23.3%	6.7%	3.3%	0.0%	0.0%	23.3%	50.0%	53.3%	53.3%	53.3%
Fall 2006	29	89.7%	82.8%	72.4%	13.8%	3.4%	3.4%	0.0%	0.0%	55.2%	65.5%	69.0%	72.4%	72.4%
Fall 2007	36	80.6%	63.9%	61.1%	33.3%	8.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	19.4%	36.1%	52.8%	52.8%	52.8%
Fall 2008	39	79.5%	71.8%	71.8%	35.9%	15.4%	2.6%	0.0%	0.0%	28.2%	53.8%	64.1%	69.2%	71.8%
Fall 2009	43	88.4%	65.1%	60.5%	34.9%	7.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	23.3%	46.5%	53.5%	53.5%	53.5%
Fall 2010	43	88.4%	74.4%	62.8%	18.6%	7.0%	0.0%	0.0%		51.2%	62.8%	67.4%	67.4%	
Fall 2011	8	87.5%	75.0%	62.5%	12.5%	0.0%	0.0%			50.0%	62.5%	62.5%		

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Fall 2012	17	88.2%	88.2%	88.2%	35.3%	5.9%	52.9%	70.6%
Fall 2013	17	82.4%	82.4%	82.4%	35.3%		41.2%	
Fall 2014	16	93.8%	68.8%	62.5%				
Fall 2015	11	72.7%	63.6%					
Fall 2016	9	88.9%						

Note: Other/Unknown category includes Native American and Pacific Islander (2005-2006) ethnicities.

How to interpret retention tables:

- 80.0% of the Fall 2005 of the students with an unknown ethnicity were still enrolled after one year (fall 2006)
- 53.3% of the Fall 2005 students with an unknown ethnicity graduated within 8 years

Note: Retention rates do not include students who left to serve in the military, go on religious missions or are deceased

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## FIRST-TIME FULL-TIME FRESHMEN RETENTION & GRADUATION RATES BY PELL RECIPIENT

Cohort	N	Persistence %								4-Year	5-Year	6-Year	7-Year	8-Year
		Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8					
Fall 2005	255	82.7%	68.2%	62.7%	24.3%	6.7%	1.2%	1.2%	0.4%	31.4%	47.8%	57.3%	58.4%	59.2%
Fall 2006	146	80.1%	69.2%	64.4%	33.6%	11.0%	3.4%	0.7%	0.0%	29.5%	47.9%	56.8%	58.9%	59.6%
Fall 2007	264	79.9%	69.7%	62.1%	33.0%	10.6%	2.7%	1.1%	0.4%	23.9%	45.8%	55.7%	58.0%	59.1%
Fall 2008	392	83.9%	76.5%	69.4%	33.7%	8.2%	1.3%	0.5%	0.3%	33.2%	57.4%	66.1%	67.6%	67.9%
Fall 2009	577	87.5%	76.9%	72.1%	37.6%	6.4%	0.5%	0.3%		32.6%	61.7%	68.1%	69.0%	0.7%
Fall 2010	808	82.9%	72.9%	69.8%	32.1%	4.1%	0.7%	0.1%		36.3%	61.4%	65.5%	66.6%	
Fall 2011	844	79.6%	70.1%	64.9%	33.5%	4.9%	1.5%			29.1%	56.4%	60.7%		
Fall 2012	929	83.0%	71.7%	67.5%	28.4%	4.3%				37.0%	60.7%			
Fall 2013	1047	80.3%	73.3%	69.0%	24.2%					44.6%				
Fall 2014	958	82.0%	73.8%	69.1%										
Fall 2015	1141	84.5%	75.9%											
Fall 2016	1349	81.0%												

How to interpret retention tables:

- 82.7% of the Fall 2005 cohort were still enrolled after one year (fall 2006)
- 59.2% graduated within 8 years of enrolling

Note: Retention rates do not include students who left to serve in the military, go on religious missions or are deceased

Source: IPA Enrollment Table & Pell Recipient Table

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## FIRST-TIME FULL-TIME FRESHMEN RETENTION & GRADUATION RATES BY NON-PELL RECIPIENTS

Cohort	N	Persistence %								4-Year	5-Year	6-Year	7-Year	8-Year
		Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8					
Fall 2005	451	82.0%	68.3%	63.9%	25.5%	4.7%	2.4%	0.7%	0.2%	34.4%	54.8%	58.8%	61.2%	61.6%
Fall 2006	250	79.2%	68.4%	65.2%	25.6%	7.2%	4.0%	0.8%	0.0%	30.0%	52.4%	58.8%	62.4%	63.6%
Fall 2007	404	78.7%	65.1%	61.9%	29.0%	5.7%	1.7%	0.7%	0.2%	28.7%	51.2%	57.4%	59.2%	59.9%
Fall 2008	530	82.5%	72.5%	67.9%	28.5%	8.7%	1.7%	0.4%	0.4%	34.0%	53.8%	61.7%	63.8%	64.9%
Fall 2009	549	86.7%	73.6%	70.5%	25.9%	3.5%	1.1%	0.4%		41.0%	61.7%	64.5%	66.1%	66.8%
Fall 2010	527	87.3%	75.7%	70.4%	30.6%	3.4%	0.6%	0.2%		39.7%	64.5%	67.7%	68.7%	
Fall 2011	595	87.4%	76.6%	71.3%	33.4%	4.2%	0.8%			37.3%	64.7%	69.6%		
Fall 2012	564	86.7%	75.7%	71.3%	28.9%	4.3%				39.2%	64.2%			
Fall 2013	604	86.4%	78.0%	75.0%	28.1%					44.7%				
Fall 2014	588	86.9%	74.3%	70.1%										
Fall 2015	641	88.1%	81.0%											
Fall 2016	691	79.6%												

