

**RETENTION OF ALL FRESHMEN
FALL 1989-2007**

Year	Number of Freshmen	Retention Rate: Freshmen to Sophomore
2006-2007	455	76.9%
2005-2006	391	68.0%
2004-2005	389	73.3%
2003-2004	427	68.9%
2002-2003	415	81.0%
2001-2002	291	77.1%
2000-2001	375	76.5%
1999-2000	399	79.9%
1998-1999	422	83.4%
1997-1998	439	82.0%
1996-1997	379	79.7%
1995-1996	229	75.1%
1994-1995	286	69.2%
1993-1994	307	72.9%
1992-1993	228	71.0%
1991-1992	228	79.8%
1990-1991	254	76.7%
1989-1990	276	72.5%

STUDENT RETENTION

FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN RETENTION

Fall to Fall Retention	Enrolled	Returned	Freshmen to Sophomore Retention
2002 - 2003	415	336	81.0%
2003 - 2004	427	294	68.9%
2004 - 2005	389	285	73.3%
2005 - 2006	391	266	68.0%
2006 - 2007	455	350	76.9%

FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN RETAINED TO SENIOR YEAR

These data represent first-time freshmen who completed one or more hours of credit during the fall of their senior year. It is possible that some of these students “stopped-out” during this period of time. A stop-out can be defined as a student who pauses their continuous enrollment but intends to resume their education at a later date.

Freshman to Senior Year	Enrolled as a Freshman	Returned as a Senior	Freshmen to Senior Retention
2000 - 2003	378	226	60.0%
2001 - 2004	294	186	63.3%
2002 - 2005	417	235	56.3%
2003 - 2006	424*	231*	54.5%*
2004 - 2007	394	227	57.6%

*Corrected from previous Fact Books

FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN FOUR-YEAR GRADUATION RATE

These data represent the number and percentage of first-time freshmen who complete a degree and graduate in four years.

Freshmen Year to Graduation	Enrolled as a Freshman	Graduated in Four Years	Four-Year Freshmen Graduation Rate
1999 – May 2003	390	158	40.5%
2000 - May 2004	381	157	41.2%
2001 - May 2005	292	121*	41.4%*
2002 - May 2006	419	162*	38.7%*
2003 - May 2007	424	146	35.8%

*Corrected from previous Fact Books

GRADUATE STUDENT RETENTION

FIRST-TIME GRADUATE RETENTION

Fall to Fall Retention	Enrolled First-Time	Returned or Graduated	First-Year to Second-Year Retention
2002 - 2003	151	82	54.3%
2003 - 2004	147	80	54.4%
2004 - 2005	168	82	48.8%
2005 - 2006	200	116*	58.0%*
2006 - 2007	210	134	63.8%

*Corrected from previous Fact Books

FIRST-TIME GRADUATE THREE-YEAR GRADUATION

These data include all first-time graduate students who graduated by August of the third year or sooner.

Fall to Fall Retention	Enrolled First-Time	Graduated in Three Years	Three-Year Graduation Rate
2000 - August 2003	139	46	33.0%
2001 - August 2004	117	35	30.0%
2002 - August 2005	168	74	44.0%
2003 - August 2006	172	72*	41.9%*
2004 - August 2007	172	74	43.0%

*Corrected from previous Fact Books

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FIRST-TIME LAW STUDENT RETENTION

Fall to Fall Retention	Enrolled	Returned	First-Year to Second-Year Retention
2002 - 2003	132	115	87.1%
2003 - 2004	148	122	82.4%
2004 - 2005	185	156	84.3%
2005 - 2006	207	169*	81.6%*
2006 - 2007	197	174	88.3%

*Corrected from previous Fact Books

FIRST-TIME LAW STUDENTS RETAINED TO FALL OF THE THIRD YEAR

There may be a few students who stopped-out or graduated who are not represented in these numbers. The purpose of these data is to estimate how many new law students return for the final year of their three-year degree.

First-year to Fall of Third-Year	Enrolled	Returned Fall of Third-Year	First-Year to Fall of Third-Year Retention
2001 - 2003	118	104	88.1%
2002 - 2004	131	112	85.5%
2003 - 2005	148	118	79.7%
2004 - 2006	185	154*	83.2%*
2005 - 2007	207	166	80.2%

*Corrected from previous Fact Books

FIRST-TIME LAW STUDENT THREE-YEAR GRADUATION

These data include all first-time law students who graduated by August of the third year or sooner.

	Enrolled First-Time	Graduated in Three Years	Three-Year Graduation Rate
2000 - August 2003	104	89	85.6%
2001 - August 2004	122	100	82.0%
2002 - August 2005	131	113	86.3%
2003 - August 2006	144	111*	77.1%*
2004 - August 2007	185	147	82.7%

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