The number of credits an undergraduate student completes in the first year (fall-spring-summer). On average, for an undergraduate student to finish in 4 years, starting with no credits, they would need to pursue a degree by taking 30 credits in first fiscal year.

**First Year = Fall + Spring + Summer**

**THIS METRIC LEADS**

- Degrees Awarded
- Graduation Rates
- Retention Rate
- Average Time to Degree
- Average Student Debt
- Student Loan Default Rates

Source: CU System Office of Institutional Research; Based on end-of-term enrollment, credit hours attempted;