University of Southern Maine

Factbook Fall 2014

Retention Rates

First Time, First Year Students

				Retaine	d To	
Cohort		Count	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				

First Time, Full Time Students (IPEDS)

			Retained To			
Cohort		Count	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				

Freshman Transfer Students

				Retained	d To:	
Cohort		Count	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				

Sophomore, Junior & Senior Transfer Students

				Retained	d To:	
Cohort		Count	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				

Degree Earned [1]				
35.0%	by Year 4			
34.2%	by Year 4			
14.1%	by Year 3			
2.4%	by Year 2			

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

^{*} Cohort has been adjusted as allowed by IPEDS definitions