

Retention Tracking

(Freshman to Sophomore; Sophomore to Junior; Junior to Senior)

2010	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 2010 freshman cohort was made up of 488 students. Of these students, 193 were retained to their second year, resulting in a retention rate of 38.5%. • Of the 2010 cohort of 488 students, 121 were retained to their third year, resulting in a third year retention rate of 24.6%. If we consider only those 193 students who were retained to their second year, that figure of 121 retained to their third year results in a retention rate of 62.7%. • Finally, of the 2010 cohort of 488 students, 108 were retained to their fourth year, resulting in a fourth year retention rate of 22%. If we consider only those 121 students who were retained to their third year, that figure of 108 retained to their fourth year results in a retention rate of 89%.
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2011	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 2011 freshman cohort was made up of 493 students. Of these students, 195 were retained to their second year, resulting in a retention rate of 39.5%. • Of the 2011 cohort of 493 students, 124 were retained to their third year, resulting in a third year retention rate of 25%. If we consider only those 195 students who were retained to their second year, that figure of 124 retained to their third year results in a retention rate of 63.6%. • Finally, of the 2011 cohort of 493 students, 112 were retained to their fourth year, resulting in a fourth year retention rate of 22.7%. If we consider only those 124 students who were retained to their third year, that figure of 112 retained to their fourth year results in a retention rate of 90.3%.
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2012	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 2012 freshman cohort was made up of 536 students. Of these students, 281 were retained to their second year, resulting in a retention rate of 52%. • Of the 2012 cohort of 536 students, 225 were retained to their third year, resulting in a third year retention rate of 42%. If we consider only those 281 students who were retained to their second year, that figure of 225 retained to their third year results in a retention rate of 80.1%. • Finally, of the 2012 cohort of 536 students, 192 were retained to their fourth year, resulting in a fourth year retention rate of 35.8%. If we consider only those 225 students who were retained to their third year, that figure of 192 retained to their fourth year results in a retention rate of 85.3%.
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2013	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 2013 freshman cohort was made up of 428 students. Of these students, 221 were retained to their second year, resulting in a retention rate of 52%. • Of the 2013 cohort of 428 students, 170 were retained to their third year, resulting in a third year retention rate of 39.7%. If we consider only those 221 students who were retained to their second year, that figure of 170 retained to their third year results in a retention rate of 76.9%. • Finally, of the 2013 cohort of 428 students, 154 were retained to their fourth year, resulting in a fourth year retention rate of 35.9%. If we consider only those 170 students who were retained to their third year, that figure of 154 retained to their fourth year results in a retention rate of 90.6%.
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2014	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 2014 freshman cohort was made up of 393 students. Of these students, 213 were retained to their second year, resulting in a retention rate of 54%. • Of the 2014 cohort of 393 students, 160 were retained to their third year, resulting in a third year retention rate of 40.7%. If we consider only those 213 students who were retained to their second year, that figure of 160 retained to their third year results in a retention rate of 75.1%. • Finally, of the 2014 cohort of 393 students, 145 were retained to their fourth year, resulting in a fourth year retention rate of 36.9%. If we consider only those 160 students who were retained to their third year, that figure of 145 retained to their fourth year results in a retention rate of 90.6%.
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2015	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 2015 freshman cohort was made up of 475 students. Of these students, 229 were retained to their second year, resulting in a retention rate of 48%. • Of the 2015 cohort of 475 students, 184 were retained to their third year, resulting in a third year retention rate of 38.7%. If we consider only those 229 who were retained to their second year, that figure of 184 retained to their third year results in a retention rate of 80.3%. • Finally, of the 2015 cohort of 475 students, 166 were retained to their fourth year, resulting in a fourth year retention rate of 34.9%. If we consider only those 184 students who were retained to their third year, that figure of 166 retained to their fourth year results in a retention rate of 90.2%.
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2016	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The 2016 freshman cohort was made up of 353 students. Of these students, 200 were retained to their second year, resulting in a retention rate of 56.7%. Of the 2016 cohort of 353 students, 148 were retained to their third year, resulting in a third year retention rate of 41.9%. If we consider only those 200 who were retained to their second year, that figure of 148 retained to their third year results in a retention rate of 74.0%. Finally, of the 2016 cohort of 353 students, 124 were retained to their fourth year, resulting in a fourth year retention rate of 35.1%. If we consider only those 148 students who were retained to their third year, that figure of 124 retained to their fourth year results in a retention rate of 83.8%.
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2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The 2017 freshman cohort was made up of 406 students. Of these students, 210 were retained to their second year, resulting in a retention rate of 51.7%. Of the 2017 cohort of 406 students, 155 were retained to their third year, resulting in a third year retention rate of 38.2%. If we consider only those 210 who were retained to their second year, that figure of 155 retained to their third year results in a retention rate of 73.8%.
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2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The 2018 freshman cohort was made up of 281 students. Of these students, 150 were retained to their second year, resulting in a retention rate of 53.4%.
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2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The 2019 freshman cohort was made up of 243 students.
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The table on the following page shows the data as described above.

