

SECTION 4: UNIVERSITY DATA: ATTRITION AND GRADUATION RATES

Table 4.1: Attrition Rates (By Credit Hour) 2005 – 2012

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.

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Arts and Sciences								
Freshmen	12.8%	15.0%	14.3%	12.0%	13.5%	13.5%	12.4%	12.0%
Sophomores	8.8%	9.9%	11.3%	10.2%	9.1%	9.2%	8.3%	7.4%
Juniors	5.5%	5.8%	4.7%	5.9%	3.5%	3.3%	4.3%	5.1%
Seniors	3.8%	1.9%	1.7%	2.0%	3.4%	2.5%	9.6%	1.7%
TOTAL	8.4%	8.9%	8.8%	8.0%	8.0%	7.7%	8.2%	6.7%
Business Administration								
Freshmen	19.6%	12.2%	12.7%	10.2%	15.0%	13.0%	9.2%	7.2%
Sophomores	5.8%	8.9%	6.5%	15.7%	9.4%	10.3%	5.4%	16.7%
Juniors	4.3%	2.3%	2.7%	3.0%	1.8%	3.8%	2.4%	4.6%
Seniors	0.7%	1.3%	2.7%	2.1%	0.0%	4.3%	0.0%	1.3%
TOTAL	7.6%	6.2%	5.7%	7.7%	6.6%	7.7%	4.5%	7.5%
Nursing								
Freshmen	9.7%	20.0%	18.2%	14.1%	6.8%	13.0%	10.5%	6.3%
Sophomores	6.5%	10.4%	5.8%	11.6%	5.8%	2.9%	5.0%	5.9%
Juniors	7.9%	3.3%	4.7%	5.9%	5.2%	0.0%	0.9%	4.6%
Seniors	2.3%	2.4%	0.7%	2.1%	7.3%	4.2%	10.2%	0.0%
TOTAL	7.5%	5.7%	5.9%	7.2%	6.5%	5.2%	5.1%	4.5%
University College								
Freshmen							50.0%	43.8%
Sophomores							14.3%	35.5%
Juniors							15.6%	22.6%
Seniors							14.3%	9.8%
TOTAL							36.1%	23.5%
Combined Total								
Freshmen	13.7%	15.0%	14.4%	11.8%	13.1%	13.4%	12.0%	10.60%
Sophomores	8.1%	9.8%	9.8%	11.3%	8.8%	8.8%	7.6%	9.6%
Juniors	5.1%	4.8%	4.3%	5.2%	3.4%	3.0%	4.1%	5.9%
Seniors	2.9%	1.9%	1.7%	2.0%	3.8%	3.1%	10.8%	1.9%
TOTAL	7.9%	8.3%	7.9%	7.8%	7.5%	7.4%	7.8%	7.2%
Entering Freshmen Cohort	12.8%	13.9%	13.0%	11.2%	12.0%	12.0%	10.0%	9.0%