

IPEDS 2024-25 Data Collection System

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Outcome Measures 2024-25

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Overview

Outcome Measures Overview

Welcome to the IPEDS Outcome Measures (OM) survey component. The OM component collects award and enrollment data from degree-granting institutions on four undergraduate cohorts and eight undergraduate subcohorts at three status points: four-years, six-years, and eight-years after entry.

The four cohorts of degree/certificate-seeking undergraduates are:

- First-time, full-time entering (FTFT)
- First-time, part-time entering (FTPT)
- Non-first-time, full-time entering (NFTFT)
- Non-first-time, part-time entering (NFTPT)

For each cohort, two subcohort groups have been added to the OM component - Pell Grant recipients and Non-Pell Grant recipients - resulting in eight undergraduate subcohorts.

Data Reporting Reminders:

- Report data to accurately reflect the time period corresponding with the IPEDS survey component, even if such reporting is seemingly inconsistent with prior-year reporting.
- All institutions must report on a FULL-YEAR cohort. The OM cohort year is 2016-17. The full-year cohort coverage period is July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017.
- Institutions will establish their OM cohorts based on their subcohorts of entering Pell Grant recipients and Non-Pell Grant recipients. Institutions should first identify their entering degree/certificate-seeking undergraduates during the cohort coverage period of July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017, and place each student in the appropriate subcohort. Each student should be reported only once.
- All institutions are required to report transfer-out student data.
- For each status point, institutions will report the highest type of award conferred to a student for each subcohort. The three award categories are certificates, Associate's degree, and Bachelor's degree.
- Institutions should report exclusions for the entire eight year period only on the "Establishing Cohorts" screen. Additional exclusions cannot be reported on the status point screens (i.e., four-years, six-years, or eight-years after entry).
- IPEDS will ask for an estimated time it took to complete the OM component. Include in that estimate the time to review instructions, research data sources (i.e., coordinate with IT and Student Aid offices), complete and review the component, and submit the data.

Changes to reporting:

The following changes were implemented for the 2024-25 data collection period:

- Revised FAQ about "non-first-time" degree/certificate-seeking undergraduate students.
- Added a new FAQ to better clarify the relationship between "transfer-in" enrollment status on the Fall Enrollment (EF) and 12-month Enrollment (E12) components and the "non-first-time" cohort on the Outcome Measures (OM) component.
- Added a new example to FAQ about students who change from non-degree/non-certificate-seeking to degree/certificate-seeking at the IPEDS reporting institution.
- Added additional information to FAQ about resources for tracking subsequent enrollment.
- Revised definition for "Non-first-time student (undergraduate)" Glossary term to improve clarity.

Important Dates to Remember:

All reporting institutions will report on degree/certificate-seeking undergraduates who entered the 2016-17 cohort year: **(July 1, 2016-June 30, 2017)**.

- Four-year status point was as of **August 31, 2020**
- Six-year status point was as of **August 31, 2022**
- Eight-year status point was as of **August 31, 2024**

Reporting Tips

Carefully read each [OM FAQ](#) before reporting your institution's data.

Resources:

- To download the survey materials for this component: [Survey Materials](#)
- To access your prior year data submission for this component: [Reported Data](#)

If you have questions about completing this survey, please contact the IPEDS Help Desk at (877) 225-2568.

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Establishing Cohorts

2016-17 Entering Undergraduate Cohort

July 1, 2016-June 30, 2017: Full Year

- Begin by identifying your entering degree/certificate-seeking undergraduates for the full year of July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017.
- Then report each student under one of the eight subcohorts (Pell or Non-Pell Grant recipients FTFT, FTPT, NFTFT, NFTPT).
- Each entering student should be reported only once.
- The four cohorts and total entering students will be calculated based on your subcohort reporting.

NOTE: Once a student is in the cohort, the student remains in the cohort, even if the student's attendance status changes (i.e., full-time to part-time, or vice versa) or if the student drops out, transfers out, or transfers back into the institution during the eight-year period. However, institutions can make adjustments to the cohort for allowable exclusions, which include the death of a student, total and permanent disability, military deployment, or service on an official church mission or with a foreign aid service of the Federal government. Exclusions are for the ENTIRE eight years for the entering 2016-17 cohort.

