

First to Second Year Retention at Ohio's Public and Private Colleges and Universities

Fall 2003 to Fall 2008 Cohorts of First-Time, Full-Time, Degree-Seeking Undergraduates

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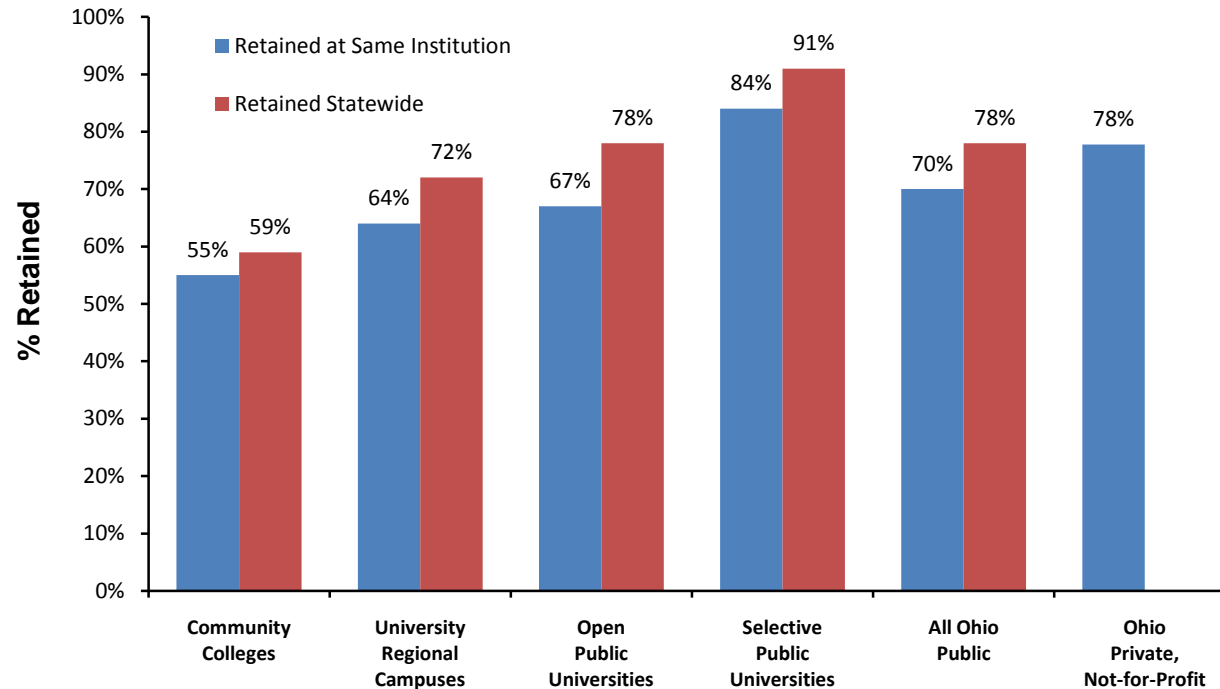
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First-to-Second-Year Retention

First-Time, Full-Time, Degree-Seeking Freshmen in Fall 2008 Persisting to Fall 2009



- First-to-second-year retention rates vary by type of institution. This reflects the varying levels of academic preparation of incoming students as well as the diverse missions of Ohio's campuses. At public institutions, 70% of first-time, full-time, degree-seeking freshmen returned to the same institution in their second year. An additional 8% transferred to another institution in Ohio, resulting in a statewide retention rate of 78%.
- Retention rates at Ohio's public universities vary depending on the selectivity of admissions. Open-admissions universities had a 78% statewide retention rate, compared to 91% at selective-admissions universities.
- The statewide retention rate at community colleges was 59%. University regional campuses had a higher retention rate of 72%, which is reflective of the transfer missions associated with these campuses.
- At Ohio's private, not-for-profit institutions 78% of first-time, full-time, degree-seeking freshmen returned to the same institution the following year.

