



## Student Success Summary IPEDS Fall Cohorts, 2023-24 Reporting Year

The following summary provides the 2023-24 student success data for UAS, per IPEDS cohorts. Most metrics use New First-Time Full-Time Bachelor Seeking Freshmen, but some differ. The following pages provide historical trends as well as filter options for reviewing cohorts outside of first time full time freshmen.

### Fall to Spring Persistence

95%

- The Fall 2022 First Time Full Time Bachelor Seeking Freshmen cohort had a persistence rate of 95%, meaning 95% of these students returned to UAS in Spring 2023.
- This is 4% above the Fall 2021 cohort.
- IPEDS Survey: N/A

### Fall to Fall Retention

71%

- The Fall 2022 First Time Full Time Bachelor Seeking Freshmen cohort had a retention rate of 71%, meaning 71% of these students returned to UAS in Fall 2023.
- This is 6% above the Fall 2021 cohort.
- IPEDS Survey: Fall Enrollment

### 200% Bachelor's Completion Rate

30%

- Of the Fall 2015 First Time Full Time Bachelor Seeking Freshmen cohort, 30% completed a bachelor's degree within 8 years, or in 200% time to degree.
- This is 12% above the Fall 2014 cohort.
- IPEDS Survey: Graduation Rates 200

### Overall 150% Graduation Rate

30%

- Of the Fall 2017 First Time Full Time Freshmen cohort (seeking any degree), 30% completed a degree within 150% time of that degree.
- This is 5% above the Fall 2016 cohort.
- IPEDS Survey: Graduation Rates

### Transfer Out Rate

12%

- Of the Fall 2017 First Time Full Time Freshmen cohort (seeking any degree), 12% transferred to another institution by 150% time.
- This is 11% below the Fall 2016 cohort.
- IPEDS Survey: Graduation Rates

### 150% Bachelor's Completion Rate

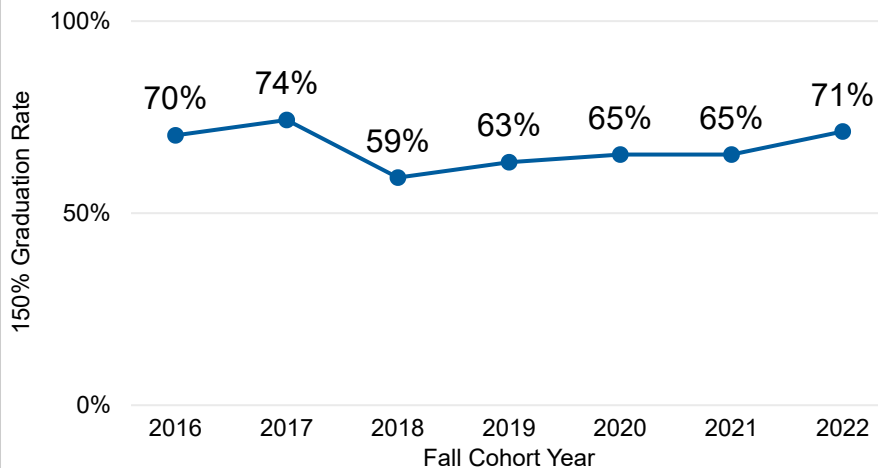
33%

- Of the Fall 2017 First Time Full Time Bachelor Seeking Freshmen cohort, 33% completed a bachelor's degree within 6 years, or in 150% time to degree.
- This is 7% above the Fall 2016 cohort.
- IPEDS Survey: Graduation Rates

