

**ATTACHMENT A**  
**NUMBER OF FIRST-TIME, FULL-TIME FRESHMEN**  
**BY RACE/ETHNICITY**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2008**  
**Spring 2009**

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
<b>Native American</b>																					
Number in Cohort	8	6	5	6	10	13	17	10	12	17	17	17	18	10	11	14	23	13	24	18	21
Returned 2nd Year	7	5	4	5	9	12	10	9	11	14	14	14	12	6	9	11	20	9	16	16	
Returned 3rd Year	6	4	3	5	9	10	7	8	11	14	13	10	9	6	8	12	16	8	19		
Graduated 4th Year	1	1	1	2	4	5	0	1	5	6	5	1	4	5	4	3	9				
Graduated 6th Year	4	3	2	5	7	10	2	6	7	10	12	7	6	5	7						
<b>African-American</b>																					
Number in Cohort	84	109	113	72	91	70	86	100	62	71	99	91	99	96	76	86	86	83	81	107	102
Returned 2nd Year	58	85	82	54	73	55	73	74	51	55	80	73	73	77	51	60	72	67	66	88	
Returned 3rd Year	56	74	65	45	57	51	62	68	50	49	67	61	61	59	38	55	64	55	51		
Graduated 4th Year	10	18	10	9	13	11	19	16	17	7	14	17	13	19	18	16	25				
Graduated 6th Year	29	46	45	25	37	34	46	40	37	27	43	46	45	42	33						
<b>Asian-American</b>																					
Number in Cohort	87	89	89	105	112	108	122	151	140	107	112	116	126	153	153	146	151	133	168	165	155
Returned 2nd Year	77	79	81	86	99	95	99	123	108	91	98	95	107	123	125	125	131	102	141	143	
Returned 3rd Year	72	60	73	82	88	86	91	116	97	84	95	82	93	107	118	117	114	95	130		
Graduated 4th Year	20	19	22	27	29	27	34	33	31	37	31	34	46	50	48	55	52				
Graduated 6th Year	53	40	52	59	70	73	73	90	76	70	75	63	78	97	102						
<b>Hispanic-American</b>																					
Number in Cohort	41	47	50	40	57	60	73	72	77	75	85	86	83	110	99	94	85	104	110	127	139
Returned 2nd Year	31	39	39	26	43	42	61	54	58	69	67	68	66	93	81	74	64	90	87	106	
Returned 3rd Year	23	33	36	24	42	36	52	47	48	61	58	61	61	81	68	69	58	78	73		
Graduated 4th Year	4	11	11	11	17	18	18	16	15	30	27	21	28	35	25	34	33				
Graduated 6th Year	18	25	27	21	31	28	39	37	36	49	50	46	50	66	54						
<b>Subtotal</b>																					
Number in Cohort	220	251	257	223	270	251	298	333	291	270	313	310	326	369	339	340	345	333	383	417	417
Returned 2nd Year	173	208	206	171	224	204	243	260	228	229	259	250	258	299	266	270	287	268	310	353	0
Returned 3rd Year	157	171	177	156	196	183	212	239	206	208	233	214	224	253	232	253	252	236	273	0	0
Graduated 4th Year	35	49	44	49	63	61	71	66	68	80	77	73	91	109	95	108	119	0	0	0	0
Graduated 6th Year	104	114	126	110	145	145	160	173	156	156	180	162	179	210	196	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>White</b>																					
Number in Cohort	3,370	3,080	2,427	2,491	2,830	2,869	2,916	3,118	3,115	3,274	3,564	3,407	3,292	3,538	3,733	3,642	3,607	3,445	3,845	3,783	3,618
Returned 2nd Year	2,816	2,536	2,043	2,119	2,417	2,404	2,438	2,569	2,594	2,736	2,981	2,866	2,728	2,920	3,085	3,037	3,042	2,905	3,185	3,137	
Returned 3rd Year	2,543	2,313	1,870	1,945	2,164	2,177	2,236	2,381	2,364	2,501	2,715	2,582	2,476	2,612	2,774	2,777	2,743	2,652	2,890		
Graduated 4th Year	1,044	969	837	823	940	1,016	1,030	1,150	1,219	1,256	1,310	1,342	1,344	1,441	1,553	1,555	1,587				
Graduated 6th Year	2,088	1,912	1,552	1,598	1,833	1,811	1,899	2,069	2,038	2,132	2,390	2,296	2,196	2,366	2,492						
<b>Total</b>																					
Number in Cohort	3,610	3,348	2,700	2,738	3,111	3,131	3,229	3,462	3,417	3,573	3,876	3,747	3,647	3,930	4,097	4,014	3,982	3,818	4,256	4,253	4,182
Returned 2nd Year	3,007	2,758	2,264	2,312	2,649	2,619	2,694	2,838	2,833	2,991	3,255	3,142	3,009	3,236	3,372	3,334	3,356	3,211	3,519	3,535	
Returned 3rd Year	2,717	2,498	2,060	2,121	2,367	2,369	2,460	2,627	2,580	2,730	2,961	2,817	2,719	2,879	3,025	3,051	3,019	2,920	3,185		
Graduated 4th Year	1,099	1,027	887	884	1,006	1,082	1,107	1,221	1,293	1,345	1,394	1,422	1,442	1,556	1,658	1,673	1,717				
Graduated 6th Year	2,208	2,039	1,689	1,727	1,983	1,965	2,068	2,247	2,202	2,307	2,581	2,475	2,389	2,589	2,706						

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	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
<b>Native American</b>																					
Number in Cohort	4	7	5	7	5	7	7	8	14	11	10	16	10	12	12	11	16	7	12	14	23
Returned 2nd Year	4	7	3	4	3	4	5	7	9	6	8	12	4	10	10	5	12	7	11	9	
Returned 3rd Year	3	5	0	4	2	3	5	6	7	7	7	9	3	8	9	4	11	5	9		
Graduated 4th Year	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	2	3	3	0	3	2	3	3	0	4				
Graduated 6th Year	2	4	0	1	2	2	5	4	6	6	6	7	3	5	6						
<b>African-American</b>																					
Number in Cohort	135	181	109	122	139	233	97	62	95	117	104	145	104	146	134	101	105	107	123	140	137
Returned 2nd Year	97	116	89	104	96	161	69	49	65	93	86	117	89	124	105	87	83	81	90	98	
Returned 3rd Year	72	98	77	82	73	125	55	39	52	68	68	99	74	94	91	72	70	73	82		
Graduated 4th Year	7	12	10	7	12	22	7	6	15	16	16	24	23	17	35	21	21				
Graduated 6th Year	51	67	41	44	38	78	33	27	38	51	38	74	53	69	72						
<b>Asian-American</b>																					
Number in Cohort	56	72	58	74	94	73	75	64	82	99	81	86	113	146	132	139	129	137	144	124	140
Returned 2nd Year	45	62	48	53	74	59	66	58	68	89	71	77	104	124	105	118	118	119	129	106	
Returned 3rd Year	41	55	44	54	69	51	58	49	58	82	65	62	85	107	92	111	110	106	122		
Graduated 4th Year	6	11	5	10	12	11	13	15	15	22	15	18	32	43	44	49	41				
Graduated 6th Year	33	43	29	37	53	39	54	41	50	67	46	51	69	93	77						
<b>Hispanic-American</b>																					
Number in Cohort	45	55	28	52	52	56	55	45	60	51	53	75	103	99	84	93	84	103	120	135	142
Returned 2nd Year	39	44	23	40	35	42	43	31	45	41	43	64	85	79	73	82	70	89	100	118	
Returned 3rd Year	28	34	17	27	31	37	35	25	37	38	39	55	74	72	61	74	59	78	90		
Graduated 4th Year	5	10	5	5	2	8	12	4	12	9	6	18	28	25	25	32	15				
Graduated 6th Year	21	30	10	21	19	31	28	16	27	30	29	50	57	57	52						
<b>Subtotal</b>																					
Number in Cohort	240	315	200	255	290	369	234	179	251	278	248	322	330	403	362	344	334	354	399	413	442
Returned 2nd Year	185	229	163	201	208	266	183	145	187	229	208	270	282	337	293	292	283	296	330	331	0
Returned 3rd Year	144	192	138	167	175	216	153	119	154	195	179	225	236	281	253	261	250	262	303	0	0
Graduated 4th Year	19	36	20	22	26	42	33	27	45	50	37	63	85	88	107	102	81	0	0	0	0
Graduated 6th Year	107	144	80	103	112	150	120	88	121	154	119	182	182	224	207	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>White</b>																					
Number in Cohort	3,388	3,296	2,979	2,787	2,833	2,893	2,965	2,937	3,170	3,500	3,348	3,494	3,703	3,915	3,557	3,288	3,142	3,228	3,377	3,680	3,744
Returned 2nd Year	2,881	2,779	2,440	2,287	2,342	2,378	2,424	2,391	2,641	2,937	2,834	2,977	3,094	3,275	3,007	2,790	2,695	2,703	2,877	3,078	
Returned 3rd Year	2,556	2,459	2,153	2,019	2,070	2,092	2,142	2,167	2,389	2,644	2,584	2,702	2,781	2,927	2,722	2,569	2,464	2,466	2,621		
Graduated 4th Year	760	701	583	576	613	661	720	749	904	963	1,015	1,125	1,185	1,293	1,210	1,187	1,075				
Graduated 6th Year	2,208	2,096	1,847	1,720	1,777	1,815	1,872	1,901	2,109	2,340	2,278	2,409	2,486	2,634	2,447						
<b>Total</b>																					
Number in Cohort	3,744	3,751	3,310	3,228	3,333	3,416	3,325	3,274	3,599	4,007	3,800	4,020	4,289	4,598	4,167	3,860	3,674	3,745	3,952	4,316	4,529
Returned 2nd Year	3,153	3,119	2,700	2,627	2,726	2,769	2,711	2,668	2,979	3,351	3,207	3,421	3,591	3,837	3,510	3,270	3,151	3,125	3,354	3,604	
Returned 3rd Year	2,781	2,745	2,373	2,309	2,403	2,417	2,387	2,399	2,677	3,008	2,907	3,086	3,203	3,401	3,156	3,004	2,866	2,846	3,048		
Graduated 4th Year	806	763	629	664	723	763	799	822	1,022	1,081	1,111	1,261	1,339	1,463	1,399	1,364	1,220				
Graduated 6th Year	2,381	2,312	1,985	1,939	2,035	2,062	2,075	2,086	2,349	2,634	2,526	2,734	2,822	3,018	2,807						

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	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
<b>Native American</b>																					
Number in Cohort	4	2	2	5	4	4	4	5	4	2	6	5	6	2	3	4	7	4	5	10	3
Returned 2nd Year	1	0	1	4	1	3	1	3	3	0	4	3	6	1	3	3	2	3	1	6	
Returned 3rd Year	1	0	1	2	1	3	0	3	2	0	3	2	4	0	3	2	2	3	1		
Graduated 4th Year	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	1				
Graduated 6th Year	0	0	1	2	1	2	0	2	2	0	3	2	2	0	2						
<b>African-American</b>																					
Number in Cohort	36	45	49	43	35	33	40	29	28	38	42	50	67	59	64	49	51	49	40	50	69
Returned 2nd Year	27	29	32	31	22	21	24	19	19	25	29	34	53	40	50	37	42	29	30	42	
Returned 3rd Year	18	28	29	25	17	18	20	16	15	17	25	30	41	32	40	28	32	23	24		
Graduated 4th Year	0	1	2	2	3	3	1	1	1	3	6	4	5	5	9	16	6				
Graduated 6th Year	6	14	19	15	14	14	17	13	9	12	17	21	31	16	28						
<b>Asian-American</b>																					
Number in Cohort	11	15	16	19	14	26	31	19	25	19	17	19	27	30	12	20	14	25	31	18	27
Returned 2nd Year	6	10	14	17	12	16	21	15	18	15	12	14	21	23	10	17	11	18	24	12	
Returned 3rd Year	5	12	10	15	11	13	19	15	15	13	10	13	21	24	8	14	8	17	17		
Graduated 4th Year	1	2	2	4	3	1	9	6	6	3	4	5	6	9	2	8	3				
Graduated 6th Year	4	8	7	14	9	11	13	15	10	10	7	11	17	20	7						
<b>Hispanic-American</b>																					
Number in Cohort	10	12	8	14	15	15	11	22	14	10	16	14	27	26	16	21	21	22	29	32	30
Returned 2nd Year	6	8	7	11	12	11	5	15	13	4	9	9	19	19	8	18	13	17	19	27	
Returned 3rd Year	5	6	7	9	7	9	4	13	11	4	8	6	18	13	7	15	9	13	17		
Graduated 4th Year	0	1	3	0	2	1	0	2	2	0	3	0	3	4	3	11	5				
Graduated 6th Year	4	5	6	5	6	5	4	10	7	1	6	5	15	10	7						
<b>Subtotal</b>																					
Number in Cohort	61	74	75	81	68	78	86	75	71	69	81	88	127	117	95	94	93	100	105	110	129
Returned 2nd Year	40	47	54	63	47	51	51	52	53	44	54	60	99	83	71	75	68	67	74	87	0
Returned 3rd Year	29	46	47	51	36	43	43	47	43	34	46	51	84	69	58	59	51	56	59	0	0
Graduated 4th Year	1	4	7	6	8	5	10	9	10	6	13	10	16	18	15	36	15	0	0	0	0
Graduated 6th Year	14	27	33	36	30	32	34	40	28	23	33	39	65	46	44	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>White</b>																					
Number in Cohort	1,765	1,842	1,955	1,842	1,558	1,691	1,746	1,912	1,899	1,790	1,864	1,979	2,009	1,885	1,675	1,559	1,508	1,550	1,524	1,767	1,808
Returned 2nd Year	1,420	1,522	1,619	1,509	1,277	1,373	1,428	1,575	1,560	1,487	1,519	1,624	1,692	1,548	1,359	1,305	1,231	1,284	1,265	1,490	
Returned 3rd Year	1,295	1,371	1,455	1,337	1,132	1,258	1,279	1,415	1,426	1,336	1,388	1,461	1,540	1,399	1,234	1,203	1,130	1,175	1,148		
Graduated 4th Year	514	475	487	458	418	476	521	592	650	529	558	681	706	624	578	534	545				
Graduated 6th Year	1,097	1,165	1,175	1,128	985	1,088	1,105	1,240	1,280	1,192	1,218	1,306	1,365	1,254	1,072						
<b>Total</b>																					
Number in Cohort	1,898	1,967	2,075	1,951	1,659	1,807	1,856	2,007	2,012	1,919	1,982	2,124	2,218	2,064	1,822	1,740	1,652	1,694	1,684	1,922	1,976
Returned 2nd Year	1,514	1,611	1,711	1,594	1,350	1,449	1,498	1,641	1,649	1,582	1,605	1,729	1,863	1,681	1,468	1,417	1,337	1,390	1,386	1,608	
Returned 3rd Year	1,372	1,451	1,533	1,404	1,193	1,322	1,339	1,474	1,500	1,417	1,462	1,548	1,685	1,515	1,330	1,297	1,217	1,263	1,247		
Graduated 4th Year	527	489	505	470	435	489	539	604	673	552	585	712	751	666	640	588	581				
Graduated 6th Year	1,146	1,217	1,233	1,178	1,032	1,136	1,155	1,289	1,338	1,252	1,274	1,380	1,488	1,342	1,147						

**TABLE 1**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY RACE/ETHNICITY**  
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	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Native Am.																				
SUI	87.5	83.3	80.0	83.3	90.0	92.3	58.8	90.0	91.7	82.4	82.4	82.4	66.7	60.0	81.8	78.6	87.0	69.2	66.7	<b>88.9</b>
ISU	100.0	100.0	60.0	57.1	60.0	57.1	71.4	87.5	64.3	54.5	80.0	75.0	40.0	83.3	83.3	45.5	75.0	100.0	91.7	<b>64.3</b>
UNI	25.0	0.0	50.0	80.0	25.0	75.0	25.0	60.0	75.0	0.0	66.7	60.0	100.0	50.0	100.0	75.0	28.6	75.0	20.0	<b>60.0</b>
African-Am.																				
SUI	69.0	78.0	72.6	75.0	80.2	78.6	84.9	74.0	82.3	77.5	80.8	80.2	73.7	80.2	68.4	69.8	83.7	80.7	81.5	<b>82.2</b>
ISU	71.9	64.1	81.7	85.2	69.1	69.1	71.1	79.0	68.4	79.5	82.7	80.7	85.6	84.9	78.4	85.3	79.0	75.7	73.2	<b>70.0</b>
UNI	75.0	64.4	65.3	72.1	62.9	63.6	60.0	65.5	67.9	65.8	69.0	68.0	79.1	67.8	78.1	75.5	82.4	59.2	83.3	<b>84.0</b>
Asian-Am.																				
SUI	88.5	88.8	91.0	81.9	88.4	88.0	81.1	81.5	77.1	85.0	87.5	82.1	85.0	80.8	82.5	85.9	86.8	76.7	83.9	<b>86.7</b>
ISU	80.4	86.1	82.8	71.6	78.7	80.8	88.0	90.6	82.9	89.9	87.7	89.5	92.0	84.9	79.5	84.9	91.5	86.9	89.6	<b>85.5</b>
UNI	54.5	66.7	87.5	89.5	85.7	61.5	67.7	78.9	72.0	78.9	70.6	73.7	77.8	76.7	83.3	85.0	78.6	72.0	77.4	<b>66.7</b>
Hispanic-Am.																				
SUI	75.6	83.0	78.0	65.0	75.4	70.0	83.6	75.0	75.3	92.0	78.8	79.1	79.5	84.5	81.8	78.7	75.3	86.5	79.1	<b>83.5</b>
ISU	86.7	80.0	82.1	76.9	67.3	75.0	78.2	68.9	75.0	80.4	81.1	85.3	82.5	79.8	86.9	88.2	83.3	86.4	83.3	<b>87.4</b>
UNI	60.0	66.7	87.5	78.6	80.0	73.3	45.5	68.2	92.9	40.0	56.3	64.3	70.4	73.1	50.0	85.7	61.9	77.3	65.5	<b>84.4</b>
Subtotal																				
SUI	78.6	82.9	80.2	76.7	83.0	81.3	81.5	78.1	78.4	84.8	82.7	80.7	79.2	81.2	79.1	79.6	83.2	80.5	80.9	<b>84.7</b>
ISU	77.1	72.7	81.5	78.8	71.7	72.1	78.2	81.0	74.5	82.4	83.9	83.9	85.5	83.6	80.9	84.6	84.7	83.6	82.7	<b>80.1</b>
UNI	65.6	63.5	72.0	77.8	69.1	65.4	59.3	69.3	74.6	63.8	66.7	68.2	78.0	70.9	74.7	79.8	73.1	67.0	73.3	<b>79.1</b>
White																				
SUI	83.6	82.3	84.2	85.1	85.4	83.8	83.6	82.4	83.3	83.6	83.6	84.2	83.0	82.7	82.8	83.5	84.3	84.3	82.8	<b>82.9</b>
ISU	85.0	84.3	81.9	82.1	82.7	82.2	81.8	81.4	83.3	83.9	84.6	85.2	83.6	83.7	84.5	84.8	85.8	83.7	85.2	<b>83.6</b>
UNI	80.5	82.6	82.8	81.9	82.0	81.2	81.8	82.4	82.1	83.1	81.5	82.1	84.2	82.1	81.1	81.6	81.6	82.8	83.0	<b>84.3</b>
Regent Total																				
SUI	83.3	82.4	83.9	84.4	85.1	83.6	83.4	82.0	82.9	83.7	83.5	83.9	82.6	82.5	82.5	83.2	84.3	84.1	82.7	<b>83.1</b>
ISU	84.2	83.2	81.6	81.4	81.8	81.1	81.5	81.5	82.8	83.6	84.4	85.1	83.7	83.4	84.2	84.6	85.8	83.4	84.9	<b>83.5</b>
UNI	79.8	81.9	82.5	81.7	81.4	80.2	80.7	81.8	82.0	82.4	81.0	81.4	84.0	81.4	80.6	81.4	80.9	82.1	82.3	<b>83.7</b>

**TABLE 2**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY HIGH SCHOOL RANK**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2007**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
90-99%ile																				
SUI	91.0	89.4	91.1	91.3	90.9	89.2	90.4	90.1	91.3	92.6	91.7	91.6	92.3	92.0	91.1	92.3	92.8	90.2	90.4	<b>91.7</b>
ISU	92.0	89.5	90.3	90.6	90.3	88.9	90.2	91.4	92.3	92.5	93.3	93.8	91.5	93.5	92.4	93.7	93.8	92.4	92.1	<b>92.0</b>
UNI	90.7	90.2	92.9	90.6	93.1	91.4	93.0	92.8	92.5	91.7	89.5	90.9	92.1	93.0	93.0	90.4	91.6	92.7	95.1	<b>92.5</b>
80-89%ile																				
SUI	86.0	84.7	86.5	89.3	89.1	85.6	85.6	86.1	87.4	87.5	86.9	91.2	86.8	89.4	84.3	86.2	85.0	85.5	86.4	<b>85.6</b>
ISU	88.5	86.3	84.5	85.8	86.9	85.1	86.7	80.7	86.8	87.5	86.9	90.2	87.1	88.3	87.1	90.5	90.5	89.7	91.5	<b>90.2</b>
UNI	84.9	88.0	87.8	87.4	83.7	87.0	87.8	88.2	87.2	87.5	85.2	85.1	87.9	85.7	88.5	88.8	88.5	85.3	88.2	<b>88.4</b>
70-79%ile																				
SUI	83.6	83.4	84.9	87.3	81.5	81.8	83.1	80.2	83.7	83.3	85.5	84.4	83.4	81.0	81.5	83.4	83.6	82.2	79.6	<b>78.7</b>
ISU	83.8	82.8	81.3	82.1	84.6	80.9	80.4	80.6	81.9	82.0	86.0	82.1	84.4	83.2	83.7	83.1	88.6	84.1	84.1	<b>82.2</b>
UNI	80.7	82.2	81.3	79.4	86.0	80.2	84.3	83.2	81.4	84.3	85.6	80.8	87.8	82.7	79.1	79.3	82.3	84.5	84.5	<b>84.8</b>
60-69%ile																				
SUI	82.0	78.5	83.3	80.2	82.2	84.9	79.3	81.2	80.1	79.8	80.2	79.6	81.1	78.3	80.6	81.2	81.8	81.1	78.0	<b>77.5</b>
ISU	79.4	78.2	77.0	75.7	76.3	75.8	77.0	79.6	80.2	79.2	83.1	82.0	79.6	77.7	79.8	81.5	81.6	85.7	83.2	<b>85.1</b>
UNI	77.3	76.1	76.7	79.9	74.5	72.2	76.5	74.7	76.8	78.8	78.8	80.4	81.3	79.0	77.5	79.0	77.2	79.9	77.3	<b>81.9</b>
50-59%ile																				
SUI	76.8	74.7	75.5	77.4	80.6	77.6	80.6	78.8	75.5	79.1	78.3	78.5	75.6	74.0	78.5	76.5	78.3	80.0	76.3	<b>76.0</b>
ISU	75.4	76.6	72.3	70.2	73.7	72.2	69.1	71.8	71.8	76.2	72.0	76.5	77.3	73.5	79.6	76.3	78.0	75.1	78.7	<b>72.3</b>
UNI	75.0	78.1	77.8	70.8	77.0	70.9	70.4	75.9	75.0	73.9	73.1	74.0	71.7	69.0	71.7	74.3	66.5	71.6	74.6	<b>74.6</b>

**TABLE 2**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY HIGH SCHOOL RANK**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2007**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
40-49%ile																				
SUI	70.8	74.1	72.7	74.5	80.0	79.1	78.3	70.8	74.9	76.0	76.1	73.6	67.7	74.2	72.8	71.4	77.7	75.4	69.5	<b>76.3</b>
ISU	80.0	78.0	69.9	68.5	63.6	69.2	69.5	74.7	70.3	74.0	71.4	74.7	74.3	72.8	75.4	73.1	71.2	63.1	69.6	<b>76.8</b>
UNI	68.6	71.3	69.4	74.2	64.7	67.9	68.8	73.8	78.0	73.8	66.7	72.2	80.0	73.5	67.8	70.6	69.5	77.3	67.2	<b>75.0</b>
30-39%ile																				
SUI	66.7	59.4	64.1	66.2	85.1	68.7	76.3	74.0	62.5	69.2	67.9	74.4	68.2	69.0	68.8	69.6	68.5	70.5	61.0	<b>76.0</b>
ISU	66.7	68.4	77.5	69.0	65.9	68.0	81.9	65.4	63.4	72.7	62.9	74.7	66.3	68.8	70.0	68.7	66.7	72.4	71.4	<b>59.7</b>
UNI	52.5	63.9	82.4	85.2	64.3	70.6	56.7	62.2	70.3	65.7	65.2	61.5	62.5	74.5	75.6	82.1	69.8	66.7	77.1	<b>76.5</b>
20-29%ile																				
SUI	59.0	55.8	60.0	73.1	70.0	81.3	62.5	65.7	77.8	75.0	85.2	72.4	69.6	77.8	72.7	64.7	91.7	87.5	100.0	<b>62.5</b>
ISU	75.0	77.1	55.6	67.3	48.9	72.5	70.2	57.6	60.4	59.7	61.1	68.9	66.1	68.0	60.3	60.7	65.2	54.5	69.2	<b>59.0</b>
UNI	47.1	61.5	46.7	83.3	16.7	71.4	40.0	80.0	50.0	55.6	50.0	72.7	62.5	71.4	66.7	78.6	83.3	72.2	60.0	<b>73.3</b>
00-19%ile																				
SUI	66.7	70.4	76.5	50.0	55.6	70.0	81.3	55.6	75.0	83.3	100.0	50.0	55.6	0.0	100.0	75.0	100.0	100.0	71.4	<b>100.0</b>
ISU	50.0	73.7	61.5	58.8	58.3	57.1	38.5	70.6	76.9	52.9	50.0	40.0	63.6	35.7	100.0	44.4	57.1	62.5	16.7	<b>61.5</b>
UNI	37.5	40.0	71.4	50.0	0.0	50.0	0.0	50.0	75.0	50.0	100.0	33.3	83.3	75.0	66.7	72.7	66.7	100.0	75.0	<b>66.7</b>
NA																				
SUI	84.7	88.1	81.4	85.7	89.9	85.9	78.3	75.9	76.8	77.0	74.8	74.5	78.8	81.5	83.5	78.0	83.5	87.8	85.7	<b>85.5</b>
ISU	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0	40.0	66.7	100.0	50.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<b>0.0</b>
UNI	58.3	63.6	66.7	61.9	76.9	71.1	63.9	70.5	73.9	78.8	70.2	80.2	84.5	77.7	73.7	73.8	83.0	75.4	77.0	<b>79.3</b>
TOTAL																				
SUI	83.3	82.4	83.9	84.4	85.1	83.6	83.4	82.0	82.9	83.7	83.5	83.9	82.6	82.5	82.5	83.2	84.3	84.1	82.7	<b>83.1</b>
ISU	84.2	83.1	81.6	81.4	81.7	81.0	81.5	81.5	82.8	83.6	84.4	85.1	83.7	83.4	84.2	84.7	85.8	84.8	85.6	<b>83.5</b>
UNI	79.8	81.9	82.5	81.7	81.4	80.2	80.7	81.8	82.0	82.4	81.0	81.4	84.0	81.4	80.6	81.4	80.9	82.1	82.3	<b>83.7</b>

