



Johnson & Wales University - Providence Campus
Retention Rate for First-Time
Bachelor Degree Seeking Undergraduates

The Higher Education Opportunity Act (2008) requires higher education institutions to provide fall-to-fall retention rates for first-time degree seeking students as reported to IPEDS.

Percentage of Students Who Began their Studies in Fall 2024 and Returned in Fall 2025

Enrollment	Number in Cohort	Retention Rate
Full-time	1027	79.9%
Part-time	3	66.7%

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Graduation Rates for First-Time, Full-Time, Degree Seeking Undergraduates
(2019 Cohort)

Overall Graduation Rate Information¹

Measure	Number of Students	Completions within 150% of Program Time
Degree-Seeking Students	1473	49.4%
Gender		
Female	898	53.0%
Male	575	43.7%
Ethnicity		
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	*
Asian	60	55.0%
Black or African American	184	38.0%
Hispanic/Latino	197	43.1%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	*
Non-Resident Alien	49	42.9%
Race Ethnicity Unknown	93	52.7%
Two or More Races	6	50.0%
White	883	52.8%

Aid Status	Number of Students	Total completers within 150% time
Recipients of a Pell Grant	569	42.9%
Recipients of a Direct Subsidized Loan that did not receive a Pell Grant	464	53.7%
Did not receive either a Pell Grant or Direct Subsidized Loan	440	53.2%

Notes:

1. Graduation Rates calculated using Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS) definitions, first time, full-time degree seeking students completing a degree within 150% of program completion time.
- 2.* Insufficient number of students to provide graduation rate information while maintaining confidentiality

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Graduation Rates for Students Seeking a Bachelor's Degree
(2019 Cohort)

Measure	Number of Students	Time to Degree		
		4 Years	5 Years	6 Years
Students Seeking a Bachelor's Degree	1400	35.9%	7.1%	1.9%
Gender				
Female	852	39.7%	6.3%	1.5%
Male	548	29.9%	8.4%	2.4%
Ethnicity				
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	*	*	*
Asian	54	50.0%	1.9%	1.9%
Black of African American	176	24.4%	6.3%	1.7%
Hispanic/Latino	187	27.3%	10.7%	1.1%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	*	*	*
Non-Resident Alien	47	29.8%	2.1%	6.4%
Race Ethnicity Unknown	89	33.7%	6.7%	3.4%
Two or More Races	6	33.3%	16.7%	0.0%
White	840	39.9%	7.1%	1.7%

Aid Status	Number of Students	Completed Bachelor's degree within 6 years
Recipients of a Pell Grant	540	38.7%
Recipients of a Direct Subsidized Loan that did not receive a Pell Grant	442	48.0%
Did not receive either a Pell Grant or Direct Subsidized Loan	418	49.5%

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1. Graduation Rates calculated using Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS) definitions,
first time, full-time bachelor's degree seeking students completing a bachelor's degree within six years.

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