Table 1. First to Second Year Retention of First-Time, Full-Time, Degree-Seeking Freshmen

University System of Ohio Institutions - Fall 2003 to Fall 2008 Cohorts

Year	Number of First-Year Students	Number of First-time Full-time Degree-seeking Undergraduates	% Persisting at Same Institution	% Persisting at Any Institution	First-time Full-time Degree-seeking Undergraduates as a % of First-year Students
Community Colleges					
2003	34,315	13,141	54%	59%	38%
2004	33,154	12,720	54%	59%	38%
2005	34,000	12,060	53%	59%	35%
2006	32,546	12,322	54%	59%	38%
2007	35,755	13,620	54%	59%	38%
2008	36,495	13,740	55%	59%	38%
University Regional Campuses					
2003	9,967	7,992	59%	68%	80%
2004	9,663	7,776	60%	69%	80%
2005	9,217	7,659	61%	70%	83%
2006	9,150	7,555	60%	69%	83%
2007	10,019	8,349	63%	72%	83%
2008	10,493	8,668	64%	72%	83%
University Main Campuses					
2003	37,953	36,360	76%	85%	96%
2004	38,792	36,948	76%	85%	95%
2005	37,371	35,871	76%	85%	96%
2006	38,380	36,968	76%	85%	96%
2007	39,364	37,875	76%	85%	96%
2008	39,916	38,105	77%	86%	95%
Open Admission University Main Campuses					
2003	13,595	12,550	65%	77%	92%
2004	14,125	12,781	66%	76%	90%
2005	13,040	12,045	65%	76%	92%
2006	13,625	12,731	65%	76%	93%
2007	14,786	13,967	66%	77%	94%
2008	15,957	14,910	67%	78%	93%

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Selective Admission University Main Campuses					
2003	24,358	23,810	81%	89%	98%
2004	24,667	24,167	82%	90%	98%
2005	24,331	23,826	81%	89%	98%
2006	24,755	24,237	82%	90%	98%
2007	24,578	23,908	82%	90%	97%
2008	23,959	23,195	84%	91%	97%
Total University System of Ohio					
2003	82,235	57,493	68%	77%	70%
2004	81,609	57,444	69%	77%	70%
2005	80,588	55,590	69%	77%	69%
2006	80,076	56,845	69%	77%	71%
2007	85,138	59,844	69%	77%	70%
2008	86,904	60,513	70%	78%	70%

Table 2. First to Second Year Retention of First-Time, Full-Time, Degree-Seeking Freshmen

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Community Colleges						
Belmont Technical College	2003	455	190	55%	57%	42%
	2004	438	187	53%	57%	43%
	2005	438	169	51%	54%	39%
	2006	448	182	53%	55%	41%
	2007	399	174	65%	68%	44%
	2008	455	230	64%	67%	51%
Central Ohio Technical College	2003	531	276	49%	54%	52%
	2004	583	333	60%	66%	57%
	2005	612	358	53%	61%	58%
	2006	514	323	55%	61%	63%
	2007	613	395	57%	63%	64%
	2008	671	456	55%	59%	68%
Cincinnati State Tech. & Community College	2003	264	156	47%	54%	59%
	2004	344	158	50%	54%	46%
	2005	1,260	557	56%	59%	44%
	2006	1,148	429	49%	54%	37%
	2007	1,259	543	48%	53%	43%
	2008	1,186	484	54%	56%	41%
Clark State Community College	2003	673	379	46%	53%	56%
	2004	787	412	51%	58%	52%
	2005	588	375	54%	61%	64%
	2006	548	335	45%	52%	61%
	2007	614	354	49%	54%	58%
	2008	656	362	52%	57%	55%
Columbus State Community College	2003	4,082	1,852	50%	57%	45%
	2004	3,522	1,065	55%	59%	30%
	2005	3,721	1,238	52%	58%	33%
	2006	3,853	1,272	55%	59%	33%
	2007	4,690	1,491	52%	57%	32%
	2008	5,476	1,769	55%	59%	32%