**TABLE 3**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY ACT SCORE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2007**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
32 - 36																				
SUI	81.8	91.3	90.0	89.7	92.2	92.9	89.3	91.4	92.8	92.6	88.4	88.6	90.9	93.7	93.0	92.9	94.3	88.0	88.7	<b>92.7</b>
ISU	97.3	93.3	96.8	92.1	94.2	82.9	91.4	95.7	94.1	95.8	92.9	92.7	90.3	91.5	94.9	95.0	95.6	88.9	90.6	<b>91.9</b>
UNI	100.0	100.0	100.0	92.9	100.0	100.0	88.2	91.7	100.0	100.0	95.2	83.3	93.3	92.9	93.3	87.5	100.0	92.9	90.5	<b>95.0</b>
27 - 31																				
SUI	85.7	87.5	85.4	88.3	90.2	84.2	86.9	86.5	87.0	87.6	85.7	88.0	86.1	86.4	83.6	87.6	88.7	87.1	86.8	<b>86.7</b>
ISU	88.2	87.3	87.1	88.2	86.5	86.1	92.6	87.1	88.9	89.4	90.1	88.3	87.2	88.4	89.6	86.4	87.7	88.7	88.6	<b>87.1</b>
UNI	88.4	89.1	88.5	88.8	88.9	85.2	88.7	89.7	84.8	89.3	87.3	87.0	92.4	87.7	88.0	87.2	88.8	85.7	90.0	<b>89.8</b>
22 - 26																				
SUI	83.9	82.8	84.8	85.2	85.1	83.4	83.4	82.1	82.3	83.6	83.9	84.1	82.7	83.3	84.2	83.3	84.2	85.5	83.0	<b>81.6</b>
ISU	84.8	83.4	81.2	80.8	82.4	81.6	82.4	80.5	81.7	82.6	83.5	85.0	82.9	83.5	83.0	85.0	86.1	82.2	84.5	<b>83.5</b>
UNI	80.2	85.2	84.3	83.7	83.3	82.4	82.9	82.8	84.6	83.4	80.2	81.4	84.4	83.9	81.1	82.6	83.8	84.2	83.2	<b>84.8</b>
19 - 21																				
SUI	83.0	79.1	83.3	81.6	81.1	84.3	82.3	77.9	80.1	80.0	80.7	81.4	80.4	77.0	77.2	77.2	78.8	78.7	76.5	<b>80.5</b>
ISU	80.7	80.6	77.7	78.5	77.6	77.1	78.9	77.9	77.7	79.7	79.7	81.7	81.3	78.8	79.0	79.1	82.5	78.6	81.8	<b>79.4</b>
UNI	76.4	76.5	78.1	78.1	77.3	77.5	76.0	80.2	78.2	79.8	79.7	80.9	81.8	77.9	81.0	78.9	75.1	80.8	80.8	<b>81.0</b>
≤18																				
SUI	77.2	76.0	77.7	72.2	76.9	76.2	73.3	71.3	71.4	75.7	74.8	74.7	73.4	72.6	68.2	67.6	68.7	64.3	72.4	<b>67.3</b>
ISU	74.6	73.9	69.1	72.3	72.8	75.6	70.8	75.6	72.4	75.9	75.8	76.9	79.1	72.4	78.3	81.1	75.7	80.3	76.9	<b>71.3</b>
UNI	71.1	68.3	74.4	72.2	72.9	68.6	66.2	68.8	69.3	69.5	73.8	74.2	72.4	70.2	67.7	73.9	69.7	70.3	69.9	<b>75.1</b>
NA																				
SUI	80.8	80.7	80.4	79.7	83.2	83.2	76.5	80.6	81.8	77.9	81.8	74.5	73.9	75.1	81.8	78.5	82.7	79.1	75.8	<b>84.3</b>
ISU	72.3	71.7	73.2	71.2	77.7	71.8	70.5	73.3	77.4	71.3	72.9	84.0	78.4	75.6	77.6	88.6	78.9	85.7	82.4	<b>84.3</b>
UNI	62.5	73.7	70.6	66.7	50.0	46.7	75.0	33.3	78.6	70.0	85.7	78.6	89.7	66.7	66.7	69.2	72.2	70.6	61.1	<b>57.1</b>
TOTAL																				
SUI	83.3	82.4	83.9	84.4	85.1	83.6	83.4	82.0	82.9	83.7	83.5	83.9	82.6	82.5	82.5	83.2	84.3	84.1	82.7	<b>83.1</b>
ISU	84.2	83.1	81.6	81.3	81.8	81.1	83.0	81.5	82.7	83.6	84.4	85.1	83.7	83.4	84.2	84.7	85.8	83.4	84.9	<b>83.5</b>
UNI	79.8	81.9	82.5	81.7	81.4	80.2	80.7	81.8	82.0	82.4	81.0	81.4	84.0	81.4	80.6	81.4	80.9	82.1	82.3	<b>83.7</b>

**TABLE 4**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY FIRST-TERM GPA**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2007**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
<b>3.50 - 4.00</b>																				
SUI	93.8	90.8	93.5	92.7	94.0	94.8	90.9	94.4	96.5	94.7	93.4	94.4	94.6	92.1	92.4	92.4	94.0	91.2	92.1	<b>92.6</b>
ISU	93.6	94.3	91.0	91.8	93.7	90.8	93.3	94.6	96.2	92.9	94.8	93.9	95.3	94.4	92.7	92.7	93.9	93.1	94.5	<b>93.6</b>
UNI	88.6	93.0	92.7	94.3	94.8	91.4	94.5	95.0	92.5	93.8	93.3	92.8	93.7	93.8	92.9	93.3	94.4	90.9	93.3	<b>94.0</b>
<b>3.25 - 3.49</b>																				
SUI	90.9	92.4	89.6	91.1	92.1	92.1	94.0	91.1	92.1	92.2	93.2	93.6	93.9	91.5	91.6	91.5	93.4	92.3	91.2	<b>91.9</b>
ISU	93.2	91.8	89.5	91.4	94.8	91.2	93.4	92.0	92.8	93.3	92.5	93.2	90.6	91.8	92.3	91.1	92.6	93.2	92.2	<b>91.9</b>
UNI	92.9	91.1	90.6	87.7	92.2	93.6	90.7	88.0	93.4	91.9	90.1	88.6	91.9	89.7	90.3	90.4	89.4	92.7	90.8	<b>90.4</b>
<b>3.00 - 3.24</b>																				
SUI	91.0	91.4	91.2	89.5	92.4	92.5	92.0	89.7	90.5	91.8	91.2	91.4	93.3	90.1	89.8	90.6	89.8	92.2	89.1	<b>90.9</b>
ISU	92.7	91.7	92.8	91.7	90.6	89.9	92.0	92.0	90.8	91.8	91.9	92.5	88.6	88.9	90.9	92.2	94.8	92.7	92.2	<b>91.4</b>
UNI	89.2	91.2	92.3	89.1	88.5	88.2	89.8	88.6	89.7	89.5	90.4	89.7	93.4	87.6	89.4	89.8	88.7	90.4	88.1	<b>87.1</b>
<b>2.75 - 2.99</b>																				
SUI	92.4	87.7	89.5	91.1	91.3	88.8	91.6	91.4	91.7	90.9	91.8	90.0	90.7	87.7	88.7	89.6	89.4	91.2	89.6	<b>88.9</b>
ISU	92.4	90.4	89.2	88.5	89.1	90.8	89.5	89.3	90.2	91.7	90.9	92.9	91.6	89.6	91.6	89.6	92.4	89.6	90.5	<b>91.2</b>
UNI	92.7	91.1	89.6	87.5	91.7	85.1	90.2	90.9	88.5	87.4	83.1	90.8	91.3	91.6	88.2	88.1	89.4	83.0	90.3	<b>83.1</b>
<b>2.50 - 2.74</b>																				
SUI	91.0	88.5	91.5	91.3	90.6	89.6	88.9	87.9	89.2	89.0	89.8	90.4	88.0	87.0	87.8	85.8	87.9	88.2	85.4	<b>85.2</b>
ISU	89.3	88.8	85.5	86.9	89.5	87.6	88.3	86.8	88.8	86.6	90.8	88.4	90.6	90.2	89.8	84.8	91.2	88.2	90.3	<b>88.4</b>
UNI	88.0	89.4	87.3	88.0	88.8	88.0	89.5	87.5	88.9	88.6	87.9	90.0	90.1	89.2	85.8	86.2	88.8	88.7	86.8	<b>85.6</b>



**TABLE 4**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY FIRST-TERM GPA**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2007**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
<b>2.25 - 2.49</b>																				
SUI	87.8	85.1	88.8	88.5	85.3	85.3	87.2	88.7	86.8	87.6	87.2	85.2	86.7	84.5	82.4	81.5	84.7	84.6	81.8	<b>78.0</b>
ISU	87.1	90.8	87.9	87.3	87.9	88.0	84.4	86.7	85.8	87.4	88.1	87.8	89.7	88.4	84.0	88.7	88.6	88.9	86.8	<b>89.5</b>
UNI	87.0	85.5	89.1	89.3	87.0	83.5	88.3	87.8	83.7	89.6	85.4	81.6	84.3	84.6	75.4	82.5	82.2	78.6	80.6	<b>85.2</b>
<b>2.00 - 2.24</b>																				
SUI	85.3	86.0	86.3	83.1	86.0	85.9	84.4	83.3	80.6	84.0	81.3	85.3	80.4	81.1	78.2	79.3	81.3	77.7	82.0	<b>76.4</b>
ISU	84.3	84.4	82.0	83.8	83.8	83.0	83.2	82.9	83.1	83.7	86.7	85.9	84.4	81.9	86.2	85.1	87.6	81.8	86.4	<b>86.9</b>
UNI	79.1	78.7	83.0	87.0	82.6	79.8	81.0	85.0	87.9	84.3	79.4	80.1	85.7	78.6	71.4	82.5	79.4	87.2	84.5	<b>83.1</b>
<b>1.00 - 1.99</b>																				
SUI	63.0	54.3	55.7	61.8	64.4	56.1	56.2	51.2	58.2	55.5	56.3	51.4	53.0	50.9	51.3	52.6	52.9	51.7	49.4	<b>51.6</b>
ISU	76.1	75.4	75.5	72.5	69.2	72.3	71.9	73.3	70.4	74.9	71.0	73.0	70.3	70.0	69.7	73.7	75.4	73.9	79.8	<b>75.4</b>
UNI	66.6	65.4	70.3	52.2	58.9	63.7	58.0	65.3	64.7	63.8	66.0	62.5	67.7	56.8	64.1	63.2	61.2	55.8	52.0	<b>63.7</b>
<b>0.00 - 0.99</b>																				
SUI	6.7	12.1	15.1	14.6	19.0	6.8	8.9	9.8	10.6	12.3	10.0	11.1	20.8	14.8	6.5	5.6	54.5	15.3	19.0	<b>18.5</b>
ISU	34.1	21.4	27.7	29.5	28.3	23.9	26.0	19.6	20.6	29.5	25.0	27.1	21.1	28.3	27.8	31.7	21.5	26.9	20.1	<b>20.3</b>
UNI	15.4	17.5	11.0	4.3	11.1	5.8	2.4	8.4	9.8	5.1	4.2	11.9	9.8	12.0	16.4	11.6	9.4	11.1	11.7	<b>9.6</b>
<b>NA</b>																				
SUI	4.1	13.0	13.0	5.6	26.0	28.1	23.8	18.4	17.7	18.2	16.2	15.9	13.8	66.7	62.0	26.0	19.1	74.2	60.0	<b>66.9</b>
ISU	67.9	61.9	14.0	17.0	12.8	13.5	11.5	18.0	15.8	10.6	22.4	17.9	26.1	57.8	59.2	25.0	73.1	37.5	43.8	<b>35.3</b>
UNI	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	0.0	0.0	0.0	<b>0.0</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>																				
SUI	83.3	82.4	83.9	84.4	85.1	83.6	83.4	82.0	82.9	83.7	83.5	83.9	82.6	82.5	82.5	83.2	84.3	84.1	82.7	<b>83.1</b>
ISU	84.2	83.1	81.6	81.3	81.8	81.1	81.5	81.5	82.7	83.6	84.4	85.1	83.7	83.4	84.2	84.7	85.8	83.4	84.9	<b>83.5</b>
UNI	79.8	81.9	82.5	81.7	81.4	80.2	80.7	81.8	82.0	82.4	81.0	81.4	84.0	81.4	80.6	81.4	80.9	82.1	82.3	<b>83.7</b>

**TABLE 5  
ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY GENDER  
FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2007  
SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
<b>WOMEN</b>																				
SUI	83.6	83.6	84.6	84.4	85.4	83.8	83.4	81.8	81.8	83.7	84.2	85.4	82.8	83.6	82.9	82.3	83.1	83.2	82.8	<b>82.3</b>
ISU	84.9	82.4	83.1	83.6	82.5	82.0	82.5	82.1	83.4	83.9	85.5	85.5	84.6	84.7	83.9	86.2	87.8	84.6	86.1	<b>84.2</b>
UNI	79.3	81.3	81.5	81.5	81.5	80.3	81.8	81.3	81.0	82.0	81.8	80.8	83.5	83.2	81.2	82.7	82.4	83.1	84.5	<b>84.0</b>
<b>MEN</b>																				
SUI	83.0	81.1	83.0	84.5	84.8	83.4	83.5	82.2	84.4	83.7	82.7	81.9	82.4	81.1	82.1	84.3	85.8	85.2	82.6	<b>84.2</b>
ISU	83.7	83.7	80.4	79.8	81.2	80.4	80.8	81.0	82.3	83.4	83.5	84.7	83.0	82.4	84.5	83.5	84.1	82.6	83.9	<b>83.0</b>
UNI	80.5	82.9	83.9	82.1	81.2	80.0	78.9	82.6	83.5	83.1	79.6	82.3	84.8	78.5	79.5	79.3	78.7	80.2	79.1	<b>83.1</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>																				
SUI	83.3	82.4	83.9	84.4	85.1	83.6	83.4	82.0	82.9	83.7	83.5	83.9	82.6	82.5	82.5	83.2	84.3	84.1	82.7	<b>83.1</b>
ISU	84.2	83.2	81.6	81.4	81.8	81.1	81.5	81.5	82.8	83.6	84.4	85.1	83.7	83.4	84.2	84.6	85.8	83.4	84.9	<b>83.5</b>
UNI	79.8	81.9	82.5	81.7	81.4	80.2	80.7	81.8	82.0	82.4	81.0	81.4	84.0	81.4	80.6	81.4	80.9	82.1	82.3	<b>83.7</b>

**TABLE 6**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY RACE/ETHNICITY AND RESIDENCE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 2000 - 2007**  
**SPRING 2009**

	2000		2001		2002		2003		2004		2005		2006		2007		
	%		%		%		%		%		%		%		%		
	Res	NonRes	Res	NonRes	Res	NonRes	Res	NonRes	Res	NonRes	Res	NonRes	Res	NonRes	Res	NonRes	
Native Am.																	
SUI	80.0	50.0	57.1	66.7	100.0	60.0	77.8	80.0	85.7	88.9	71.4	66.7	71.4	54.5	100.0	80.0	
ISU	50.0	0.0	85.7	80.0	66.7	100.0	50.0	33.3	80.0	66.7	100.0	100	83.3	100.0	54.5	100.0	
UNI	100.0	NA	50.0	NA	100.0	NA	75.0	NA	33.3	0.0	75.0	NA	25.0	0.0	50.0	100.0	
African-Am.																	
SUI	74.0	73.5	82.9	78.7	88.0	56.9	82.8	63.2	86.1	82.0	89.5	73.3	86.4	75.7	88.9	77.4	
ISU	84.8	85.9	83.8	85.3	86.7	74.2	81.0	89.8	78.7	79.3	85.1	68.3	81.4	68.8	69.0	70.7	
UNI	77.8	80.6	80.0	61.5	91.7	70.0	79.3	70.0	78.3	85.7	52.0	66.7	87.0	76.9	83.9	84.2	
Asian-Am.																	
SUI	84.5	83.7	82.8	75.9	84.8	75.9	84.7	87.5	88.0	84.3	76.5	76.9	81.0	88.9	89.3	81.1	
ISU	89.2	97.4	86.8	72.5	78.6	82.8	84.7	85.4	92.6	88.6	86.0	88.6	89.2	90.5	86.0	83.9	
UNI	76.0	100.0	77.8	66.7	83.3	NA	84.2	100.0	78.6	NA	72.0	NA	78.6	66.7	66.7	NA	
Hispanic-Am.																	
SUI	87.8	71.4	81.8	86.4	79.2	84.3	74.5	83.7	74.5	76.3	88.5	84.6	70.2	85.7	83.1	83.9	
ISU	91.3	84.0	78.6	81.4	89.1	84.2	87.2	89.1	64.6	88.6	90.6	79.5	84.2	82.5	84.1	92.5	
UNI	66.7	75.0	73.3	72.7	62.5	37.5	86.7	83.3	64.7	50.0	78.9	66.7	71.4	50.0	83.3	100.0	
Subtotal																	
SUI	82.2	74.6	81.6	80.4	84.3	72.0	81.3	77.1	84.3	81.8	82.6	78.1	79.4	82.8	87.8	80.7	
ISU	87.0	80.3	84.0	81.7	82.5	79.0	83.1	87.2	81.9	83.9	87.4	78.4	86.1	79.1	79.9	80.5	
UNI	76.8	80.0	76.6	64.2	85.1	64.6	82.1	74.1	70.0	78.8	67.1	66.7	76.3	64.0	77.0	87.0	
White																	
SUI	82.0	84.2	82.9	82.0	83.2	81.7	83.5	83.3	83.9	85.2	83.6	85.5	81.5	84.7	82.3	83.8	
ISU	84.4	94.2	84.1	82.4	85.0	83.0	85.5	82.7	86.7	82.9	85.3	78.7	86.4	81.7	84.3	81.9	
UNI	84.5	75.8	82.6	64.8	81.7	65.5	81.7	80.0	81.7	80.6	93.4	73.2	83.2	79.6	84.9	70.4	
Regent Total																	
SUI	82.0	83.2	82.8	81.7	83.3	80.8	83.3	82.7	83.9	54.0	83.5	85	81.3	84.5	82.8	83.5	
ISU	84.3	92.0	83.9	82.0	84.9	82.6	85.2	83.3	86.4	83.4	85.2	78.6	86.1	81.8	84.0	82.3	
UNI	84.3	78.5	82.4	65.5	81.7	64.4	81.5	79.6	80.9	81.0	82.8	72.9	82.8	76.6	84.2	73.7	

NA = 0 students in the cohort.

**TABLE 7**  
**TWO-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY RACE/ETHNICITY**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2006**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	<b>2006</b>
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
<b>Native Am.</b>																			
SUI	75.0	66.7	60.0	83.3	90.0	76.9	41.2	80.0	91.7	82.4	76.5	58.8	50.0	60.0	72.7	85.7	69.6	61.5	<b>79.2</b>
ISU	75.0	71.4	0.0	57.1	40.0	42.9	71.4	75.0	50.0	63.6	70.0	56.3	30.0	66.7	75.0	36.4	68.8	71.4	<b>75.0</b>
UNI	25.0	0.0	50.0	40.0	25.0	75.0	0.0	60.0	50.0	0.0	50.0	40.0	66.7	0.0	100.0	50.0	28.6	75.0	<b>20.0</b>
<b>African-Am.</b>																			
SUI	66.7	67.9	57.5	62.5	62.6	72.9	72.1	68.0	80.6	69.0	67.7	67.0	61.6	61.5	50.6	64.0	74.4	66.3	<b>63.0</b>
ISU	53.3	54.1	70.6	67.2	52.5	53.6	56.7	62.9	54.7	58.1	65.4	68.3	71.2	64.4	67.9	71.3	66.7	68.2	<b>66.7</b>
UNI	50.0	62.2	59.2	58.1	48.6	54.5	50.0	55.2	53.6	44.7	59.5	60.0	61.2	54.2	62.5	57.1	62.7	46.9	<b>66.7</b>
<b>Asian-Am.</b>																			
SUI	82.8	67.4	82.0	78.1	78.6	79.6	74.6	76.8	69.3	78.5	84.8	70.9	74.0	69.2	77.1	80.1	75.5	71.4	<b>77.4</b>
ISU	73.2	76.4	75.9	73.0	73.4	69.9	77.3	76.6	70.7	82.8	80.2	72.1	75.2	73.3	69.7	79.9	85.3	77.4	<b>84.7</b>
UNI	45.5	80.0	62.5	78.9	78.6	50.0	61.3	78.9	60.0	68.4	58.8	68.4	77.8	80.0	66.7	70.0	57.1	68.0	<b>54.8</b>
<b>Hispanic-Am.</b>																			
SUI	56.1	70.2	72.0	60.0	73.7	60.0	71.2	65.3	62.3	81.3	68.2	70.9	73.5	73.6	68.7	73.4	68.2	75.0	<b>66.4</b>
ISU	62.2	61.8	60.7	51.9	59.6	66.1	63.6	55.6	61.7	74.5	73.6	73.3	71.8	72.7	72.6	79.6	70.2	75.7	<b>75.0</b>
UNI	50.0	50.0	87.5	64.3	46.7	60.0	36.4	59.1	78.6	40.0	50.0	42.9	66.7	50.0	43.8	71.4	42.9	59.1	<b>58.6</b>
<b>Subtotal</b>																			
SUI	71.4	68.1	68.9	70.0	72.6	72.9	71.1	71.8	70.8	77.0	74.4	69.1	68.8	68.3	68.5	74.4	73.0	70.9	<b>71.3</b>
ISU	60.0	61.0	69.0	65.5	60.3	58.5	65.4	66.5	61.4	70.1	72.2	69.9	71.5	69.7	69.9	75.9	74.9	74.0	<b>75.9</b>
UNI	47.5	62.2	62.7	63.0	52.9	55.1	50.0	62.7	60.6	49.3	56.8	58.0	66.1	59.0	61.1	62.8	54.8	56.0	<b>58.4</b>
<b>White</b>																			
SUI	75.5	75.1	77.0	78.1	76.5	75.9	76.7	76.4	75.9	76.4	76.2	75.9	75.5	73.3	74.4	76.2	76.0	77.0	<b>75.2</b>
ISU	75.4	74.6	72.3	72.4	73.1	72.3	72.2	73.8	75.4	75.5	77.2	77.3	75.1	74.8	76.5	78.1	78.4	76.4	<b>77.6</b>
UNI	73.4	74.4	74.4	72.6	72.7	74.4	73.3	74.0	75.1	74.6	74.5	73.8	76.7	74.2	73.7	75.2	74.9	75.8	<b>75.3</b>
<b>Regent Total</b>																			
SUI	75.3	74.6	76.3	77.5	76.1	75.7	76.2	75.9	75.5	76.4	76.0	75.3	74.8	72.6	72.0	76.0	75.8	76.5	<b>74.8</b>
ISU	74.3	73.2	71.7	71.5	72.1	70.8	71.8	73.3	74.4	75.1	76.5	76.8	74.7	74.0	75.7	77.8	78.0	76.0	<b>77.1</b>
UNI	72.3	73.8	73.9	72.0	71.9	73.2	72.1	73.4	74.6	73.8	73.8	72.9	76.0	73.4	73.0	74.5	73.7	74.6	<b>74.0</b>

**TABLE 8  
FOUR-YEAR GRADUATION RATES  
BY RACE/ETHNICITY  
FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2004  
SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Native Am.																	
SUI	12.5	16.7	20.0	33.3	40.0	38.5	0.0	10.0	41.7	35.3	29.4	5.9	22.2	50.0	36.4	21.4	<b>39.1</b>
ISU	25.0	42.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	14.3	14.3	25.0	21.4	27.3	0.0	18.8	20.0	25.0	25.0	0.0	<b>25.0</b>
UNI	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	25.0	0.0	0.0	20.0	33.3	0.0	33.3	25.0	<b>14.3</b>
African-Am.																	
SUI	11.9	16.5	8.8	12.5	14.3	15.7	22.1	16.0	27.4	9.9	14.1	18.7	13.1	19.8	23.7	18.6	<b>29.1</b>
ISU	5.2	6.6	9.2	5.7	8.6	9.4	7.2	9.7	15.8	13.7	15.4	16.6	22.1	11.6	26.1	20.8	<b>20</b>
UNI	0.0	2.2	4.1	4.7	8.6	9.1	2.5	3.4	3.6	7.9	14.3	8.0	7.5	8.5	14.1	16.3	<b>11.8</b>
Asian-Am.																	
SUI	23.0	21.3	24.7	25.7	25.9	25.0	27.9	21.9	22.1	34.6	27.7	29.1	36.5	32.7	31.4	37.7	<b>34.4</b>
ISU	10.7	15.3	8.6	13.5	12.8	15.1	17.3	23.4	18.3	22.2	18.5	20.9	28.3	29.5	33.3	35.3	<b>31.8</b>
UNI	9.1	13.3	12.5	21.1	21.4	3.8	29.0	31.6	24.0	15.8	23.5	26.3	22.2	30.0	16.7	30.0	<b>21.4</b>
Hispanic-Am.																	
SUI	9.8	23.4	22.0	27.5	29.8	30.0	24.7	22.2	19.5	40.0	31.8	24.4	33.7	31.8	25.3	36.2	<b>38.8</b>
ISU	11.1	18.2	17.9	9.6	3.8	14.3	21.8	8.9	20.0	17.6	11.3	24.0	27.2	25.3	29.8	34.4	<b>17.9</b>
UNI	0.0	8.3	37.5	0.0	13.3	6.7	0.0	9.1	14.3	0.0	18.8	0.0	11.1	15.4	18.8	14.3	<b>23.8</b>
Subtotal																	
SUI	15.9	19.5	17.1	22.0	23.3	24.3	23.8	19.8	23.4	29.6	24.6	23.5	27.9	29.5	28.0	31.8	<b>34.5</b>
ISU	7.9	11.4	10.0	8.6	9.0	11.4	14.1	15.1	17.9	18.0	14.9	19.6	25.8	21.8	29.6	29.7	<b>24.3</b>
UNI	1.6	5.4	9.3	7.4	11.8	6.4	11.6	12.0	14.1	8.7	16.0	11.4	12.6	15.4	15.8	19.1	<b>16.1</b>
White																	
SUI	31.0	31.5	34.5	33.0	33.2	35.4	35.3	36.9	39.1	38.4	36.8	39.2	40.8	40.7	41.6	42.7	<b>44.0</b>
ISU	22.4	21.3	19.6	20.7	21.6	22.8	24.3	25.5	28.5	27.5	30.3	32.2	32.0	33.0	34.0	36.1	<b>34.2</b>
UNI	29.1	25.8	24.9	24.9	26.8	28.1	29.8	31.0	34.2	29.6	29.9	34.4	35.1	33.1	34.5	36.4	<b>36.1</b>
Regent Total																	
SUI	30.4	30.7	32.9	32.3	32.3	34.6	34.3	35.3	37.8	37.6	35.8	37.7	39.5	39.6	40.5	41.7	<b>43.1</b>
ISU	21.5	20.3	19.0	20.6	21.7	22.3	24.0	25.1	28.4	27.0	29.2	31.4	31.2	31.8	33.6	35.3	<b>33.2</b>
UNI	27.8	24.9	24.3	24.1	26.2	27.1	29.0	30.1	33.4	28.8	29.5	33.5	33.9	32.3	33.5	35.2	<b>35.2</b>