<u>Degree/Certificate-Seeking Undergraduate Students</u>	<u>2016-17 cohort</u>	<u>Exclusions to 2016-17 cohort</u>	<u>Adjusted 2016-17 cohort</u>	Prior year Adjusted cohort
<u>First-time entering</u>				
<u>Full-time</u>	2,461	1	2,460	2,408
Pell Grant recipients	600	1	599	570
Non-Pell Grant recipients	1,861	0	1,861	1,838
<u>Part-time</u>	15	0	15	15
Pell Grant recipients	1	0	1	4
Non-Pell Grant recipients	14	0	14	11
<u>Non-First-time entering</u>				
Full-time	1,621	3	1,618	1,593
Pell Grant recipients	528	1	527	505
Non-Pell Grant recipients	1,093	2	1,091	1,088
Part-time	329	0	329	338
Pell Grant recipients	114	0	114	123
Non-Pell Grant recipients	215	0	215	215
<u>Total Entering</u>	4,426	4	4,422	4,354
Pell Grant recipients	1,243	2	1,241	1,202
Non-Pell Grant recipients	3,183	2	3,181	3,152

The following reference table is based on institutional data reported in the specified data collections. Data reported on this screen (Establishing Cohorts for OM) have been compared with the data below. To review your prior reported data, go to the Tools menu in the IPEDS Data Collection System --> Go to Collection Level Data Center --> Look up an Institution --> Select your institution --> Select "Reported Data"

	2016 Fall Enrollment, 2016-17 Spring Collection	2016 Pell Grant data from Student Financial Aid, 2017-18 Winter Collection	
First-time, Full-time	2,441	588	
First-time, Part-time	13	N/A	
Non-First-time, Full-time	1,197	N/A	
Non-First-time, Part-time	239	N/A	
Total Undergraduates	N/A	3,647	

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Award Status at Four Years

Award Status at Four Years After Entry 2016-17 Entering Undergraduate Cohort

(July 1, 2016-June 30, 2017: Full Year)

Directions: From the adjusted 2016-17 cohort, report the number of students who earned an award at four years after entry for each subcohort. Report the highest award earned for each degree/certificate-seeking student for the four-year status point (August 31, 2020) even if a student earns multiple awards.

<u>Undergraduate Students</u>		Adjusted 2016-17 cohort	Number of students conferred an award by your institution (Highest Award by August 31, 2020)			Total number of adjusted cohort that received an award from your institution	Percent of adjusted cohort that received an award from your institution
			<u>Certificates</u>	<u>Associate's</u>	<u>Bachelor's</u>		
<u>First-time entering</u>							
	Full-time	2,460	0	0	1,262	1,262	51
	Pell Grant recipients	599	0	0	233	233	39
	Non-Pell Grant recipients	1,861	0	0	1,029	1,029	55
	Part-time	15	0	0	1	1	7
	Pell Grant recipients	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Non-Pell Grant recipients	14	0	0	1	1	7
<u>Non-First-time entering</u>							
	Full-time	1,618	0	0	1,135	1,135	70
	Pell Grant recipients	527	0	0	352	352	67
	Non-Pell Grant recipients	1,091	0	0	783	783	72
	Part-time	329	0	0	171	171	52
	Pell Grant recipients	114	0	0	55	55	48
	Non-Pell Grant recipients	215	0	0	116	116	54
<u>Total Entering</u>		4,422	0	0	2,569	2,569	58
	Pell Grant recipients	1,241	0	0	640	640	52
	Non-Pell Grant recipients	3,181	0	0	1,929	1,929	61

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Award Status at Six Years

Award Status at Six Years After Entry 2016-17 Entering Undergraduate Cohort

(July 1, 2016-June 30, 2017: Full Year)

Directions: From the adjusted 2016-17 cohort, report the number of students who earned an award at six years after entry for each subcohort. Report the highest award earned for each degree/certificate-seeking student for the six-year status point (August 31, 2022) even if a student earns multiple awards.

