

First-year Retention of New, Full-time Freshmen, by Admission Criteria and Term of Admission
Fall 2005 to Fall 2009 Cohorts

	Fall 2005 Cohort			Fall 2006 Cohort			Fall 2007 Cohort			Fall 2008 Cohort			Fall 2009 Cohort		
	Cohort (#)	Retained Fall 2006 (#)	(%)	Cohort (#)	Retained Fall 2007 (#)	(%)	Cohort (#)	Retained Fall 2008 (#)	(%)	Cohort (#)	Retained Fall 2009 (#)	(%)	Cohort (#)	Retained Fall 2010 (#)	(%)
Alternate Criteria Admits (Fall and Summer)	60	50	83.3%	160	110	68.8%	218	139	63.8%	578	362	62.6%	601	425	70.7%
Regular Criteria Summer Admits	35	30	85.7%	216	144	66.7%	61	51	83.6%	93	65	69.9%	33	28	84.8%
Regular Criteria Fall Admits	2,851	1,993	69.9%	2,128	1,615	75.9%	2,496	1,917	76.8%	2,351	1,784	75.9%	2,445	1,942	79.4%
Total (All FTTF)	2,946	2,073	70.4%	2,504	1,869	74.6%	2,775	2,107	75.9%	3,022	2,211	73.2%	3,079	2,395	77.8%

Notes: 1) Cohorts are comprised of first-time, full-time baccalaureate-degree-seeking freshmen.

2) Regular admission criteria became more selective in fall 2006 and fall 2008.

3) Alternate criteria admits are mostly comprised of fall admits. In fall 2007 and fall 2008, for example, only 3% of alternate criteria admits were admitted in the summer term.

Source: Student Information System; Registrar's Official Preliminary Census Files; IAP Databases; UNLV EPM

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First-year Retention of New Freshmen, by Admission Decision
Fall 2007 - Fall 2009 Cohorts

First-time, full-time, baccalaureate-degree-seeking freshmen:

	Fall 2007 Cohort			Fall 2008 Cohort			Fall 2009 Cohort		
	Cohort (#)	Retained Fall 2008 (#) (%)		Cohort (#)	Retained Fall 2009 (#) (%)		Cohort (#)	Retained Fall 2010 (#) (%)	
Alternate Criteria Admits	218	139 63.8%		578	362 62.6%		601	425 70.7%	
Admit by Committee	218	139 63.8%		169	106 62.7%		112	83 74.1%	
Admit - Select	-	-		409	256 62.6%		489	342 69.9%	
Regular Criteria Admits	2,557	1,968 77.0%		2,444	1,849 75.7%		2,478	1,970 79.5%	
Regular Admit	2,396	1,859 77.6%		2,297	1,751 76.2%		2,327	1,869 80.3%	
Admit by Test Scores	161	109 67.7%		147	98 66.7%		151	101 66.9%	
Total (All FTTF)	2,775	2,107 75.9%		3,022	2,211 73.2%		3,079	2,395 77.8%	

All new freshmen:

	Fall 2007 Cohort			Fall 2008 Cohort			Fall 2009 Cohort		
	Cohort (#)	Retained Fall 2008 (#) (%)		Cohort (#)	Retained Fall 2009 (#) (%)		Cohort (#)	Retained Fall 2010 (#) (%)	
Alternate Criteria Admits	250	155 62.0%		660	392 59.4%		660	449 68.0%	
Admit by Committee	250	155 62.0%		197	116 58.9%		124	88 71.0%	
Admit - Select	-	-		463	276 59.6%		536	361 67.4%	
Regular Criteria Admits	2,727	2,052 75.2%		2,595	1,917 73.9%		2,576	2,016 78.3%	
Regular Admit	2,552	1,938 75.9%		2,435	1,814 74.5%		2,418	1,915 79.2%	
Admit by Test Scores	175	114 65.1%		160	103 64.4%		158	101 63.9%	
Total (All FTTF)	2,977	2,207 74.1%		3,255	2,309 70.9%		3,236	2,465 76.2%	

Notes: 1) Cohorts include summer admits.

2) Criteria categories were summarized from decision codes as follows: Admit by Committee - AC or AU; Admit - Select - AA; Admit by Test Scores - AT;
Regular Admit - all remaining codes.

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