**TABLE 9  
FIVE-YEAR GRADUATION RATES  
BY RACE/ETHNICITY  
FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2003  
SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Native Am.																
SUI	37.5	50.0	40.0	83.3	70.0	46.2	5.9	50.0	58.3	58.8	52.9	29.4	27.8	50.0	63.6	50.0
ISU	50.0	57.1	0.0	0.0	20.0	14.3	71.4	37.5	35.7	54.5	50.0	43.8	30.0	33.3	50.0	27.3
UNI	0.0	0.0	50.0	40.0	0.0	50.0	0.0	20.0	50.0	0.0	50.0	40.0	33.3	0.0	66.7	50.0
African-Am.																
SUI	28.6	31.2	30.9	30.6	37.4	40.0	46.5	39.0	53.2	33.8	36.4	42.9	42.4	40.6	39.5	47.7
ISU	31.9	24.3	32.1	29.5	20.9	28.8	26.8	37.1	34.7	40.2	31.7	48.3	43.3	41.1	49.3	43.1
UNI	8.3	22.2	26.5	30.2	37.1	33.3	35.0	37.9	25.0	28.9	38.1	34.0	32.8	22.0	34.4	30.6
Asian-Am.																
SUI	51.7	36.0	50.6	51.4	54.5	55.8	54.1	53.0	49.3	55.1	59.8	49.6	57.9	56.2	64.1	65.1
ISU	44.6	48.6	41.4	40.5	46.8	43.8	61.3	53.1	50.0	61.6	46.9	51.2	52.2	56.2	55.3	63.3
UNI	36.4	33.3	37.5	57.9	57.1	30.8	38.7	68.4	36.0	52.6	41.2	52.6	59.3	63.3	58.3	60.0
Hispanic-Am.																
SUI	39.0	44.7	46.0	50.0	50.9	43.3	49.3	48.6	44.2	61.3	50.6	50.0	55.4	55.5	44.4	53.2
ISU	40.0	49.1	28.6	36.5	28.8	41.1	38.2	26.7	38.3	49.0	47.2	61.3	47.6	48.5	52.4	64.5
UNI	20.0	41.7	75.0	35.7	40.0	26.7	36.4	27.3	50.0	10.0	37.5	21.4	44.4	34.6	37.5	52.4
Subtotal																
SUI	40.0	35.9	40.9	45.3	48.5	47.8	48.0	47.7	49.1	51.5	49.5	46.6	50.9	51.8	52.8	56.8
ISU	36.7	34.9	33.5	33.3	30.7	33.3	41.9	40.2	40.6	50.0	40.7	51.9	47.3	48.1	52.2	56.7
UNI	14.8	27.0	34.7	38.3	39.7	32.1	34.9	41.3	35.2	31.9	39.5	36.4	40.9	35.0	38.9	42.6
White																
SUI	56.8	57.4	59.5	59.2	60.1	58.8	60.8	62.6	62.4	61.9	62.0	63.2	63.7	63.1	63.7	65.2
ISU	57.5	55.7	52.7	53.2	55.5	55.1	56.3	57.8	60.3	60.3	62.1	63.5	61.6	62.8	63.9	64.1
UNI	56.8	57.6	55.2	55.2	58.5	59.1	58.4	59.7	62.6	62.1	61.3	62.0	63.3	61.5	60.3	63.9
Regent Total																
SUI	55.9	55.9	57.8	58.2	58.9	58.0	59.7	61.1	61.3	61.2	60.9	61.8	62.4	62.0	62.8	64.5
ISU	55.9	53.6	51.0	51.9	53.7	52.9	55.4	56.7	59.0	59.2	60.2	62.7	60.2	60.9	62.5	63.1
UNI	54.9	56.1	54.4	54.4	57.5	57.5	57.5	58.8	61.7	60.9	60.3	60.8	62.1	60.0	58.9	62.5

**TABLE 10**  
**SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATES**  
**BY RACE/ETHNICITY**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2002**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Native Am.															
SUI	50.0	50.0	40.0	83.3	70.0	76.9	11.8	60.0	58.3	58.8	70.6	41.2	33.3	50.0	<b>63.6</b>
ISU	50.0	57.1	0.0	14.3	40.0	28.6	71.4	50.0	42.9	54.5	60.0	43.8	30.0	41.7	<b>50.0</b>
UNI	0.0	0.0	50.0	40.0	25.0	50.0	0.0	40.0	50.0	0.0	50.0	40.0	33.3	0.0	<b>66.7</b>
African-Am.															
SUI	34.5	42.2	39.8	34.7	40.7	48.6	53.5	40.0	59.7	38.0	43.4	50.5	45.5	43.8	<b>43.4</b>
ISU	37.8	37.0	37.6	36.1	27.3	33.5	34.0	43.5	40.0	43.6	36.5	51.0	51.0	47.3	<b>53.7</b>
UNI	16.7	31.1	38.8	34.9	40.0	42.4	42.5	44.8	32.1	31.6	40.5	42.0	46.3	27.1	<b>43.8</b>
Asian-Am.															
SUI	60.9	44.9	58.4	56.2	62.5	67.6	59.8	59.6	54.3	65.4	67.0	54.3	61.9	63.4	<b>66.7</b>
ISU	58.9	59.7	50.0	50.0	56.4	53.4	72.0	64.1	61.0	67.7	56.8	59.3	61.1	63.7	<b>58.3</b>
UNI	36.4	53.3	43.8	73.7	64.3	42.3	41.9	78.9	40.0	52.6	41.2	57.9	63.0	66.7	<b>58.3</b>
Hispanic-Am.															
SUI	43.9	53.2	54.0	52.5	54.4	46.7	53.4	51.4	46.8	65.3	58.8	53.5	60.2	60.0	<b>54.5</b>
ISU	46.7	54.5	35.7	40.4	36.5	55.4	50.9	35.6	45.0	58.8	54.7	66.7	55.3	57.6	<b>61.9</b>
UNI	40.0	41.7	75.0	35.7	40.0	33.3	36.4	45.5	50.0	10.0	37.5	35.7	55.6	38.5	<b>43.8</b>
Subtotal															
SUI	47.3	45.4	49.0	49.3	53.7	57.8	53.7	52.0	53.6	57.8	57.5	52.3	54.9	56.9	<b>57.8</b>
ISU	44.6	45.7	40.0	40.4	38.6	40.7	51.3	49.2	48.2	55.4	48.0	56.5	55.2	55.6	<b>57.2</b>
UNI	23.0	36.5	44.0	44.4	44.1	41.0	39.5	53.3	39.4	33.3	40.7	44.3	51.2	39.3	<b>46.3</b>
White															
SUI	62.0	62.1	63.9	64.2	64.8	63.1	65.1	66.4	65.4	65.1	67.1	67.4	66.7	66.9	<b>66.8</b>
ISU	65.2	63.6	62.0	61.7	62.7	62.7	63.1	64.7	66.5	66.9	68.0	68.9	67.1	67.3	<b>68.8</b>
UNI	62.2	63.2	60.1	61.2	63.2	64.3	63.3	64.9	67.4	66.6	65.3	66.0	67.9	66.5	<b>64.0</b>
Regent Total															
SUI	61.2	60.9	62.6	63.1	63.7	62.8	64.0	64.9	64.4	64.6	66.2	66.1	65.5	65.9	<b>66.0</b>
ISU	63.6	61.6	60.0	60.1	61.1	60.4	62.4	63.7	65.3	65.7	66.5	68.0	65.8	65.6	<b>67.4</b>
UNI	60.4	61.9	59.4	60.4	62.2	62.9	62.2	64.2	66.5	65.2	64.3	65.0	67.1	65.0	<b>63.0</b>

**TABLE 11**  
**AVERAGE NUMBER OF YEARS TO COMPLETE UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2002**  
**WHO GRADUATED WITHIN 6 YEARS**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	<b>2002</b>
University of Iowa	4.58	4.56	4.53	4.56	4.55	4.52	4.51	4.49	4.45	4.44	4.52	4.47	4.44	4.44	<b>4.33</b>
Iowa State University	4.78	4.80	4.83	4.79	4.77	4.75	4.73	4.72	4.66	4.69	4.65	4.62	4.61	4.59	<b>4.57</b>
University of Northern Iowa	4.63	4.69	4.69	4.70	4.66	4.65	4.61	4.62	4.57	4.63	4.60	4.55	4.57	4.58	<b>4.53</b>
Regent Total	4.66	4.68	4.68	4.68	4.66	4.64	4.62	4.61	4.56	4.59	4.59	4.55	4.54	4.54	<b>4.48</b>



**TABLE 12**  
**PERCENT OF STUDENTS WHO GRADUATED WITHIN SIX YEARS BY YEAR**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2002**  
**SPRING 2008**

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA	Entering Class of Fall														
	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Males															
# graduated within 6 years	997	936	767	781	870	814	901	916	921	968	1,073	1,017	1,008	1,085	1,120
% graduated within 4 years	45.6%	45.4%	48.0%	43.7%	43.9%	48.5%	47.4%	46.9%	47.9%	48.7%	45.3%	50.2%	54.1%	51.3%	55.5%
% graduated during 5th year	44.0%	45.7%	43.3%	46.4%	47.0%	43.1%	43.0%	44.7%	45.8%	45.2%	44.5%	42.4%	41.0%	40.7%	39.0%
% graduated during 6th year	10.4%	8.9%	8.7%	9.9%	9.1%	8.4%	9.6%	8.4%	6.3%	6.1%	10.2%	7.5%	5.0%	8.0%	5.5%
Females															
# graduated within 6 years	1,210	1,103	922	946	1,113	1,151	1,167	1,331	1,281	1,339	1,508	1,458	1,381	1,504	1,586
% graduated within 4 years	53.3%	54.6%	56.3%	57.4%	56.1%	59.7%	58.3%	59.4%	66.5%	65.3%	60.2%	62.6%	65.0%	66.4%	65.4%
% graduated during 5th year	39.5%	37.6%	37.1%	36.8%	37.6%	33.2%	37.0%	36.4%	29.6%	30.0%	33.3%	32.5%	30.5%	29.2%	30.1%
% graduated during 6th year	7.2%	7.8%	6.6%	5.8%	6.3%	7.1%	4.7%	4.2%	3.9%	4.7%	65.0%	4.9%	4.6%	4.4%	4.5%
Total															
# graduated within 6 years	2,207	2,039	1,689	1,727	1,983	1,965	2,068	2,247	2,202	2,307	2,581	2,475	2,389	2,589	2,706
% graduated within 4 years	49.8%	50.4%	52.5%	51.2%	50.7%	55.1%	53.5%	54.3%	58.7%	58.3%	54.0%	57.5%	60.4%	60.1%	61.3%
% graduated during 5th year	41.5%	41.3%	39.9%	41.1%	41.8%	37.3%	39.6%	39.8%	36.4%	36.4%	37.9%	36.6%	34.9%	34.0%	33.8%
% graduated during 6th year	8.7%	8.3%	7.6%	7.7%	7.5%	7.6%	6.9%	5.9%	4.9%	5.3%	8.1%	6.0%	4.7%	5.9%	5.0%

**TABLE 12**  
**PERCENT OF STUDENTS WHO GRADUATED WITHIN SIX YEARS BY YEAR**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2002**  
**SPRING 2008**

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY	Entering Class of Fall														
	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Males															
# graduated within 6 years	1,298	1,285	1,088	1,050	1,107	1,143	1,096	1,103	1,265	1,410	1,309	1,442	1,479	1,573	1,460
% graduated within 4 years	23.7%	24.6%	23.0%	26.7%	27.9%	28.6%	27.8%	30.9%	36.0%	31.0%	33.5%	36.1%	34.8%	37.6%	38.8%
% graduated during 5th year	60.2%	57.7%	58.0%	55.3%	56.8%	54.2%	56.4%	54.6%	52.0%	56.0%	54.1%	53.8%	52.8%	53.0%	51.4%
% graduated during 6th year	16.1%	17.7%	19.0%	18.0%	15.3%	17.1%	15.8%	14.5%	12.0%	13.0%	12.4%	10.1%	12.4%	9.5%	9.9%
Females															
# graduated within 6 years	1,083	1,027	897	889	928	919	979	983	1,084	1,224	1,217	1,292	1,344	1,445	1,347
% graduated within 4 years	46.0%	43.5%	42.3%	43.2%	44.6%	47.4%	50.5%	48.9%	52.3%	52.6%	55.3%	57.4%	61.4%	60.3%	61.8%
% graduated during 5th year	46.6%	49.2%	47.7%	48.3%	47.2%	46.1%	43.3%	44.0%	40.9%	41.2%	38.5%	37.5%	34.6%	34.9%	33.9%
% graduated during 6th year	7.4%	7.3%	10.0%	8.5%	8.2%	6.4%	6.2%	7.0%	6.8%	6.2%	6.2%	5.2%	4.0%	4.7%	4.3%
Total															
# graduated within 6 years	2,381	2,312	1,985	1,939	2,035	2,062	2,075	2,086	2,349	2,634	2,526	2,734	2,823	3,018	2,807
% graduated within 4 years	33.9%	33.0%	31.7%	34.2%	35.5%	37.0%	38.5%	39.4%	43.5%	41.0%	44.0%	46.1%	47.4%	48.5%	49.8%
% graduated during 5th year	54.0%	53.9%	53.4%	52.1%	52.4%	50.6%	50.2%	49.6%	46.9%	49.1%	46.6%	46.1%	44.1%	44.3%	43.0%
% graduated during 6th year	12.1%	13.1%	15.0%	13.7%	12.0%	12.4%	11.3%	11.0%	9.6%	9.9%	9.4%	7.8%	8.4%	7.2%	7.2%

**TABLE 12**  
**PERCENT OF STUDENTS WHO GRADUATED WITHIN SIX YEARS BY YEAR**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2002**  
**SPRING 2008**

UNIV. OF NORTHERN IOWA	Entering Class of Fall														
	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Males															
# graduated within 6 years	463	479	489	466	412	426	416	476	514	461	430	511	572	453	412
% graduated within 4 years	37.2%	32.4%	31.7%	32.4%	34.7%	35.4%	41.4%	35.7%	43.2%	36.4%	34.0%	41.1%	42.5%	41.7%	47.1%
% graduated during 5th year	50.3%	53.4%	57.1%	54.3%	57.0%	53.1%	47.8%	52.1%	47.1%	53.6%	58.1%	48.5%	46.8%	47.7%	45.6%
% graduated during 6th year	12.5%	14.2%	11.2%	13.3%	8.3%	11.5%	10.8%	12.2%	9.7%	10.0%	7.9%	10.4%	10.7%	10.6%	7.3%
Females															
# graduated within 6 years	683	738	744	712	620	707	739	813	824	791	844	869	916	889	735
% graduated within 4 years	52.0%	45.3%	47.1%	44.8%	47.1%	47.8%	49.6%	53.4%	54.1%	48.5%	52.0%	57.8%	55.5%	53.7%	56.6%
% graduated during 5th year	41.3%	48.6%	46.2%	47.5%	45.8%	45.8%	44.0%	40.5%	40.2%	46.7%	42.8%	38.2%	39.1%	40.2%	37.6%
% graduated during 6th year	6.7%	6.1%	6.7%	7.7%	7.1%	6.4%	6.4%	6.1%	5.7%	4.8%	5.2%	4.0%	5.4%	6.1%	5.8%
Total															
# graduated within 6 years	1,146	1,217	1,233	1,178	1,032	1,133	1,155	1,289	1,338	1,252	1,274	1,380	1,488	1,342	1,147
% graduated within 4 years	46.0%	40.2%	41.0%	39.9%	42.1%	43.2%	46.7%	46.8%	49.9%	44.1%	45.9%	51.6%	50.5%	49.6%	53.2%
% graduated during 5th year	44.9%	50.5%	50.5%	50.2%	50.3%	48.5%	45.4%	44.8%	42.8%	49.2%	48.0%	42.0%	42.1%	42.7%	40.4%
% graduated during 6th year	9.1%	9.3%	8.5%	9.9%	7.6%	8.3%	7.9%	8.4%	7.3%	6.7%	6.1%	6.4%	7.4%	7.7%	6.4%

**TABLE 13**  
**SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATES BY HIGH SCHOOL RANK**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2002**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
90-99%ile															
SUI	80.9	77.5	77.2	79.2	78.5	78.2	79.8	79.8	78.5	83.1	80.7	81.2	83.5	82.4	<b>83.5</b>
ISU	79.0	76.3	76.4	76.9	76.8	77.2	78.5	80.4	83.7	83.8	83.2	86.6	82.5	85.1	<b>85.9</b>
UNI	81.4	76.8	79.3	77.3	81.1	79.3	82.4	80.3	81.8	82.7	82.3	83.9	85.8	83.4	<b>81.4</b>
80-89%ile															
SUI	65.2	67.6	66.7	69.0	70.6	66.3	67.3	72.8	72.5	74.5	74.5	75.5	71.2	75.7	<b>70.9</b>
ISU	69.1	64.7	64.1	67.0	68.1	65.8	69.8	65.7	69.1	72.6	71.4	75.9	72.2	72.6	<b>73.8</b>
UNI	69.6	73.3	70.6	67.0	65.3	72.9	70.0	75.7	74.9	69.4	70.6	72.2	74.6	72.4	<b>73.5</b>
70-79%ile															
SUI	59.0	61.7	63.5	63.1	59.1	63.4	62.8	63.2	66.0	63.9	68.4	64.9	66.3	66.0	<b>63.9</b>
ISU	62.5	61.0	57.8	57.2	62.8	60.7	59.6	64.0	63.6	62.2	67.3	63.5	65.1	65.9	<b>67.2</b>
UNI	60.8	63.1	58.6	60.7	67.0	62.8	65.1	67.2	67.6	68.9	69.5	65.7	70.5	67.4	<b>62.2</b>
60-69%ile															
SUI	54.5	48.5	57.1	57.5	58.1	60.8	53.8	60.5	58.0	53.8	59.3	62.2	63.0	59.5	<b>62.0</b>
ISU	54.4	56.0	52.3	50.3	51.9	50.8	56.4	56.1	57.8	59.0	58.9	59.6	60.1	53.4	<b>56.9</b>
UNI	55.8	51.0	49.1	54.3	53.8	53.5	53.0	55.4	58.7	60.1	56.3	59.9	58.5	58.0	<b>59.7</b>
50-59%ile															
SUI	44.4	42.1	50.6	51.4	55.5	47.3	57.1	56.0	51.7	55.8	59.4	56.0	53.7	55.0	<b>56.3</b>
ISU	51.0	48.6	45.8	46.4	46.9	45.5	47.3	49.3	50.8	51.5	48.0	55.0	50.3	48.7	<b>56.3</b>
UNI	44.9	52.9	48.7	46.9	50.9	45.3	51.1	53.1	54.0	54.7	53.8	52.0	51.3	48.8	<b>51.6</b>
40-49%ile															
SUI	39.0	45.1	37.8	44.4	46.3	44.2	56.7	48.9	51.1	47.1	51.2	49.4	44.7	47.1	<b>48.4</b>
ISU	47.5	43.3	39.8	36.3	32.9	38.4	36.2	44.9	42.9	42.9	46.2	42.1	43.7	46.4	<b>40.0</b>
UNI	42.3	42.6	33.1	36.6	43.5	48.2	46.9	44.0	57.1	47.6	44.8	45.4	53.6	50.4	<b>39.1</b>
30-39%ile															
SUI	38.1	20.3	38.5	36.5	49.3	43.4	44.1	45.8	34.7	36.9	45.7	41.9	39.3	36.8	<b>47.9</b>
ISU	40.5	31.6	42.3	36.9	41.5	29.3	37.3	32.7	38.7	32.5	37.1	40.0	43.6	40.2	<b>41.0</b>
UNI	27.5	36.1	29.4	51.9	42.9	35.3	30.0	35.1	48.6	40.0	37.0	43.6	37.5	46.8	<b>43.9</b>
20-29%ile															
SUI	23.1	23.3	28.6	46.2	40.0	43.8	37.5	37.1	44.4	30.0	29.6	34.5	34.8	38.9	<b>45.5</b>
ISU	36.4	39.6	28.9	30.9	22.2	23.5	40.4	15.2	37.5	27.4	36.1	44.4	32.1	32.0	<b>32.8</b>
UNI	11.8	7.7	33.3	33.3	16.7	28.6	20.0	0.0	25.0	33.3	10.0	45.5	31.3	28.6	<b>33.3</b>
00-19%ile															
SUI	20.0	14.8	35.3	20.0	11.1	60.0	37.5	11.1	0.0	33.3	20.0	25.0	0.0	0.0	<b>100.0</b>
ISU	12.5	21.1	15.4	17.6	8.3	19.0	7.7	29.4	23.1	17.6	0.0	30.0	45.5	14.3	<b>75.0</b>
UNI	0.0	20.0	14.3	16.7	0.0	25.0	0.0	25.0	50.0	0.0	100.0	11.1	50.0	50.0	<b>50.0</b>
NA															
SUI	78.0	72.3	63.9	67.5	64.3	61.2	65.1	59.0	57.7	51.3	49.5	56.1	58.6	61.5	<b>64.4</b>
ISU	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	66.7	70.0	0.0	0.0	50.0	0.0	<b>0.0</b>
UNI	45.8	36.4	41.7	33.3	53.8	57.9	42.6	50.0	55.9	54.1	47.6	52.9	62.0	64.3	<b>54.4</b>
TOTAL															
SUI	61.1	60.9	62.6	63.1	63.7	62.8	64.0	64.9	64.4	64.6	66.2	66.1	65.5	65.9	<b>66.0</b>
ISU	63.6	61.6	60.0	60.0	60.9	60.3	62.4	63.7	65.3	65.7	66.5	68.0	65.8	65.6	<b>67.4</b>
UNI	60.4	61.9	59.4	60.4	62.2	62.9	62.2	64.2	66.5	65.2	64.3	65.0	67.1	65.0	<b>63.0</b>

**TABLE 14**  
**SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATES BY ACT SCORE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2002**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
32 - 36															
SUI	81.8	87.0	77.5	77.6	79.7	77.1	75.0	80.2	71.1	81.9	80.2	85.4	81.4	82.0	<b>78.1</b>
ISU	83.6	80.0	82.8	82.0	84.9	76.6	75.0	85.1	82.4	84.3	80.3	83.4	84.3	76.9	<b>80.7</b>
UNI	94.7	100.0	91.3	78.6	90.9	100.0	82.4	91.7	85.7	89.5	76.2	75.0	93.3	85.7	<b>66.7</b>
27 - 31															
SUI	68.9	71.3	70.9	70.3	72.3	68.4	72.1	73.3	69.7	71.4	71.7	73.4	73.0	73.1	<b>70.6</b>
ISU	69.8	67.0	67.8	69.2	68.0	65.4	75.6	71.0	74.3	73.1	72.7	74.2	70.8	72.7	<b>75.4</b>
UNI	73.2	70.9	72.3	69.9	74.7	69.3	73.7	73.2	72.8	73.1	72.0	76.9	78.9	73.8	<b>75.3</b>
22 - 26															
SUI	62.1	60.7	64.2	65.7	64.0	62.5	63.4	65.3	64.1	64.5	67.0	65.8	64.8	66.8	<b>68.2</b>
ISU	64.5	62.8	59.6	58.7	60.5	60.6	61.9	62.0	63.8	63.3	65.9	67.9	64.5	66.0	<b>65.6</b>
UNI	59.8	64.9	60.7	62.8	64.0	64.3	64.2	65.7	68.7	66.9	63.3	64.0	68.5	67.1	<b>64.4</b>
19 - 21															
SUI	55.7	54.5	55.3	53.3	59.4	58.2	58.7	57.4	61.2	56.8	60.9	58.8	59.3	57.8	<b>56.3</b>
ISU	59.6	57.8	55.3	54.5	55.9	56.2	59.3	60.0	57.7	62.2	61.5	61.7	62.5	59.7	<b>61.8</b>
UNI	56.9	56.8	52.5	55.8	55.3	60.7	57.3	61.9	59.3	61.6	63.8	64.1	62.0	62.8	<b>60.1</b>
≤18															
SUI	49.2	50.7	51.2	48.7	42.5	43.8	42.2	46.2	46.9	44.9	41.9	53.4	50.6	45.2	<b>41.6</b>
ISU	44.4	49.8	37.7	49.6	48.0	48.4	51.0	54.5	49.8	56.1	52.6	53.0	54.9	49.3	<b>55.8</b>
UNI	47.7	43.7	46.2	48.9	54.3	48.1	42.6	48.1	59.0	50.0	53.1	55.0	54.2	48.4	<b>48.2</b>
NA															
SUI	55.7	58.0	53.0	51.4	54.3	63.0	62.6	61.7	62.6	58.7	57.4	54.0	57.7	55.8	<b>64.4</b>
ISU	45.5	37.2	47.7	54.1	60.1	53.6	47.4	54.4	57.0	54.5	42.9	61.0	48.5	41.9	<b>42.9</b>
UNI	40.0	47.4	47.1	33.3	33.3	46.7	41.7	16.7	64.3	30.0	57.1	21.4	51.7	38.9	<b>50.0</b>
TOTAL															
SUI	61.1	60.9	62.6	63.1	63.7	62.8	64.0	64.9	64.4	64.6	66.2	66.1	65.5	65.9	<b>66.0</b>
ISU	63.5	61.6	60.0	59.9	61.0	60.4	63.6	63.7	65.3	65.7	66.5	68.0	65.8	65.6	<b>67.4</b>
UNI	60.4	61.9	59.4	60.4	62.2	62.9	62.2	64.2	66.5	65.2	64.3	65.0	67.1	65.0	<b>63.0</b>

