

SECTION 4: UNIVERSITY DATA: ATTRITION AND GRADUATION RATES

Table 4.1: Attrition Rates (By Credit Hour) 2004 – 2011

Full-time undergraduate students in Arts and Sciences, Business, Nursing and University College enrolled in a given Fall semester who did not return to the University the following Fall semester (exclusive of students who graduated. Please note that the entering freshman cohort attrition is calculated separately and reported at the bottom of the page.

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Arts and Sciences								
Freshmen	13.9%	12.8%	15.0%	14.3%	12.0%	13.5%	13.5%	12.4%
Sophomores	11.8%	8.8%	9.9%	11.3%	10.2%	9.1%	9.2%	8.3%
Juniors	6.5%	5.5%	5.8%	4.7%	5.9%	3.5%	3.3%	4.3%
Seniors	3.0%	3.8%	1.9%	1.7%	2.0%	3.4%	2.5%	9.6%
TOTAL	9.8%	8.4%	8.9%	8.8%	8.0%	8.0%	7.7%	8.2%
Business Administration								
Freshmen	7.0%	19.6%	12.2%	12.7%	10.2%	15.0%	13.0%	9.2%
Sophomores	12.2%	5.8%	8.9%	6.5%	15.7%	9.4%	10.3%	5.4%
Juniors	5.9%	4.3%	2.3%	2.7%	3.0%	1.8%	3.8%	2.4%
Seniors	2.1%	0.7%	1.3%	2.7%	2.1%	0.0%	4.3%	0.0%
TOTAL	7.2%	7.6%	6.2%	5.7%	7.7%	6.6%	7.7%	4.5%
Nursing								
Freshmen	17.7%	9.7%	20.0%	18.2%	14.1%	6.8%	13.0%	10.5%
Sophomores	8.6%	6.5%	10.4%	5.8%	11.6%	5.8%	2.9%	5.0%
Juniors	7.7%	7.9%	3.3%	4.7%	5.9%	5.2%	0.0%	0.9%
Seniors	2.3%	2.3%	2.4%	0.7%	2.1%	7.3%	4.2%	10.2%
TOTAL	6.4%	7.5%	5.7%	5.9%	7.2%	6.5%	5.2%	5.1%
University College								
Freshmen								50.0%
Sophomores								14.3%
Juniors								15.6%
Seniors								14.3%
TOTAL								36.1%
Combined Total								
Freshmen	13.2%	13.7%	15.0%	14.4%	11.8%	13.1%	13.4%	12.0%
Sophomores	11.6%	8.1%	9.8%	9.8%	11.3%	8.8%	8.8%	7.6%
Juniors	6.5%	5.1%	4.8%	4.3%	5.2%	3.4%	3.0%	4.1%
Seniors	2.7%	2.9%	1.9%	1.7%	2.0%	3.8%	3.1%	10.8%
TOTAL	9.1%	7.9%	8.3%	7.9%	7.8%	7.5%	7.4%	7.8%
Entering Freshmen Cohort	11.8%	12.8%	13.9%	13.0%	11.2%	12.0%	12.0%	10.0%