# First-time Full-time Bachelor Seeking Retention Rates 5 Year Review

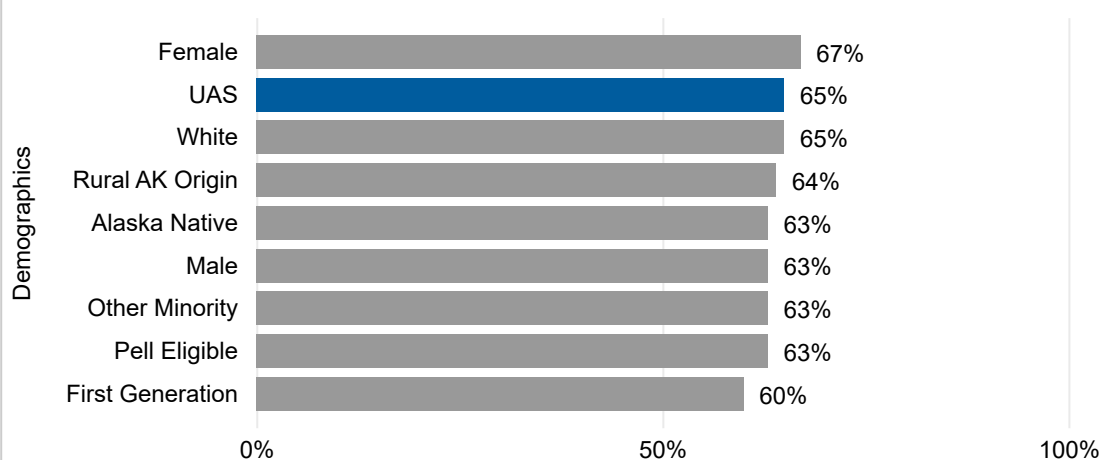
## UAS Fall to Fall Retention

UAS retention rates for cohorts from 2016 to 2022. UAS's current retention rate is 71%. Goal: 74% by fall cohort 2026.



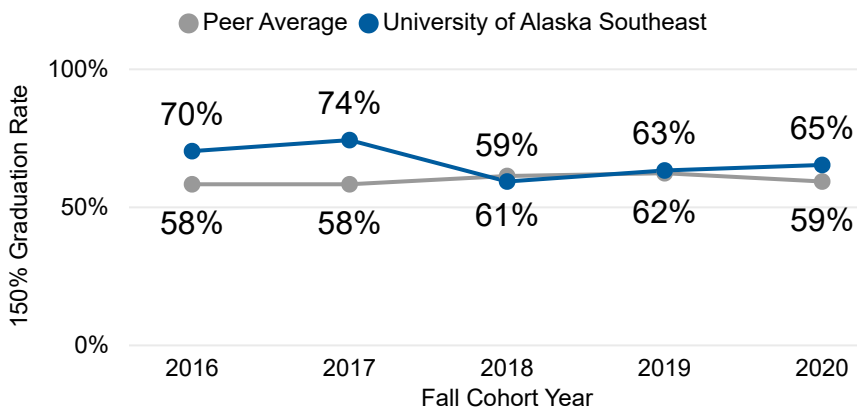
## Five Year Average by Demographics

UAS average retention rates for cohorts from 2018 to 2022. UAS's five year average retention rate is 65%.



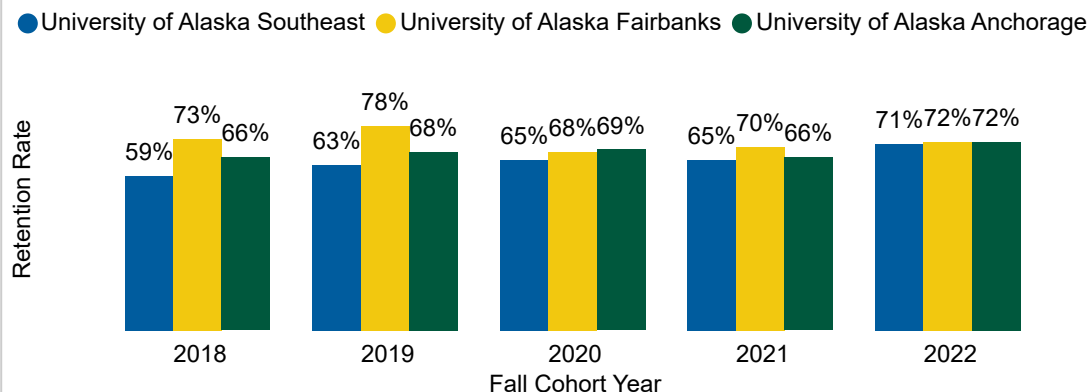
## IPEDS Peer Comparisons

UAS retention rates are slightly above our peers.  
*Note - IPEDS data is typically released 1 year after submission.*



