

**First Year Retention Rates by Parents' Education\***  
**New Full-Time Undergraduate Transfers**  
**Fall 2003 to Fall 2012 Cohorts**

		Fall 2003	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	Fall 2009	Fall 2010	Fall 2011	Fall 2012
NO RESPONSE	Entering Cohort	236	135	161	137	119	113	101	169	41	51
	Returned	193	111	135	120	101	93	84	147	38	46
	Percent Retained	81.8%	82.2%	83.9%	87.6%	84.9%	82.3%	83.2%	87.0%	92.7%	90.2%
NO HIGH SCHOOL	Entering Cohort	171	149	150	127	140	130	142	173	230	193
	Returned	145	129	121	108	120	112	121	157	204	172
	Percent Retained	84.8%	86.6%	80.7%	85.0%	85.7%	86.2%	85.2%	90.8%	88.7%	89.1%
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	Entering Cohort	68	64	60	68	67	62	59	84	106	94
	Returned	55	55	47	54	56	51	50	76	92	88
	Percent Retained	80.9%	85.9%	78.3%	79.4%	83.6%	82.3%	84.7%	90.5%	86.8%	93.6%
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	Entering Cohort	248	192	160	161	173	186	180	221	233	201
	Returned	202	156	129	145	142	154	162	203	198	182
	Percent Retained	81.5%	81.3%	80.6%	90.1%	82.1%	82.8%	90.0%	91.9%	85.0%	90.5%
SOME COLLEGE	Entering Cohort	340	267	269	274	335	259	248	344	320	289
	Returned	284	237	225	228	283	217	219	307	281	262
	Percent Retained	83.5%	88.8%	83.6%	83.2%	84.5%	83.8%	88.3%	89.2%	87.8%	90.7%
2-YEAR COLLEGE GRADUATE	Entering Cohort	165	143	148	143	122	127	128	157	142	121
	Returned	138	124	129	109	102	104	110	138	126	106
	Percent Retained	83.6%	86.7%	87.2%	76.2%	83.6%	81.9%	85.9%	87.9%	88.7%	87.6%
4-YEAR COLLEGE GRADUATE	Entering Cohort	304	252	240	286	280	238	240	319	337	259
	Returned	262	214	205	236	242	206	210	296	300	236
	Percent Retained	86.2%	84.9%	85.4%	82.5%	86.4%	86.6%	87.5%	92.8%	89.0%	91.1%
POST GRADUATE	Entering Cohort	227	151	185	191	174	150	150	215	190	136
	Returned	199	135	160	162	146	127	120	188	169	123
	Percent Retained	87.7%	89.4%	86.5%	84.8%	83.9%	84.7%	80.0%	87.4%	88.9%	90.4%

\*Refers to parent with highest level of education.