

Retention and Graduation Rates by ACT Score, High School Rank, Residence, Race/Ethnicity, and Gender¹

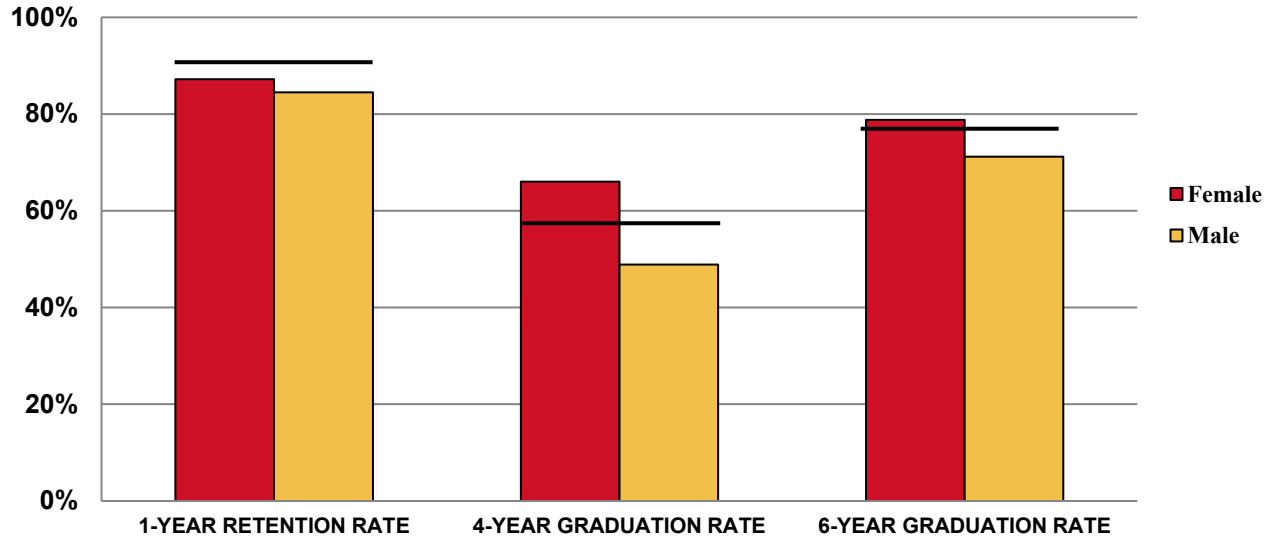
Freshmen Full-Time Fall Entries and Summer Entries Who Continued in Fall

GROUP	1-YEAR RETENTION RATE						4-YEAR GRADUATION RATE			6-YEAR GRADUATION RATE		
	ENTERING CLASS						ENTERING CLASS			ENTERING CLASS		
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2016	2017	2018	2014	2015	2016
ACT Composite Score²												
32-36	92.3%	92.6%	93.2%	93.9%	95.3%	95.0%	58.5%	61.9%	63.6%	85.9%	83.0%	83.0%
27-31	90.8%	91.8%	91.8%	92.6%	90.5%	91.8%	54.6%	57.2%	64.1%	79.2%	81.8%	80.0%
22-26	86.9%	87.1%	87.1%	88.9%	88.4%	88.0%	52.0%	55.2%	56.0%	75.4%	75.5%	74.3%
19-21	83.2%	83.3%	80.8%	84.7%	85.0%	86.4%	48.7%	54.4%	52.1%	69.0%	73.6%	67.6%
1-18	81.6%	78.0%	83.6%	82.7%	82.7%	83.1%	46.1%	48.4%	49.2%	58.4%	64.9%	63.4%
High School Rank												
≥ 90	94.7%	95.1%	95.7%	95.7%	95.3%	95.4%	66.5%	71.5%	74.6%	87.9%	90.1%	87.8%
80-89	92.1%	90.9%	89.9%	92.4%	89.5%	87.6%	57.7%	60.7%	60.0%	82.7%	82.7%	83.1%
70-79	86.8%	87.9%	88.3%	87.4%	84.8%	90.0%	51.6%	49.1%	53.4%	74.7%	75.7%	75.1%
60-69	84.0%	83.8%	80.4%	83.0%	84.2%	79.1%	42.0%	45.6%	45.3%	67.9%	71.2%	64.9%
50-59	79.4%	76.7%	74.6%	77.0%	80.3%	74.1%	35.9%	36.8%	38.2%	59.2%	63.3%	59.8%
≤ 49	73.5%	74.7%	76.6%	74.9%	72.9%	69.3%	27.5%	34.6%	37.9%	53.2%	52.6%	49.3%
Residence												
Iowa Resident	88.0%	88.3%	88.1%	89.5%	87.9%	86.6%	54.4%	57.8%	58.7%	75.7%	77.4%	75.3%
U.S., Non-Iowa Resident	86.3%	86.5%	85.8%	87.2%	88.6%	85.0%	48.2%	51.2%	54.2%	73.7%	75.5%	73.7%
International	90.5%	87.4%	89.6%	88.1%	77.8%	78.7%	40.2%	34.8%	39.0%	70.8%	75.0%	71.0%
Race/Ethnicity												
African American	83.8%	76.1%	79.3%	83.7%	79.5%	66.9%	33.8%	34.8%	39.3%	53.9%	59.5%	60.1%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	77.8%	100.0%	100.0%	88.9%	85.7%	100.0%	33.3%	58.3%	50.0%	57.1%	73.3%	55.6%
Asian	84.8%	87.8%	86.0%	93.1%	90.9%	86.0%	40.8%	54.1%	54.7%	70.5%	72.4%	70.9%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	100.0%	66.7%	100.0%	66.7%	66.7%	n/a	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%	75.0%	50.0%	75.0%
Hispanic	82.5%	84.8%	83.6%	86.2%	86.3%	79.0%	39.4%	38.7%	44.1%	70.2%	67.3%	63.1%
Two or More Races	85.5%	86.6%	85.3%	87.1%	84.8%	84.6%	44.0%	47.0%	45.9%	65.8%	63.8%	73.0%
Total Multicultural	83.8%	84.5%	84.8%	87.5%	86.3%	80.0%	39.7%	43.4%	46.4%	65.8%	66.5%	66.2%
White	87.9%	87.9%	87.7%	88.9%	88.5%	87.2%	54.0%	56.8%	59.2%	76.6%	78.5%	76.1%
Gender												
Female	88.8%	88.9%	88.7%	90.4%	88.0%	87.2%	62.0%	63.6%	66.0%	78.2%	80.5%	78.8%
Male	86.5%	86.4%	86.0%	87.2%	88.0%	84.5%	42.9%	46.5%	48.9%	72.0%	73.6%	71.2%
Total	87.5%	87.5%	87.2%	88.6%	88.0%	85.8%	51.1%	54.1%	56.3%	74.7%	76.6%	74.4%

