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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
1,585	1,106	69.8	869	54.8	767	48.4	719	45.4

#### 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	11	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Bachelor	1,574	1,100	69.9	863	54.8	762	48.4	715	45.4

#### 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	926	658	71.1	530	57.2	470	50.8	443	47.8
Male	659	448	68.0	339	51.4	297	45.1	276	41.9

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 SRA analysis of USG ADC Enrollment and Graduation, July 2024.

## 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	38	32	84.2	21	55.3	15	39.5	15	39.5
Black or African American	592	425	71.8	335	56.6	299	50.5	273	46.1
Hispanic	94	70	74.5	53	56.4	47	50.0	46	48.9
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Two or More Races	60	40	66.7	33	55.0	30	50.0	29	48.3
Unknown	13	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
White	784	526	67.1	418	53.3	366	46.7	347	44.3

## 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
1,574	313	19.9	575	36.5	634	40.3	656	41.7	665	42.2

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 SRA analysis of USG ADC Enrollment and Graduation, July 2024.

## 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	658	89	13.5	208	31.6	234	35.6	245	37.2	250	38.0
Female	916	224	24.5	367	40.1	400	43.7	411	44.9	415	45.3

## 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	38	NR	NR	13	34.2	14	36.8	15	39.5	NA	NA
Black or African American	587	103	17.5	195	33.2	231	39.4	239	40.7	242	41.2
Hispanic	94	19	20.2	42	44.7	42	44.7	43	45.7	43	45.7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Two or More Races	60	NR	NR	22	36.7	25	41.7	25	41.7	26	43.3
Unknown	13	NR	NR	NR	NR	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
White	779	170	21.8	294	37.7	313	40.2	325	41.7	330	42.4

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