<u>Undergraduate Students</u>		Adjusted 2016-17 cohort	Number of students conferred an award by your institution (Highest Award through August 31, 2022)			Total number of adjusted cohort that received an award from your institution	Percent of adjusted cohort that received an award from your institution
			<u>Certificates</u>	<u>Associate's</u>	<u>Bachelor's</u>		
<u>First-time entering</u>							
	Full-time	2,460	0	0	1,758	1,758	71
	Pell Grant recipients	599	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="376"/>	376	63
	Non-Pell Grant recipients	1,861	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="1,382"/>	1,382	74
	Part-time	15	0	0	4	4	27
	Pell Grant recipients	1	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="1"/>	1	100
	Non-Pell Grant recipients	14	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="3"/>	3	21
<u>Non-First-time entering</u>							
	Full-time	1,618	0	0	1,242	1,242	77
	Pell Grant recipients	527	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="383"/>	383	73
	Non-Pell Grant recipients	1,091	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="859"/>	859	79
	Part-time	329	0	0	191	191	58
	Pell Grant recipients	114	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="63"/>	63	55
	Non-Pell Grant recipients	215	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="128"/>	128	60
<u>Total Entering</u>		4,422	0	0	3,195	3,195	72
	Pell Grant recipients	1,241	0	0	823	823	66
	Non-Pell Grant recipients	3,181	0	0	2,372	2,372	75

Award and Enrollment Status at Eight Years

Award and Enrollment Status at Eight Years After Entry: 2016-17 Entering Undergraduate Cohort
(July 1, 2016-June 30, 2017: Full Year)

- From the adjusted 2016-17 cohort, report the number of students who earned an award at eight years after entry for each subcohort.
 - Report the highest award earned for each degree/certificate-seeking student for the eight-year status point (August 31, 2024) even if a student earns multiple awards.
 - For students who did not receive an award from your institution, first report the number of students who are still enrolled at your institution, and then report the number of students who had enrolled at another institution over the eight-year period.
- Note: Subsequent enrollment should be tracked for the entire period of eight years after entry.

Undergraduate Students	Adjusted 2016-17 cohort	Award Status at Eight Years After Entry						Enrollment Status at Eight Years After Entry				
		Number of students conferred an award by your institution (From Entry through August 31, 2024)			Total number of adjusted cohort that received an award from your institution	Percent of adjusted cohort that received an award from your institution	Prior Year Total number of adjusted cohort that received an award from your institution	Number of students who did not receive an award from your institution (From entry through August 31, 2024)				Percent of adjusted cohort that did not receive an award, but are still enrolled at your institution or enrolled at another institution after leaving your institution
		Certificates	Associate's	Bachelor's				Number still enrolled at your institution	Number who enrolled at another institution after leaving your institution	Number of students whose subsequent enrollment status is unknown	Total number who did not receive an award from your institution	
First-time entering												
Full-time	2,460	0	0	1,779	1,779	72	1,774	6	460	215	681	19
Pell Grant recipients	599	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="383"/>	383	64	377	<input type="text" value="2"/>	<input type="text" value="140"/>	74	216	24
Non-Pell Grant recipients	1,861	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="1,396"/>	1,396	75	1,397	<input type="text" value="4"/>	<input type="text" value="320"/>	141	465	17
Part-time	15	0	0	4	4	27	8	0	7	4	11	47
Pell Grant recipients	1	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="1"/>	1	100	2	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	0	0	0
Non-Pell Grant recipients	14	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="3"/>	3	21	6	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="7"/>	4	11	50
Non-First-time entering												
Full-time	1,618	0	0	1,253	1,253	77	1,198	9	203	153	365	13
Pell Grant recipients	527	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="386"/>	386	73	347	<input type="text" value="5"/>	<input type="text" value="65"/>	71	141	13
Non-Pell Grant recipients	1,091	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="867"/>	867	79	851	<input type="text" value="4"/>	<input type="text" value="138"/>	82	224	13
Part-time	329	0	0	199	199	60	197	3	67	60	130	21
Pell Grant recipients	114	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="68"/>	68	60	74	<input type="text" value="1"/>	<input type="text" value="25"/>	20	46	23
Non-Pell Grant recipients	215	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="131"/>	131	61	123	<input type="text" value="2"/>	<input type="text" value="42"/>	40	84	20
Total Entering												
Total Entering	4,422	0	0	3,235	3,235	73	3,177	18	737	432	1,187	17
Pell Grant recipients	1,241	0	0	838	838	68	800	8	230	165	403	19
Non-Pell Grant recipients	3,181	0	0	2,397	2,397	75	2,377	10	507	267	784	16