**TABLE 15**  
**SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATES BY FIRST-TERM GPA**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2002**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
3.50-4.00															
SUI	88.1	83.0	86.7	83.7	84.3	85.9	83.4	89.7	87.7	87.4	86.7	85.6	87.1	86.1	<b>84.2</b>
ISU	82.6	84.2	83.9	81.9	83.9	82.8	84.8	87.9	88.3	86.4	88.5	88.3	89.1	87.0	<b>85.0</b>
UNI	84.6	83.4	84.2	82.1	85.4	82.0	84.9	87.1	83.1	85.5	85.5	84.0	86.6	86.4	<b>85.0</b>
3.25-3.49															
SUI	81.4	77.5	79.3	80.6	79.9	81.1	85.4	82.8	79.6	80.3	81.5	83.9	84.6	82.2	<b>82.2</b>
ISU	82.5	79.6	76.4	78.6	75.9	78.2	84.6	84.4	84.3	86.3	80.9	81.3	79.5	84.1	<b>83.7</b>
UNI	81.4	82.7	76.2	75.4	82.5	77.2	78.9	75.4	87.8	80.0	78.3	78.4	79.4	77.9	<b>78.4</b>
3.00-3.24															
SUI	76.4	80.9	77.1	75.1	77.0	79.9	78.7	76.5	79.0	79.8	81.2	78.1	81.8	77.8	<b>79.2</b>
ISU	80.3	73.2	75.7	81.4	77.2	76.0	81.0	81.7	78.3	79.4	80.9	81.3	76.8	73.8	<b>79.7</b>
UNI	76.9	69.4	70.6	71.2	76.4	75.0	72.0	72.9	77.7	76.8	76.2	76.2	83.0	75.7	<b>73.1</b>
2.75-2.99															
SUI	73.1	69.1	72.2	73.8	72.0	71.1	70.7	74.7	78.1	76.1	75.3	72.8	74.1	71.6	<b>70.3</b>
ISU	76.0	71.8	72.4	73.5	71.9	71.9	73.7	74.0	77.0	78.2	76.0	80.5	77.5	74.3	<b>80.4</b>
UNI	73.2	74.7	69.5	65.1	69.3	68.4	73.5	74.8	72.2	68.4	64.7	71.0	75.6	74.5	<b>70.8</b>
2.50-2.74															
SUI	67.4	63.1	66.2	68.7	68.1	68.3	64.7	67.7	71.2	64.6	68.0	70.4	65.8	64.0	<b>65.0</b>
ISU	72.3	67.5	66.6	67.3	71.5	66.8	70.2	71.6	71.9	67.9	70.6	70.4	73.4	71.7	<b>73.3</b>
UNI	66.9	65.5	63.0	72.1	68.0	71.4	69.4	68.8	74.6	67.9	68.8	76.8	73.9	64.4	<b>65.0</b>
2.25-2.49															
SUI	59.8	58.1	63.0	52.3	56.9	53.1	59.4	63.7	59.1	59.7	59.1	59.0	60.5	59.7	<b>57.3</b>
ISU	64.3	68.1	62.7	62.0	64.6	61.5	60.9	65.5	68.5	65.8	62.2	67.2	64.5	62.2	<b>62.3</b>
UNI	66.8	63.7	63.0	55.1	65.2	60.4	59.9	67.1	63.2	64.2	61.1	59.0	66.5	64.4	<b>54.9</b>
2.00-2.24															
SUI	50.1	48.4	47.2	54.9	52.3	51.8	53.6	51.2	49.1	48.8	49.7	48.8	49.3	49.0	<b>46.1</b>
ISU	57.5	60.2	54.6	56.4	56.0	55.2	55.2	61.2	55.4	57.0	56.0	55.9	56.8	51.8	<b>48.9</b>
UNI	52.0	50.7	51.1	54.3	48.8	60.7	54.8	63.5	63.6	57.0	51.0	54.1	54.5	51.4	<b>49.7</b>
1.00-1.99															
SUI	27.0	23.0	23.5	29.3	29.3	23.7	30.4	27.3	28.3	25.5	9.1	24.6	29.9	24.7	<b>28.8</b>
ISU	42.6	41.9	40.3	35.0	39.5	38.7	39.0	38.1	36.6	39.4	38.1	35.6	33.1	35.9	<b>32.3</b>
UNI	38.1	37.5	34.7	22.6	34.5	38.3	35.3	37.2	41.5	40.8	42.5	34.5	34.9	35.1	<b>30.5</b>
0.00-0.99															
SUI	0.0	0.0	3.8	2.1	7.1	4.5	2.2	0.0	4.3	0.0	0.0	3.2	7.8	4.0	<b>2.2</b>
ISU	12.3	7.0	8.7	5.2	6.2	7.6	9.8	6.7	3.8	11.6	9.1	12.0	7.9	8.9	<b>11.4</b>
UNI	7.7	8.8	4.4	2.9	3.2	1.4	1.2	3.6	4.9	3.8	1.0	4.0	9.8	8.4	<b>5.5</b>
NA															
SUI	0.0	0.0	4.3	0.0	8.2	7.0	8.3	9.2	5.3	11.4	8.1	6.9	3.7	50.0	<b>1.6</b>
ISU	28.6	33.3	2.3	7.5	0.0	3.8	7.7	2.0	8.8	7.6	16.4	16.1	11.6	45.6	<b>47.7</b>
UNI	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	NA	NA	0.0	<b>NA</b>
TOTAL															
SUI	61.1	60.9	62.6	63.1	63.7	62.8	64.0	64.9	64.4	64.6	63.7	66.1	65.5	65.9	<b>66.0</b>
ISU	63.5	61.6	60.0	59.9	61.0	60.4	62.4	63.7	65.3	65.7	66.5	68.0	65.8	65.6	<b>67.4</b>
UNI	60.4	61.9	59.4	60.4	62.2	62.9	62.2	64.2	66.5	65.2	64.3	65.0	67.1	65.0	<b>63.0</b>

**TABLE 16**  
**SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATES BY GENDER**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2002**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
<b>WOMEN</b>															
SUI	62.3	64.3	63.9	63.9	66.0	65.8	65.4	66.3	65.4	66.3	68.2	69.1	66.5	67.6	<b>68.1</b>
ISU	67.3	64.6	63.0	65.0	64.8	64.0	66.2	66.0	68.1	68.4	68.6	70.6	69.6	69.2	<b>70.3</b>
UNI	61.0	61.7	58.5	60.2	63.0	63.6	64.8	65.4	66.8	66.4	67.1	66.6	68.5	67.8	<b>64.5</b>
<b>MEN</b>															
SUI	59.8	57.3	61.0	62.1	61.1	58.9	62.4	63.0	63.2	62.3	63.7	62.2	64.2	63.6	<b>63.4</b>
ISU	60.8	59.5	57.7	56.5	58.2	57.7	59.3	61.8	63.0	63.6	64.6	65.8	62.7	62.6	<b>64.8</b>
UNI	59.5	62.2	60.9	60.6	61.0	61.3	58.1	62.4	66.1	63.4	59.3	62.3	64.9	60.2	<b>60.4</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>															
SUI	61.1	60.9	62.6	63.1	63.7	62.8	64.0	64.9	64.4	64.6	66.2	66.1	65.5	65.9	<b>66.0</b>
ISU	63.6	61.6	60.0	60.1	61.1	60.4	62.4	63.7	65.3	65.7	66.5	68.0	65.8	65.6	<b>67.4</b>
UNI	60.4	61.9	59.4	60.4	62.2	62.7	62.2	64.2	66.5	65.2	64.3	65.0	67.1	65.0	<b>63.0</b>

**TABLE 17**  
**SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATES BY RACE/ETHNICITY AND RESIDENCE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 2000 - 2002**  
**SPRING 2009**

	2000		2001		2002	
	%		%		%	
	Res	NonRes	Res	NonRes	Res	NonRes
Native American						
SUI	40.0	25.0	42.9	66.7	66.7	60.0
ISU	37.5	0.0	42.9	40.0	33.3	66.7
UNI	33.3	NA	0.0	NA	66.7	NA
African-American						
SUI	52.0	38.8	42.9	44.3	60.0	35.3
ISU	51.5	50.7	48.6	46.8	64.4	48.3
UNI	52.8	38.7	40.0	20.5	66.7	30.0
Asian-American						
SUI	64.3	55.8	68.7	53.7	68.7	63.0
ISU	60.8	61.5	67.0	55.0	56.3	65.5
UNI	64.0	50.0	70.4	33.3	58.3	NA
Hispanic-American						
SUI	68.3	52.4	54.5	63.6	50.0	58.8
ISU	63.0	49.1	62.5	51.2	60.9	63.2
UNI	46.7	66.7	40.0	36.4	50.0	37.5
Subtotal						
SUI	60.5	47.2	59.5	54.3	62.4	52.8
ISU	58.4	52.1	61.7	49.2	58.5	55.6
UNI	53.7	46.7	51.6	24.5	61.7	31.3
White						
SUI	65.0	69.3	68.2	64.8	66.3	67.4
ISU	68.4	62.6	68.0	65.1	69.2	67.4
UNI	68.3	57.6	67.2	42.6	64.2	58.6
Regent Total						
SUI	64.7	66.7	67.5	63.5	66.1	66.0
ISU	67.4	61.3	67.4	61.2	68.3	64.9
UNI	68.0	52.6	66.7	37.0	64.1	46.6

NA = no students in the cohort.



**TABLE 18 - ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY TYPE OF TRANSFER COLLEGE  
FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1991 - 2007  
SPRING 2009**

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Iowa 2-yr Public, AA Degree																	
SUI	79.5	79.0	77.1	75.2	72.1	78.2	79.2	78.4	79.3	73.8	80.2	80.1	75.6	78.4	74.3	84.7	<b>80.4</b>
ISU	83.2	82.0	80.5	79.8	83.6	82.4	81.2	82.0	84.7	84.4	81.9	80.6	79.8	84.7	82.9	83.6	<b>82.0</b>
UNI	86.7	86.1	84.1	84.0	83.8	81.9	82.1	83.9	87.4	88.6	88.7	85.6	85.0	83.2	85.9	87.7	<b>87.1</b>
Iowa 2-yr Pub, Other Assoc Deg																	
SUI										66.7	52.2	58.3	100.0	74.4	71.0	68.4	<b>81.8</b>
ISU										81.8	83.2	82.9	83.0	68.8	83.2	90.4	<b>83.9</b>
UNI										83.8	72.4	77.3	80.0	80.4	79.1	79.5	<b>64.9</b>
Iowa 2-yr Pub, No Assoc Degree																	
SUI	72.6	71.4	70.2	69.2	74.4	76.8	73.5	72.4	69.6	74.5	71.5	74.8	76.4	77.3	75.0	79.3	<b>75.7</b>
ISU	77.2	78.0	78.5	75.8	75.0	76.9	77.2	78.2	80.6	79.0	77.7	77.1	74.0	74.4	76.4	73.1	<b>75.9</b>
UNI	82.0	76.8	80.0	75.1	73.0	74.8	74.4	79.2	73.7	72.9	68.8	70.0	67.2	72.4	68.7	80.6	<b>71.5</b>
All Iowa 2-yr Public																	
SUI	76.3	75.5	73.8	72.2	73.0	77.5	76.4	75.1	74.2	74.0	74.7	77.1	76.1	77.6	74.5	81.7	<b>78.0</b>
ISU	78.3	79.0	78.9	76.6	76.9	78.5	78.2	79.4	81.8	80.9	79.4	78.7	76.6	77.0	79.3	78.2	<b>78.6</b>
UNI	85.2	83.4	82.7	80.4	79.8	78.9	79.4	81.8	82.0	82.9	80.9	79.8	78.8	79.2	79.9	84.4	<b>80.4</b>
Iowa Private 2-yr																	
SUI	62.5	100.0	83.3	40.0	88.9	50.0	25.0	41.2	66.7	71.4	80.0	42.9	0.0	0.0	66.7	50.0	<b>75.0</b>
ISU	70.8	69.6	71.4	74.1	66.7	73.1	68.0	60.0	91.7	87.5	76.9	50.0	50.0	50.0	20.0	66.7	<b>62.5</b>
UNI	86.8	80.6	72.2	78.3	65.1	73.7	83.3	69.2	78.6	70.0	66.7	75.0	70.6	69.2	91.7	81.8	<b>60.0</b>
Iowa Private 4-yr																	
SUI	73.3	82.3	68.8	74.3	73.4	80.2	74.7	71.6	78.1	83.0	71.1	80.5	75.3	82.2	72.2	79.5	<b>86.1</b>
ISU	73.7	82.8	82.2	71.6	81.4	74.0	78.7	73.8	81.7	81.3	79.5	75.5	74.5	78.3	78.8	80.5	<b>82.9</b>
UNI	79.4	81.7	72.5	85.0	73.6	83.5	81.0	83.5	77.8	78.8	81.4	76.1	73.2	77.1	78.8	83.5	<b>80.6</b>
Iowa Public 4-yr																	
SUI	86.6	86.1	86.1	84.4	84.8	85.5	83.6	81.5	83.9	89.5	81.3	82.8	78.9	84.3	79.7	84.8	<b>86.3</b>
ISU	83.5	73.1	84.0	77.9	76.5	80.4	81.4	76.4	79.5	85.6	77.0	81.9	77.5	77.7	81.2	80.6	<b>86.8</b>
UNI	84.9	78.3	87.5	76.9	81.4	82.1	83.3	91.4	79.3	81.7	71.6	81.4	80.6	80.0	81.4	83.3	<b>84.4</b>
Colleges Outside Iowa																	
SUI	80.6	79.5	74.7	74.0	78.5	82.8	81.9	80.7	77.3	78.8	79.3	74.4	78.5	76.5	80.8	81.4	<b>80.5</b>
ISU	73.6	74.4	77.2	76.0	75.3	75.6	76.0	75.6	78.6	78.9	72.6	77.0	77.4	78.5	78.1	76.3	<b>80.9</b>
UNI	76.9	78.4	75.8	75.7	78.6	80.6	79.0	74.4	78.4	75.8	80.6	85.7	80.0	71.9	79.3	78.0	<b>79.8</b>
TOTAL TRANSFER STUDENTS																	
SUI	79.2	79.3	75.2	74.5	76.8	80.5	78.6	76.9	76.6	77.8	76.7	76.7	76.9	78.3	76.5	80.4	<b>79.7</b>
ISU	76.6	77.5	78.9	75.9	76.5	77.2	77.6	77.3	80.9	80.8	77.4	78.1	76.6	77.4	78.9	78.0	<b>79.8</b>
UNI	83.7	82.1	80.5	80.2	78.5	79.8	79.9	81.4	81.0	81.3	80.2	80.1	78.5	78.0	80.0	83.6	<b>80.4</b>

**TABLE 19**  
**TWO-YEAR GRADUATION RATES**  
**BY TYPE OF TRANSFER COLLEGE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1991 - 2006**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Iowa 2-yr Public, AA Degree																
SUI	20.0	24.1	23.8	15.9	22.3	21.8	22.7	22.7	19.5	21.9	25.9	25.2	25.6	24.5	23.4	<b>25.9</b>
ISU	13.6	22.5	16.1	14.1	22.9	15.1	23.7	23.3	23.3	22.1	24.6	23.3	21.0	20.6	20.7	<b>18.9</b>
UNI	20.0	19.6	19.0	20.5	18.5	19.2	22.5	26.0	21.4	21.9	23.1	24.5	24.4	22.4	24.8	<b>34.2</b>
Iowa 2-yr Public, Other Assoc Deg																
SUI										26.7	34.8	8.3	0.0	25.6	16.1	<b>15.8</b>
ISU										20.5	20.0	20.7	28.7	20.0	19.6	<b>28.8</b>
UNI										21.6	13.8	20.5	20.0	23.5	22.4	<b>20.5</b>
Iowa 2-yr Public, No Assoc Degree																
SUI	4.3	3.4	4.7	5.7	5.7	5.4	8.6	6.4	9.8	7.7	8.8	7.9	9.4	9.1	8.9	<b>12.6</b>
ISU	5.2	7.7	5.6	6.5	5.8	8.1	9.8	8.2	9.0	5.2	4.6	6.6	8.3	8.5	8.1	<b>5.9</b>
UNI	1.9	1.8	2.2	3.2	2.3	5.6	3.2	4.4	6.4	1.1	3.9	5.8	6.7	6.6	5.2	<b>6.7</b>
All Iowa 2-yr Public																
SUI	12.6	15.0	14.2	10.6	13.5	13.3	15.5	14.4	14.4	14.4	17.9	16.6	16.6	17.6	14.9	<b>19.6</b>
ISU	6.7	11.4	8.1	8.2	9.5	10.1	13.4	12.7	13.3	11.9	11.6	13.0	14.1	13.3	13.6	<b>12.3</b>
UNI	14.2	14.4	13.2	13.5	12.4	13.5	15.6	16.3	15.6	14.6	15.8	18.0	18.3	16.9	18.4	<b>22.4</b>
Iowa Private 2-yr																
SUI	12.5	50.0	33.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	25.0	5.9	0.0	28.6	20.0	14.3	0.0	NA	0.0	<b>50.0</b>
ISU	8.3	17.4	4.8	0.0	14.3	3.8	12.0	13.3	4.2	4.2	0.0	33.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	<b>0.0</b>
UNI	18.4	9.7	16.7	13.0	9.3	21.1	46.7	15.4	7.1	0.0	8.3	12.5	17.6	23.1	8.3	<b>0.0</b>
Iowa Private 4-yr																
SUI	15.3	8.8	8.0	11.0	15.3	13.5	15.2	8.4	18.1	11.4	19.3	19.5	14.3	11.0	11.3	<b>12.3</b>
ISU	9.5	9.9	11.1	10.5	12.7	8.1	9.6	9.8	11.9	14.0	12.1	10.4	13.7	16.0	8.7	<b>12.7</b>
UNI	6.1	8.6	9.2	9.3	3.6	13.4	5.1	8.7	8.9	13.5	12.4	8.7	14.1	7.1	10.6	<b>13.4</b>
Iowa Public 4-yr																
SUI	16.0	13.9	26.5	18.1	18.3	21.1	22.4	27.4	13.4	16.2	22.3	17.2	12.2	14.7	17.7	<b>16.5</b>
ISU	15.7	14.8	13.2	16.3	12.9	19.6	17.4	14.5	19.6	20.2	17.0	25.3	15.0	12.8	10.6	<b>17.2</b>
UNI	15.1	10.1	17.9	12.3	18.6	15.4	21.2	18.6	15.9	16.9	17.9	16.9	25.4	22.9	21.4	<b>13.9</b>
Colleges Outside Iowa																
SUI	14.9	18.0	14.6	16.6	16.6	16.5	15.5	18.8	15.0	13.6	13.3	13.5	11.1	13.6	18.0	<b>20.8</b>
ISU	10.2	8.4	11.8	14.4	14.3	11.7	12.7	14.3	12.9	13.1	12.4	13.9	16.0	14.6	12.2	<b>12.0</b>
UNI	13.2	8.8	19.2	10.7	20.4	10.1	15.0	11.1	12.7	12.9	15.6	16.0	15.7	15.7	20.7	<b>13.0</b>
TOTAL TRANSFER STUDENTS																
SUI	14.3	15.4	15.5	13.8	15.3	15.4	16.2	16.6	14.8	14.2	16.8	15.9	14.5	15.7	15.7	<b>19.3</b>
ISU	8.9	10.7	9.0	10.8	11.7	11.0	13.0	13.1	13.4	12.9	12.1	13.8	14.5	13.7	12.6	<b>12.5</b>
UNI	13.3	12.6	13.9	12.6	12.6	13.3	16.0	15.0	14.6	14.2	15.5	16.7	18.2	16.5	18.0	<b>19.8</b>

**TABLE 20**  
**THREE-YEAR GRADUATION RATES**  
**BY TYPE OF TRANSFER COLLEGE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1991 - 2005**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Iowa 2-yr Public, AA Degree															
SUI	47.6	50.2	50.6	47.3	50.6	53.6	52.3	56.5	52.5	47.6	57.5	61.0	55.4	54.6	51.7
ISU	63.2	66.3	55.7	47.2	59.3	48.7	59.1	65.7	60.6	61.5	60.8	60.9	55.4	60.1	51.6
UNI	64.5	65.3	63.7	66.5	62.1	62.7	63.6	63.9	66.4	66.1	66.0	63.1	65.0	54.7	63.9
Iowa 2-yr Public, Other Assoc Deg															
SUI										53.3	52.2	25.0	100.0	53.5	45.2
ISU										59.1	49.5	47.6	63.8	47.5	51.4
UNI										54.1	41.4	63.6	56.7	39.2	49.3
Iowa 2-yr Public, No Assoc Degree															
SUI	24.7	23.2	23.0	24.7	28.2	27.5	28.0	30.4	28.7	30.4	32.7	35.7	36.2	32.6	37.9
ISU	31.6	32.1	29.1	29.0	31.0	36.9	37.1	35.1	37.6	33.1	30.3	34.8	34.7	33.8	28.6
UNI	24.2	26.2	30.8	23.3	25.5	28.2	25.6	28.2	29.2	24.4	24.9	28.0	30.3	36.2	31.3
All Iowa 2-yr Public															
SUI	36.9	38.2	36.8	35.6	38.6	40.0	39.9	43.2	40.0	38.6	45.1	48.2	45.0	44.5	43.7
ISU	37.4	40.6	35.3	33.1	37.2	40.3	42.8	44.4	44.4	44.5	40.5	43.8	43.8	43.2	38.8
UNI	51.7	53.8	52.3	49.1	48.4	48.2	50.0	47.9	51.9	50.9	50.3	51.3	53.0	47.0	52.4
Iowa Private 2-yr															
SUI	25.0	100.0	50.0	20.0	55.6	0.0	50.0	17.6	0.0	57.1	40.0	28.6	0.0	NA	33.3
ISU	33.3	39.1	19.0	40.7	38.1	30.8	44.0	33.3	50.0	58.3	30.8	50.0	16.7	25.0	0.0
UNI	55.3	54.8	44.4	56.5	46.5	47.4	73.3	46.2	57.1	40.0	58.3	41.7	41.2	46.2	33.3
Iowa Private 4-yr															
SUI	40.5	33.6	33.9	43.1	42.7	41.7	34.3	37.9	41.0	46.6	37.3	32.5	37.7	42.5	43.3
ISU	31.6	36.4	35.6	33.3	41.5	35.0	37.5	38.5	40.5	41.3	44.7	36.8	35.3	49.1	36.5
UNI	29.8	36.6	29.4	31.8	32.7	43.3	31.6	33.0	33.3	46.2	38.1	45.7	36.6	32.9	42.3
Iowa Public 4-yr															
SUI	49.2	52.6	54.3	48.1	52.4	55.4	54.3	55.6	49.1	45.7	52.7	44.8	41.1	50.0	49.4
ISU	46.3	31.5	39.6	46.5	42.4	47.4	45.3	42.7	47.3	51.0	49.0	57.8	46.3	45.7	47.1
UNI	47.9	49.3	51.8	44.6	45.7	47.4	51.5	57.1	54.9	52.1	46.3	52.5	61.2	51.4	50.0
Colleges Outside Iowa															
SUI	43.4	41.5	39.6	40.4	46.0	46.6	46.1	47.6	42.9	42.9	49.0	44.7	45.5	46.6	49.7
ISU	34.1	30.7	37.4	39.2	41.4	40.7	44.1	42.5	43.0	40.2	43.9	42.7	46.4	40.7	41.1
UNI	28.6	32.4	42.5	38.8	48.5	40.3	45.0	40.2	40.2	36.3	45.6	45.4	47.0	37.2	50.4
TOTAL TRANSFER STUDENTS															
SUI	41.7	41.3	39.9	39.6	43.6	44.4	42.9	45.2	41.9	41.5	46.6	45.5	44.2	45.5	45.7
ISU	36.3	36.6	36.1	36.0	39.4	40.3	42.9	43.0	44.0	43.7	42.3	43.8	43.8	43.1	39.5
UNI	46.5	49.1	47.7	45.8	46.5	46.5	48.8	46.0	49.4	48.6	48.4	50.0	51.5	45.1	50.9

**TABLE 21**  
**FOUR-YEAR GRADUATION RATES**  
**BY TYPE OF TRANSFER COLLEGE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1991 - 2004**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Iowa 2-yr Public, AA Degree	SUI	58.6	56.8	55.8	56.6	54.9	60.7	59.5	61.2	62.1	57.5	64.4	67.0	63.2	<b>62.3</b>
	ISU	76.8	75.3	66.7	60.1	72.1	63.3	68.8	72.2	70.3	77.5	69.0	70.4	65.0	<b>69.8</b>
	UNI	71.6	73.0	72.9	72.3	72.5	69.9	71.7	73.5	75.8	77.2	76.9	72.7	70.0	<b>66.4</b>
Iowa 2-yr Public, Other Assoc Deg	SUI										66.7	65.2	33.3	100.0	<b>67.4</b>
	ISU										69.3	62.1	68.2	77.3	<b>56.3</b>
	UNI										59.5	44.8	70.5	61.7	<b>51.0</b>
Iowa 2-yr Public, No Assoc Degree	SUI	40.3	39.4	36.6	40.9	47.7	45.3	42.3	46.3	47.9	47.6	50.8	56.8	53.1	<b>52.7</b>
	ISU	50.8	49.7	48.2	50.6	50.4	55.8	55.7	53.0	59.0	57.9	49.7	51.3	51.7	<b>50.9</b>
	UNI	44.5	48.8	53.5	44.7	51.4	52.3	50.8	54.4	55.2	44.3	44.9	51.0	56.7	<b>55.6</b>
All Iowa 2-yr Public	SUI	50.0	49.0	46.2	48.5	50.9	52.7	50.7	53.5	54.7	52.4	57.7	61.4	57.8	<b>58.3</b>
	ISU	55.6	56.1	52.5	52.7	55.2	57.9	59.0	58.8	62.4	65.1	56.2	59.0	58.5	<b>57.2</b>
	UNI	63.0	65.8	66.2	61.2	64.6	62.4	64.2	64.9	67.8	64.8	64.2	65.3	65.0	<b>61.4</b>
Iowa Private 2-yr	SUI	37.5	100.0	66.7	40.0	77.8	25.0	50.0	29.4	0.0	57.1	80.0	28.6	0.0	<b>NA</b>
	ISU	50.0	65.2	33.3	48.1	47.6	46.2	52.0	40.0	70.8	66.7	53.8	50.0	16.7	<b>37.5</b>
	UNI	68.4	67.7	50.0	60.9	53.5	47.4	73.3	50.0	64.3	50.0	58.3	54.2	52.9	<b>53.8</b>
Iowa Private 4-yr	SUI	52.7	53.1	50.9	60.6	58.1	57.3	59.6	53.7	58.1	63.6	57.8	63.6	57.1	<b>63.0</b>
	ISU	56.3	58.9	63.7	46.3	63.6	56.9	58.8	62.3	66.7	65.3	62.9	57.5	59.8	<b>65.1</b>
	UNI	55.0	58.1	49.5	59.8	54.5	69.1	59.5	56.3	62.2	64.4	62.9	63.0	60.6	<b>51.4</b>
Iowa Public 4-yr	SUI	72.2	70.5	72.8	70.0	70.1	77.7	69.0	73.4	65.2	71.4	67.9	69.0	64.4	<b>66.7</b>
	ISU	64.5	58.3	67.9	64.0	57.6	69.1	62.8	62.7	74.1	76.9	63.0	69.9	61.3	<b>63.8</b>
	UNI	75.3	69.6	75.0	60.0	72.9	64.1	72.7	80.0	65.9	73.2	59.7	69.5	74.6	<b>71.4</b>
Colleges Outside Iowa	SUI	57.0	56.8	53.3	59.4	60.6	65.3	64.4	63.0	61.1	61.9	63.0	63.1	64.4	<b>66.3</b>
	ISU	53.0	51.0	56.5	57.7	56.3	59.7	58.3	61.6	60.4	61.0	59.5	57.9	62.1	<b>59.3</b>
	UNI	45.1	53.9	60.0	53.4	64.1	58.1	63.0	55.6	58.8	58.1	65.6	67.2	63.5	<b>50.4</b>
TOTAL TRANSFER STUDENTS	SUI	56.5	55.6	52.8	56.4	57.9	60.7	57.9	58.4	58.1	58.4	60.7	62.5	60.2	<b>61.7</b>
	ISU	55.5	55.3	55.6	54.2	56.4	59.0	58.9	59.8	63.2	64.9	58.1	59.2	59.4	<b>58.7</b>
	UNI	61.4	64.0	63.4	60.1	63.6	62.4	64.5	63.6	66.2	64.3	63.9	65.3	65.0	<b>59.9</b>