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Cuyahoga Community College, Eastern	2003	1,488	296	50%	52%	20%
	2004	1,560	336	45%	50%	22%
	2005	1,540	321	45%	50%	21%
	2006	1,532	308	47%	52%	20%
	2007	1,517	330	46%	49%	22%
	2008	1,590	309	45%	49%	19%
Cuyahoga Community College, Metro	2003	2,139	568	44%	46%	27%
	2004	2,268	549	35%	38%	24%
	2005	2,049	524	37%	40%	26%
	2006	2,179	448	42%	45%	21%
	2007	2,053	428	38%	42%	21%
	2008	2,471	500	38%	40%	20%
Cuyahoga Community College, Western	2003	2,882	777	58%	64%	27%
	2004	2,997	866	58%	62%	29%
	2005	2,869	805	59%	64%	28%
	2006	2,861	815	59%	63%	28%
	2007	2,727	604	57%	61%	22%
	2008	2,832	737	56%	59%	26%
Eastern Gateway Community College	2003	424	185	58%	62%	44%
	2004	405	198	49%	55%	49%
	2005	499	264	54%	58%	53%
	2006	383	252	57%	63%	66%
	2007	394	250	61%	67%	63%
	2008	428	256	56%	58%	60%
Edison State Community College	2003	628	222	59%	66%	35%
	2004	729	307	52%	62%	42%
	2005	602	205	58%	63%	34%
	2006	678	109	50%	57%	16%
	2007	512	206	58%	66%	40%
	2008	679	272	53%	63%	40%

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Hocking Technical College	2003	1,794	1,132	49%	55%	63%
	2004	1,564	1,142	50%	56%	73%
	2005	952	509	50%	55%	53%
	2006	1,678	973	50%	55%	58%
	2007	1,513	892	57%	62%	59%
	2008	1,532	906	54%	60%	59%
James A. Rhodes State College	2003	520	334	58%	65%	64%
	2004	530	374	65%	69%	71%
	2005	560	420	60%	64%	75%
	2006	651	493	60%	64%	76%
	2007	674	529	67%	72%	78%
	2008	699	540	65%	69%	77%
Lakeland Community College	2003	1,628	798	58%	66%	49%
	2004	1,543	765	57%	64%	50%
	2005	1,873	653	56%	63%	35%
	2006	1,856	779	55%	67%	42%
	2007	2,190	874	53%	61%	40%
	2008	2,086	855	50%	59%	41%
Lorain County Community College	2003	1,808	621	57%	63%	34%
	2004	1,353	505	59%	66%	37%
	2005	1,642	661	60%	63%	40%
	2006	1,644	690	52%	59%	42%
	2007	1,799	739	56%	60%	41%
	2008	2,219	845	58%	63%	38%
Marion Technical College	2003	381	162	59%	64%	43%
	2004	379	162	46%	49%	43%
	2005	332	176	55%	56%	53%
	2006	289	149	50%	52%	52%
	2007	518	279	52%	56%	54%
	2008	508	205	58%	62%	40%

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North Central State College	2003	725	248	50%	60%	34%
	2004	753	296	50%	56%	39%
	2005	639	235	53%	58%	37%
	2006	674	264	58%	60%	39%
	2007	758	316	63%	66%	42%
	2008	494	289	51%	55%	59%
Northwest State Community College	2003	720	329	58%	64%	46%
	2004	610	287	53%	61%	47%
	2005	667	311	57%	68%	47%
	2006	596	309	55%	61%	52%
	2007	665	268	57%	65%	40%
	2008	195	0	.	.	0%
Owens State Community College, Findlay	2003	738	199	51%	56%	27%
	2004	644	219	51%	58%	34%
	2005	725	232	56%	65%	32%
	2006	738	236	52%	57%	32%
	2007	841	244	60%	64%	29%
	2008	816	271	55%	58%	33%
Owens State Community College, Toledo	2003	5,097	1,166	50%	53%	23%
	2004	4,833	1,158	54%	59%	24%
	2005	5,536	895	46%	51%	16%
	2006	3,873	833	53%	57%	22%
	2007	4,322	909	51%	57%	21%
	2008	4,450	1,011	53%	57%	23%
Rio Grande Community College	2003	447	361	63%	71%	81%
	2004	449	408	51%	59%	91%
	2005	438	131	50%	58%	30%
	2006	375	331	52%	62%	88%
	2007	659	564	47%	59%	86%
	2008	515	418	50%	62%	81%

