

How to read the retention reports:

Cohort Type: GRAD SCE INTL

| Cohort Year | Cohort Term | Total Cohort | Continued to 2nd Yr | Graduated in 2 Yrs | Continued to 3rd Yr | Graduated in 3 Yrs | Continued to 4th Yr | Graduated in 4 Yrs | Continued to 5th Yr | Graduated in 5 Yrs | Continued to 6th Yr | Graduated in 6 Yrs | Continued to 7th Yr | Graduated in 7 Yrs | Continued to 8th Yr | Graduated in 8 Yrs | Continued to 9th Yr | Graduated in 9 Yrs | Continued to 10th Yr |
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| 2000 | 1520 | Fall 00 | Fall 01 | by Fall 02 | Fall 02 | by Fall 03 | Fall 03 | by Fall 04 | Fall 04 | by Fall 05 | Fall 05 | by Fall 06 | Fall 06 | by Fall 07 | Fall 07 | by Fall 08 | Fall 08 | by Fall 09 | Fall 09 |
| 2001 | 1550 | Fall 01 | Fall 02 | by Fall 03 | Fall 03 | by Fall 04 | Fall 04 | by Fall 05 | Fall 05 | by Fall 06 | Fall 06 | by Fall 07 | Fall 07 | by Fall 08 | Fall 08 | by Fall 09 | Fall 09 | | |
| 2002 | 1580 | Fall 02 | Fall 03 | by Fall 04 | Fall 04 | by Fall 05 | Fall 05 | by Fall 06 | Fall 06 | by Fall 07 | Fall 07 | by Fall 08 | Fall 08 | by Fall 09 | Fall 09 | | | | |
| 2003 | 1610 | Fall 03 | Fall 04 | by Fall 05 | Fall 05 | by Fall 06 | Fall 06 | by Fall 07 | Fall 07 | by Fall 08 | Fall 08 | by Fall 09 | Fall 09 | | | | | | |
| 2004 | 1640 | Fall 04 | Fall 05 | by Fall 06 | Fall 06 | by Fall 07 | Fall 07 | by Fall 08 | Fall 08 | by Fall 09 | Fall 09 | | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 1670 | Fall 05 | Fall 06 | by Fall 07 | Fall 07 | by Fall 08 | Fall 08 | by Fall 09 | Fall 09 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2006 | 1700 | Fall 06 | Fall 07 | by Fall 08 | Fall 08 | by Fall 09 | Fall 09 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2007 | 1730 | Fall 07 | Fall 08 | by Fall 09 | Fall 09 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2008 | 1760 | Fall 08 | Fall 09 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Glossary:

- Cohort Type:** The entire string of criteria used to calculate the data in the report - example and explanations below
- Cohort Year:** The year the student first started attending classes at UHCL
- Cohort Term:** The term the student first started attending classes at UHCL
- Total Cohort:** The total number of students captured in that type for the term/year shown
- Continued to data:** The number or percentage of cohort students continuing on to the next like term (number of students continuing for same cohort type / Total cohort)
- Graduated in data:** The cumulative number or percentage of cohort students graduating in number of years indicated (the fall 2002 cohort must have graduated before fall 2005 for the # Grad in 3 yrs number or percentage)

To Calculate Loss: Add the number of students "graduated in 2 years" plus "continued to 3rd year" then subtract from the "total cohort" = the count or percent loss

For example: In the report below - DE students in the Fall 05 cohort graduating in 2 years (5) plus the continuing students to the 3rd year (13) = 18. Loss = 5 students (23-18) or 22%.

| Cohort Type: DE STUDENT | | Total Cohort | Continued to 2nd Yr | Graduated in 2 Yrs | Continued to 3rd Yr | Graduated in 3 Yrs | Continued to 4th Yr | Graduated in 4 Yrs | Continued to 5th Yr | Graduated in 5 Yrs | Continued to 6th Yr | Graduated in 6 Yrs | Continued to 7th Yr | Graduated in 7 Yrs | Continued to 8th Yr | Graduated in 8 Yrs | Continued to 9th Yr | Graduated in 9 Yrs | Continued to 10th Yr |
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| 2005 | 1670 | 23 | 17 | 5 | 13 | 10 | 7 | 14 | 3 | 16 | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| 2006 | 1700 | 38 | 33 | 13 | 18 | 25 | 6 | 29 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |

Examples of how reports are derived and how the cohort type eliminates students:

- If a report is for all UGRD - all undergraduate students taking classes at UHCL for the first time are included
- If a report is for all UGRD for a certain school - students will drop off the continued and graduated counts if they made a program change between schools even though they may still be attending UHCL
- If a report is for all UGRD BUS by major - students will drop off the continued and graduated counts if they made a plan change even though they may still be attending UHCL
- If a student stops out for a period of time, but returns to that same career in a later term - they are included in the cohort, but a lower count may be recorded in an earlier year and then larger in the next year.

Other exclusions: Post Bacc, Non-degree and Certificate students are not included in any cohort data.