

**College of Southern Maryland  
Trends in Fall-to-Spring Retention**

	Attended FA2011	Attended FA2011 Returned SP2012	% Returned SP2012	Attended FA2012	Attended FA2012 Returned SP2013	% Returned SP2013	Attended FA2013	Attended FA2013 Returned SP2014	% Returned SP2014	Attended FA2014	Attended FA2014 Returned SP2015	% Returned SP2015	Attended FA2015	Attended FA2015 Returned SP2016	% Returned SP2016
<b><u>TOTAL CSM</u></b>															
Total	9166	6437	70.2%	9217	6402	69.5%	8794	6085	69.2%	8426	5795	68.8%	8173	5614	68.7%
Graduates	258	54	20.9%	319	65	20.4%	335	59	17.6%	368	103	28.0%	364	87	23.9%
Total Excluding Graduates	8908	6383	71.7%	8898	6337	71.2%	8459	6026	71.2%	8058	5692	70.6%	7809	5527	70.8%
<b><u>FULLTIME</u></b>															
Full-time	3414	2827	82.8%	3322	2733	82.3%	3205	2665	83.2%	2972	2448	82.4%	2947	2398	81.4%
Part-time	5494	3556	64.7%	5576	3604	64.6%	5254	3361	64.0%	5086	3244	63.8%	4862	3129	64.4%
<b><u>FIRST-TIME STUDENTS</u></b>															
First-time, Any College	2198	1596	72.6%	1915	1413	73.8%	1841	1348	73.2%	1863	1348	72.4%	1852	1338	72.2%
All Others	6710	4787	71.3%	6983	4924	70.5%	6618	4678	70.7%	6195	4344	70.1%	5957	4189	70.3%
<b><u>GENDER</u></b>															
Male	3413	2361	69.2%	3411	2363	69.3%	3283	2252	68.6%	3178	2205	69.4%	3164	2211	69.9%
Female	5495	4022	73.2%	5487	3974	72.4%	5176	3774	72.9%	4880	3487	71.5%	4645	3316	71.4%
<b><u>RACE/ETHNICITY</u></b>															
Hispanic origin of any race	456	338	74.1%	472	333	70.6%	479	336	70.1%	473	350	74.0%	471	340	72.2%
Non-Hispanic origin only:															
American Indian or Alaskan Native	50	35	70.0%	51	33	64.7%	47	30	63.8%	41	21	51.2%	35	20	57.1%
Asian	220	150	68.2%	214	172	80.4%	209	164	78.5%	212	170	80.2%	229	179	78.2%
Black or African American	2141	1474	68.8%	2293	1549	67.6%	2107	1409	66.9%	2083	1358	65.2%	2052	1335	65.1%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	39	30	76.9%	43	31	72.1%	35	22	62.9%	25	19	76.0%	31	21	67.7%
White	5478	3977	72.6%	5295	3836	72.4%	4991	3637	72.9%	4629	3344	72.2%	4383	3198	73.0%
Two or more races	376	270	71.8%	384	275	71.6%	421	303	72.0%	413	305	73.8%	439	317	72.2%
Non-Resident Alien	26	20	76.9%	35	27	77.1%	31	26	83.9%	33	19	57.6%	33	25	75.8%
Unknown	122	89	73.0%	111	81	73.0%	139	99	71.2%	149	106	71.1%	136	92	67.6%
<b><u>AGEGROUP</u></b>															
17 and Under	588	479	81.5%	617	504	81.7%	630	529	84.0%	642	532	82.9%	699	566	81.0%
18 to 21	3989	3028	75.9%	4042	3066	75.9%	3879	2937	75.7%	3678	2791	75.9%	3704	2789	75.3%
22 to 29	2235	1486	66.5%	2202	1406	63.9%	2086	1346	64.5%	1989	1244	62.5%	1836	1186	64.6%
30 to 39	1012	688	68.0%	984	677	68.8%	904	615	68.0%	894	582	65.1%	817	520	63.6%
40 to 59	1018	664	65.2%	989	640	64.7%	881	551	62.5%	773	492	63.6%	674	413	61.3%
60 and Over	66	38	57.6%	64	44	68.8%	79	48	60.8%	82	51	62.2%	79	53	67.1%
<b><u>PROGTYPE</u></b>															
Career Degree	2410	1756	72.9%	2212	1578	71.3%	2022	1479	73.1%	1860	1310	70.4%	1731	1239	71.6%
Certificate	410	241	58.8%	398	241	60.6%	337	198	58.8%	330	194	58.8%	301	169	56.1%
Non-Degree Seeking	888	556	62.6%	408	233	57.1%	196	103	52.6%	109	51	46.8%	85	45	52.9%
Transfer Degree	5142	3793	73.8%	5844	4263	72.9%	5887	4236	72.0%	5750	4133	71.9%	5687	4073	71.6%
Undecided/Unknown	58	37	63.8%	30	22	73.3%	17	10	58.8%	9	4	44.4%	5	1	20.0%

Source: Student Characteristics data (20% census date of term)

Notes:

\*Retention is defined as enrollment in an initial fall term and in the subsequent spring term at CSM.

\*Graduates are excluded from the demographic calculations. Graduates are defined as students graduating with an associate's degree or certificate after the initial fall term and before the subsequent spring term.