

College of Southern Maryland
Trends in Fall-to-Spring Retention^{a,b}

	Attended FA13	Attended FA13 Returned SP14	Percent Returned SP14	Attended FA14	Attended FA14 Returned SP15	Percent Returned SP15	Attended FA15	Attended FA15 Returned SP16	Percent Returned SP16	Attended FA16	Attended FA16 Returned SP17	Percent Returned SP17	Attended FA17	Attended FA17 Returned SP18	Percent Returned SP18
Total	8794	6085	69.2%	8426	5795	68.8%	8173	5614	68.7%	7697	5253	68.2%	7212	5037	69.8%
Graduates	335	59	17.6%	368	103	28.0%	364	87	23.9%	440	120	27.3%	470	176	37.4%
Total Excluding Graduates ^c	8459	6026	71.2%	8058	5692	70.6%	7809	5527	70.8%	7257	5133	70.7%	6742	4861	72.1%
Enrollment Status															
Full-time	3205	2665	83.2%	2972	2448	82.4%	2947	2398	81.4%	2797	2301	82.3%	2460	2027	82.4%
Part-time	5254	3361	64.0%	5086	3244	63.8%	4862	3129	64.4%	4460	2832	63.5%	4282	2834	66.2%
First-time Students															
First-time, Any College	1841	1348	73.2%	1863	1348	72.4%	1852	1338	72.2%	1670	1198	71.7%	1447	1077	74.4%
All Others	6618	4678	70.7%	6195	4344	70.1%	5957	4189	70.3%	5587	3935	70.4%	5295	3784	71.5%
Gender															
Male	3283	2252	68.6%	3178	2205	69.4%	3164	2211	69.9%	2869	2009	70.0%	2713	1928	71.1%
Female	5176	3774	72.9%	4880	3487	71.5%	4645	3316	71.4%	4388	3124	71.2%	4029	2933	72.8%
Ethnicity/Race															
Hispanic origin of any race	479	336	70.1%	473	350	74.0%	471	340	72.2%	456	337	73.9%	462	331	71.6%
Non-Hispanic origin only															
American Indian or Alaskan Native	47	30	63.8%	41	21	51.2%	35	20	57.1%	29	27	93.1%	27	15	55.6%
Asian	209	164	78.5%	212	170	80.2%	229	179	78.2%	239	185	77.4%	216	170	78.7%
Black or African American	2107	1409	66.9%	2083	1358	65.2%	2052	1335	65.1%	1879	1192	63.4%	1724	1163	67.5%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	35	22	62.9%	25	19	76.0%	31	21	67.7%	35	27	77.1%	28	19	67.9%
White	4991	3637	72.9%	4629	3344	72.2%	4383	3198	73.0%	4056	3000	74.0%	3718	2759	74.2%
Two or more races	421	303	72.0%	413	305	73.8%	439	317	72.2%	426	275	64.6%	428	300	70.1%
Non-Resident Alien	31	26	83.9%	33	19	57.6%	33	25	75.8%	33	23	69.7%	35	31	88.6%
Unknown	139	99	71.2%	149	106	71.1%	136	92	67.6%	104	67	64.4%	104	73	70.2%
Age Group															
17 and Under	693	579	83.5%	707	577	81.6%	753	608	80.7%	725	601	82.9%	649	563	86.7%
18 to 21	4087	3064	75.0%	3896	2924	75.1%	3920	2921	74.5%	3741	2817	75.3%	3534	2690	76.1%
22 to 29	1865	1201	64.4%	1766	1096	62.1%	1627	1049	64.5%	1498	943	63.0%	1411	880	62.4%
30 to 39	892	609	68.3%	863	572	66.3%	790	502	63.5%	684	419	61.3%	614	386	62.9%
40 to 59	845	525	62.1%	750	477	63.6%	646	400	61.9%	529	312	59.0%	477	299	62.7%
60 and Over	77	48	62.3%	76	46	60.5%	73	47	64.4%	80	41	51.3%	57	43	75.4%
18 to 24	5116	3700	72.3%	4851	3506	72.3%	4788	3495	73.0%	4515	3295	73.0%	4295	3158	73.5%
Program Type															
Career Degree	2022	1479	73.1%	1860	1310	70.4%	1731	1239	71.6%	1583	1103	69.7%	1444	1039	72.0%
Certificate	337	198	58.8%	330	194	58.8%	301	169	56.1%	305	187	61.3%	308	192	62.3%
Non-Degree	196	103	52.6%	109	51	46.8%	85	45	52.9%	68	28	41.2%	59	31	52.5%
Transfer	5887	4236	72.0%	5750	4133	71.9%	5687	4073	71.6%	5299	3815	72.0%	4930	3599	73.0%
Undecided/Unknown	17	10	58.8%	9	4	44.4%	5	1	20.0%	2	0	0.0%	1	0	0.0%

^aSource: Student Characteristics data files (20% census date of each term)

^bRetention is defined as enrollment in an initial fall term and in the subsequent spring term at CSM.

^cGraduates 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 fall term.