

Retention and Graduation Rates of African American New Freshmen by Fall Semester Entrance Cohort

Fall Semester of Entrance	Cohort Head Count	Cumulative Graduation / Retention Rates									
		Retention Rate After—			After 4 Years		After 5 Years		After 6 Years		
		1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	Graduated	Retained	Graduated	Retained	Graduated	Retained	
1999	135	85.9	75.6	68.1	20.7	45.2	48.9	11.9	55.6	8.9	
2000	127	85.8	80.3	70.1	14.2	52.8	52.0	9.4	58.3	6.3	
2001	146	88.4	78.1	68.5	23.3	41.8	52.1	8.9	56.2	6.8	
2002	142	84.5	77.5	73.2	24.6	43.7	52.8	11.3	59.2	2.8	
2003	150	86.0	73.3	70.0	27.3	38.7	49.3	12.0	58.0	2.7	
2004	155	91.6	81.9	75.5	24.5	49.0	53.5	12.3			
2005	176	88.6	78.4	73.3	24.4	46.6					
2006	185	89.2	79.5	76.2							
2007	182	93.4	83.0								
2008	152	90.1									

Notes: Fall Semester entrance cohorts include undergraduates enrolled in the fall who were new freshmen in the immediately previous summer term. Students who enter Pharmacy, Vet Med or Med careers without a Bachelor's degree are counted as "graduated" in this tabulation when they complete 120 credits.

