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*to the First Time in
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for this success!*

Success of Fall 2006 Full-Time First-Time-in-College Students

A Comparison of Students Enrolled in the FTIC Program and Those Not Enrolled in the FTIC Program

During Fall 2006 there were 1,073 full-time first-time-in-college students, of which 129 were enrolled in the First Time in College Program and 944 were not enrolled.

	Full-Time FTIC	
	Not Enrolled in Program (N = 944)	Enrolled in Program (N = 129)
Hours Attempted / Hours Earned	13.0 / 8.6	12.8 / 9.4
Failed One or More Courses	20.8%	12.4%
Withdrawn from One or More Courses	37.9%	32.6%
Within Semester Retention	96.1%	98.4%
Successful Completion of One or More Courses (Grade of "C" or better)	85.0%	93.0%
Fall 2006 GPA	2.430	2.778
Fall 2006 GPA by Tutoring Visits:		
0 Visits	2.432	2.534
1 or 2 Visits	2.260	2.734
3+ Visits	2.693	2.995

The FTIC Program offers special services and assistance to eligible students who are enrolling in college for the first time. The purpose of the program is to retain these students beyond their critical first year of college where the majority of drop outs occur. Through extensive one-on-one student services and academic support, students are helped to adjust to college life and acquire the skills needed to become successful students and increase their chances of staying in college and graduating.