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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

<i>What percentage of first-time freshmen graduate <u>within three</u> years?</i>	2%
<i>What percentage of first-time freshmen graduate <u>within four</u> years?</i>	62%
<i>What percentage of first-time freshmen graduate <u>within five</u> years?</i>	74%
<i>What percentage of first-time freshmen graduate <u>within six</u> years?</i>	74%

<u>Graduated Within</u>	<u>Fall 2008</u> (n=3,062)	<u>Fall 2009</u> (n=3,098)	<u>Fall 2010</u> (n=3,259)	<u>Fall 2011</u> (n=3,033)	<u>Fall 2012</u> (n=3,254)	<u>Fall 2013</u> (n=3,190)	<u>Fall 2014</u> (n=3,625)	Five-Year <u>Weighted Average</u>
3 years	1.5%	1.8%	1.9%	2.6%	2.8%	2.3%	2.2%	2.4%
4 years	54.6%	54.0%	58.2%	60.1%	62.7%	62.9%	63.5%	61.5%
5 years	70.3%	68.7%	72.0%	74.9%	77.4%	76.7%		74.0%
6 years	72.1%	70.4%	73.9%	76.6%	79.0%			74.4%

One-Year Retention Rate for First-Time Freshmen

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

<u>Entering Class:</u>	<u>Fall 2013</u> (n=3,190)	<u>Fall 2014</u> (n=3,625)	<u>Fall 2015</u> (n=3,394)	<u>Fall 2016</u> (n=3,503)	<u>Fall 2017</u> (n=3,320)	Five-Year <u>Weighted Average</u>
One-Year Rate:	88.5%	88.9%	89.0%	89.5%	88.8%	88.9%