**TABLE 22**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS BY TRANSFER**  
**GPA FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1991 - 2007**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
3.50-4.00																	
SUI	87.2	89.6	82.2	80.4	83.0	86.4	86.2	84.3	79.7	89.8	82.7	85.0	89.2	85.3	81.3	83.6	<b>85.5</b>
ISU	84.1	84.6	86.7	84.2	83.9	87.7	86.0	84.9	89.4	86.5	80.9	83.3	88.1	84.5	84.4	84.8	<b>85.0</b>
UNI	94.0	90.7	89.6	84.8	91.0	87.9	88.7	90.0	92.3	88.7	91.7	93.8	88.7	88.8	92.1	90.6	<b>92.1</b>
3.25-3.49																	
SUI	84.7	78.8	78.3	78.6	82.7	87.3	84.9	80.8	79.9	84.1	83.4	77.6	78.6	80.1	84.8	84.5	<b>82.7</b>
ISU	83.2	87.2	88.5	82.4	83.3	85.3	81.8	78.4	85.6	85.4	83.9	85.8	78.5	78.9	82.7	79.6	<b>86.0</b>
UNI	86.7	84.5	91.6	84.5	79.8	85.5	82.9	88.2	87.9	89.9	86.9	83.6	88.3	87.6	86.4	92.7	<b>84.2</b>
3.00-3.24																	
SUI	87.5	85.6	77.8	80.5	78.8	80.5	82.3	81.7	82.4	79.0	76.1	79.3	81.8	79.0	75.4	86.9	<b>83.5</b>
ISU	86.7	83.6	84.0	76.8	83.3	80.5	83.2	76.6	82.8	82.7	78.0	81.9	74.7	79.5	77.9	82.4	<b>85.8</b>
UNI	92.4	90.2	83.2	84.7	82.4	85.6	84.9	80.0	82.4	87.2	86.7	82.5	77.2	84.0	82.4	83.6	<b>79.6</b>
2.75-2.99																	
SUI	77.7	80.1	79.6	75.2	72.8	82.4	81.4	73.5	76.6	72.8	83.0	75.2	71.8	76.6	74.4	77.7	<b>74.0</b>
ISU	75.4	69.8	75.9	81.4	78.4	77.2	80.1	81.5	84.4	87.1	86.5	80.9	77.8	85.7	76.9	84.8	<b>79.8</b>
UNI	84.4	83.6	73.3	80.9	78.3	85.0	75.3	84.7	82.8	91.3	81.4	79.6	81.4	72.5	77.8	81.9	<b>81.8</b>
2.50-2.74																	
SUI	72.4	73.7	76.5	66.0	75.8	79.2	70.9	71.7	75.3	73.4	68.4	77.3	69.3	76.2	76.7	78.1	<b>66.4</b>
ISU	75.2	77.8	81.8	76.5	76.5	78.7	76.7	77.6	79.7	74.0	72.2	74.4	72.2	68.1	78.6	73.4	<b>75.7</b>
UNI	82.1	80.6	80.8	77.9	78.8	74.1	82.5	80.7	78.7	75.6	71.1	80.4	72.1	69.5	68.1	82.6	<b>72.1</b>
2.25-2.49																	
SUI	66.7	68.8	62.5	70.3	66.1	72.9	67.3	75.2	66.9	69.3	65.3	62.6	59.3	68.8	67.3	72.0	<b>87.5</b>
ISU	72.8	79.2	75.6	72.1	72.6	68.3	66.8	74.2	75.2	74.7	66.3	71.8	73.3	69.5	73.6	66.9	<b>68.9</b>
UNI	74.8	74.1	76.2	75.0	67.7	67.7	70.7	76.0	68.5	61.6	68.7	67.7	66.7	65.1	74.2	71.8	<b>71.2</b>
2.00-2.24																	
SUI	82.3	74.4	63.2	59.6	68.9	66.1	70.4	54.8	57.5	61.0	62.9	67.5	73.3	66.7	50.0	75.0	<b>66.7</b>
ISU	70.4	69.3	70.5	67.3	63.4	71.5	70.6	67.1	71.8	79.6	72.2	62.3	66.0	63.9	71.4	62.4	<b>63.6</b>
UNI	71.4	63.6	62.1	67.9	69.1	64.6	58.5	53.8	57.7	68.0	51.6	51.9	51.4	63.8	60.5	70.8	<b>64.1</b>
1.00-1.99																	
SUI	78.3	75.0	57.1	50.0	88.9	66.7	66.7	57.1	57.1	41.7	66.7	72.7	33.3	25.0	100.0	NA	<b>NA</b>
ISU	62.1	71.9	72.7	70.5	53.5	58.3	71.4	63.6	81.0	45.5	52.2	63.6	43.8	50.0	80.0	38.5	<b>57.1</b>
UNI	66.7	100.0	100.0	66.7	100.0	100.0	75.0	66.7	57.1	37.5	70.0	25.0	50.0	75.0	25.0	66.7	<b>66.7</b>
0.00-0.99																	
SUI	73.2	77.8	53.3	91.7	82.4	63.6	86.7	66.7	63.6	81.0	69.7	NA	100.0	0.0	0.0	NA	<b>NA</b>
ISU	93.3	62.5	88.9	54.5	71.4	100.0	50.0	50.0	35.7	87.5	75.0	71.4	66.7	100.0	62.5	80.0	<b>80.0</b>
UNI	53.8	87.5	90.9	40.0	0.0	75.0	60.0	62.5	50.0	77.8	88.2	44.4	70.0	100.0	100.0	50.0	<b>83.3</b>
NA																	
SUI	75.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	80.0	100.0	50.0	NA	71.4	90.9	63.2	62.5	86.5	<b>93.3</b>
ISU	40.0	26.3	9.5	10.0	16.7	0.0	20.0	16.7	0.0	12.5	NA	100.0	NA	0.0	0.0	100.0	<b>NA</b>
UNI	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.0	NA	NA	<b>NA</b>
TOTAL																	
SUI	79.2	79.4	75.2	74.6	76.8	80.5	78.7	76.9	76.6	77.7	76.7	76.7	76.9	78.3	76.5	81.6	<b>79.7</b>
ISU	76.6	77.5	78.9	75.9	76.5	77.2	77.6	77.3	81.5	80.8	77.4	78.1	76.6	77.4	78.9	78.0	<b>79.8</b>
UNI	83.7	82.1	80.5	80.2	78.5	79.8	79.9	81.4	81.0	81.3	80.2	80.1	78.5	78.0	80.0	83.6	<b>80.4</b>

**TABLE 24**  
**THREE-YEAR GRADUATION RATES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS BY TRANSFER**  
**GPA FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1991 - 2004**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
3.50-4.00															
SUI	60.1	60.7	56.5	55.7	60.4	57.7	60.3	61.8	50.8	57.1	60.8	56.0	58.5	58.5	<b>61.8</b>
ISU	50.5	48.9	55.0	48.4	55.0	53.6	62.9	55.6	59.6	56.4	60.3	54.1	62.8	59.6	<b>47.9</b>
UNI	67.7	72.1	66.0	61.6	71.3	70.7	66.0	72.9	64.9	65.5	67.6	70.1	69.9	62.4	<b>70.1</b>
3.25-3.49															
SUI	54.8	51.9	49.7	46.1	52.6	51.0	44.6	54.5	51.6	49.7	55.0	52.8	44.2	52.6	<b>55.2</b>
ISU	46.4	45.9	48.7	47.3	54.9	49.7	50.3	49.7	54.5	53.4	54.4	61.2	52.2	44.4	<b>50.0</b>
UNI	60.2	61.2	63.2	60.2	51.9	54.5	54.7	55.1	56.5	63.0	53.8	61.0	66.9	62.0	<b>61.0</b>
3.00-3.24															
SUI	55.4	46.4	40.7	40.0	47.0	43.8	47.0	55.0	47.3	46.6	47.3	47.8	50.5	43.6	<b>46.3</b>
ISU	48.2	46.2	39.3	40.4	48.4	47.9	50.5	45.9	47.9	43.1	46.1	48.1	44.9	47.3	<b>42.3</b>
UNI	55.6	59.8	52.6	50.0	50.0	52.9	54.1	41.4	51.6	58.9	52.5	51.9	55.6	50.9	<b>54.9</b>
2.75-2.99															
SUI	39.9	39.4	48.1	36.9	38.6	46.2	44.3	41.5	39.0	39.3	44.8	41.4	42.9	41.7	<b>37.9</b>
ISU	36.4	36.3	38.8	37.3	41.2	40.5	43.9	46.1	47.3	46.1	45.0	43.1	40.9	47.1	<b>40.3</b>
UNI	44.1	43.9	41.1	48.6	43.9	44.3	45.8	49.2	50.0	51.7	46.0	47.1	51.1	38.1	<b>48.0</b>
2.50-2.74															
SUI	30.5	27.3	27.9	35.6	38.9	41.7	34.9	32.1	36.8	28.2	37.4	41.4	35.0	36.9	<b>34.0</b>
ISU	34.8	37.8	40.5	38.5	34.7	39.4	39.0	45.9	34.4	39.3	33.0	40.6	38.5	34.3	<b>36.7</b>
UNI	38.3	45.9	42.3	34.4	43.5	39.2	45.2	40.6	43.1	34.6	40.3	39.3	35.4	33.1	<b>39.9</b>
2.25-2.49															
SUI	21.6	28.8	21.9	24.8	26.3	31.3	25.8	27.7	23.7	29.9	28.2	32.1	22.0	26.0	<b>29.0</b>
ISU	29.4	31.2	24.4	33.0	27.4	26.8	31.3	32.8	35.1	33.5	30.4	30.6	30.8	31.2	<b>23.0</b>
UNI	40.1	36.2	36.1	31.8	29.9	25.0	35.3	28.8	38.5	25.4	35.1	32.3	25.9	23.9	<b>30.8</b>
2.00-2.24															
SUI	25.8	18.6	22.8	17.0	28.9	30.5	27.8	28.6	20.0	24.4	22.9	20.0	40.0	45.8	<b>23.5</b>
ISU	23.1	23.3	20.5	19.3	23.7	27.6	24.7	22.4	23.1	32.7	22.5	20.3	20.8	18.5	<b>22.4</b>
UNI	23.4	24.2	34.5	32.1	38.2	36.9	28.3	17.3	25.0	36.0	18.8	29.6	35.1	23.4	<b>18.4</b>
1.00-1.99															
SUI	17.4	12.5	7.1	20.0	11.1	11.1	44.4	0.0	14.3	25.0	0.0	40.9	16.7	0.0	<b>25.0</b>
ISU	17.2	14.0	7.3	13.1	16.3	19.4	14.3	18.2	19.0	4.5	4.3	9.1	12.5	16.7	<b>30.0</b>
UNI	0.0	100.0	50.0	33.3	40.0	0.0	12.5	33.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	25.0	30.0	0.0	<b>0.0</b>
0.00-0.99															
SUI	39.0	44.4	53.3	91.7	23.5	18.2	33.3	16.7	27.3	30.0	48.5	NA	100.0	NA	<b>NA</b>
ISU	13.3	6.3	44.4	0.0	0.0	33.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	14.3	16.7	25.0	<b>25.0</b>
UNI	7.7	12.5	36.4	0.0	0.0	25.0	0.0	37.5	0.0	44.4	64.7	22.2	20.0	66.7	<b>0.0</b>
NA															
SUI	27.6	50.0	66.7	0.0	100.0	0.0	100.0	80.0	60.0	0.0	NA	47.6	18.2	26.3	<b>37.5</b>
ISU	16.7	15.8	9.5	5.0	16.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	0.0	NA	NA	<b>NA</b>
UNI	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	<b>NA</b>
TOTAL															
SUI	41.7	41.4	39.9	39.6	43.6	44.4	42.9	45.2	41.9	41.5	46.6	45.5	44.2	45.5	<b>45.7</b>
ISU	36.3	36.6	36.1	36.0	39.4	40.3	42.9	43.0	44.0	43.7	42.3	43.8	43.8	43.1	<b>39.5</b>
UNI	46.5	49.1	47.7	45.8	46.5	46.5	48.8	46.0	49.4	48.6	48.2	50.0	51.5	45.1	<b>50.9</b>

**TABLE 25**  
**FOUR-YEAR GRADUATION RATES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS BY TRANSFER**  
**GPA FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1991 - 2004**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	<b>2004</b>
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
3.50-4.00														
SUI	77.7	71.6	69.1	72.7	74.9	74.2	72.8	76.5	70.3	78.1	73.1	78.1	77.6	<b>76.7</b>
ISU	71.4	69.7	75.0	69.5	71.1	74.1	79.2	73.8	77.3	77.5	77.8	71.5	79.4	<b>72.5</b>
UNI	82.0	82.6	79.2	72.0	82.0	82.9	81.1	86.4	82.5	75.7	83.3	85.3	81.7	<b>78.1</b>
3.25-3.49														
SUI	71.3	66.3	63.1	66.2	66.0	68.8	65.5	67.7	67.9	67.7	73.5	67.7	58.4	<b>71.8</b>
ISU	68.8	70.3	71.2	67.9	70.8	69.2	66.7	62.6	74.9	70.4	66.1	74.9	65.6	<b>60.6</b>
UNI	75.5	75.9	78.9	70.9	70.5	72.7	72.6	75.6	79.0	76.8	74.5	73.3	76.6	<b>80.3</b>
3.00-3.24														
SUI	69.0	61.4	57.7	60.5	64.6	62.4	62.4	69.6	65.4	63.1	63.2	63.1	69.3	<b>59.0</b>
ISU	69.2	65.5	59.7	58.6	68.8	66.8	67.8	65.1	68.1	72.0	62.7	64.3	60.9	<b>63.4</b>
UNI	70.8	76.5	69.3	68.2	65.3	72.5	72.7	64.1	67.3	75.0	72.4	68.1	69.0	<b>72.8</b>
2.75-2.99														
SUI	53.9	56.1	56.2	54.9	52.5	61.8	57.4	54.5	55.6	53.2	59.4	53.2	55.8	<b>57.1</b>
ISU	55.5	55.9	58.0	61.8	64.3	63.4	59.3	63.8	67.9	70.7	61.5	61.8	57.6	<b>66.8</b>
UNI	60.9	62.0	61.0	63.6	64.4	62.9	62.7	65.6	69.0	79.9	64.2	66.5	66.0	<b>48.8</b>
2.50-2.74														
SUI	47.7	42.3	47.5	47.4	53.1	58.9	55.6	45.5	49.4	50.0	49.7	50.0	52.1	<b>52.5</b>
ISU	55.2	58.7	59.9	57.3	52.6	56.5	53.3	61.4	54.7	57.3	48.7	54.8	55.6	<b>48.5</b>
UNI	54.7	61.2	59.6	50.0	63.6	54.5	61.0	56.9	59.2	51.2	50.3	56.0	53.7	<b>49.4</b>
2.25-2.49														
SUI	33.9	40.6	31.3	40.7	37.4	45.1	36.5	39.0	40.7	42.5	40.3	42.5	33.9	<b>41.7</b>
ISU	48.2	49.8	45.1	44.2	41.1	43.7	48.1	52.5	51.4	53.1	43.6	44.1	44.5	<b>42.9</b>
UNI	51.0	49.1	48.4	45.5	47.6	38.7	46.6	45.6	50.8	38.4	45.0	43.0	41.7	<b>30.3</b>
2.00-2.24														
SUI	40.3	37.2	26.3	31.9	42.2	44.1	38.9	35.7	22.5	31.7	37.1	31.7	43.3	<b>50.0</b>
ISU	39.1	33.7	38.6	34.5	36.6	44.7	40.0	35.0	40.2	50.4	37.7	33.3	34.9	<b>38.0</b>
UNI	36.4	36.4	43.1	43.4	50.9	46.2	32.1	32.7	34.6	44.0	31.3	38.9	43.2	<b>31.9</b>
1.00-1.99														
SUI	26.1	37.5	28.6	40.0	22.2	22.2	44.4	14.3	14.3	25.0	16.7	25.0	16.7	<b>0.0</b>
ISU	27.6	26.3	21.8	29.5	23.3	30.6	38.1	36.4	52.4	18.2	39.1	9.1	31.3	<b>33.3</b>
UNI	33.3	100.0	50.0	50.0	40.0	0.0	50.0	66.7	14.3	0.0	10.0	25.0	30.0	<b>0.0</b>
0.00-0.99														
SUI	46.3	55.6	53.3	91.7	41.2	27.3	46.7	27.8	40.9	38.1	57.6	40.0	100.0	<b>NA</b>
ISU	26.7	18.8	66.7	18.2	14.3	33.3	0.0	16.7	21.4	50.0	25.0	14.3	33.3	<b>50.0</b>
UNI	23.1	25.0	63.6	20.0	0.0	50.0	40.0	62.5	25.0	55.6	76.5	44.4	30.0	<b>66.7</b>
NA														
SUI	41.4	100.0	66.7	0.0	100.0	0.0	100.0	80.0	80.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	54.5	<b>31.6</b>
ISU	33.3	26.3	9.5	5.0	16.7	0.0	20.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	NA	<b>NA</b>
UNI	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.0	NA	NA	<b>NA</b>
TOTAL														
SUI	56.5	55.7	52.8	56.6	57.9	60.7	57.9	58.4	58.1	58.4	60.7	58.4	60.2	<b>61.7</b>
ISU	55.5	55.3	55.6	54.2	56.4	59.0	58.9	59.8	63.2	64.9	58.1	59.2	59.4	<b>58.7</b>
UNI	61.4	64.0	63.4	60.1	63.6	62.4	64.5	63.6	66.2	64.3	63.9	65.3	65.0	<b>59.9</b>

**TABLE 26**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS BY RACE/ETHNICITY**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 2000 - 2007**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	<b>2007</b>
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Native Am.																	
SUI	33.3	85.7	0.0	66.7	100.0	90.0	100.0	50.0	20.0	40.0	0.0	80.0	72.9	66.7	77.8	60.0	<b>80.0</b>
ISU	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	62.5	63.6	77.8	81.3	62.5	62.5	100.0	57.1	50.0	100.0	100.0	<b>0.0</b>
UNI	NA	100.0	100.0	33.3	100.0	60.0	NA	100.0	100.0	100.0	66.7	100.0	75.0	100.0	0.0	100.0	<b>66.7</b>
African-Am.																	
SUI	75.0	93.8	68.4	82.6	82.4	82.4	76.9	82.6	68.2	60.0	80.0	80.0	66.7	70.6	68.0	84.2	<b>83.3</b>
ISU	91.7	80.0	72.7	46.7	81.5	61.3	60.0	62.5	69.0	83.3	65.7	68.6	78.1	76.5	75.0	74.2	<b>76.5</b>
UNI	72.7	80.0	83.3	80.0	86.7	75.0	78.6	55.6	66.7	63.6	85.7	65.2	71.4	57.1	53.6	78.8	<b>80.0</b>
Asian-Am.																	
SUI	90.3	86.2	76.7	73.2	85.7	82.5	72.7	81.5	78.6	82.6	71.0	79.3	81.8	79.2	75.0	79.3	<b>82.9</b>
ISU	90.5	72.7	73.9	62.5	83.9	75.0	75.0	81.4	83.3	85.2	82.8	65.0	67.6	75.8	75.9	77.8	<b>87.5</b>
UNI	90.0	75.0	100.0	71.4	88.9	54.5	100.0	80.0	66.7	66.7	100.0	85.7	72.7	88.9	63.6	87.5	<b>85.7</b>
Hispanic-Am.																	
SUI	87.5	85.0	70.8	68.2	88.2	91.7	91.7	72.0	85.7	71.4	66.7	85.7	79.2	73.1	72.7	70.4	<b>82.6</b>
ISU	72.2	64.3	78.3	69.6	76.9	63.6	83.3	73.9	78.3	91.7	63.2	71.4	55.6	81.0	36.8	80.6	<b>83.3</b>
UNI	75.0	100.0	62.5	86.7	66.7	87.5	66.7	66.7	57.1	84.0	82.6	87.5	87.1	61.8	91.7	76.2	<b>82.9</b>
Subtotal																	
SUI	82.9	87.5	69.7	74.2	85.9	85.7	80.0	77.2	72.6	69.9	70.1	81.3	74.1	73.3	72.5	76.3	<b>82.6</b>
ISU	84.6	75.4	77.6	61.5	82.2	67.0	68.3	72.4	77.9	84.3	70.3	69.0	67.0	74.5	68.2	77.8	<b>79.8</b>
UNI	79.3	83.3	77.8	77.5	82.9	69.4	84.0	62.8	66.0	73.3	83.8	81.1	79.1	64.9	68.8	80.8	<b>80.9</b>
White																	
SUI	78.7	78.5	75.2	74.1	75.6	79.7	78.2	76.5	76.4	78.3	77.0	76.3	76.8	78.9	76.7	82.1	<b>79.2</b>
ISU	77.2	78.4	78.4	76.5	75.0	77.8	76.8	77.3	81.4	80.0	78.3	78.4	77.4	77.8	79.3	78.0	<b>80.0</b>
UNI	84.0	82.1	81.0	80.6	78.3	80.8	79.4	82.4	81.9	82.3	79.6	80.2	79.1	79.1	80.9	84.3	<b>80.1</b>
Regent Total																	
SUI	79.2	79.4	75.2	74.6	76.8	80.5	78.7	76.9	76.6	77.8	76.7	76.7	76.9	78.3	76.5	81.6	<b>79.7</b>
ISU	76.6	77.5	78.9	75.9	76.5	77.2	77.6	77.3	81.5	80.8	77.4	78.1	76.6	77.4	78.9	78.0	<b>79.8</b>
UNI	83.7	82.1	80.5	80.2	78.5	79.8	79.9	81.4	81.0	81.3	80.2	80.1	78.5	78.0	80.0	83.6	<b>80.4</b>



**TABLE 27**  
**THREE-YEAR GRADUATION RATES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS BY RACE/ETHNICITY**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 2000 - 2005**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Native Am.															
SUI	33.3	57.1	0.0	0.0	50.0	40.0	50.0	50.0	20.0	20.0	0.0	20.0	28.6	50.0	55.6
ISU	0.0	25.0	25.0	66.7	50.0	12.5	9.1	44.4	37.5	37.5	12.5	50.0	42.9	20.0	50.0
UNI	NA	100.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	20.0	NA	50.0	66.7	0.0	33.3	50.0	50.0	0.0	0.0
African-Am.															
SUI	55.0	68.8	15.8	30.4	29.4	11.8	30.8	39.1	18.2	20.0	25.0	35.0	19.0	26.5	28.0
ISU	33.3	32.0	36.4	10.0	29.6	19.4	31.4	14.6	27.6	30.0	31.4	28.6	28.1	41.2	27.8
UNI	18.2	26.7	33.3	20.0	46.7	33.3	35.7	22.2	23.8	27.3	38.1	21.7	33.3	17.9	28.6
Asian-Am.															
SUI	71.0	69.0	20.0	36.6	38.8	45.0	30.3	48.1	35.7	39.1	41.9	51.7	36.4	54.2	41.7
ISU	23.8	18.2	26.1	18.8	22.6	30.6	41.7	25.6	33.3	40.7	27.6	10.0	38.2	42.4	31.0
UNI	30.0	25.0	50.0	14.3	66.7	27.3	50.0	40.0	22.2	25.0	25.0	28.6	45.5	55.6	45.5
Hispanic-Am.															
SUI	62.5	60.0	25.0	22.7	52.9	58.3	29.2	48.0	47.6	25.7	33.3	42.9	41.7	38.5	36.4
ISU	33.3	7.1	34.8	39.1	23.1	31.8	33.3	47.8	30.4	33.3	10.5	28.6	25.9	33.3	10.5
UNI	62.5	50.0	25.0	40.0	44.4	12.5	0.0	44.4	7.1	44.0	58.7	55.0	41.9	29.4	70.8
Subtotal															
SUI	62.9	65.3	19.7	30.3	40.0	41.8	30.6	45.6	32.3	27.7	33.8	42.7	32.9	38.9	37.4
ISU	28.8	21.5	31.6	24.2	26.7	25.8	31.7	26.8	31.7	34.8	24.2	22.0	32.0	37.8	26.1
UNI	34.5	33.3	33.3	25.0	48.6	25.0	36.0	30.2	21.3	33.3	50.0	41.9	40.3	27.0	46.9
White															
SUI	56.6	54.1	39.5	39.2	43.3	44.2	43.1	44.2	41.7	42.7	46.6	44.8	44.8	46.3	46.1
ISU	37.3	37.8	34.7	35.7	37.6	40.7	41.7	43.5	44.3	43.6	43.1	45.8	44.7	43.5	39.9
UNI	46.9	49.9	47.8	47.2	46.5	47.9	49.2	46.7	51.1	50.2	48.3	51.1	52.7	47.3	51.9
Regent Total															
SUI	56.6	54.9	39.9	39.6	43.6	44.4	42.9	45.2	41.9	41.5	46.6	45.5	44.2	45.5	45.7
ISU	36.3	36.6	36.1	36.0	39.4	40.3	42.9	43.0	44.0	43.7	42.2	43.8	43.8	43.1	39.5
UNI	46.5	49.1	47.7	45.8	46.5	46.5	48.8	46.0	49.4	48.6	48.2	50.0	51.5	45.1	50.9

**TABLE 28**  
**FOUR-YEAR GRADUATION RATES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS BY RACE/ETHNICITY**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1991 - 2004**  
**SPRING 2009**