## University of Alaska Comparisons

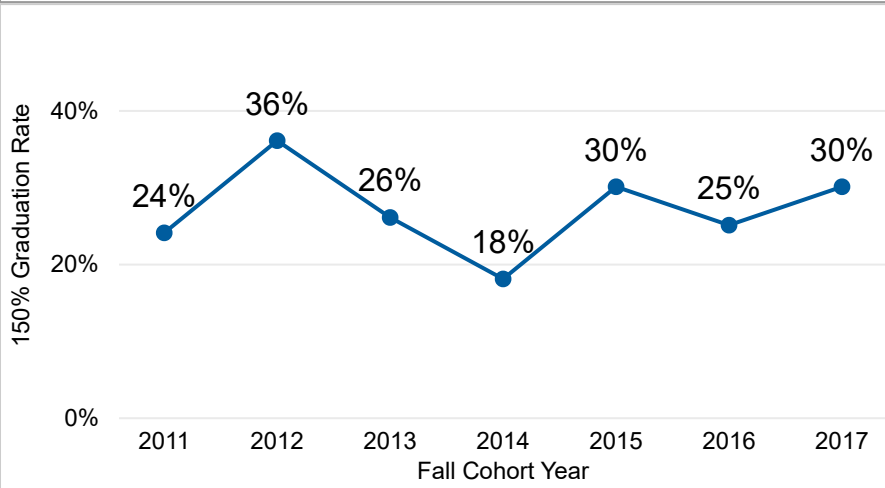
As of Fall 2022, retention rates across UA are similar.



# First-time Full-time Freshmen Seeking Any Degree, 150% Completion Rates 5 Year Review

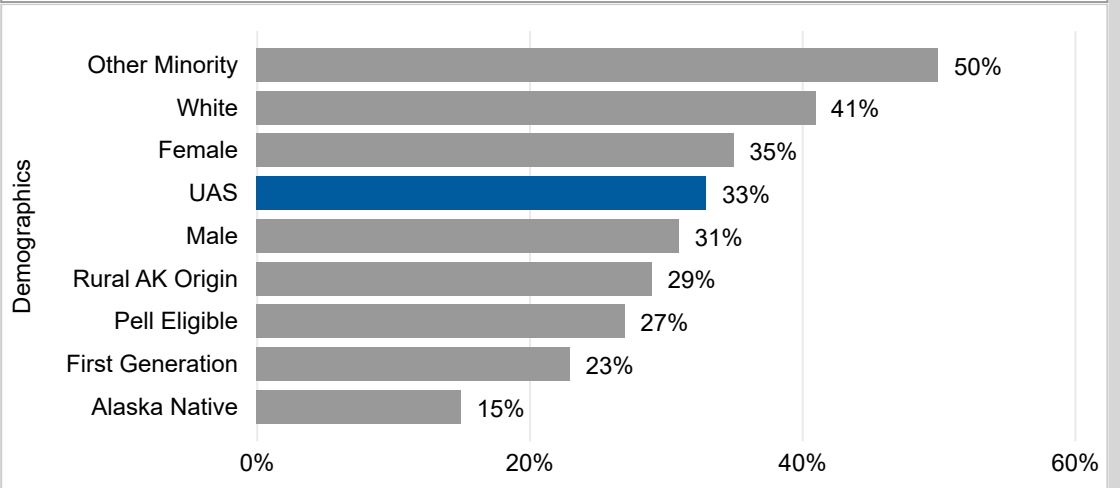
## UAS 150% Graduation Rates

UAS graduation rates for cohorts from 2011 to 2017. UAS's current graduation rate is 30%. Goal: 40% by fall cohort 2020.



