

Fall 2016 First-time Full-time Bachelor's Seeking Cohort First-year Retention Rate

Academic reporters determine the cohort and retention as of the institution's official fall reporting date or as of October 15. Program reporters determine the cohort with enrollment any time between August 1 and October 31, 2016 and retention based on August 1, 2017.

The retention rate is calculated by the system after clicking "Save" on the screen. Exclusions are subtracted from and inclusions are added to the original cohort and the resulting adjusted cohort is used for calculating the retention rate.

Retention Data Reporting Reminders:

- Include only **full-time, first-time bachelor's** students in this cohort.
 - Determine the full-time cohort using Fall 2016 status (e.g. if a student was full-time in Fall 2016, report them in the full-time cohort regardless of their Fall 2017 status).
 - If there are no students to report in the cohort, enter zero. Do not leave the field blank.
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- Report in the exclusions box (line E2a) the number of students from the cohort who left the institution for any of the following reasons: died or were totally and permanently disabled; to serve in the armed forces (including those called to active duty); to serve with a foreign aid service of the Federal Government (e.g. Peace Corps); or to serve on official church missions.
 - Report in the inclusion box (line E2b) first-time bachelor's-seeking study abroad students who were excluded from the first-time cohort (line E1) but who have re-enrolled at the institution their second year.

		Prior year data (Fall 2015 cohort)	
FULL-TIME, FIRST-TIME BACHELOR'S COHORT RETENTION:			
E1	Full-time, first-time Fall 2016 bachelor's cohort	304	262
E2a	<u>Exclusions</u> from the Fall 2016 cohort	0	0
E2b	Inclusion to the Fall 2016 cohort	0	0
E3	Adjusted Fall 2016 cohort (line E1- E2a + E2b)	304	262
E4	Students from Fall 2016 cohort still enrolled as of Fall 2017	189	190
E5	Full-time, first-time Fall 2016 bachelor's cohort retention rate (line E4 / line E3)	62 %	73 %

Note: RSU migrated to a new ERP system for this cohort. There may have been a system issue in calculating full-time versus part-time student status.

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PART-TIME, FIRST-TIME BACHELOR'S COHORT RETENTION:			
E6	Part-time, first-time Fall 2016 bachelor's cohort	22	13
E7a	<u>Exclusions</u> from the Fall 2016 cohort	0	0
E7b	Inclusions to the Fall 2016 cohort	0	0
E8	Adjusted Fall 2016 cohort (line E6 - E7a + E7b)	22	13
E9	Students from Fall 2016 cohort still enrolled as of Fall 2017	9	2
E10	Part-time, first-time Fall 2016 bachelor's cohort retention rate (line E9 / line E8)	41 %	15 %