

## **Retention and Graduation Rates** <sup>[1]</sup>

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**ABOUT THIS VISUALIZATION:** This data visualization summarizes student graduation rates for each CU campus. This data visualization was created by the CU System Institutional Research. Additional details are provided within the visualization.

**ABOUT RETENTION RATES:** The first-year retention rate measures the percentage of first-year, first-time students who persisted at their home campus a year later. The cohort includes only first-time freshman enrolled full-time (12 or more credit hours). Successful retention is defined as being enrolled at the same institution in the fall term of the following year. Rates are calculated, maintained, and provided by campus institutional research offices.

**ABOUT GRADUATION RATES:** Graduation rates summarize a cohort of first-time freshman enrolled full-time (12 or more credit hours) in the fall term. Successful graduation is determined by successful degree completion within six years, grouped by 4-year, 5-year, and 6-year rates. Rates are calculated, maintained, and provided by campus institutional research offices.

Should you have questions or comments on this data, please contact [IR@cu.edu](mailto:IR@cu.edu) <sup>[4]</sup>.

Visualization is formatted for a generic desktop (1366x768 resolution). If you are using a smaller screen, use [this link](#) <sup>[5]</sup>.

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