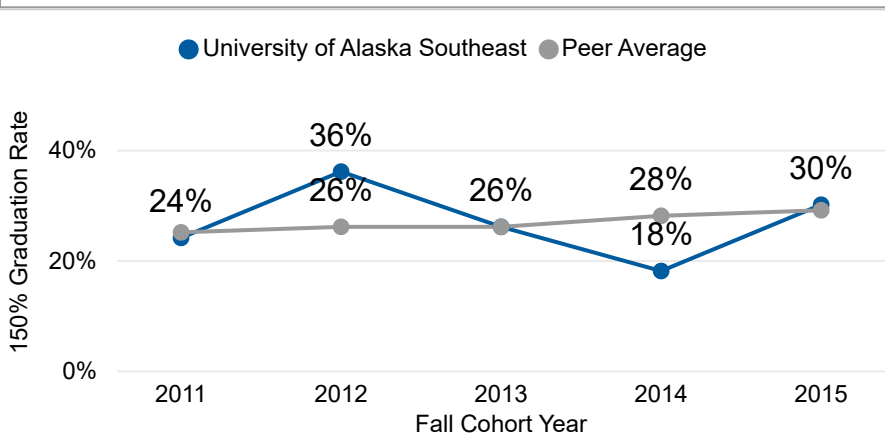
## Five Year Average by Demographics

UAS average 150% time to completion for cohorts from 2013 to 2017. UAS's average 150% graduation rate is 33%.



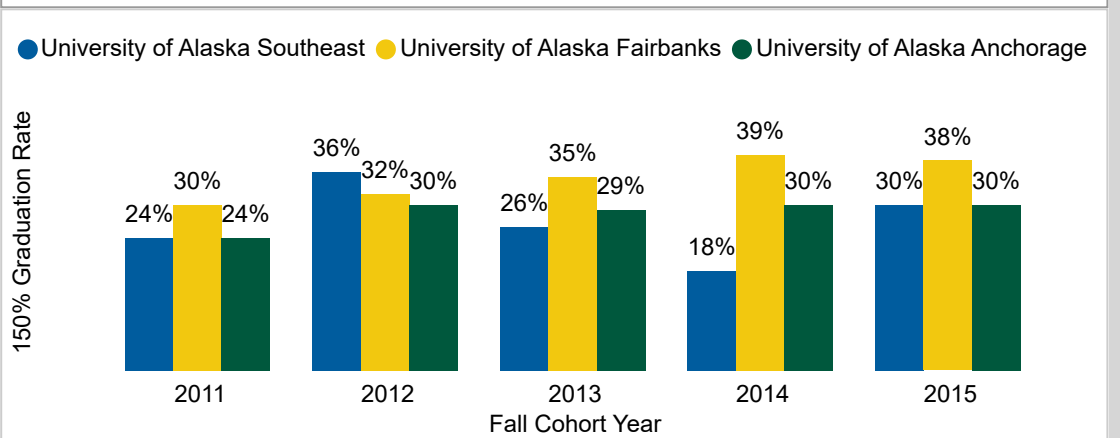
## IPEDS Peer Comparisons

For the most recent cohort, UAS graduation rates are in line peers. *Note - IPEDS data is typically released 1 year after submission.*



## University of Alaska Comparisons

UAS graduation rates are the same as UAA for the 2015 cohort. Both UAS and UAA have lower graduation rates compared to UAF.





