

Retention Dashboard Notes Presented at Enrollment-Retention Council

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Top two areas with the highest 5-year **increases**

- First-time, part-time students who enrolled two weeks after term began (+18 percentage point increase). **Note: this is a small cohort with an average of 27 students.**
- First-time, full-time students who enrolled with transfer credits (+12 percentage point increase). Average of 92 students in cohort.

Top two areas with the highest 5-year **decreases**

- *The largest decrease is for first-time, part-time veterans but this cohort is too small to be considered with an average of 4 students (-42 percentage point decrease).*
- First-time, full-time veterans (-28 percentage point decrease). **Note: this is a small cohort with an average of 27 students.**
- First-time, part-time students who enrolled with transfer credits (-14 percentage point decrease). **Note: this is a small cohort with an average of 29 students.**

Top two areas with the highest 1-year **increases**

- First-time, part-time students in transfer programs (+8 percentage point increase). Average of 109 students in cohort.
- First-time, part-time students in General Studies Career (+7 percentage point increase). Average of 80 students in cohort.

Top two areas with the highest 1-year **decreases**

- First-time, part-time students who enrolled with transfer credits (-25 percentage point decrease). **Note: this is a small cohort with an average of 29 students.**
- First-time, full-time students who enrolled two weeks after term began (-14 percentage point decrease). Average of 61 students in cohort.