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Native Am.														
SUI	0.0	57.1	33.3	0.0	50.0	60.0	50.0	50.0	20.0	40.0	0.0	40.0	57.1	66.7
ISU	0.0	25.0	62.5	66.7	66.7	12.5	36.4	55.6	43.8	37.5	25.0	75.0	42.9	20.0
UNI	NA	100.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	20.0	NA	100.0	66.7	0.0	66.7	50.0	75.0	33.3
African-Am.														
SUI	40.0	50.0	15.8	52.2	58.8	35.3	50.0	56.5	22.7	25.0	25.0	55.0	42.9	32.4
ISU	33.3	52.0	40.9	20.0	48.1	32.3	37.1	27.1	37.9	36.7	48.6	37.1	43.8	47.1
UNI	18.2	46.7	50.0	33.3	60.0	41.7	57.1	33.3	38.1	36.4	52.4	34.8	42.9	25.0
Asian-Am.														
SUI	67.7	48.3	33.3	53.7	57.1	67.5	45.5	51.9	57.1	60.9	51.6	65.5	57.6	75.0
ISU	47.6	36.4	39.1	31.3	51.6	63.9	62.5	51.2	55.6	70.4	58.6	35.0	50.0	57.6
UNI	40.0	25.0	50.0	42.9	77.8	27.3	87.5	60.0	44.4	50.0	25.0	71.4	63.6	77.8
Hispanic-Am.														
SUI	56.3	60.0	50.0	45.5	76.5	75.0	58.3	56.0	61.9	45.7	41.7	66.7	62.5	61.5
ISU	55.6	21.4	39.1	43.5	50.0	40.9	50.0	60.9	43.5	58.3	21.1	47.6	48.1	52.4
UNI	75.0	75.0	25.0	60.0	44.4	25.0	0.0	55.6	42.9	72.0	67.4	65.0	58.1	41.2
Subtotal														
SUI	54.3	52.8	34.2	49.4	61.2	62.6	50.6	54.4	43.5	44.6	40.3	61.3	55.3	54.4
ISU	46.2	38.5	42.1	33.0	51.1	44.3	46.3	43.9	46.2	52.8	44.0	40.0	47.0	49.0
UNI	41.4	50.0	38.9	42.5	57.1	30.6	60.0	44.2	42.6	53.3	60.8	55.4	55.2	39.2
White														
SUI	55.8	55.2	52.8	56.2	56.8	60.1	57.9	57.6	58.0	59.5	61.4	61.8	60.0	62.5
ISU	57.1	56.6	55.1	54.3	54.7	59.5	58.1	60.8	63.9	65.1	58.3	61.1	61.0	59.8
UNI	62.1	64.8	64.0	61	64.0	64.1	64.7	64.5	67.9	65.6	64.2	66.5	65.9	62.2
Regent Total														
SUI	56.5	55.7	52.8	56.6	57.9	60.7	57.9	58.4	58.1	58.4	60.7	62.5	60.2	61.7
ISU	55.5	55.3	55.6	54.2	56.4	59.0	58.9	59.8	63.2	64.9	58.1	59.2	59.4	58.7
UNI	61.4	64.0	63.4	60.1	63.6	62.4	64.5	63.6	66.2	64.3	63.9	65.3	65.0	59.9

**TABLE 29**  
**GRADUATION/PERSISTENCE/TRANSFER RATES FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 TO 2007**  
**SPRING 2009**

**UNIVERSITY OF IOWA**

Year	Number	Non-Persisters			Graduated from SUI					Cont'd 7th Year	Transferred		Total Graduated
		1st Year	2nd Year	Total	3-Year	4-Year	5-Year	6-Year	Total		Elsewhere <sup>1</sup>	Graduated <sup>2</sup>	
1988	3,610	16.7%	8.0%	35.2%	0.4%	30.1%	25.4%	5.3%	61.2%	3.7%	1.6%	0.3%	61.5%
1989	3,348	17.6%	7.8%	36.0%	0.6%	30.0%	25.2%	5.0%	60.9%	3.1%	3.0%	0.6%	61.5%
1990	2,700	16.1%	7.6%	34.4%	0.7%	32.1%	25.0%	4.7%	62.6%	3.0%	5.4%	1.9%	64.5%
1991	2,738	15.6%	7.0%	34.2%	0.5%	31.8%	25.9%	4.9%	63.1%	2.7%	10.6%	4.3%	67.4%
1992	3,111	14.9%	9.1%	34.0%	0.6%	31.8%	26.6%	4.8%	63.7%	2.2%	18.7%	8.8%	72.5%
1993	3,131	16.4%	8.0%	34.8%	0.5%	34.1%	23.4%	4.8%	62.8%	2.5%	20.3%	9.3%	72.1%
1994	3,229	16.6%	7.2%	33.3%	0.8%	33.5%	25.4%	4.4%	64.0%	2.7%	21.2%	9.4%	73.4%
1995	3,462	18.0%	6.1%	32.4%	0.8%	34.5%	25.8%	3.8%	64.9%	2.7%	20.9%	9.4%	74.3%
1996	3,417	17.1%	7.4%	33.2%	0.6%	37.3%	23.4%	3.2%	64.4%	2.3%	23.9%	10.3%	74.7%
1997	3,573	16.3%	7.3%	33.4%	0.8%	36.8%	23.5%	3.4%	64.6%	2.0%	22.7%	7.3%	71.9%
1998	3,896	16.5%	7.5%	31.3%	0.6%	35.2%	25.1%	5.3%	66.2%	2.4%	22.4%	6.8%	73.0%
1999	3,747	16.1%	8.7%	32.2%	0.8%	37.1%	24.2%	3.9%	66.1%	1.8%	23.0%	7.6%	73.7%
2000	3,647	17.5%	8.0%	32.7%	0.5%	39.0%	22.9%	3.1%	65.5%	1.8%	25.6%	6.9%	72.4%
2001	3,930	17.7%	9.1%	32.2%	0.5%	39.1%	22.4%	3.9%	65.9%	1.9%	25.5%	10.7%	76.6%
2002	4,097	17.7%	8.5%	31.9%	0.9%	39.6%	22.3%	3.3%	66.0%	2.1%	24.8%	9.7%	75.7%
2003	4,014	16.9%	7.1%	16.8%	0.8%	40.9%	22.8%		64.5%		22.8%	7.0%	71.5%
2004	3,982	15.7%	8.5%	29.9%	0.9%	42.2%			43.1%		21.6%	2.7%	45.8%
2005	3,818	15.9%	7.6%	26.5%	1.0%				1.0%		21.0%	20.0%	21.0%
2006	4,256	17.3%	7.8%	25.2%							20.1%	0.0%	0.0%
2007	4,253	16.9%		16.9%							13.0%	0.0%	0.0%

<sup>1</sup>Transferred to any postsecondary institution.

<sup>2</sup>Graduated from another post-secondary institution at the end of the 6th year with a bachelor's degree.

**TABLE 29**  
**GRADUATION/PERSISTENCE/TRANSFER RATES FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 TO 2007**  
**SPRING 2009**

**IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY**

Year	Number	Non-Persisters			Graduated from ISU					Cont'd 7th Year	Transferred		Total Graduated
		1st Year	2nd Year	Total	3-Year	4-Year	5-Year	6-Year	Total		Elsewhere	Graduated	
1988	3,744	15.8%	9.9%	32.9%	0.6%	20.9%	34.3%	7.7%	63.6%	3.6%			63.6%
1989	3,751	16.8%	10.0%	34.5%	0.7%	19.6%	33.2%	8.1%	61.6%	3.8%			61.6%
1990	3,310	18.4%	9.9%	35.9%	0.9%	18.1%	32.0%	9.0%	60.0%	4.2%			60.0%
1991	3,228	18.6%	9.9%	36.1%	0.9%	19.7%	31.3%	8.2%	60.1%	3.8%			60.1%
1992	3,333	18.2%	9.7%	34.3%	1.0%	20.7%	32.0%	7.4%	61.1%	4.6%			61.1%
1993	3,416	18.9%	10.3%	36.2%	1.0%	21.3%	30.6%	7.5%	60.4%	3.4%			60.4%
1994	3,325	18.5%	9.7%	35.1%	0.7%	23.3%	31.3%	7.0%	62.4%	2.5%			62.4%
1995	3,274	18.5%	8.2%	33.9%	0.5%	24.6%	31.6%	7.0%	63.7%	2.4%			63.7%
1996	3,599	17.2%	8.4%	31.7%	0.9%	27.5%	30.6%	6.3%	65.3%	3.0%			65.3%
1997	4,007	16.4%	8.6%	31.5%	1.0%	26.0%	32.3%	6.5%	65.7%	2.8%	22.7%	7.9%	73.6%
1998	3,800	15.6%	7.9%	30.9%	0.7%	28.5%	31.0%	6.3%	66.5%	2.6%	23.2%	7.8%	74.3%
1999	4,020	14.9%	8.3%	29.6%	0.6%	30.7%	31.3%	5.3%	68.0%	2.4%	22.5%	6.9%	74.9%
2000	4,289	16.3%	9.0%	31.6%	0.8%	30.4%	29.0%	5.5%	65.8%	2.6%	24.6%	8.9%	74.7%
2001	4,598	16.6%	9.5%	31.9%	0.8%	31.0%	29.1%	4.7%	65.6%	2.4%	25.8%	7.4%	73.0%
2002	4,167	15.8%	8.5%	30.8%	1.1%	32.5%	28.9%	4.8%	67.4%	1.9%	22.8%	7.4%	74.8%
2003	3,863	15.4%	6.9%	30.5%	1.3%	34.0%	27.8%		63.1%		20.6%	5.7%	68.8%
2004	3,674	14.2%	7.8%	29.5%	1.0%	32.2%			33.2%		19.1%	1.8%	35.0%
2005	3,745	16.6%	7.4%	27.3%	1.0%				1.0%		19.7%	0.1%	1.1%
2006	3,952	15.1%	7.7%	22.9%							16.8%	0.0%	0.0%
2007	4,316	16.5%		16.5%							11.7%		

<sup>1</sup>Transferred to any postsecondary institution.

<sup>2</sup>Graduated from another post-secondary institution at the end of the 6th year with a bachelor's degree.

**TABLE 29**  
**GRADUATION/PERSISTENCE/TRANSFER RATES FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 TO 2007**  
**SPRING 2009**

**UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA**

Year	Number	Non-Persisters			Graduated from UNI					Cont'd 7th Year	Transferred		Total Graduated
		1st Year	2nd Year	Total	3-Year	4-Year	5-Year	6-Year	Total		Elsewhere	Graduated	
1988	1,898	20.2%	7.5%	36.2%	0.6%	27.2%	27.1%	5.5%	60.4%	3.4%			60.4%
1989	1,967	18.1%	8.1%	35.5%	0.2%	24.7%	31.3%	5.7%	61.9%	2.6%			61.9%
1990	2,075	17.5%	8.6%	38.0%	0.3%	24.0%	30.0%	5.1%	59.4%	2.6%			59.4%
1991	1,951	18.3%	9.7%	37.2%	0.2%	23.9%	30.3%	6.0%	60.4%	2.4%			60.4%
1992	1,659	18.6%	9.5%	36.1%	0.4%	25.8%	31.3%	4.7%	62.2%	1.7%			62.2%
1993	1,807	19.8%	7.0%	35.2%	0.2%	26.8%	30.4%	5.4%	62.9%	1.9%			62.9%
1994	1,856	19.3%	8.6%	35.8%	0.3%	28.7%	28.4%	4.7%	62.2%	2.0%			62.2%
1995	2,007	18.2%	8.3%	33.9%	0.4%	29.7%	28.7%	5.4%	64.2%	1.8%			64.2%
1996	2,012	18.0%	7.4%	32.2%	0.4%	33.1%	28.2%	4.8%	66.5%	1.3%			66.5%
1997	1,919	17.6%	8.6%	32.5%	0.5%	28.2%	32.1%	4.4%	65.2%	2.2%	24.1%	11.5%	76.7%
1998	1,982	19.0%	7.2%	33.7%	0.7%	28.8%	30.8%	3.9%	64.3%	2.0%	24.8%	11.4%	75.7%
1999	2,124	18.6%	8.5%	33.0%	1.1%	32.4%	27.3%	4.1%	65.0%	2.0%	24.1%	7.6%	72.6%
2000	2,218	16.0%	8.0%	30.9%	0.6%	33.2%	28.2%	5.0%	67.1%	2.0%	22.8%	8.5%	75.6%
2001	2,064	18.6%	8.0%	33.0%	0.8%	31.5%	27.8%	5.0%	65.0%	1.9%	25.2%	10.8%	75.8%
2002	1,822	19.4%	7.6%	35.6%	1.4%	32.1%	25.4%	4.1%	63.0%	1.4%	29.5%	5.6%	68.6%
2003	1,740	18.6%	6.9%	31.8%	0.7%	34.5%	27.3%		62.5%		25.6%	10.2%	72.7%
2004	1,652	19.1%	7.2%	31.6%	1.2%	34.0%			35.2%		24.9%	8.1%	43.3%
2005	1,694	17.9%	7.5%	28.6%	1.2%				1.2%		22.7%	2.5%	3.7%
2006	1,684	17.7%	8.3%	26.0%							21.4%	0.8%	0.8%
2007	1,922	16.3%		16.3%							13.7%	0.0%	0.0%

<sup>1</sup>Transferred to any postsecondary institution.

<sup>2</sup>Graduated from another post-secondary institution at the end of the 6th year with a bachelor's degree.

**TABLE 1 - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
UNDUPLICATED RESPONSES BY CATEGORY  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
REGENT TOTAL  
SPRING 2009**

<b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	14	21	98	133	10.5%
Nonresident - on probation	16	12	9	37	43.2%
Resident - not probation	43	46	129	218	19.7%
Resident - on probation	34	16	19	69	49.3%
Grand Total	107	95	255	457	23.4%

<b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	44	27	62	133	33.1%
Nonresident - on probation	14	11	12	37	37.8%
Resident - not probation	123	34	61	218	56.4%
Resident - on probation	39	14	16	69	56.5%
Grand Total	220	86	151	457	48.1%

<b>Financial Reasons</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	49	30	54	133	36.8%
Nonresident - on probation	21	6	10	37	56.8%
Resident - not probation	57	33	128	218	26.1%
Resident - on probation	28	18	23	69	40.6%
Grand Total	155	87	215	457	33.9%

<b>Personal Reasons</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	72	20	41	133	54.1%
Nonresident - on probation	27	4	6	37	73.0%
Resident - not probation	112	54	52	218	51.4%
Resident - on probation	43	16	10	69	62.3%
Grand Total	254	94	109	457	55.6%

**TABLE 1a - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
UNDUPLICATED RESPONSES BY CATEGORY  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
SPRING 2009**

<b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	8	10	57	75	10.7%
Nonresident - on probation	3	5	4	12	25.0%
Resident - not probation	14	18	50	82	17.1%
Resident - on probation	12	6	4	22	54.5%
Grand Total	37	39	115	191	19.4%

<b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	25	18	32	75	33.3%
Nonresident - on probation	3	4	5	12	25.0%
Resident - not probation	47	16	19	82	57.3%
Resident - on probation	14	6	2	22	63.6%
Grand Total	89	44	58	191	46.6%

<b>Financial Reasons</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	22	21	32	75	29.3%
Nonresident - on probation	3	4	5	12	25.0%
Resident - not probation	22	13	47	82	26.8%
Resident - on probation	11	8	3	22	50.0%
Grand Total	58	46	87	191	30.4%

<b>Personal Reasons</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	41	10	24	75	54.7%
Nonresident - on probation	8	1	3	12	66.7%
Resident - not probation	41	22	19	82	50.0%
Resident - on probation	14	5	3	22	63.6%
Grand Total	104	38	49	191	54.5%

**TABLE 1b - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
UNDUPLICATED RESPONSES BY CATEGORY  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
SPRING 2009**

<b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	6	8	32	46	13.0%
Nonresident - on probation	12	7	5	24	50.0%
Resident - not probation	14	16	34	64	21.9%
Resident - on probation	18	9	14	41	43.9%
Grand Total	50	40	85	175	28.6%

<b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	16	8	22	46	34.8%
Nonresident - on probation	10	7	7	24	41.7%
Resident - not probation	38	5	21	64	59.4%
Resident - on probation	22	5	14	41	53.7%
Grand Total	86	25	64	175	49.1%

<b>Financial Reasons</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	21	7	18	46	45.7%
Nonresident - on probation	17	2	5	24	70.8%
Resident - not probation	15	13	36	64	23.4%
Resident - on probation	15	7	19	41	36.6%
Grand Total	68	29	78	175	38.9%

<b>Personal Reasons</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	27	6	13	46	58.7%
Nonresident - on probation	18	3	3	24	75.0%
Resident - not probation	37	13	14	64	57.8%
Resident - on probation	26	9	6	41	63.4%
Grand Total	108	31	36	175	61.7%



**TABLE 1c - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
UNDUPLICATED RESPONSES BY CATEGORY  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
SPRING 2009**

<b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	0	3	9	12	0.0%
Nonresident - on probation	1	0	0	1	100.0%
Resident - not probation	15	12	45	72	20.8%
Resident - on probation	4	1	1	6	66.7%
Grand Total	20	16	55	91	22.0%

<b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	3	1	8	12	25.0%
Nonresident - on probation	1	0	0	1	100.0%
Resident - not probation	38	13	21	72	52.8%
Resident - on probation	3	3	0	6	50.0%
Grand Total	45	17	29	91	49.5%

<b>Financial Reasons</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	6	2	4	12	50.0%
Nonresident - on probation	1	0	0	1	100.0%
Resident - not probation	20	7	45	72	27.8%
Resident - on probation	2	3	1	6	33.3%
Grand Total	29	12	50	91	31.9%

<b>Personal Reasons</b>					
	Major Reason	Minor Reason	Not a Reason	Grand Total	Percent of Major Reason
Nonresident - not probation	4	4	4	12	33.3%
Nonresident - on probation	1	0	0	1	100.0%
Resident - not probation	34	19	19	72	47.2%
Resident - on probation	3	2	1	6	50.0%
Grand Total	42	25	24	91	46.2%

**TABLE 2 - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
SUMMARY OF FIRST YEAR STUDENT SURVEY  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
SPRING 2009**

	<b>RESIDENT</b>	<b>NONRESIDENT</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>NUMBER IN FALL 2007 COHORT</b>			
University of Iowa	2,443	1,810	4,253
Iowa State University	2,999	1,317	4,316
University of Northern Iowa	1,823	99	1,922
<b>Regent Total</b>	<b>7,265</b>	<b>3,226</b>	<b>10,491</b>
<b>NUMBER OF COHORT NONRETURNEES IN FALL 2008</b>			
University of Iowa	423	303	726
Iowa State University	477	230	707
University of Northern Iowa	288	26	314
<b>Regent Total</b>	<b>1,188</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>1,747</b>
<b>NUMBER OF COHORT NONRETURNEES INELIGIBLE TO RETURN</b>			
University of Iowa	84	40	124
Iowa State University	109	27	136
University of Northern Iowa	32	2	34
<b>Regent Total</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>294</b>
<b>NUMBER OF COHORT NONRETURNEES NOT AVAILABLE FOR CONTACT*</b>			
University of Iowa	25	12	37
Iowa State University	6	6	12
University of Northern Iowa	11	1	12
<b>Regent Total</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>61</b>
<b>NUMBER OF COHORT NONRETURNEES CONTACTED</b>			
University of Iowa	314	251	565
Iowa State University	362	197	559
University of Northern Iowa	245	23	268
<b>Regent Total</b>	<b>921</b>	<b>471</b>	<b>1,392</b>
<b>NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS</b>			
University of Iowa	104	87	191
Iowa State University	105	70	175
University of Northern Iowa	79	13	92
<b>Regent Total</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>458</b>

\*International students; incorrect addresses.

**TABLE 3b - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY - SUMMARY OF FIRST YEAR STUDENT SURVEY ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
REGENT TOTAL - SPRING 2009**

	RESIDENT						NONRESIDENT						GRAND TOTAL	
	Not Probation		Probation		Total		Not Probation		Probation		Total		#	%
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%		
Number of cohort nonreturnees contacted	620		301		921		354		117		471		1,392	
Number of respondents	219	35.3%	69	22.9%	288	31.3%	133	37.6%	37	31.6%	170	36.1%	458	32.9%
<b>Question 1. Current Status.</b>														
Number employed full-time or part-time.	40	18.3%	23	33.3%	63	21.9%	16	12.0%	10	27.0%	26	15.3%	89	19.4%
Number taking classes at 2- or 4-year college.	182	83.1%	45	65.2%	227	78.8%	117	88.0%	20	54.1%	137	80.6%	364	79.5%
Number caring for home/family.	2	0.9%	2	2.9%	4	1.4%	2	1.5%	1	2.7%	3	1.8%	7	1.5%
Number in the Armed Forces.	5	2.3%	6	8.7%	11	3.8%	0	0.0%	2	5.4%	2	1.2%	13	2.8%
Number traveling.	2	0.9%	0	0.0%	2	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.4%
Number other (summarize).	6	2.7%	2	2.9%	8	2.8%	8	6.0%	7	18.9%	15	8.8%	22	4.8%
Total	237	105.5%	78	110.1%	315	106.6%	143	101.5%	40	89.2%	168	98.8%	475	103.7%
<i>* some chose more than one response for Question 1.</i>														
<b>Question 2. Student Status.</b>														
Number not enrolled.	19	8.7%	19	27.5%	38	13.2%	5	3.8%	9	24.3%	14	8.2%	23	5.0%
Number FT or PT are 2-year/technical college.	75	34.2%	36	52.2%	111	38.5%	30	22.6%	21	56.8%	51	30.0%	162	35.4%
Number FT or PT at 4-year college.	123	56.2%	14	20.3%	137	47.6%	98	73.7%	7	18.9%	105	61.8%	242	52.8%
Total	217	99.1%	69	100.0%	286	99.3%	133	100.0%	37	100.0%	170	100.0%	427	93.2%
Type of institution enrolled in:														
Number in another Regent university	75	34.2%	3	4.3%	78	27.1%	2	1.5%	0	0.0%	2	1.2%	80	17.5%
Number in an Iowa community college	148	67.6%	66	95.7%	214	74.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	214	46.7%
Number in an Iowa private college/university	56	25.6%	3	4.3%	59	20.5%	3	2.3%	1	2.7%	4	2.4%	63	13.8%
Number in an out of state institution	29	13.2%	4	5.8%	33	11.5%	111	83.5%	24	64.9%	135	79.4%	168	36.7%
Number can't determine type of institution	20	9.1%	12	17.4%	32	11.1%	20	15.0%	9	24.3%	29	17.1%	61	13.3%
<i>* Clearinghouse data for nonreturnees</i>	328	149.8%	88	127.5%	416	144.4%	136	102.3%	34	91.9%	170	100.0%	586	127.9%
<b>Question 3. Current Educational Goal.</b>														
Number who chose certificate.	4	1.8%	3	4.3%	7	2.4%	4	3.0%	3	8.1%	7	4.1%	14	3.1%
Number who chose associate's degree.	32	14.6%	16	23.2%	48	16.7%	7	5.3%	3	8.1%	10	5.9%	58	12.7%
Number who chose bachelor's degree.	174	79.5%	40	58.0%	214	74.3%	118	88.7%	29	78.4%	147	86.5%	361	78.8%
Number who said unsure.	5	2.3%	7	10.1%	12	4.2%	1	0.8%	2	5.4%	3	1.8%	15	3.3%
Total	215	98.2%	66	95.7%	281	97.6%	130	97.7%	37	100.0%	167	98.2%	448	97.8%
<b>Question 4. Plans to Re-Enroll.</b>														
Number who plan to re-enroll in same institution	33	57.0%	24	34.8%	57	19.8%	11	8.3%	9	24.3%	20	11.8%	77	16.8%
Number who do not plan to re-enroll in same institution	178	81.3%	42	60.9%	220	76.4%	119	89.5%	27	73.0%	146	85.9%	366	79.9%
Total	211	138.3%	66	95.7%	277	96.2%	130	97.7%	36	97.3%	166	97.6%	443	96.7%

\* Some did not respond to Question 4.