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Institution	Year	Number of First-Year Students	Number of First-time Full-time Degree-seeking Undergraduates	% Persisting at Same Institution	% Persisting at Any Institution	First-time Full-time Degree-seeking Undergraduates as a % of First-year Students
Sinclair Community College	2003	3,175	1,339	57%	62%	42%
	2004	3,110	1,310	55%	59%	42%
	2005	2,939	1,328	54%	59%	45%
	2006	2,767	1,201	53%	57%	43%
	2007	2,923	1,241	54%	58%	42%
	2008	2,438	1,016	55%	59%	42%
Southern State Community College, Central	2003	247	82	62%	70%	33%
	2004	202	51	49%	57%	25%
	2005	214	71	51%	58%	33%
	2006	286	89	47%	57%	31%
	2007	259	85	64%	69%	33%
	2008	297	85	59%	64%	29%
Southern State Community College, Fayette	2003	90	17	35%	41%	19%
	2004	85	21	57%	62%	25%
	2005	76	27	44%	48%	36%
	2006	76	24	54%	63%	32%
	2007	92	24	46%	50%	26%
	2008	75	23	48%	52%	31%
Southern State Community College, North	2003	151	48	67%	75%	32%
	2004	129	43	49%	58%	33%
	2005	122	43	53%	63%	35%
	2006	121	37	59%	62%	31%
	2007	133	43	35%	40%	32%
	2008	111	40	48%	55%	36%
Southern State Community College, South	2003	147	54	54%	61%	37%
	2004	145	51	57%	59%	35%
	2005	126	51	59%	65%	40%
	2006	159	52	65%	73%	33%
	2007	132	49	43%	47%	37%
	2008	145	46	50%	54%	32%

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Stark State College of Technology	2003	1,572	676	61%	65%	43%
	2004	1,548	767	59%	65%	50%
	2005	1,598	799	56%	61%	50%
	2006	1,700	913	54%	61%	54%
	2007	1,893	984	56%	61%	52%
	2008	1,833	923	60%	66%	50%
Terra State Community College	2003	734	269	57%	65%	37%
	2004	783	253	41%	48%	32%
	2005	613	194	45%	52%	32%
	2006	156	8	88%	88%	5%
	2007	674	297	52%	57%	44%
	2008	658	335	54%	60%	51%
Washington State Community College	2003	325	123	60%	62%	38%
	2004	358	191	56%	58%	53%
	2005	296	167	59%	62%	56%
	2006	245	137	66%	69%	56%
	2007	372	173	51%	56%	47%
	2008	399	177	59%	63%	44%
Zane State College	2003	450	282	56%	59%	63%
	2004	503	306	63%	65%	61%
	2005	474	341	61%	65%	72%
	2006	518	331	60%	62%	64%
	2007	560	335	61%	65%	60%
	2008	581	380	58%	61%	65%

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University Regional Campuses						
Bowling Green State University, Firelands	2003	363	287	59%	66%	79%
	2004	381	307	56%	66%	81%
	2005	408	328	56%	63%	80%
	2006	385	296	56%	61%	77%
	2007	405	317	56%	63%	78%
	2008	453	328	53%	59%	72%
Kent State University, Ashtabula	2003	275	176	56%	60%	64%
	2004	316	194	66%	72%	61%
	2005	312	208	55%	62%	67%
	2006	281	183	61%	68%	65%
	2007	305	195	59%	64%	64%
	2008	287	168	67%	72%	59%
Kent State University, East Liverpool	2003	137	103	59%	66%	75%
	2004	136	101	67%	70%	74%
	2005	113	88	63%	68%	78%
	2006	105	82	60%	63%	78%
	2007	127	106	63%	66%	83%
	2008	122	88	59%	65%	72%
Kent State University, Geauga	2003	110	88	68%	76%	80%
	2004	120	84	63%	71%	70%
	2005	140	107	58%	69%	76%
	2006	130	91	64%	74%	70%
	2007	152	112	63%	71%	74%
	2008	162	98	67%	78%	60%
Kent State University, Salem	2003	265	200	66%	70%	75%
	2004	262	201	60%	63%	77%
	2005	204	171	56%	67%	84%
	2006	212	176	63%	68%	83%
	2007	207	155	70%	74%	75%
	2008	179	138	71%	75%	77%

