

IPEDS Institutional Graduation & Transfer Rates

- For *IPEDS** reporting, we track a cohort of students who are first-time, full-time degree-seeking (or certificate-seeking) students for a particular Fall semester.
- This population represents about two-fifths of our incoming Fall class; the others are enrolled part-time, are transfer-ins, and/or are not in degree or certificate programs.
- *IPEDS* allows community colleges to report both *Graduation* and *Transfer Rates* (as both are central to our mission) over a relatively short period of time. The **Graduation Rate** has traditionally been calculated based on **150% time**—three years for an associate degree and 18 months for a one-year certificate. The **Transfer Rate** is also reported at the three-year mark and is based on information gathered from NSC (National Student Clearinghouse) when we query subsequent enrollment/attendance at other colleges. We also report on persistence (**Still Enrolled**) at this point in time as well.
- Community colleges complete a report on the *Graduation Rate* **within 200% time** (within four years for an associate degree) as well. Tracking the same initial cohorts, the graduation rates have increased significantly by allowing more time.
- *Massasoit’s Four-Year Average Graduation Rate: 16%*
- *Massasoit’s Four-Year Average Transfer Rate: 22%*
- In our most recent submission to IPEDS, the **Fall 2014 cohort** (1189 students) were tracked through 2017 graduation. A total of 204 (17%) graduated within 150% time. Another 260 (22%) transferred before completing their Massasoit program.
- An additional 187 (16%) in the cohort are still enrolled (persisting) at Massasoit.
- One tenth of the cohort group (131 or 11%) transferred after graduation, in addition to the 22% who transferred without completing their Massasoit program.

IPEDS Fall Cohort	2011	2012	2013	2014	4-Year Total
Total	1227	1211	1281	1189	4908
Grad Rate 150%	183	196	192	204	775
<i>(within three years)</i>	15%	16%	15%	17%	16%
Transfer Rate	274	262	290	260	1086
<i>(prior to graduation, within three years)</i>	22%	22%	23%	22%	22%
Combined Grad & Transfer Rate	37%	38%	38%	39%	38%
Still Enrolled	193	200	190	187	770
<i>(after three years)</i>	16%	16%	15%	16%	16%
Combined Success (@ three years)	53%	54%	53%	55%	54%
Report Year	2015	2016	2017	2018	
200% Grad Rate (@ four years)	21%	23%	20%		
Report Year	2016	2017	2018		

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Fall 2014 Cohort** <i>(three years later)</i>	Total	Grad Rate @ 3 years <i>(150% time)</i>	Transfer Rate <i>(prior to graduation)</i>	Still Enrolled <i>(@ three years)</i>	Combined Success <i>(@ three years)</i>
	1189	17%	22%	16%	55%
Gender					
Female	566	21%	21%	16%	59%
Male	623	13%	22%	15%	51%
Race/Ethnicity					
American Indian/Alaskan Native	na				
Asian/Pacific Islander	23	22%	30%	17%	70%
Black, Non-Hispanic	304	13%	22%	18%	53%
Hispanic	101	10%	22%	15%	47%
Two or More Races	50	18%	12%	16%	46%
<i>Subtotal Ethnic Minority</i>	<i>481</i>	<i>14%</i>	<i>22%</i>	<i>17%</i>	<i>52%</i>
White, Non-Hispanic	670	19%	22%	15%	57%
Non-Resident Alien	na				
Unknown	34	24%	24%	12%	59%
<i>Disaggregated results reported as "na" for smaller groups in order to protect privacy</i>					
By Financial Aid Status					
Pell Recipients <i>(within first year)</i>	620	16%	19%	17%	51%
Direct Subsidized Loan, no Pell <i>(within first year)</i>	103	20%	24%	15%	59%
No Pell or Direct Subsidized Loan <i>(within first year)</i>	466	18%	26%	15%	59%

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