# First-time Full-time Freshmen Seeking Any Degree, 150% Completion Rates 5 Year Review

## 150% Graduation Rates by Race/Ethnicity

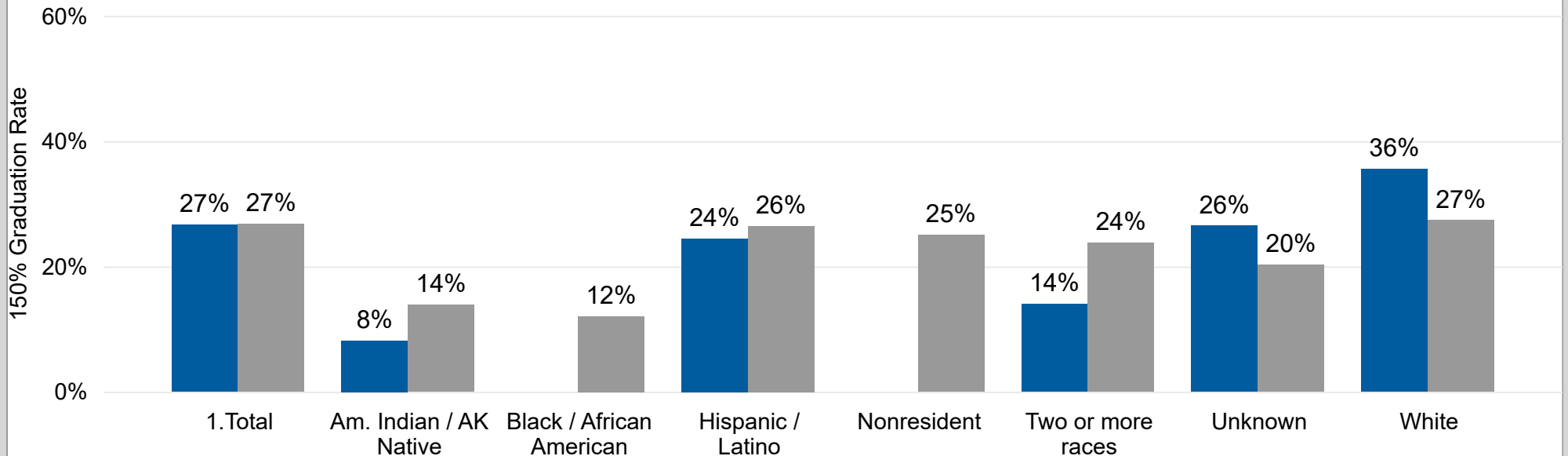
### Summary

The graph below provides a visual of the 5 year average 150% graduation rate of first-time full-time freshmen seeking any degree for UAS and the average of UAS peers. The table on the right shows the average cohort size of each group and the graduation rate. Cohorts with an average size of 5 or less have graduation rate data removed. Race and Ethnicity is based on the IPEDS definition, which groups anyone who reported two or more races into the 'Two or more races' category. It should be noted that a large portion of Alaska Native/American Indian students are in this category.

### Average Cohort Size

Institution Group	1.UAS		2.Peers	
	Cohort Avg	Grad Rate	Cohort Avg	Grad Rate
1.Total	169	27%	397	27%
Am. Indian / AK Native	19	8%	24	14%
Asian	3		4	
Black / African American	1		28	12%
Hispanic / Latino	8	24%	75	26%
Native Hawaiian	3		1	
Nonresident	1		127	25%
Two or more races	11	14%	28	24%
Unknown	59	26%	8	20%
White	63	36%	219	27%

● University of Alaska Southeast ● Peer Average





# First-time Full-time Freshmen Seeking Any Degree, 150% Completion Rates 5 Year Review

## 150% Graduation Rates by Sex

The data below shows 150% graduation rates by sex. Females tend to have higher graduation rates compared to males.