How to interpret retention tables:

- 82.0% of the Fall 2005 cohort were still enrolled after one year (fall 2006)
- 61.6% graduated within 8 years of enrolling

Note: Retention rates do not include students who left to serve in the military, go on religious missions or are deceased

Source: IPA Enrollment Table & Pell Recipient Table

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**FIRST-TIME FULL-TIME FRESHMAN RETENTION/GRADUATION RATES BY FIRST GENERATION STATUS**

Cohort	N	Retention %			Persistence %					Graduation %				
		Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8	4-Year	5-Year	6-Year	7-Year	8-Year
Fall 2005	318	80.8%	69.2%	64.5%	26.1%	6.9%	1.9%	0.6%	0.3%	35.2%	52.8%	60.4%	62.3%	62.6%
Fall 2006	195	77.9%	67.7%	62.1%	28.7%	9.7%	4.1%	0.5%	0.0%	29.7%	47.7%	54.9%	57.9%	58.5%
Fall 2007	348	77.9%	69.5%	63.8%	33.0%	8.6%	1.4%	1.1%	0.6%	26.7%	49.4%	58.3%	59.8%	60.9%
Fall 2008	487	82.5%	75.4%	70.4%	33.5%	8.8%	1.8%	0.6%	0.2%	33.3%	57.1%	65.5%	67.4%	68.2%
Fall 2009	590	87.6%	76.1%	72.2%	34.7%	5.4%	0.3%	0.3%	0	34.9%	62.9%	68.1%	69.0%	69.5%
Fall 2010	773	81.4%	72.6%	69.1%	33.4%	4.5%	0.5%	0.1%		34.3%	59.5%	64.0%	65.2%	
Fall 2011	871	80.5%	71.0%	65.3%	31.3%	3.7%	1.0%			31.2%	57.5%	61.4%		
Fall 2012	978	82.3%	71.1%	66.8%	27.7%	4.0%				36.7%	60.2%			
Fall 2013	1,134	81.7%	74.6%	71.2%	24.5%					45.0%				
Fall 2014	1,057	83.1%	74.1%	70.2%										
Fall 2015	1,285	85.5%	77.4%											
Fall 2016	1,559	79.2%												

How to interpret retention tables:

- 80.8% of the Fall 2005 cohort where neither parent graduated from college were still enrolled after one year (fall 2006)
- 62.5% graduated within 8 years

Note: Retention rates do not include students who left to serve in the military, go on religious missions or are deceased

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## FIRST-TIME FULL-TIME FRESHMAN RETENTION/GRADUATION RATES BY NON-FIRST GENERATION STATUS

Cohort	N	Retention %			Persistence %						Graduation %				
		Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8	4-Year	5-Year	6-Year	7-Year	8-Year	
Fall 2005	388	83.5%	67.5%	62.6%	24.2%	4.1%	2.1%	1.0%	0.3%	31.7%	51.8%	56.4%	58.5%	59.3%	
Fall 2006	201	81.1%	69.7%	67.7%	28.4%	7.5%	3.5%	1.0%	0.0%	29.9%	53.7%	61.2%	64.2%	65.7%	
Fall 2007	320	80.6%	64.1%	60.0%	27.8%	6.6%	2.8%	0.6%	0.0%	26.9%	48.8%	55.0%	57.5%	58.1%	
Fall 2008	435	83.7%	72.9%	66.4%	27.6%	8.0%	1.1%	0.2%	0.5%	34.0%	53.3%	61.4%	63.2%	63.9%	
Fall 2009	536	86.6%	74.4%	70.3%	28.7%	4.5%	1.3%	0.4%	0.0%	38.6%	60.4%	64.4%	66.0%	66.6%	
Fall 2010	562	89.1%	75.8%	71.4%	28.8%	2.8%	0.9%	0.2%		42.2%	66.9%	69.6%	70.5%		
Fall 2011	568	86.4%	75.7%	71.0%	36.8%	6.0%	1.6%			34.5%	63.4%	68.8%			
Fall 2012	515	88.3%	77.3%	73.0%	30.5%	4.9%				40.0%	65.4%				
Fall 2013	517	84.5%	75.8%	71.2%	28.0%					43.9%					
Fall 2014	491	85.7%	73.7%	67.6%											
Fall 2015	497	86.5%	78.7%												
Fall 2016	481	84.8%													

How to interpret retention tables:

- 83.5% of the Fall 2005 cohort where at least one parent graduated from college were still enrolled after one year (fall 2006)
- 59.3% graduated within 8 years

Note: Retention rates do not include students who left to serve in the military, go on religious missions or are deceased

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