Each spring, Achieving the Dream compiles data from the National Student Clearinghouse to help colleges examine the results of their reform efforts. The selected charts below suggest that MCC remains a leader among Michigan community colleges and ATD schools.

Note: student cohorts in the report are defined as degree-seeking students, both full-time and part-time, who first enrolled in the fall semester. These cohorts are defined by students’ enrollment behaviors, with degree-seeking students having completed 12 credits in the first two years after initial enrollment.

### Fall-to-Fall Retention

- Fall 2013: 59%
- Fall 2014: 59%
- Fall 2015: 58%
- Fall 2016: 66%

### Fall-to-Winter Persistence

- Fall 2013: 82%
- Fall 2014: 82%
- Fall 2015: 82%
- Fall 2016: 83%

### Student Status at the End of the Third Year

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