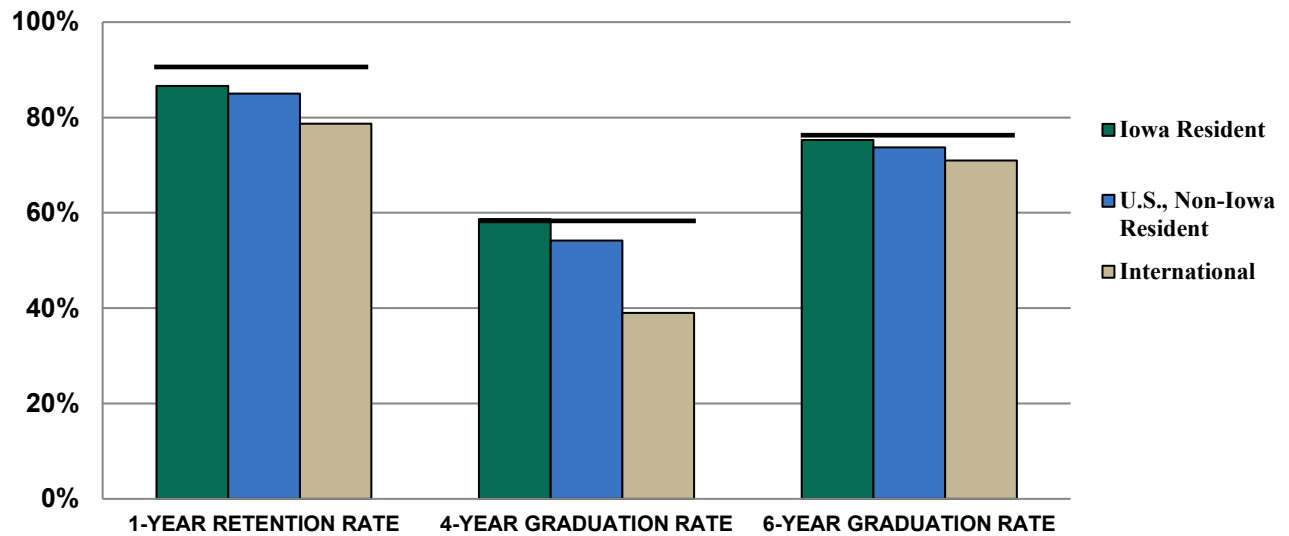
¹ Beginning with the 2010 cohort, this table has been changed to reflect data from e-Data. IPEDS allowable exclusions (ex. Deceased, active military duty, or withdrew before census day) are applied for the current reporting year. Previously reported data are not adjusted for new exclusions.

² Beginning in 2021, standardized test scores are optional-response; data is calculated only from those who responded.

Retention and Graduation by Gender with National Average Reference Point¹



Retention and Graduation by Residency with National Average Reference Point¹



¹ National average for Carnegie, Doctoral, Very High Research, Land Grant Universities (from IPEDS-2021): 1 year retention is 89.1%, 4 year graduation is 58.3%, 6 year graduation is 76.8%.