Average Cohort Size

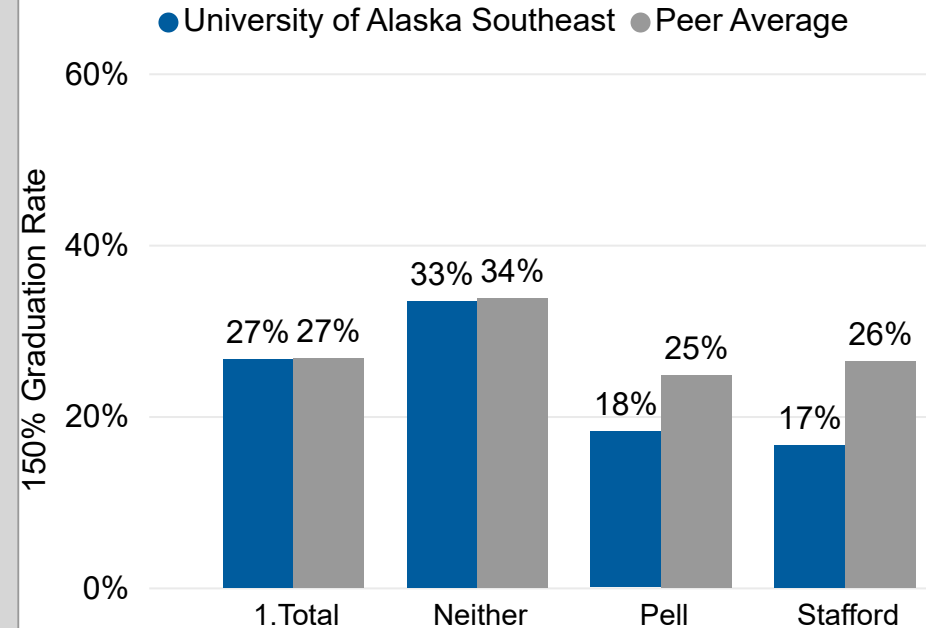
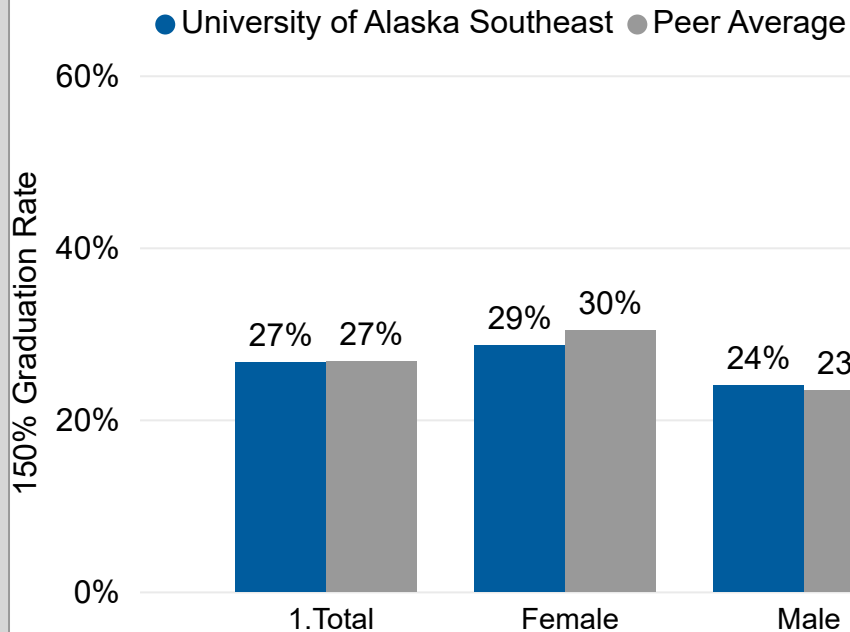
Institution2 Group	1.UAS		2.Peers	
	Cohort Avg	Grad Rate	Cohort Avg	Grad Rate
1.Total	169	27%	397	27%
Female	97	29%	225	30%
Male	72	24%	172	23%

## 150% Graduation Rates by Financial Aid

The data below shows 150% graduation rates by financial status. Students at UAS who received Pell or Stafford have graduation rates below the peer average.

Average Cohort Size

Institution2 Group	1.UAS		2.Peers	
	Cohort Avg	Grad Rate	Cohort Avg	Grad Rate
1.Total	169	27%	397	27%
Neither	75	33%	120	34%
Pell	58	18%	212	25%
Stafford	15	17%	46	26%





## Definitions

The data provided in this report comes from the IPEDS Data Center, with some supplemental data for UAS, UAA, UAF that has not yet been published on the IPEDS website. IPEDS has a 1 year lag time of posting data from the time it is submitted. This why UAS specific data provides more recent cohorts than the peer comparison data.

UAS peers include:

- Western New Mexico University
- University of Maine at Augusta
- Montana State University - Billings
- Cameron University
- University of Maine at Fort Kent
- Rogers State University
- Northern New Mexico State College
- Louisiana State University - Alexandria
- New Mexico Highlands University
- Mayville State University

**Retention Rates:** Retention data is from the IPEDS Fall Enrollment report. This looks at first-time full-time bachelor seeking freshmen who started in the fall term and returned to the institution the following fall. For example, the fall 2021 cohort of first-time full-time bachelor seeking freshmen who returned in fall 2022.

**150% Graduation Rates:** Graduation rates are from the IPEDS Graduation Rates Report. This looks at first-time full-time freshmen seeking any degree who completed any degree within 150% time (ex. completed a Bachelor's within 6 years, or completed an Associate's within 3 years).

Cohorts for IPEDS retention and graduation rate reporting comes from the fall open freeze data set, typically pulled between 20 and 30 days after the start of the term.