**TABLE 3a - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY - SUMMARY OF FIRST YEAR STUDENT SURVEY  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA - SPRING 2009**

	RESIDENT						NONRESIDENT						GRAND TOTAL	
	Not Probation		Probation		Total		Not Probation		Probation		Total		#	%
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%		
Number of cohort non returnees contacted	235	41.6%	79	14.0%	314	55.6%	215	38.1%	36	6.4%	251	44.4%	565	
Number of respondents	82	34.9%	22	27.8%	104	33.1%	75	34.9%	12	33.3%	87	34.7%	191	33.8%
<b>Question 1. Current Status.</b>														
Number employed full-time or part-time.	18	22.0%	10	45.5%	28	26.9%	11	14.7%	4	33.3%	15	17.2%	43	22.5%
Number taking classes at 2- or 4-year college.	69	84.1%	15	68.2%	84	80.8%	69	92.0%	6	50.0%	75	86.2%	159	83.2%
Number caring for home/family.	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	1.3%	1	8.3%	2	2.3%	2	1.0%
Number in the Armed Forces.	0	0.0%	3	13.6%	3	2.9%	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	1	1.1%	4	2.1%
Number traveling.	2	2.4%	0	0.0%	2	1.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	1.0%
Number other (summarize).	4	4.9%	1	4.5%	5	4.8%	4	5.3%	3	25.0%	7	8.0%	12	6.3%
Total	89	108.5%	28	127.3%	117	112.5%	81	108.0%	12	100.0%	93	106.9%	210	109.9%
<b>Question 2. Student Status.</b>														
Number not enrolled.	8	9.8%	6	27.3%	14	13.5%	3	4.0%	3	25.0%	6	6.9%	9	4.7%
Number FT or PT are 2-year/technical college.	24	29.3%	11	50.0%	35	33.7%	16	21.3%	4	33.3%	20	23.0%	55	28.8%
Number FT or PT at 4-year college.	50	61.0%	5	22.7%	55	52.9%	56	74.7%	5	41.7%	61	70.1%	116	60.7%
Total	82	100.0%	22	100.0%	104	100.0%	75	100.0%	12	100.0%	87	100.0%	180	94.2%
Type of institution enrolled in:														
Number in another Regent university	21	25.6%	0	0.0%	21	20.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	21	11.0%
Number in an Iowa community college	26	31.7%	12	54.5%	38	36.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	38	19.9%
Number in an Iowa private college/university	14	17.1%	2	9.1%	16	15.4%	1	1.3%	1	8.3%	2	2.3%	18	9.4%
Number in an out of state institution	6	7.3%	1	4.5%	7	6.7%	58	77.3%	5	41.7%	63	72.4%	70	36.6%
Number can't determine type of institution	7	8.5%	1	4.5%	8	7.7%	13	17.3%	3	25.0%	16	18.4%	24	12.6%
Total	74	90.2%	16	72.7%	90	86.5%	72	96.0%	9	75.0%	81	93.1%	171	89.5%
<b>Question 3. Current Educational Goal.</b>														
Number who chose certificate.	2	2.4%	2	9.1%	4	3.8%	2	2.7%	1	8.3%	3	3.4%	7	3.7%
Number who chose associate's degree.	10	12.2%	7	31.8%	17	16.3%	3	4.0%	0	0.0%	3	3.4%	20	10.5%
Number who chose bachelor's degree.	68	82.9%	10	45.5%	78	75.0%	67	89.3%	10	83.3%	77	88.5%	155	81.2%
Number who said unsure.	1	1.2%	1	4.5%	2	1.9%	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	1	1.1%	3	1.6%
Total	81	98.8%	20	90.9%	101	97.1%	72	96.0%	12	100.0%	84	96.6%	185	96.9%
<b>Question 4. Plans to Re-Enroll.</b>														
Number who plan to re-enroll in same institution	9	11.0%	5	22.7%	14	13.5%	5	6.7%	3	25.0%	8	9.2%	22	11.5%
Number who do not plan to re-enroll in same institution	70	85.4%	16	72.7%	86	82.7%	67	89.3%	9	75.0%	76	87.4%	162	84.8%
Total	79	96.3%	21	95.5%	100	96.2%	72	96.0%	12	100.0%	84	96.6%	184	96.3%

**TABLE 3b - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY - SUMMARY OF FIRST YEAR STUDENT SURVEY  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY - SPRING 2009**

	RESIDENT						NONRESIDENT						GRAND TOTAL	
	Not Probation		Probation		Total		Not Probation		Probation		Total		#	%
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%		
Number of cohort nonreturnees contacted	181		181		362		118		79		197		559	
Number of respondents	64	35.4%	41	22.7%	105	29.0%	46	39.0%	24	30.4%	70	35.5%	175	31.3%
<b>Question 1. Current Status.</b>														
Number employed full-time or part-time.	8	12.5%	10	24.4%	18	17.1%	5	10.9%	6	25.0%	11	15.7%	29	16.6%
Number taking classes at 2- or 4-year college.	48	75.0%	25	61.0%	73	69.5%	37	80.4%	13	54.2%	50	71.4%	123	70.3%
Number caring for home/family.	1	1.6%	2	4.9%	3	2.9%	1	2.2%	0	0.0%	1	1.4%	4	2.3%
Number in the Armed Forces.	5	7.8%	3	7.3%	8	7.6%	0	0.0%	1	4.2%	1	1.4%	9	5.1%
Number traveling.	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Number other (summarize).	2	3.1%	1	2.4%	3	2.9%	3	6.5%	4	16.7%	7	10.0%	11	6.3%
Total	64	96.9%	41	97.6%	105	97.1%	46	93.5%	24	83.3%	63	90.0%	165	94.3%
<b>Question 2. Student Status.</b>														
Number not enrolled.	8	12.5%	12	29.3%	20	19.0%	2	4.3%	6	25.0%	8	11.4%	14	8.0%
Number FT or PT are 2-year/technical college.	21	32.8%	20	48.8%	41	39.0%	12	26.1%	17	70.8%	29	41.4%	70	40.0%
Number FT or PT at 4-year college.	34	53.1%	9	22.0%	43	41.0%	32	69.6%	1	4.2%	33	47.1%	76	43.4%
Total	63	98.4%	41	100.0%	104	99.0%	46	100.0%	24	100.0%	70	100.0%	160	91.4%
Type of institution enrolled in:														
Number in another Regent university	8	12.5%	3	7.3%	11	10.5%	1	2.2%	0	0.0%	1	1.4%	12	6.9%
Number in an Iowa community college	26	40.6%	23	56.1%	49	46.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	49	28.0%
Number in an Iowa private college/university	8	12.5%	1	2.4%	9	8.6%	2	4.3%	0	0.0%	2	2.9%	11	6.3%
Number in an out of state institution	9	14.1%	2	4.9%	11	10.5%	36	78.3%	18	75.0%	54	77.1%	65	37.1%
Number can't determine type of institution	13	20.3%	11	26.8%	24	22.9%	7	15.2%	6	25.0%	13	18.6%	37	21.1%
Total	64	100.0%	40	97.6%	104	99.0%	46	100.0%	24	100.0%	70	100.0%	174	99.4%
<b>Question 3. Current Educational Goal.</b>														
Number who chose certificate.	2	3.1%	1	2.4%	3	2.9%	2	4.3%	2	8.3%	4	5.7%	7	4.0%
Number who chose associate's degree.	10	15.6%	7	17.1%	17	16.2%	3	6.5%	3	12.5%	6	8.6%	23	13.1%
Number who chose bachelor's degree.	48	75.0%	26	63.4%	74	70.5%	40	87.0%	18	75.0%	58	82.9%	132	75.4%
Number who said unsure.	2	3.1%	6	14.6%	8	7.6%	1	2.2%	1	4.2%	2	2.9%	10	5.7%
Total	62	96.9%	40	97.6%	102	97.1%	46	100.0%	24	100.0%	70	100.0%	172	98.3%
<b>Question 4. Plans to Re-Enroll.</b>														
Number who plan to re-enroll in same institution	11	17.2%	15	36.6%	26	24.8%	6	13.0%	6	25.0%	12	17.1%	38	21.7%
Number who do not plan to re-enroll in same institution	51	79.7%	24	58.5%	75	71.4%	40	87.0%	17	70.8%	57	81.4%	132	75.4%
Total	62	96.9%	39	95.1%	101	96.2%	46	100.0%	23	95.8%	69	98.6%	170	97.1%

**TABLE 3c - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY - SUMMARY OF FIRST YEAR STUDENT SURVEY ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA - SPRING 2009**

	RESIDENT						NONRESIDENT						GRAND TOTAL	
	Not Probation		Probation		Total		Not Probation		Probation		Total		#	%
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%		
Number of cohort nonreturnees contacted	204		41		245		21		2		23		268	
Number of respondents	73	35.8%	6	14.6%	79	32.2%	12	57.1%	1	50.0%	13	56.5%	92	34.3%
<b>Question 1. Current Status.</b>														
Number employed full-time or part-time.	14	19.2%	3	50.0%	17	21.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	17	18.5%
Number taking classes at 2- or 4-year college.	65	89.0%	5	83.3%	70	88.6%	11	91.7%	1	100.0%	12	92.3%	82	89.1%
Number caring for home/family.	1	1.4%	0	0.0%	1	1.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	1.1%
Number in the Armed Forces.	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Number traveling.	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Number other (summarize).	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	0	0.0%	1	7.7%	1	1.1%
Total	80	109.6%	8	133.3%	88	111.4%	12	91.7%	1	100.0%	12	92.3%	100	108.7%
<i>* some chose more than one response for Question 1.</i>														
<b>Question 2. Student Status.</b>														
Number not enrolled.	3	4.1%	1	16.7%	4	5.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Number FT or PT are 2-year/technical college.	30	41.1%	5	83.3%	35	44.3%	2	16.7%	0	0.0%	2	15.4%	37	40.2%
Number FT or PT at 4-year college.	39	53.4%	0	0.0%	39	49.4%	10	83.3%	1	100.0%	11	84.6%	50	54.3%
Total	72	98.6%	6	100.0%	78	98.7%	12	100.0%	1	100.0%	13	100.0%	87	94.6%
Type of institution enrolled in:														
Number in another Regent university	46	63.0%	0	0.0%	46	58.2%	1	8.3%	0	0.0%	1	7.7%	47	51.1%
Number in an Iowa community college	96	131.5%	31	516.7%	127	160.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	127	138.0%
Number in an Iowa private college/university	34	46.6%	0	0.0%	34	43.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	34	37.0%
Number in an out of state institution	14	19.2%	1	16.7%	15	19.0%	17	141.7%	1	100.0%	18	138.5%	33	35.9%
Number can't determine type of institution	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
<i>* Clearinghouse data for nonreturnees</i>	190	260.3%	32	533.3%	222	281.0%	18	150.0%	1	100.0%	19	146.2%	241	262.0%
<b>Question 3. Current Educational Goal.</b>														
Number who chose certificate.	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Number who chose associate's degree.	12	16.4%	2	33.3%	14	17.7%	1	8.3%	0	0.0%	1	7.7%	15	16.3%
Number who chose bachelor's degree.	58	79.5%	4	66.7%	62	78.5%	11	91.7%	1	100.0%	12	92.3%	74	80.4%
Number who said unsure.	2	2.7%	0	0.0%	2	2.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	2.2%
Total	72	98.6%	6	100.0%	78	98.7%	12	100.0%	1	100.0%	13	100.0%	91	98.9%
<b>Question 4. Plans to Re-Enroll.</b>														
Number who plan to re-enroll in same institution	13	57.0%	4	66.7%	17	21.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	17	18.5%
Number who do not plan to re-enroll in same institution	57	78.1%	2	33.3%	59	74.7%	12	100.0%	1	100.0%	13	100.0%	72	78.3%
Total	70	135.1%	6	100.0%	76	96.2%	12	100.0%	1	100.0%	13	100.0%	89	96.7%

*\* some did not respond to Question 4.*

**TABLE 4 - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
RESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
REGENT TOTAL - SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	219					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	10	4.6%	41	18.7%	167	76.3%
6. Desired program was not available	57	26.0%	13	5.9%	148	67.6%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	36	16.4%	43	19.6%	139	63.5%
8. Needed courses not available	43	19.6%	14	6.4%	161	73.5%
9. Classes too large	47	21.5%	39	17.8%	132	60.3%
10. Inadequate academic support services	28	12.8%	37	16.9%	153	69.9%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	8	3.7%	24	11.0%	186	84.9%
12. Poor academic performance	9	4.1%	26	11.9%	183	83.6%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	9	4.1%	27	12.3%	182	83.1%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	38	17.4%	24	11.0%	156	71.2%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	21	9.6%	32	14.6%	165	75.3%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	8	3.7%	25	11.4%	185	84.5%
17. Incurred too much debt	14	6.4%	21	9.6%	183	83.6%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	10	4.6%	10	4.6%	198	90.4%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	17	7.8%	22	10.0%	179	81.7%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	42	19.2%	25	11.4%	151	68.9%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	12	5.5%	28	12.8%	178	81.3%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	5	2.3%	5	2.3%	208	95.0%
23. Moved out of the area	10	4.6%	16	7.3%	192	87.7%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	21	9.6%	32	14.6%	163	74.4%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	27	12.3%	27	12.3%	164	74.9%
26. Family issues/responsibility	6	2.7%	10	4.6%	202	92.2%
27. Homesick	24	11.0%	23	10.5%	171	78.1%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	48	21.9%	49	22.4%	120	54.8%
29. Felt out of place at the university	43	19.6%	47	21.5%	128	58.4%
30. Distracted by social life	9	4.1%	30	13.7%	179	81.7%
31. Working too many hours	1	0.5%	14	6.4%	203	92.7%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	8	3.7%	24	11.0%	186	84.9%
33. Medical (physical)	3	1.4%	3	1.4%	212	96.8%
34. Emotional/mental health	9	4.1%	18	8.2%	191	87.2%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	3	1.4%	4	1.8%	211	96.3%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	10	4.6%	19	8.7%	189	86.3%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	2	0.9%	3	1.4%	213	97.3%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	1	0.5%	0	0.0%	217	99.1%
39. Other	49	22.4%	0	0.0%	112	51.1%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning.  
6. Desired program was not available  
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends  
9. Classes too large

**TABLE 4a - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	82					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	4	4.9%	14	17.1%	64	78.0%
6. Desired program was not available	19	23.2%	6	7.3%	57	69.5%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	15	18.3%	20	24.4%	47	57.3%
8. Needed courses not available	13	15.9%	7	8.5%	62	75.6%
9. Classes too large	21	25.6%	19	23.2%	42	51.2%
10. Inadequate academic support services	8	9.8%	17	20.7%	57	69.5%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	3	3.7%	7	8.5%	72	87.8%
12. Poor academic performance	2	2.4%	9	11.0%	71	86.6%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	1	1.2%	10	12.2%	71	86.6%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	12	14.6%	10	12.2%	60	73.2%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	11	13.4%	11	13.4%	60	73.2%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	3	3.7%	13	15.9%	66	80.5%
17. Incurred too much debt	7	8.5%	6	7.3%	69	84.1%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	3	3.7%	3	3.7%	76	92.7%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	7	8.5%	6	7.3%	69	84.1%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	17	20.7%	9	11.0%	56	68.3%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	4	4.9%	12	14.6%	66	80.5%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	1	1.2%	2	2.4%	79	96.3%
23. Moved out of the area	5	6.1%	4	4.9%	73	89.0%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	7	8.5%	11	13.4%	62	75.6%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	7	8.5%	11	13.4%	64	78.0%
26. Family issues/responsibility	2	2.4%	3	3.7%	77	93.9%
27. Homesick	8	9.8%	7	8.5%	67	81.7%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	19	23.2%	17	20.7%	46	56.1%
29. Felt out of place at the university	20	24.4%	22	26.8%	40	48.8%
30. Distracted by social life	5	6.1%	11	13.4%	66	80.5%
31. Working too many hours	0	0.0%	5	6.1%	77	93.9%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	3	3.7%	13	15.9%	66	80.5%
33. Medical (physical)	0	0.0%	2	2.4%	80	97.6%
34. Emotional/mental health	5	6.1%	8	9.8%	69	84.1%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, Internet, etc.)	0	0.0%	1	1.2%	81	98.8%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	9	11.0%	12	14.6%	61	74.4%
37. Sexual harassment/abuse	1	1.2%	2	2.4%	79	96.3%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	1	1.2%	0	0.0%	81	98.8%
39. Other	23	28.0%	0	0.0%	59	72.0%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning.
- 9. Classes too large
  - 29. Felt out of place at the university
  - 28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends



**TABLE 4b - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	64					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	2	3.1%	13	20.3%	49	76.6%
6. Desired program was not available	18	28.1%	4	6.3%	42	65.6%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	12	18.8%	15	23.4%	37	57.8%
8. Needed courses not available	14	21.9%	4	6.3%	46	71.9%
9. Classes too large	16	25.0%	9	14.1%	39	60.9%
10. Inadequate academic support services	7	10.9%	10	15.6%	47	73.4%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	3	4.7%	5	7.8%	56	87.5%
12. Poor academic performance	3	4.7%	8	12.5%	53	82.8%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	3	4.7%	9	14.1%	52	81.3%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	12	18.8%	9	14.1%	43	67.2%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	5	7.8%	9	14.1%	50	78.1%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	3	4.7%	5	7.8%	56	87.5%
17. Incurred too much debt	4	6.3%	7	10.9%	53	82.8%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	2	3.1%	4	6.3%	58	90.6%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	7	10.9%	10	15.6%	47	73.4%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	11	17.2%	8	12.5%	45	70.3%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	2	3.1%	8	12.5%	54	84.4%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	4	6.3%	1	1.6%	59	92.2%
23. Moved out of the area	1	1.6%	6	9.4%	57	89.1%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	9	14.1%	10	15.6%	45	70.3%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	8	12.5%	8	12.5%	48	75.0%
26. Family issues/responsibility	3	4.7%	4	6.3%	57	89.1%
27. Homesick	6	9.4%	5	7.8%	53	82.8%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	17	26.6%	15	23.4%	32	50.0%
29. Felt out of place at the university	14	21.9%	13	20.3%	37	57.8%
30. Distracted by social life	2	3.1%	8	12.5%	54	84.4%
31. Working too many hours	0	0.0%	3	4.7%	61	95.3%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	2	3.1%	7	10.9%	55	85.9%
33. Medical (physical)	1	1.6%	0	0.0%	63	98.4%
34. Emotional/mental health	3	4.7%	5	7.8%	56	87.5%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	3	4.7%	0	0.0%	61	95.3%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	0	0.0%	4	6.3%	60	93.8%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	64	100.0%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	64	100.0%
39. Other	11	17.2%	0	0.0%	53	82.8%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning.  
18. Desired program was not available  
28. Wanted to be closer to family & friends  
9. Classes too large

**TABLE 4c - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	73					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	4	5.5%	14	19.2%	54	74.0%
6. Desired program was not available	20	27.4%	3	4.1%	49	67.1%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	9	12.3%	8	11.0%	55	75.3%
8. Needed courses not available	16	21.9%	3	4.1%	53	72.6%
9. Classes too large	10	13.7%	11	15.1%	51	69.9%
10. Inadequate academic support services	13	17.8%	10	13.7%	49	67.1%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	2	2.7%	12	16.4%	58	79.5%
12. Poor academic performance	4	5.5%	9	12.3%	59	80.8%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	5	6.8%	8	11.0%	59	80.8%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	14	19.2%	5	6.8%	53	72.6%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	5	6.8%	12	16.4%	55	75.3%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	2	2.7%	7	9.6%	63	86.3%
17. Incurred too much debt	3	4.1%	8	11.0%	61	83.6%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	5	6.8%	3	4.1%	64	87.7%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	3	4.1%	6	8.2%	63	86.3%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	14	19.2%	8	11.0%	50	68.5%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	6	8.2%	8	11.0%	58	79.5%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	0	0.0%	2	2.7%	70	95.9%
23. Moved out of the area	4	5.5%	6	8.2%	62	84.9%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	5	6.8%	11	15.1%	56	76.7%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	12	16.4%	8	11.0%	52	71.2%
26. Family issues/responsibility	1	1.4%	3	4.1%	68	93.2%
27. Homesick	10	13.7%	11	15.1%	51	69.9%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	12	16.4%	17	23.3%	42	57.5%
29. Felt out of place at the university	9	12.3%	12	16.4%	51	69.9%
30. Distracted by social life	2	2.7%	11	15.1%	59	80.8%
31. Working too many hours	1	1.4%	6	8.2%	65	89.0%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	3	4.1%	4	5.5%	65	89.0%
33. Medical (physical)	2	2.7%	1	1.4%	69	94.5%
34. Emotional/mental health	1	1.4%	5	6.8%	66	90.4%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	0	0.0%	3	4.1%	69	94.5%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	1	1.4%	3	4.1%	68	93.2%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	1	1.4%	1	1.4%	70	95.9%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	72	98.6%
39. Other	15	20.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning.  
6. Desired program was not available  
8. Needed courses not available  
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution/  
14. Undecided about my major or vocation

**TABLE 5 - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
RESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
REGENT TOTAL - SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	69					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	2	2.9%	18	26.1%	49	71.0%
6. Desired program was not available	29	42.0%	3	4.3%	52	75.4%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	13	18.8%	16	23.2%	40	58.0%
8. Needed courses not available	8	11.6%	6	8.7%	55	79.7%
9. Classes too large	21	30.4%	13	18.8%	35	50.7%
10. Inadequate academic support services	15	21.7%	14	20.3%	40	58.0%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	11	15.9%	24	34.8%	34	49.3%
12. Poor academic performance	21	30.4%	19	27.5%	29	42.0%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	20	29.0%	20	29.0%	29	42.0%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	13	18.8%	10	14.5%	46	66.7%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	11	15.9%	18	26.1%	40	58.0%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	6	8.7%	9	13.0%	54	78.3%
17. Incurred too much debt	6	8.7%	8	11.6%	55	79.7%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	2	2.9%	8	11.6%	59	85.5%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	7	10.1%	15	21.7%	47	68.1%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	21	30.4%	10	14.5%	38	55.1%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	6	8.7%	6	8.7%	57	82.6%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	3	4.3%	0	0.0%	66	95.7%
23. Moved out of the area	3	4.3%	3	4.3%	63	91.3%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	8	11.6%	8	11.6%	53	76.8%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	9	13.0%	10	14.5%	50	72.5%
26. Family issues/responsibility	6	8.7%	1	1.4%	62	89.9%
27. Homesick	3	4.3%	9	13.0%	57	82.6%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	8	11.6%	16	23.2%	45	65.2%
29. Felt out of place at the university	14	20.3%	16	23.2%	39	56.5%
30. Distracted by social life	16	23.2%	12	17.4%	41	59.4%
31. Working too many hours	5	7.2%	7	10.1%	57	82.6%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	11	15.9%	18	26.1%	40	58.0%
33. Medical (physical)	3	4.3%	5	7.2%	61	88.4%
34. Emotional/mental health	5	7.2%	15	21.7%	49	71.0%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	2	2.9%	6	8.7%	61	88.4%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	3	4.3%	3	4.3%	63	91.3%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	0	0.0%	1	1.4%	68	98.6%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	1	1.4%	68	98.6%
39. Other	12	17.4%	1	1.4%	56	81.2%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
6. Desired program was not available  
9. Classes too large/  
12. Poor academic performance/  
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution

**TABLE 5a - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	22					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	2	9.1%	6	27.3%	14	63.6%
6. Desired program was not available	19	86.4%	2	9.1%	16	72.7%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	7	31.8%	6	27.3%	9	40.9%
8. Needed courses not available	2	9.1%	3	13.6%	17	77.3%
9. Classes too large	10	45.5%	4	18.2%	8	36.4%
10. Inadequate academic support services	6	27.3%	7	31.8%	9	40.9%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	4	18.2%	10	45.5%	8	36.4%
12. Poor academic performance	8	36.4%	6	27.3%	8	36.4%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	4	18.2%	9	40.9%	9	40.9%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	5	22.7%	5	22.7%	12	54.5%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	6	27.3%	5	22.7%	11	50.0%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	2	9.1%	3	13.6%	17	77.3%
17. Incurred too much debt	4	18.2%	4	18.2%	14	63.6%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	0	0.0%	4	18.2%	18	81.8%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	3	13.6%	5	22.7%	14	63.6%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	8	36.4%	6	27.3%	8	36.4%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	3	13.6%	2	9.1%	17	77.3%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	22	100.0%
23. Moved out of the area	2	9.1%	1	4.5%	19	86.4%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	5	22.7%	3	13.6%	14	63.6%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	3	13.6%	5	22.7%	14	63.6%
26. Family issues/responsibility	2	9.1%	1	4.5%	19	86.4%
27. Homesick	2	9.1%	3	13.6%	17	77.3%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	5	22.7%	6	27.3%	11	50.0%
29. Felt out of place at the university	4	18.2%	9	40.9%	9	40.9%
30. Distracted by social life	7	31.8%	5	22.7%	10	45.5%
31. Working too many hours	2	9.1%	4	18.2%	16	72.7%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	5	22.7%	7	31.8%	10	45.5%
33. Medical (physical)	1	4.5%	2	9.1%	19	86.4%
34. Emotional/mental health	2	9.1%	6	27.3%	14	63.6%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, Internet, etc.)	1	4.5%	3	13.6%	18	81.8%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	3	13.6%	2	9.1%	17	77.3%
37. Sexual harassment/abuse	0	0.0%	1	4.5%	21	95.5%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	1	4.5%	21	95.5%
39. Other	0	0.0%	1	4.5%	21	95.5%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
6. Desired program was not available  
9. Classes too large  
12. Poor academic performance/  
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution

**TABLE 5b - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	41					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	0	0.0%	8	19.5%	33	80.5%
6. Desired program was not available	10	24.4%	1	2.4%	30	73.2%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	5	12.2%	8	19.5%	28	68.3%
8. Needed courses not available	6	14.6%	3	7.3%	32	78.0%
9. Classes too large	10	24.4%	7	17.1%	24	58.5%
10. Inadequate academic support services	7	17.1%	6	14.6%	28	68.3%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	4	9.8%	13	31.7%	24	58.5%
12. Poor academic performance	9	22.0%	13	31.7%	19	46.3%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	13	31.7%	9	22.0%	19	46.3%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	8	19.5%	4	9.8%	29	70.7%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	5	12.2%	11	26.8%	25	61.0%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	4	9.8%	6	14.6%	31	75.6%
17. Incurred too much debt	2	4.9%	3	7.3%	36	87.8%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	2	4.9%	4	9.8%	35	85.4%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	4	9.8%	7	17.1%	30	73.2%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	11	26.8%	3	7.3%	27	65.9%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	3	7.3%	3	7.3%	35	85.4%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	3	7.3%	0	0.0%	38	92.7%
23. Moved out of the area	1	2.4%	2	4.9%	38	92.7%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	2	4.9%	5	12.2%	34	82.9%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	5	12.2%	5	12.2%	31	75.6%
26. Family issues/responsibility	4	9.8%	0	0.0%	37	90.2%
27. Homesick	1	2.4%	5	12.2%	35	85.4%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	3	7.3%	8	19.5%	30	73.2%
29. Felt out of place at the university	8	19.5%	5	12.2%	28	68.3%
30. Distracted by social life	8	19.5%	6	14.6%	27	65.9%
31. Working too many hours	2	4.9%	3	7.3%	36	87.8%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	6	14.6%	11	26.8%	24	58.5%
33. Medical (physical)	2	4.9%	3	7.3%	36	87.8%
34. Emotional/mental health	3	7.3%	8	19.5%	30	73.2%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	1	2.4%	3	7.3%	37	90.2%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	0	0.0%	1	2.4%	40	97.6%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	41	100.0%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	41	100.0%
39. Other	12	29.3%	0	0.0%	29	70.7%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits  
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution  
6. Desired program was not available/  
9. Classes too large

**TABLE 5c - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	6					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	0	0.0%	4	66.7%	2	33.3%
6. Desired program was not available	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	1	16.7%	2	33.3%	3	50.0%
8. Needed courses not available	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
9. Classes too large	1	16.7%	2	33.3%	3	50.0%
10. Inadequate academic support services	2	33.3%	1	16.7%	3	50.0%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	3	50.0%	1	16.7%	2	33.3%
12. Poor academic performance	4	66.7%	0	0.0%	2	33.3%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	3	50.0%	2	33.3%	1	16.7%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	0	0.0%	1	16.7%	5	83.3%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	0	0.0%	2	33.3%	4	66.7%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
17. Incurred too much debt	0	0.0%	1	16.7%	5	83.3%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	0	0.0%	3	50.0%	3	50.0%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	2	33.3%	1	16.7%	3	50.0%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	0	0.0%	1	16.7%	5	83.3%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
23. Moved out of the area	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	1	16.7%	0	0.0%	5	83.3%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	1	16.7%	0	0.0%	5	83.3%
26. Family issues/responsibility	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
27. Homesick	0	0.0%	1	16.7%	5	83.3%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	0	0.0%	2	33.3%	4	66.7%
29. Felt out of place at the university	2	33.3%	2	33.3%	2	33.3%
30. Distracted by social life	1	16.7%	1	16.7%	4	66.7%
31. Working too many hours	1	16.7%	0	0.0%	5	83.3%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
33. Medical (physical)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
34. Emotional/mental health	0	0.0%	1	16.7%	5	83.3%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
39. Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
12. Poor academic performance  
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)/  
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits