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Kent State University, Stark	2003	786	658	61%	75%	84%
	2004	789	674	55%	66%	85%
	2005	697	590	54%	68%	85%
	2006	697	562	56%	66%	81%
	2007	692	571	61%	74%	83%
	2008	660	534	64%	73%	81%
Kent State University, Trumbull	2003	410	305	55%	63%	74%
	2004	383	285	60%	67%	74%
	2005	311	240	71%	75%	77%
	2006	323	236	62%	70%	73%
	2007	372	284	62%	67%	76%
	2008	318	236	67%	71%	74%
Kent State University, Tuscarawas	2003	414	313	59%	64%	76%
	2004	378	275	57%	63%	73%
	2005	336	261	64%	70%	78%
	2006	368	295	59%	66%	80%
	2007	353	277	60%	68%	78%
	2008	339	248	70%	74%	73%
Miami University, Hamilton	2003	659	546	59%	66%	83%
	2004	647	544	57%	65%	84%
	2005	574	484	61%	67%	84%
	2006	610	515	56%	64%	84%
	2007	669	548	63%	68%	82%
	2008	784	660	61%	68%	84%
Miami University, Middletown	2003	521	424	54%	63%	81%
	2004	454	396	55%	66%	87%
	2005	429	357	57%	69%	83%
	2006	424	343	58%	68%	81%
	2007	397	315	57%	66%	79%
	2008	400	325	56%	66%	81%

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OSU, Agricultural Technical Institute	2003	299	296	60%	70%	99%
	2004	295	287	64%	72%	97%
	2005	339	335	63%	72%	99%
	2006	286	285	62%	70%	100%
	2007	312	306	67%	75%	98%
	2008	326	319	63%	73%	98%
Ohio State University, Lima	2003	368	355	59%	74%	96%
	2004	335	314	57%	68%	94%
	2005	288	279	65%	76%	97%
	2006	355	343	66%	78%	97%
	2007	495	472	67%	83%	95%
	2008	503	490	66%	77%	97%
Ohio State University, Mansfield	2003	493	470	58%	71%	95%
	2004	404	377	61%	75%	93%
	2005	462	438	63%	76%	95%
	2006	430	408	65%	79%	95%
	2007	547	526	69%	80%	96%
	2008	535	510	70%	82%	95%
Ohio State University, Marion	2003	471	432	63%	73%	92%
	2004	422	386	68%	78%	91%
	2005	457	425	70%	80%	93%
	2006	467	437	72%	79%	94%
	2007	553	510	73%	82%	92%
	2008	586	551	75%	81%	94%
Ohio State University, Newark	2003	759	691	56%	70%	91%
	2004	782	727	64%	77%	93%
	2005	803	764	65%	76%	95%
	2006	955	916	62%	78%	96%
	2007	1,198	1,160	66%	81%	97%
	2008	1,130	1,102	65%	80%	98%

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Ohio University, Chillicothe	2003	446	286	62%	69%	64%
	2004	464	298	56%	61%	64%
	2005	366	276	52%	59%	75%
	2006	280	215	58%	69%	77%
	2007	328	267	57%	63%	81%
	2008	441	350	57%	62%	79%
Ohio University, Eastern	2003	186	146	51%	70%	78%
	2004	142	131	56%	69%	92%
	2005	137	126	52%	71%	92%
	2006	143	100	55%	68%	70%
	2007	135	77	48%	65%	57%
	2008	121	79	65%	82%	65%
Ohio University, Lancaster	2003	346	276	56%	64%	80%
	2004	333	290	61%	69%	87%
	2005	338	281	57%	70%	83%
	2006	384	317	56%	67%	83%
	2007	367	312	54%	65%	85%
	2008	418	369	60%	69%	88%
Ohio University, Southern	2003	468	325	52%	55%	69%
	2004	404	298	52%	56%	74%
	2005	333	286	52%	56%	86%
	2006	369	301	53%	56%	82%
	2007	269	237	51%	55%	88%
	2008	327	266	52%	53%	81%
Ohio University, Zanesville	2003	409	353	63%	75%	86%
	2004	347	303	62%	75%	87%
	2005	355	269	60%	75%	76%
	2006	265	207	60%	75%	78%
	2007	295	240	63%	73%	81%
	2008	287	248	61%	72%	86%

