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## **Graduation Rates and One-Year Retention of First-Time Freshmen**

This report contains current information about graduation rates and the one-year retention rate for first-time freshmen at Baylor. Each of the rates is based on the five most current year's data.

## **Graduation Rates**

What percentage of first-time freshmen graduate within three years?	2%
What percentage of first-time freshmen graduate within four years?	60%
What percentage of first-time freshmen graduate within five years?	73%
What percentage of first-time freshmen graduate within six years?	74%

								Five-Year
Graduated	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	Fall 2009	Fall 2010	Fall 2011	Fall 2012	Fall 2013	Weighted
Within	(n=2,732)	(n=3,062)	(n=3,098)	(n=3,259)	(n=3,033)	(n=3,254)	(n=3,190)	Average
3 years	1.9%	1.5%	1.8%	1.9%	2.6%	2.8%	2.3%	2.3%
4 years	57.0%	54.6%	54.0%	58.2%	60.1%	62.7%	62.9%	59.6%
5 years	73.0%	70.3%	68.7%	72.0%	74.9%	77.4%		72.7%
6 years	74.5%	72.1%	70.4%	73.9%	76.6%			73.5%

## **One-Year Retention Rate for First-Time Freshmen**

What percentage of first-time freshmen return for their second year at Baylor? 89%

Entering Class:	Fall 2012 (n=3,254)	Fall 2013 (n=3,190)	Fall 2014 (n=3,625)	Fall 2015 (n=3,394)	Fall 2016 (n=3,503)	Five-Year Weighted <u>Average</u>
One-Year Rate	e: 88.2%	88.5%	88.9%	89.0%	89.5%	88.8%