

**University of Southern Maine**  
**Factbook Fall 2014**  
**Retention Rates**

**First Time, First Year Students**

Cohort	Count	Retained To			
		Term 2	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
Fall 2010	817	85.6%	64.5%	49.8%	44.9% *
Fall 2011	710	83.9% *	62.8% *	49.4% *	43.1% *
Fall 2012	865	86.8%	65.3%	52.7%	
Fall 2013	780	87.7%	64.8% *		
Fall 2014	737	85.1% *			

**First Time, Full Time Students (IPEDS)**

Cohort	Count	Retained To			
		Term 2	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
Fall 2010	766	87.3%	65.5%	50.8%	45.7% *
Fall 2011	661	85.2% *	64.4% *	51.2% *	44.8% *
Fall 2012	823	88.1%	67.0%	53.7%	
Fall 2013	741	88.1%	65.2% *		
Fall 2014	701	86.3% *			

**Freshman Transfer Students**

Cohort	Count	Retained To:			
		Term 2	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
Fall 2010	126	80.2%	65.1%	53.6% *	39.2% *
Fall 2011	108	82.4%	60.2%	46.3%	40.7%
Fall 2012	132	86.4%	64.9% *	61.1% *	
Fall 2013	103	78.6%	64.1%		
Fall 2014	100	87.0%			

**Sophomore, Junior & Senior Transfer Students**

Cohort	Count	Retained To:			
		Term 2	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
Fall 2010	751	87.2%	68.0%	45.8%	20.5%
Fall 2011	739	85.7%	70.0%	47.4%	23.4%
Fall 2012	862	85.2% *	69.2% *	48.5%	
Fall 2013	714	88.7%	69.6%		
Fall 2014	692	82.8%			

**Degree Earned [1]**

35.0%	by Year 4
34.2%	by Year 4
14.1%	by Year 3
2.4%	by Year 2

\* Cohort has been adjusted as allowed by IPEDS definitions

**Notes:**

[1] Not included in retention values. For example, those earning a degree by year 4 are not retained to year 4.  
 Transfer students include both Transfer (TRF) and Readmitted (REA) students