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University of Akron, Wayne	2003	248	205	65%	69%	83%
	2004	431	289	62%	69%	67%
	2005	327	252	64%	71%	77%
	2006	302	228	58%	65%	75%
	2007	323	258	58%	65%	80%
	2008	374	260	60%	67%	70%
University of Cincinnati, Clermont	2003	660	455	63%	65%	69%
	2004	609	432	64%	68%	71%
	2005	659	492	61%	64%	75%
	2006	613	459	58%	61%	75%
	2007	695	518	61%	63%	75%
	2008	807	606	64%	65%	75%
University of Cincinnati, Raymond Walters	2003	726	460	63%	68%	63%
	2004	684	445	56%	62%	65%
	2005	700	478	61%	67%	68%
	2006	650	455	61%	66%	70%
	2007	683	473	57%	59%	69%
	2008	760	545	61%	66%	72%
Wright State University, Lake	2003	148	142	73%	80%	96%
	2004	145	138	71%	80%	95%
	2005	129	124	74%	85%	96%
	2006	116	105	62%	74%	91%
	2007	140	113	75%	86%	81%
	2008	174	150	70%	79%	86%

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University System of Ohio Institutions - Fall 2003 to Fall 2008 Cohorts

Institution	Year	Number of First-Year Students	Number of First-time Full-time Degree-seeking Undergraduates	% Persisting at Same Institution	% Persisting at Any Institution	First-time Full-time Degree-seeking Undergraduates as a % of First-year Students
University Main Campuses						
Bowling Green State University	2003	3,609	3,515	77%	89%	97%
	2004	3,974	3,884	79%	91%	98%
	2005	3,705	3,606	76%	88%	97%
	2006	3,666	3,593	76%	88%	98%
	2007	3,312	3,256	73%	86%	98%
	2008	3,180	3,105	74%	87%	98%
Central State University	2003	585	560	53%	58%	96%
	2004	608	594	48%	54%	98%
	2005	367	349	49%	55%	95%
	2006	535	524	54%	60%	98%
	2007	641	620	51%	57%	97%
	2008	637	613	57%	65%	96%
Cleveland State University	2003	1,314	949	58%	71%	72%
	2004	1,249	884	59%	75%	71%
	2005	1,244	929	56%	72%	75%
	2006	1,233	906	60%	73%	73%
	2007	1,412	1,150	55%	72%	81%
	2008	1,192	932	64%	79%	78%
Kent State University	2003	3,777	3,683	73%	84%	98%
	2004	3,892	3,797	73%	84%	98%
	2005	3,790	3,691	73%	85%	97%
	2006	3,668	3,562	74%	85%	97%
	2007	3,790	3,678	73%	83%	97%
	2008	3,720	3,516	78%	87%	95%
Miami University	2003	3,328	3,314	91%	94%	100%
	2004	3,442	3,411	90%	94%	99%
	2005	3,116	3,103	90%	94%	100%
	2006	3,584	3,570	89%	93%	100%
	2007	3,413	3,402	89%	93%	100%
	2008	3,541	3,524	88%	93%	100%

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Ohio State University	2003	6,449	6,395	89%	93%	99%
	2004	6,102	6,065	90%	94%	99%
	2005	5,975	5,945	92%	95%	99%
	2006	6,299	6,260	93%	95%	99%
	2007	6,185	6,139	93%	96%	99%
	2008	6,187	6,143	92%	95%	99%
Ohio University	2003	3,298	3,248	82%	93%	98%
	2004	3,429	3,388	81%	92%	99%
	2005	3,817	3,740	80%	92%	98%
	2006	3,725	3,655	78%	91%	98%
	2007	3,795	3,633	80%	92%	96%
	2008	3,660	3,470	81%	92%	95%
Shawnee State University	2003	1,089	985	57%	65%	90%
	2004	951	894	58%	66%	94%
	2005	959	905	56%	65%	94%
	2006	971	916	56%	65%	94%
	2007	908	860	52%	62%	95%
	2008	1,067	1,020	54%	65%	96%
University of Akron	2003	2,705	2,541	66%	76%	94%
	2004	4,123	3,575	64%	74%	87%
	2005	3,150	2,932	65%	75%	93%
	2006	3,608	3,402	67%	79%	94%
	2007	3,912	3,727	69%	81%	95%
	2008	3,987	3,751	69%	79%	94%
University of Cincinnati	2003	3,897	3,655	72%	78%	94%
	2004	3,828	3,622	73%	80%	95%
	2005	3,928	3,741	72%	79%	95%
	2006	3,813	3,597	76%	82%	94%
	2007	4,083	3,800	79%	85%	93%
	2008	3,671	3,437	81%	87%	94%