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	Freshman Cohort – 1 st Year	Retained to 2 nd year	% Retained to 2 nd year	Retained to 3 rd year	% Retained to 3 rd year	Retained to 4 th year	% Retained to 4 th year
2009 FTFT Freshmen	476	230	48.3%	148	31.1% (from 1 st year) 64.3% (from 2 nd year)	129	27% (from 1 st year) 87% (from 3 rd year)
2010 FTFT Freshmen	488	193	38.5%	121	24.6% (from 1 st year) 62.7% (from 2 nd year)	108	22% (from 1 st year) 89% (from 3 rd year)
2011 FTFT Freshmen	493	195	39.5%	124	25% (from 1 st year) 63.6% (from 2 nd year)	112	22.7% (from 1 st year) 90.3% (from 3 rd year)
2012 FTFT Freshmen	536	281	52%	225	42% (from 1 st year) 80.1% (from 2 nd year)	192	35.8% (from 1 st year) 85.3% (from 3 rd year)
2013 FTFT Freshmen	428	221	52%	170	39.7% (from 1 st year) 76.9% (from 2 nd year)	154	35.9% (from 1 st year) 90.6% (from 3 rd year)
2014 FTFT Freshmen*	393	213	54%	160	40.7% (from 1 st year) 75.1% (from 2 nd year)	145	36.9% (from 1 st year) 90.6% (from 3 rd year)
2015 FTFT Freshmen	475	229	48%	184	38.7% (from 1 st year) 80.3% (from 2 nd year)	166	34.9% (from 1 st year) 90.2% (from 3 rd year)
2016 FTFT Freshmen	353	200	56.7%	148	41.9% (from 1 st year) 74.0% (from 2 nd year)	124	35.1% (from 1 st year) 83.8% (from 3 rd year)

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2017 FTFT Freshmen	406	210	51.7%	155	38.2% (from 1 st year) 73.8% (from 2 nd year)		
2018 FTFT Freshmen	281	150	53.4%				
2019 FTFT Freshmen	243						

Data Source:

2009-2013 cohorts were determined by selecting: a) entering full-time students, b) with a Freshman classification, c) who received zero transfer credits, d) who had not earned any Wesley College credits as of the start of the Fall semester.

The 2014 cohort is noted in the Institutional Research file 2014 FA Census 15 September 2014.

*Note – The 2014 cohort was updated on 23 November 2015 to remove transfer students. This figure may not match previously reported 2014 cohort counts.

The 2015 cohort is noted in the Institutional Research file 2015 FA Census 14 September 2015.

The 2016 cohort is noted in the Institutional Research file 2016 FA Census 7 September 2016.

The 2017 cohort is noted in the Institutional Research file 2017 FA Census 11 September 2017 – Cabinet.

The 2018 cohort is noted in the Institutional research file 2018 FA Census 07 September 2018.

The 2018 cohort is noted in the Institutional research file 2019 FA Census 12 September 2019.