Bristol Community College Fall-to-Fall Retention Dashboard

	Definition		2010 Cohort			2011 Cohort			2012 Cohort			2013 Cohort			2014 Cohort			Trend Assessment		5yr. Change (2009-2013): +/- 4% (or more) is ↑ or ↓, all else = ↔
			Initial	Returning	%	Initial	Returning	%	Initial	Returning	%	Initial	Returning	%	Initial	Returning	%	5-Yr.	1-Yr.	
Overall Retention	Reflects overall Fall-to-Fall retention rates for each cohort.	First-time, Full-time	1,555	889	57%	1,458	824	57%	1,360	799	59%	1,493	863	58%	1,385	752	54%	-3 ↔	-4 ↓	Underlined red text = 50% retention rate or less
		First-time, Part-time	530	215	<u>41%</u>	464	163	<u>35%</u>	536	236	<u>44%</u>	665	302	<u>45%</u>	587	229	<u>39%</u>	-2 ↔	-6 ↓	
20 or Younger	Reflects retention rates for students 20 or younger at time of enrollment in each cohort.	First-time, Full-time	1,321	772	58%	1,212	710	59%	1,113	687	62%	1,215	739	61%	1,132	637	56%	-2 ↔	-5 ↓	
		First-time, Part-time	242	96	<u>40%</u>	224	85	<u>38%</u>	288	130	<u>45%</u>	356	159	<u>45%</u>	322	128	<u>40%</u>	0 ↔	-5 ↓	
21 Or Older	Reflects retention rates for students 21 or older at time of enrollment in each cohort.	First-time, Full-time	234	117	<u>50%</u>	246	114	<u>46%</u>	247	112	<u>45%</u>	278	124	<u>45%</u>	253	115	<u>45%</u>	-5 ↓	0 ↔	
		First-time, Part-time	288	119	<u>41%</u>	240	78	<u>33%</u>	248	106	<u>43%</u>	309	143	<u>46%</u>	264	101	<u>38%</u>	-3 ↔	-8 ↓	
24 or Younger	Reflects retention rates for students 24 or younger at time of enrollment in each cohort.	First-time, Full-time	1,418	808	57%	1,322	757	57%	1,221	727	60%	1,334	789	59%	1,240	687	55%	-2 ↔	-4 ↓	
		First-time, Part-time	343	128	<u>37%</u>	304	107	<u>35%</u>	377	168	<u>45%</u>	444	193	<u>43%</u>	417	157	<u>38%</u>	+1 ↔	-5 ↓	
25 or Older	Reflects retention rates for students 25 or older at time of enrollment in each cohort.	First-time, Full-time	137	81	59%	136	67	<u>49%</u>	139	72	52%	159	74	<u>47%</u>	145	65	<u>45%</u>	-14 ↓	-2 ↓	
		First-time, Part-time	187	87	<u>47%</u>	160	56	<u>35%</u>	159	68	<u>43%</u>	221	109	<u>49%</u>	169	72	<u>43%</u>	-4 ↔	-6 ↓	
Enrolled Two Weeks Before Term Started	Reflects retention rates for students who enrolled two weeks before the term began for each cohort.	First-time, Full-time	666	384	58%	564	300	53%	552	328	59%	644	368	57%	541	276	51%	-7 ↓	-6 ↓	
		First-time, Part-time	223	81	<u>36%</u>	189	63	<u>33%</u>	257	110	<u>43%</u>	301	141	<u>47%</u>	263	114	<u>43%</u>	+7 ↑	-4 ↓	
Enrolled Two Weeks After Term Started	Reflects retention rates for students who enrolled two weeks after the term began for each cohort.	First-time, Full-time	74	39	53%	76	38	<u>50%</u>	39	23	59%	44	20	<u>45%</u>	20	12	60%	+7 ↑	+15 ↑	
		First-time, Part-time	38	15	<u>39%</u>	29	7	<u>24%</u>	17	9	53%	20	11	55%	8	5	63%	+24 ↑	+8 ↑	
Students In Transfer Programs	Reflects retention rates for students who were enrolled in transfer programs at the time of enrollment in each cohort.	First-time, Full-time	490	302	62%	535	317	59%	510	320	63%	539	351	65%	549	314	57%	-5 ↓	-8 ↓	
		First-time, Part-time	79	34	<u>43%</u>	84	33	<u>39%</u>	113	52	<u>46%</u>	181	97	54%	133	57	<u>43%</u>	0 ↔	-11 ↓	
Students With Transfer Credits	Reflects retention rates for students who had transfer credits at the time of enrollment in each cohort.	First-time, Full-time	64	43	67%	84	64	76%	102	70	69%	117	85	73%	112	83	74%	+7 ↑	+1 ↑	
		First-time, Part-time	27	17	63%	15	11	73%	32	25	78%	40	21	53%	23	14	61%	-2 ↔	+8 ↑	
Veterans	Reflects retention rates for students who indicated they were veterans or received veteran benefits at the time of enrollment in each cohort.	First-time, Full-time	28	19	68%	25	10	<u>40%</u>	34	18	53%	26	11	<u>42%</u>	25	11	<u>44%</u>	-24 ↓	+2 ↑	
		First-time, Part-time	8	5	63%	1	-	NA	3	1	<u>33%</u>	4	1	<u>25%</u>	8	3	38%	-25 ↓	+13 ↑	
Students In General Studies	Reflects retention rates for students who declared any General Studies major at the time of enrollment in each cohort.	First-time, Full-time	557	323	58%	556	316	57%	558	349	63%	626	380	61%	578	326	56%	-2 ↔	-5 ↓	
		First-time, Part-time	202	84	<u>42%</u>	179	63	<u>35%</u>	247	106	<u>43%</u>	303	129	<u>43%</u>	264	109	<u>41%</u>	-1 ↔	-2 ↓	
Students in General Studies Career	Reflects retention rates for students who declared any General Studies Career major at the time of enrollment in each cohort.	First-time, Full-time	211	109	52%	158	80	51%	167	92	55%	161	89	55%	158	68	<u>43%</u>	-9 ↓	-12 ↓	
		First-time, Part-time	70	26	<u>37%</u>	67	22	<u>33%</u>	85	24	<u>28%</u>	107	37	<u>35%</u>	103	41	<u>40%</u>	+3 ↔	+5 ↑	
Athletes	Reflects retention rates for students who were athletes at the time of enrollment in each cohort.	First-time, Full-time	22	16	73%	26	18	69%	18	12	67%	25	17	68%	26	13	<u>50%</u>	-23 ↓	-18 ↓	
		First-time, Part-time	3	-	NA	-	-	NA	1	1	100%	1	-	NA	-	-	NA	NA	NA	