**TABLE 6 - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
NONRESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
REGENT TOTAL - SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	133					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	2	1.5%	16	12.0%	115	86.5%
6. Desired program was not available	21	15.8%	9	6.8%	103	77.4%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	12	9.0%	18	13.5%	103	77.4%
8. Needed courses not available	15	11.3%	5	3.8%	113	85.0%
9. Classes too large	17	12.8%	18	13.5%	98	73.7%
10. Inadequate academic support services	10	7.5%	14	10.5%	109	82.0%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	2	1.5%	6	4.5%	125	94.0%
12. Poor academic performance	5	3.8%	13	9.8%	115	86.5%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	5	3.8%	12	9.0%	116	87.2%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	10	7.5%	7	5.3%	116	87.2%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	22	16.5%	16	12.0%	95	71.4%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	13	9.8%	13	9.8%	107	80.5%
17. Incurred too much debt	19	14.3%	8	6.0%	106	79.7%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	8	6.0%	4	3.0%	121	91.0%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	23	17.3%	16	12.0%	94	70.7%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	41	30.8%	24	18.0%	68	51.1%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	17	12.8%	15	11.3%	101	75.9%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	1	0.8%	1	0.8%	131	98.5%
23. Moved out of the area	8	6.0%	0	0.0%	125	94.0%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	17	12.8%	8	6.0%	108	81.2%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	13	9.8%	20	15.0%	100	75.2%
26. Family issues/responsibility	8	6.0%	8	6.0%	117	88.0%
27. Homesick	15	11.3%	18	13.5%	100	75.2%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	35	26.3%	25	18.8%	73	54.9%
29. Felt out of place at the university	25	18.8%	20	15.0%	88	66.2%
30. Distracted by social life	12	9.0%	9	6.8%	112	84.2%
31. Working too many hours	3	2.3%	2	1.5%	128	96.2%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	7	5.3%	10	7.5%	116	87.2%
33. Medical (physical)	9	6.8%	4	3.0%	120	90.2%
34. Emotional/mental health	12	9.0%	15	11.3%	106	79.7%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	2	1.5%	2	1.5%	129	97.0%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	5	3.8%	7	5.3%	121	91.0%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	3	2.3%	0	0.0%	130	97.7%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	1	0.8%	0	0.0%	132	99.2%
39. Other	38	28.6%	3	2.3%	92	69.2%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution  
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends  
29. Felt out of place at the university

**TABLE 6a - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	75					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	2	2.7%	9	12.0%	64	85.3%
6. Desired program was not available	10	13.3%	7	9.3%	58	77.3%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	10	13.3%	11	14.7%	54	72.0%
8. Needed courses not available	9	12.0%	1	1.3%	65	86.7%
9. Classes too large	11	14.7%	8	10.7%	56	74.7%
10. Inadequate academic support services	7	9.3%	10	13.3%	58	77.3%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	1	1.3%	2	2.7%	72	96.0%
12. Poor academic performance	4	5.3%	11	14.7%	60	80.0%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	5	6.7%	6	8.0%	64	85.3%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	4	5.3%	2	2.7%	69	92.0%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	12	16.0%	7	9.3%	56	74.7%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	7	9.3%	4	5.3%	64	85.3%
17. Incurred too much debt	11	14.7%	5	6.7%	59	78.7%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	5	6.7%	1	1.3%	69	92.0%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	12	16.0%	8	10.7%	55	73.3%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	21	28.0%	14	18.7%	40	53.3%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	11	14.7%	8	10.7%	56	74.7%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	1	1.3%	0	0.0%	74	98.7%
23. Moved out of the area	3	4.0%	0	0.0%	72	96.0%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	10	13.3%	5	6.7%	60	80.0%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	10	13.3%	15	20.0%	50	66.7%
26. Family issues/responsibility	4	5.3%	3	4.0%	68	90.7%
27. Homesick	7	9.3%	8	10.7%	60	80.0%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	18	24.0%	14	18.7%	43	57.3%
29. Felt out of place at the university	17	22.7%	10	13.3%	48	64.0%
30. Distracted by social life	11	14.7%	5	6.7%	59	78.7%
31. Working too many hours	2	2.7%	2	2.7%	71	94.7%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	6	8.0%	6	8.0%	63	84.0%
33. Medical (physical)	6	8.0%	3	4.0%	66	88.0%
34. Emotional/mental health	8	10.7%	8	10.7%	59	78.7%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, Internet, etc.)	2	2.7%	2	2.7%	71	94.7%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	5	6.7%	6	8.0%	64	85.3%
37. Sexual harassment/abuse	3	4.0%	0	0.0%	72	96.0%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	1	1.3%	0	0.0%	74	98.7%
39. Other	23	30.7%	1	1.3%	51	68.0%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution  
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends  
29. Felt out of place at the university



**TABLE 6b - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	46					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	0	0.0%	7	15.2%	39	84.8%
6. Desired program was not available	9	19.6%	1	2.2%	36	78.3%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	2	4.3%	7	15.2%	37	80.4%
8. Needed courses not available	5	10.9%	4	8.7%	37	80.4%
9. Classes too large	5	10.9%	10	21.7%	31	67.4%
10. Inadequate academic support services	3	6.5%	4	8.7%	39	84.8%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	1	2.2%	4	8.7%	41	89.1%
12. Poor academic performance	1	2.2%	2	4.3%	43	93.5%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	0	0.0%	5	10.9%	41	89.1%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	6	13.0%	3	6.5%	37	80.4%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	10	21.7%	7	15.2%	29	63.0%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	6	13.0%	7	15.2%	33	71.7%
17. Incurred too much debt	6	13.0%	2	4.3%	38	82.6%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	3	6.5%	1	2.2%	42	91.3%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	11	23.9%	5	10.9%	30	65.2%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	14	30.4%	8	17.4%	24	52.2%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	5	10.9%	5	10.9%	36	78.3%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	46	100.0%
23. Moved out of the area	5	10.9%	0	0.0%	41	89.1%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	6	13.0%	2	4.3%	38	82.6%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	3	6.5%	4	8.7%	39	84.8%
26. Family issues/responsibility	2	4.3%	4	8.7%	40	87.0%
27. Homesick	6	13.0%	7	15.2%	33	71.7%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	14	30.4%	9	19.6%	23	50.0%
29. Felt out of place at the university	7	15.2%	9	19.6%	30	65.2%
30. Distracted by social life	1	2.2%	3	6.5%	42	91.3%
31. Working too many hours	1	2.2%	0	0.0%	45	97.8%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	1	2.2%	3	6.5%	42	91.3%
33. Medical (physical)	3	6.5%	1	2.2%	42	91.3%
34. Emotional/mental health	3	6.5%	7	15.2%	36	78.3%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	46	100.0%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	0	0.0%	1	2.2%	45	97.8%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	46	100.0%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	46	100.0%
39. Other	10	21.7%	2	4.3%	34	73.9%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution/  
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends  
19. Financial aid was not sufficient

**TABLE 6c - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	12					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
6. Desired program was not available	2	16.7%	1	8.3%	9	75.0%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
8. Needed courses not available	1	8.3%	0	0.0%	11	91.7%
9. Classes too large	1	8.3%	0	0.0%	11	91.7%
10. Inadequate academic support services	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
12. Poor academic performance	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	11	91.7%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	0	0.0%	2	16.7%	10	83.3%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	0	0.0%	2	16.7%	10	83.3%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	0	0.0%	2	16.7%	10	83.3%
17. Incurred too much debt	2	16.7%	1	8.3%	9	75.0%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	0	0.0%	2	16.7%	10	83.3%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	0	0.0%	3	25.0%	9	75.0%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	6	50.0%	2	16.7%	4	33.3%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	1	8.3%	2	16.7%	9	75.0%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	11	91.7%
23. Moved out of the area	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	1	8.3%	1	8.3%	10	83.3%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	11	91.7%
26. Family issues/responsibility	2	16.7%	1	8.3%	9	75.0%
27. Homesick	2	16.7%	3	25.0%	7	58.3%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	3	25.0%	2	16.7%	7	58.3%
29. Felt out of place at the university	1	8.3%	1	8.3%	10	83.3%
30. Distracted by social life	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	11	91.7%
31. Working too many hours	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	11	91.7%
33. Medical (physical)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
34. Emotional/mental health	1	8.3%	0	0.0%	11	91.7%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
39. Other	5	41.7%	0	0.0%	7	58.3%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends  
6. Desired program was not available/17. Incurred too  
much debt/26. Family issues/responsibility/  
27. Homesick

**TABLE 7 - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
NONRESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
REGENT TOTAL - SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	37					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	4	10.8%	3	8.1%	30	81.1%
6. Desired program was not available	0	0.0%	3	8.1%	34	91.9%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	4	10.8%	11	29.7%	22	59.5%
8. Needed courses not available	1	2.7%	0	0.0%	36	97.3%
9. Classes too large	7	18.9%	8	21.6%	22	59.5%
10. Inadequate academic support services	2	5.4%	9	24.3%	26	70.3%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	8	21.6%	6	16.2%	23	62.2%
12. Poor academic performance	13	35.1%	12	32.4%	12	32.4%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	10	27.0%	12	32.4%	15	40.5%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	5	13.5%	5	13.5%	27	73.0%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	13	35.1%	7	18.9%	17	45.9%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	7	18.9%	3	8.1%	27	73.0%
17. Incurred too much debt	7	18.9%	7	18.9%	23	62.2%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	4	10.8%	2	5.4%	31	83.8%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	10	27.0%	5	13.5%	22	59.5%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	14	37.8%	4	10.8%	19	51.4%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	3	8.1%	4	10.8%	30	81.1%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	4	10.8%	0	0.0%	33	89.2%
23. Moved out of the area	3	8.1%	1	2.7%	33	89.2%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	7	18.9%	6	16.2%	24	64.9%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	8	21.6%	2	5.4%	27	73.0%
26. Family issues/responsibility	2	5.4%	3	8.1%	32	86.5%
27. Homesick	1	2.7%	5	13.5%	31	83.8%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	4	10.8%	8	21.6%	25	67.6%
29. Felt out of place at the university	8	21.6%	8	21.6%	21	56.8%
30. Distracted by social life	7	18.9%	6	16.2%	24	64.9%
31. Working too many hours	2	5.4%	1	2.7%	34	91.9%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	6	16.2%	6	16.2%	25	67.6%
33. Medical (physical)	4	10.8%	0	0.0%	33	89.2%
34. Emotional/mental health	4	10.8%	9	24.3%	24	64.9%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	2	5.4%	5	13.5%	30	81.1%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	2	5.4%	1	2.7%	34	91.9%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	1	2.7%	1	2.7%	35	94.6%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	37	100.0%
39. Other	8	21.6%	0	0.0%	28	75.7%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution  
12. Poor academic performance/  
15. Did not have enough money to continue

**TABLE 7a - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	12					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	1	8.3%	1	8.3%	10	83.3%
6. Desired program was not available	0	0.0%	2	16.7%	10	83.3%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	2	16.7%	2	16.7%	8	66.7%
8. Needed courses not available	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
9. Classes too large	2	16.7%	3	25.0%	7	58.3%
10. Inadequate academic support services	0	0.0%	2	16.7%	10	83.3%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	3	25.0%	1	8.3%	8	66.7%
12. Poor academic performance	3	25.0%	3	25.0%	6	50.0%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	1	8.3%	6	50.0%	5	41.7%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	1	8.3%	2	16.7%	9	75.0%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	2	16.7%	3	25.0%	7	58.3%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	1	8.3%	0	0.0%	11	91.7%
17. Incurred too much debt	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	11	91.7%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	0	0.0%	2	16.7%	10	83.3%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	1	8.3%	2	16.7%	9	75.0%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	2	16.7%	1	8.3%	9	75.0%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	11	91.7%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	1	8.3%	0	0.0%	11	91.7%
23. Moved out of the area	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	3	25.0%	0	0.0%	9	75.0%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	4	33.3%	0	0.0%	8	66.7%
26. Family issues/responsibility	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
27. Homesick	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	11	91.7%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	11	91.7%
29. Felt out of place at the university	2	16.7%	2	16.7%	8	66.7%
30. Distracted by social life	2	16.7%	1	8.3%	9	75.0%
31. Working too many hours	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	0	0.0%	4	33.3%	8	66.7%
33. Medical (physical)	2	16.7%	0	0.0%	10	83.3%
34. Emotional/mental health	2	16.7%	2	16.7%	8	66.7%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, Internet, etc.)	1	8.3%	2	16.7%	9	75.0%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	2	16.7%	0	0.0%	10	83.3%
37. Sexual harassment/abuse	1	8.3%	0	0.0%	11	91.7%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	100.0%
39. Other	2	16.7%	0	0.0%	10	83.3%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
25. Issues with roommate or other students  
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)/  
12. Poor academic performance/  
24. Housing was unsatisfactory

**TABLE 7b - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	24					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	3	12.5%	2	8.3%	19	79.2%
6. Desired program was not available	0	0.0%	1	4.2%	23	95.8%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	2	8.3%	8	33.3%	14	58.3%
8. Needed courses not available	1	4.2%	0	0.0%	23	95.8%
9. Classes too large	5	20.8%	5	20.8%	14	58.3%
10. Inadequate academic support services	1	4.2%	7	29.2%	16	66.7%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	4	16.7%	5	20.8%	15	62.5%
12. Poor academic performance	10	41.7%	8	33.3%	6	25.0%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	8	33.3%	6	25.0%	10	41.7%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	4	16.7%	3	12.5%	17	70.8%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	11	45.8%	4	16.7%	9	37.5%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	6	25.0%	3	12.5%	15	62.5%
17. Incurred too much debt	7	29.2%	5	20.8%	12	50.0%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	4	16.7%	0	0.0%	20	83.3%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	8	33.3%	3	12.5%	13	54.2%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	12	50.0%	3	12.5%	9	37.5%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	3	12.5%	3	12.5%	18	75.0%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	3	12.5%	0	0.0%	21	87.5%
23. Moved out of the area	3	12.5%	1	4.2%	20	83.3%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	4	16.7%	6	25.0%	14	58.3%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	4	16.7%	2	8.3%	18	75.0%
26. Family issues/responsibility	2	8.3%	3	12.5%	19	79.2%
27. Homesick	1	4.2%	3	12.5%	20	83.3%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	4	16.7%	6	25.0%	14	58.3%
29. Felt out of place at the university	5	20.8%	6	25.0%	13	54.2%
30. Distracted by social life	4	16.7%	5	20.8%	15	62.5%
31. Working too many hours	2	8.3%	1	4.2%	21	87.5%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	6	25.0%	2	8.3%	16	66.7%
33. Medical (physical)	2	8.3%	0	0.0%	22	91.7%
34. Emotional/mental health	2	8.3%	7	29.2%	15	62.5%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	1	4.2%	3	12.5%	20	83.3%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	0	0.0%	1	4.2%	23	95.8%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	0	0.0%	1	4.2%	23	95.8%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	24	100.0%
39. Other	6	25.0%	0	0.0%	18	75.0%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution  
15. Did not have enough money to continue  
12. Poor academic performance

**TABLE 7c - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	1					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
6. Desired program was not available	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%
8. Needed courses not available	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
9. Classes too large	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
10. Inadequate academic support services	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
12. Poor academic performance	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
17. Incurred too much debt	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
23. Moved out of the area	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
26. Family issues/responsibility	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
27. Homesick	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%
29. Felt out of place at the university	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
30. Distracted by social life	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
31. Working too many hours	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
33. Medical (physical)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
34. Emotional/mental health	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
39. Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
10. Inadequate academic support services/  
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)/  
19. Financial aid was not sufficient/  
29. Felt out of place at the university/  
30. Distracted by social life

**TABLE 8 - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
ALL RESPONDENTS  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
REGENT TOTAL - SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	371					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	15	4.0%	68	18.3%	287	77.4%
6. Desired program was not available	82	22.1%	19	5.1%	269	72.5%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	53	14.3%	75	20.2%	242	65.2%
8. Needed courses not available	58	15.6%	24	6.5%	288	77.6%
9. Classes too large	79	21.3%	67	18.1%	224	60.4%
10. Inadequate academic support services	48	12.9%	62	16.7%	260	70.1%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	25	6.7%	57	15.4%	288	77.6%
12. Poor academic performance	41	11.1%	56	15.1%	273	73.6%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	38	10.2%	59	15.9%	273	73.6%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	61	16.4%	42	11.3%	267	72.0%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	53	14.3%	63	17.0%	254	68.5%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	26	7.0%	46	12.4%	298	80.3%
17. Incurred too much debt	35	9.4%	38	10.2%	303	81.7%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	19	5.1%	21	5.7%	330	88.9%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	44	11.9%	48	12.9%	278	74.9%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	95	25.6%	48	12.9%	227	61.2%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	27	7.3%	44	11.9%	299	80.6%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	11	3.0%	6	1.6%	353	95.1%
23. Moved out of the area	21	5.7%	20	5.4%	329	88.7%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	40	10.8%	49	13.2%	281	75.7%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	43	11.6%	44	11.9%	283	76.3%
26. Family issues/responsibility	18	4.9%	20	5.4%	332	89.5%
27. Homesick	36	9.7%	46	12.4%	288	77.6%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	77	20.8%	82	22.1%	211	56.9%
29. Felt out of place at the university	71	19.1%	79	21.3%	220	59.3%
30. Distracted by social life	31	8.4%	51	13.7%	288	77.6%
31. Working too many hours	9	2.4%	22	5.9%	339	91.4%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	26	7.0%	48	12.9%	296	79.8%
33. Medical (physical)	11	3.0%	9	2.4%	350	94.3%
34. Emotional/mental health	20	5.4%	47	12.7%	303	81.7%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	7	1.9%	13	3.5%	350	94.3%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	13	3.5%	24	6.5%	333	89.8%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	2	0.5%	5	1.3%	363	97.8%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	1	0.3%	1	0.3%	368	99.2%
39. Other	84	22.6%	3	0.8%	225	60.6%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution  
6. Desired program was not available  
9. Classes too large

**TABLE 8a - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - ALL RESIDENTS  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	104					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	6	5.8%	20	19.2%	78	75.0%
6. Desired program was not available	23	22.1%	8	7.7%	73	70.2%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	22	21.2%	26	25.0%	56	53.8%
8. Needed courses not available	15	14.4%	10	9.6%	79	76.0%
9. Classes too large	31	29.8%	23	22.1%	50	48.1%
10. Inadequate academic support services	14	13.5%	24	23.1%	66	63.5%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	7	6.7%	17	16.3%	80	76.9%
12. Poor academic performance	10	9.6%	15	14.4%	79	76.0%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	5	4.8%	19	18.3%	80	76.9%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	17	16.3%	15	14.4%	72	69.2%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	17	16.3%	16	15.4%	71	68.3%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	5	4.8%	16	15.4%	83	79.8%
17. Incurred too much debt	11	10.6%	10	9.6%	83	79.8%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	3	2.9%	7	6.7%	94	90.4%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	10	9.6%	11	10.6%	83	79.8%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	25	24.0%	15	14.4%	64	61.5%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	7	6.7%	14	13.5%	83	79.8%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	1	1.0%	2	1.9%	101	97.1%
23. Moved out of the area	7	6.7%	5	4.8%	92	88.5%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	12	11.5%	14	13.5%	78	75.0%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	10	9.6%	16	15.4%	78	75.0%
26. Family issues/responsibility	4	3.8%	4	3.8%	96	92.3%
27. Homesick	10	9.6%	10	9.6%	84	80.8%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	24	23.1%	23	22.1%	57	54.8%
29. Felt out of place at the university	24	23.1%	31	29.8%	49	47.1%
30. Distracted by social life	12	11.5%	16	15.4%	76	73.1%
31. Working too many hours	2	1.9%	9	8.7%	93	89.4%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	8	7.7%	20	19.2%	76	73.1%
33. Medical (physical)	1	1.0%	4	3.8%	99	95.2%
34. Emotional/mental health	7	6.7%	14	13.5%	83	79.8%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, Internet, etc.)	1	1.0%	4	3.8%	99	95.2%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	12	11.5%	14	13.5%	78	75.0%
37. Sexual harassment/abuse	1	1.0%	3	2.9%	100	96.2%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	1	1.0%	1	1.0%	102	98.1%
39. Other	25	24.0%	1	1.0%	78	75.0%

40. Three most significant reasons for not returning.
- 9. Classes too large
  - 20. Transferred to a lower cost institution
  - 28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends/
  - 29. Felt out of place at the university



**TABLE 8b - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - ALL RESIDENTS  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	175					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	5	2.9%	30	17.1%	140	80.0%
6. Desired program was not available	37	21.1%	7	4.0%	131	74.9%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	21	12.0%	38	21.7%	116	66.3%
8. Needed courses not available	26	14.9%	11	6.3%	138	78.9%
9. Classes too large	36	20.6%	31	17.7%	108	61.7%
10. Inadequate academic support services	18	10.3%	27	15.4%	130	74.3%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	12	6.9%	27	15.4%	136	77.7%
12. Poor academic performance	23	13.1%	31	17.7%	121	69.1%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	24	13.7%	29	16.6%	122	69.7%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	30	17.1%	19	10.9%	126	72.0%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	31	17.7%	31	17.7%	113	64.6%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	19	10.9%	21	12.0%	135	77.1%
17. Incurred too much debt	19	10.9%	17	9.7%	139	79.4%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	11	6.3%	9	5.1%	155	88.6%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	30	17.1%	25	14.3%	120	68.6%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	48	27.4%	22	12.6%	105	60.0%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	13	7.4%	19	10.9%	143	81.7%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	10	5.7%	1	0.6%	164	93.7%
23. Moved out of the area	10	5.7%	9	5.1%	156	89.1%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	21	12.0%	23	13.1%	131	74.9%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	20	11.4%	19	10.9%	136	77.7%
26. Family issues/responsibility	11	6.3%	11	6.3%	153	87.4%
27. Homesick	14	8.0%	20	11.4%	141	80.6%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	38	21.7%	38	21.7%	99	56.6%
29. Felt out of place at the university	34	19.4%	33	18.9%	108	61.7%
30. Distracted by social life	15	8.6%	22	12.6%	138	78.9%
31. Working too many hours	5	2.9%	7	4.0%	163	93.1%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	15	8.6%	23	13.1%	137	78.3%
33. Medical (physical)	8	4.6%	4	2.3%	163	93.1%
34. Emotional/mental health	11	6.3%	27	15.4%	137	78.3%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	5	2.9%	6	3.4%	164	93.7%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	0	0.0%	7	4.0%	168	96.0%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	0	0.0%	1	0.6%	174	99.4%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	175	100.0%
39. Other	39	22.3%	2	1.1%	134	76.6%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution  
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends  
9. Classes too large

**TABLE 8c - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - ALL RESPONDENTS  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
SPRING 2009**

NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	92					
	Major Reason		Minor Reason		Not a Reason or No Response	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Academic Reasons</b>						
5. Courses were not interesting	4	4.3%	18	19.6%	69	75.0%
6. Desired program was not available	22	23.9%	4	4.3%	65	70.7%
7. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations	10	10.9%	11	12.0%	70	76.1%
8. Needed courses not available	17	18.5%	3	3.3%	71	77.2%
9. Classes too large	12	13.0%	13	14.1%	66	71.7%
10. Inadequate academic support services	16	17.4%	11	12.0%	64	69.6%
11. Academically unprepared for course(s)	6	6.5%	13	14.1%	72	78.3%
12. Poor academic performance	8	8.7%	10	10.9%	73	79.3%
13. Inadequate study techniques or habits	9	9.8%	11	12.0%	71	77.2%
14. Undecided about my major or vocation	14	15.2%	8	8.7%	69	75.0%
<b>Financial Reasons</b>						
15. Did not have enough money to continue	5	5.4%	16	17.4%	70	76.1%
16. Change in family financial circumstances	2	2.2%	9	9.8%	80	87.0%
17. Incurred too much debt	5	5.4%	11	12.0%	81	88.0%
18. Scholarship/grant was not renewed	5	5.4%	5	5.4%	81	88.0%
19. Financial aid was not sufficient	4	4.3%	12	13.0%	75	81.5%
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution	22	23.9%	11	12.0%	58	63.0%
21. Increases in tuition and fees	7	7.6%	11	12.0%	73	79.3%
<b>Personal Reasons</b>						
22. Military obligations	0	0.0%	3	3.3%	88	95.7%
23. Moved out of the area	4	4.3%	6	6.5%	81	88.0%
24. Housing was unsatisfactory	7	7.6%	12	13.0%	72	78.3%
25. Issues with roommate or other students	13	14.1%	9	9.8%	69	75.0%
26. Family issues/responsibility	3	3.3%	5	5.4%	83	90.2%
27. Homesick	12	13.0%	16	17.4%	63	68.5%
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends	15	16.3%	21	22.8%	55	59.8%
29. Felt out of place at the university	13	14.1%	15	16.3%	63	68.5%
30. Distracted by social life	4	4.3%	13	14.1%	74	80.4%
31. Working too many hours	2	2.2%	6	6.5%	83	90.2%
32. Unmotivated or tired of school	3	3.3%	5	5.4%	83	90.2%
33. Medical (physical)	2	2.2%	1	1.1%	88	95.7%
34. Emotional/mental health	2	2.2%	6	6.5%	83	90.2%
35. Addictions (alcohol, gaming, internet, etc.)	1	1.1%	3	3.3%	87	94.6%
36. Felt campus environment not safe	1	1.1%	3	3.3%	87	94.6%
37. Sexual harrassment/abuse	1	1.1%	1	1.1%	89	96.7%
38. Impact of natural disaster(s)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	91	98.9%
39. Other	20	21.7%	0	0.0%	13	14.1%

40. Three most significant major reasons for not returning  
6. Desired program was not available/  
20. Transferred to a lower cost institution  
28. Wanted to be closer to family and friends

**TABLE 9 - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
ENTERING CLASS OF 2007  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
SPRING 2009**

Explanatory comments regarding reasons for leaving

<b>Resident students</b> (includes on probation and not on probation):	
<b>REASON</b>	<b>Frequency</b>
Misinformed by resident housing staff	1
Pursuing physical therapy program	1
Desired degree in radiation science	1
Didn't like the atmosphere	1
Students First doesn't happen at a large univeristy	1
Loved UNI but purusing acting career	1
Playing baseball	1
Too far away from home	1
Dating someone in Oregon - moved	1
Wanted to play golf at Simpson College	1
Plan on returning Fall 2009	1
Advisor help insufficient	1
Roommate	1
Left for better photography program at Hawkeye	1
Wanted to pursue nursing program	1
Misled by softball coach	1
No parking	1
Can't get classes	1
Dorm rooms too small	1
To play sports at Division 3 school	1
Professors didn't care about students	1
Baseball	1
Did not feel connection with students and faculty	1
Instructors lacking in knowledge	1
Instructors unwilling to help and insulting	1
Dorm was horrible	1
Roommate assignment	1
Grading issues with professors	1
Felt lost and did not know where to go for questions	1
Major wasn't offered, but really liked UNI	1
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\* 20% Academic, 17% Athletics, 17% Faculty/Advising, 17% Residence Life

<b>Non-resident students</b> (includes on probation and not on probation):	
<b>REASON</b>	<b>Frequency</b>
Your tennis coach	1
Not enough to do in area	1
Out of state tuition	2
Interior Design major at NI not accredited by CIDA	1
Transferred for football	1
Athletics	1
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\* 43% Athletics