



**FALL 2012 FIRST-TIME, FULL-TIME FRESHMEN**  
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### RETENTION RATES

#### Overall Retention Rates

Total Beginning Cohort	Year One Retain Count	Year One Retain Rate	Year Two Retain Count	Year Two Retain Rate	Year Three Retain Count	Year Three Retain Rate	Year Four Retain Count	Year Four Retain Rate
1,935	1,329	68.7	1,088	56.2	967	50.0	924	47.8

#### Retention Rates by Degree Level

Degree Level	Total Beginning Cohort	Year One Retain Count	Year One Retain Rate	Year Two Retain Count	Year Two Retain Rate	Year Three Retain Count	Year Three Retain Rate	Year Four Retain Count	Year Four Retain Rate
Associates	15	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Bachelor	1,920	1,323	68.9	1,084	56.5	962	50.1	919	47.9

#### Retention Rates by Gender

Gender	Total Beginning Cohort	Year One Retain Count	Year One Retain Rate	Year Two Retain Count	Year Two Retain Rate	Year Three Retain Count	Year Three Retain Rate	Year Four Retain Count	Year Four Retain Rate
Female	1,140	812	71.2	672	58.9	603	52.9	584	51.2
Male	795	517	65.0	416	52.3	364	45.8	340	42.8

Note: NA indicates information is not available. NR indicates that the outcome contains few than 10 students and is suppressed to protect student privacy.

Retention Rates by Race/Ethnicity

Race/Ethnicity	Total Beginning Cohort	Year One Retain Count	Year One Retain Rate	Year Two Retain Count	Year Two Retain Rate	Year Three Retain Count	Year Three Retain Rate	Year Four Retain Count	Year Four Retain Rate
American Indian or Alaska Native	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Asian	26	20	76.9	14	53.8	11	42.3	11	42.3
Black or African American	763	521	68.3	435	57.0	381	49.9	362	47.4
Hispanic	104	69	66.3	56	53.8	51	49.0	43	41.3
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Two or More Races	65	38	58.5	26	40.0	20	30.8	19	29.2
Unknown	10	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
White	962	671	69.8	549	57.1	496	51.6	482	50.1

**BACHELOR'S DEGREE-SEEKING GRADUATION RATES**

Overall Graduation Rates

Total Beginning Cohort	Year Four Graduate Count	Year Four Graduate Rate	Year Five Graduate Count	Year Five Graduate Rate	Year Six Graduate Count	Year Six Graduate Rate	Year Seven Graduate Count	Year Seven Graduate Rate	Year Eight Graduate Count	Year Eight Graduate Rate
1,920	359	18.7	711	37.0	804	41.9	831	43.3	846	44.1

Note: NA indicates information is not available. NR indicates that the outcome contains few than 10 students and is suppressed to protect student privacy.

Source: VSU OIR analysis of USG ADC Enrollment and Graduation, November 2021.

## Graduation Rates by Gender

Gender	Total Beginning Cohort	Year Four Graduate Count	Year Four Graduate Rate	Year Five Graduate Count	Year Five Graduate Rate	Year Six Graduate Count	Year Six Graduate Rate	Year Seven Graduate Count	Year Seven Graduate Rate	Year Eight Graduate Count	Year Eight Graduate Rate
Male	792	103	13.0	244	30.8	286	36.1	297	37.5	303	38.3
Female	1,128	256	22.7	467	41.4	518	45.9	534	47.3	543	48.1

## Graduation Rates by Race/Ethnicity

Race/Ethnicity	Total Beginning Cohort	Year Four Graduate Count	Year Four Graduate Rate	Year Five Graduate Count	Year Five Graduate Rate	Year Six Graduate Count	Year Six Graduate Rate	Year Seven Graduate Count	Year Seven Graduate Rate	Year Eight Graduate Count	Year Eight Graduate Rate
American Indian or Alaska Native	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Asian	26	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	10	38.5	10	38.5
Black or African American	758	119	15.7	255	33.6	300	39.6	312	41.2	317	41.8
Hispanic	104	18	17.3	35	33.7	38	36.5	39	37.5	41	39.4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Two or More Races	65	NR	NR	12	18.5	15	23.1	16	24.6	17	26.2
Unknown	10	NR	NR	NA	NA	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
White	952	210	22.1	393	41.3	435	45.7	447	47.0	454	47.7

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