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University of Toledo	2003	3,599	3,405	65%	83%	95%
	2004	2,829	2,662	67%	84%	94%
	2005	2,855	2,717	67%	81%	95%
	2006	2,872	2,763	65%	79%	96%
	2007	3,233	3,107	66%	80%	96%
	2008	4,109	3,806	67%	81%	93%
Wright State University	2003	2,188	2,131	70%	84%	97%
	2004	2,209	2,142	72%	83%	97%
	2005	2,268	2,175	68%	83%	96%
	2006	2,054	2,019	67%	80%	98%
	2007	2,355	2,322	69%	81%	99%
	2008	2,635	2,586	69%	83%	98%
Youngstown State University	2003	2,115	1,979	69%	73%	94%
	2004	2,156	2,030	72%	76%	94%
	2005	2,197	2,038	69%	74%	93%
	2006	2,352	2,201	71%	76%	94%
	2007	2,325	2,181	70%	74%	94%
	2008	2,330	2,202	70%	75%	95%

Table 3. First to Second Year Retention of First-Time, Full-Time, Degree-Seeking Undergraduates at Ohio's Private, Not-for-Profit Colleges and Universities

Fall 2008 to Fall 2009

Institution Name	Fall 2008 Cohort of First-Time, Full-Time, Degree-Seeking Freshmen	Students from the Full-Time Adjusted Fall 2008 Cohort Enrolled in Fall 2009	Percent Persisting at Same Institution in Fall 2009
Allegheny Wesleyan College	11	11	100%
Art Academy of Cincinnati	47	35	74%
Ashland University	572	404	71%
Aultman College of Nursing and Health Sciences	9	8	89%
Baldwin-Wallace College	738	624	85%
Bluffton University	272	204	75%
Capital University	635	470	74%
Carnegie Institute of Integrative Medicine and Massotherapy	91	82	90%
Case Western Reserve University	1026	938	91%
Cedarville University	773	635	82%
Chatfield College	27	9	33%
Cincinnati Christian University	115	69	60%
Cincinnati College of Mortuary Science	27	27	100%
Cleveland Institute of Art	103	83	81%
Cleveland Institute of Music	42	38	90%
College of Mount St. Joseph	300	215	72%
Columbus College of Art and Design	299	223	75%
Defiance College	218	141	65%
Denison University	605	543	90%
Franciscan University of Steubenville	388	324	84%
Franklin University	137	59	43%
Gods Bible School and College	55	38	69%
Good Samaritan College of Nursing & Health Science	7	6	86%
Heidelberg University	402	264	66%
Hiram College	331	257	78%
John Carroll University	792	660	83%
Kenyon College	455	416	91%
Kettering College of Medical Arts	12	9	75%
Lake Erie College	250	163	65%
Lourdes College	112	62	55%

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Malone University	389	273	70%
Marietta College	385	299	78%
MedCentral College of Nursing	52	41	79%
Mercy College of Northwest Ohio	32	25	78%
Mount Carmel College of Nursing	77	61	79%
Mount Union College	663	514	78%
Mount Vernon Nazarene University	368	270	73%
Muskingum University	482	359	74%
Notre Dame College	219	147	67%
Oberlin College	755	701	93%
Ohio Christian University	154	90	58%
Ohio College of Massotherapy Inc	34	21	62%
Ohio Dominican University	358	219	61%
Ohio Northern University	742	612	82%
Ohio Wesleyan University	569	461	81%
Otterbein College	659	500	76%
Pontifical College Josephinum	11	3	27%
Rabbinical College Telshe	12	3	25%
Rosedale Bible College	29	9	31%
Temple Baptist College	8	5	63%
The College of Wooster	514	449	87%
The University of Findlay	617	455	74%
Tiffin University	355	221	62%
Tri-State Bible College	2	2	100%
Union Institute & University	14	9	64%
University of Dayton	1985	1723	87%
University of Northwestern Ohio	82	56	68%
University of Rio Grande	341	197	58%
Urbana University	252	111	44%
Ursuline College	110	75	68%

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Fall 2008 to Fall 2009

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Walsh University	516	366	71%
Wilberforce University	181	110	61%
Wilmington College	342	220	64%
Wittenberg University	510	398	78%
Xavier University	860	720	84%