

**University System of Georgia  
Retention Rate Report  
All Degree Types One-Year Rates  
First-Time Freshmen  
Fall 2002 Cohort**

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Total Beginning Cohort</u>	<u>Number Enrolled Fall 2003 or Graduated Fall 2002 - Summer 2003</u>		<u>Institution- Specific Percentage Retention Rate</u>	<u>System- Wide Percentage Retention Rate</u>
		<u>Institution- Specific</u>	<u>System- Wide</u>		
Georgia Institute of Technology	2,284	2,041	2,095	89.40	91.77
Georgia State University	2,626	2,089	2,245	79.55	85.49
University of Georgia	4,303	3,990	4,085	92.73	94.93
<b>Research Universities</b>	<b>9,213</b>	<b>8,120</b>	<b>8,425</b>	<b>88.15</b>	<b>91.46</b>
Georgia Southern University	2,615	1,994	2,239	76.25	85.62
Valdosta State University	1,649	1,204	1,376	73.01	83.44
<b>Regional Universities</b>	<b>4,264</b>	<b>3,198</b>	<b>3,615</b>	<b>75.00</b>	<b>84.78</b>
Albany State University	475	387	411	81.47	86.53
Armstrong State University	702	452	487	64.39	69.37
Augusta State University	845	540	577	63.91	68.28
Clayton State University	781	440	479	56.59	61.59
Columbus State University	1,113	727	765	65.41	68.82
Fort Valley State University	403	296	316	73.45	78.41
Georgia College & State University	995	744	871	74.77	87.54
Georgia Southwestern State University	354	229	265	64.69	74.86
Kennesaw State University	2,109	1,567	1,665	74.30	78.95
Savannah State University	552	413	447	74.82	80.98
Southern Polytechnic State University	400	267	308	66.75	77.00
University of North Georgia	705	524	577	74.33	81.84
University of West Georgia	1,693	1,167	1,306	68.99	77.20
<b>State Universities</b>	<b>11,127</b>	<b>7,753</b>	<b>8,474</b>	<b>69.71</b>	<b>76.19</b>
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	927	566	626	61.38	67.75
Atlanta Metropolitan State College	458	186	199	40.83	43.45
Bainbridge State College	318	170	179	53.77	56.29
College of Coastal Georgia	605	313	341	54.05	58.68
Dalton State College	1,041	560	591	53.99	56.96
Darton State College	864	506	543	59.26	63.43
East Georgia State College	545	263	384	48.26	70.46
Gainesville State College	1,149	719	772	62.66	67.28
Georgia Highlands College	761	434	490	57.16	64.52
Georgia Perimeter College	3,363	2,179	2,305	64.82	68.57
Gordon State College	1,067	614	665	57.64	62.32
Macon State College	880	516	549	58.75	62.39
Middle Georgia State College	693	461	507	66.52	73.16
South Georgia State College	461	242	285	53.15	62.04
<b>State Colleges</b>	<b>13,132</b>	<b>7,729</b>	<b>8,436</b>	<b>59.12</b>	<b>64.45</b>
Waycross College	213	131	140	62.44	65.73
<b>Two-Year Colleges</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>62.44</b>	<b>65.73</b>
<b>System Total</b>	<b>37,949</b>	<b>26,931</b>	<b>29,090</b>	<b>71.08</b>	<b>76.74</b>

NR means that the number of students in the total beginning cohort is less than or equal to 10 and is not reported.

Note: Beginning in Fall 2009, the "Asian" and "Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander" categories were reported separately. Prior to Fall 2009, these categories were grouped together as "Asian or Pacific Islander."