You may use the box below to provide additional context for the data you have reported above. Context notes will be posted on the College Navigator website. Therefore, you should write all context notes using proper grammar (e.g., complete sentences with punctuation) and common language that can be easily understood by students and parents (e.g., spell out acronyms).

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Reporting Reminders:

- The name of the preparer is being collected so that we can follow up with the appropriate person in the event that there are questions concerning the data.
- The Keyholder will be copied on all email correspondence to other preparers.
- The time it took to prepare this component is being collected so that we can continue to improve our estimate of the reporting burden associated with IPEDS.
- Please include in your estimate the time it took for you to review instructions, query and search data sources, complete and review the component, and submit the data through the Data Collection System.
- Thank you for your assistance.

This survey component was prepared by:					
<input type="radio"/>	Keyholder	<input type="radio"/>	SFA Contact	<input type="radio"/>	HR Contact
<input type="radio"/>	Finance Contact	<input type="radio"/>	Academic Library Contact	<input type="radio"/>	Other
Name:		<input type="text"/>			
Email:		<input type="text"/>			

How many staff from your institution only were involved in the data collection and reporting process of this survey component?	
<input type="text"/>	Number of Staff (including yourself)

How many hours did you and others from your institution only spend on each of the steps below when responding to this survey component? <i>Exclude the hours spent collecting data for state and other reporting purposes.</i>				
Staff member	Collecting Data Needed	Revising Data to Match IPEDS Requirements	Entering Data	Revising and Locking Data
Your office	<input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> hours
Other offices	<input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> hours

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Summary

Outcome Measures Component Summary

The purpose of this summary is to provide you an opportunity to view some of the data that, when accepted through the IPEDS quality control process, will appear on the [College Navigator](#) website and/or your institution's Data Feedback Report (DFR). In addition, all data reported in IPEDS survey components become publicly available through the [IPEDS Use the Data](#) and appear as aggregated statistics in various Department of Education reports. [College Navigator](#) is updated approximately three months after the data collection period closes and DFRs will be available through the [IPEDS Use the Data](#) and sent to your institution's CEO at the end of 2025.

Please review your data for accuracy. If you have questions about the data displayed below or after reviewing the data reported on the survey screens, please contact the IPEDS Help Desk at: 1-877-225-2568 or ipedshelp@rti.org.

Cohort	4-year Award Rate (%)	6-year Award Rate (%)	8-year Award Rate (%)	Still enrolled at your institution after 8 years (%)	Did not receive an award and subsequently enrolled at another institution (%)	Percent enrollment status unknown after 8 years (%)
First-time entering						
Full-time	51	71	72	0	19	9
Pell Grant recipients	39	63	64	0	23	12
Non Pell Grant recipients	55	74	75	0	17	8
Part-time	7	27	27	0	47	27
Pell Grant recipients	0	100	100	0	0	0
Non Pell Grant recipients	7	21	21	0	50	29
Non-First-time entering						
Full-time	70	77	77	1	13	9
Pell Grant recipients	67	73	73	1	12	13
Non Pell Grant recipients	72	79	79	0	13	8
Part-time	52	58	60	1	20	18
Pell Grant recipients	48	55	60	1	22	18
Non Pell Grant recipients	54	60	61	1	20	19
Total Entering	58	72	73	0	17	10
Pell Grant recipients	52	66	68	1	19	13
Non Pell Grant recipients	61	75	75	0	16	8

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Edit Report

Outcome Measures

There are no errors for the selected survey and institution.