Fall to Fall Retention (first-time students, census enrolled, credit courses)

Fall to Fall Retention - Gender

	Fall 2017		Fall 2018		Fall 2019		Fall 2020		Fall 2021		6-Year Overall	
		Retained		Retained								
	Cohort	In Fall	Cohort	In Fall								
Grand Total	2,628	59%	2,625	62%	2,829	62%	2,529	58%	2,415	63%	13,026	61%
Female	1,264	66%	1,281	68%	1,463	70%	1,394	62%	1,246	66%	6,648	66%
Male	1,329	53%	1,323	56%	1,297	54%	1,115	54%	1,145	59%	6,209	55%
Non-Binary	10	10%	6	83%	30	40%	2	0%	5	20%	53	36%
Unknown	25	56%	15	73%	39	56%	18	56%	19	47%	116	57%

Fall to Fall Retention - Race/Ethnicity

	Fall 2017		Fall 2018		Fall 2019		Fall 2020		Fall 2021		6-Year Overall	
		Retained		Retained								
	Cohort	In Fall	Cohort	In Fall								
Grand Total	2,628	59%	2,625	62%	2,829	62%	2,529	58%	2,415	63%	13,026	61%
African-American	52	33%	62	39%	51	63%	42	38%	47	53%	254	45%
Asian	41	61%	49	76%	54	52%	47	66%	53	68%	244	64%
Filipino	8	88%	17	76%	20	75%	20	60%	16	69%	81	72%
Hispanic	1,863	59%	1,894	63%	2,025	63%	1,915	58%	1,791	63%	9,488	61%
Multi-Ethnicity	142	62%	76	63%	84	48%	77	62%	71	61%	450	59%
Native American	13	54%	9	67%	11	55%	14	43%	12	50%	59	53%
Pacific Islander	2	50%	3	100%	5	60%			6	83%	16	75%
Unknown	21	52%	15	60%	88	56%	6	83%	7	29%	137	55%
White	486	60%	500	62%	491	62%	408	59%	412	62%	2,297	61%

Source: COS Research Office (Data Warehouse)

Cohort Definition: All first-time students enrolled in a credit course at census during the Fall term are included in this cohort.

Retained in Fall: Enrolled at census in a credit course during the respective subsequent Fall term.

Observation:

The percentage of first-time students retained from the Fall to subsequent Fall semester has rebounded from 58% (Fall 2020 cohort) to 63% (Fall 2021 cohort) which is reflective of pre-pandemic retention rates. (Fall 2018 cohort)