

Table 2a
Bowie State University
Retention and Graduation Rates
First-Time, Full-Time, Degree-Seeking Freshmen Entering in the Fall Semester

| Cohort Year | Cohort Size | Institution of First-Time Entry | | | | | | | Anywhere in the USM | | | | | | |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------------------|--------|--------|------------------|--------|--------|-------------------|---------------------|--------|--------|------------------|-----|-----|-------------------|
| | | Retention Rates | | | Graduation Rates | | | Enrolled 7th Year | Retention Rates | | | Graduation Rates | | | Enrolled 7th Year |
| 2nd Yr | 3rd Yr | 4th Yr | 4-year | 5-year | 6-year | 2nd Yr | 3rd Yr | | 4th Yr | 4-year | 5-year | 6-year | | | |
| 1992 | 342 | 75% | 62% | 55% | 11% | 29% | 39% | 8% | 76% | 64% | 57% | 12% | 30% | 40% | 10% |
| 1993 | 264 | 67% | 54% | 48% | 14% | 28% | 36% | 6% | 69% | 57% | 52% | 14% | 30% | 38% | 8% |
| 1994 | 383 | 73% | 60% | 54% | 15% | 33% | 41% | 8% | 75% | 63% | 58% | 15% | 34% | 43% | 10% |
| 1995 | 435 | 74% | 59% | 53% | 14% | 32% | 39% | 8% | 76% | 63% | 56% | 15% | 34% | 42% | 11% |
| 1996 | 301 | 71% | 59% | 53% | 14% | 33% | 38% | 8% | 72% | 61% | 56% | 14% | 33% | 39% | 9% |
| 1997 | 357 | 71% | 61% | 51% | 12% | 30% | 38% | 8% | 75% | 65% | 55% | 13% | 31% | 40% | 10% |
| 1998 | 418 | 73% | 55% | 51% | 12% | 29% | 36% | 5% | 76% | 61% | 56% | 13% | 31% | 40% | 6% |
| 1999 | 343 | 71% | 58% | 48% | 13% | 30% | 37% | 2% | 74% | 64% | 55% | 15% | 33% | 41% | 3% |
| 2000 | 361 | 73% | 61% | 52% | 12% | 28% | 35% | 7% | 75% | 66% | 57% | 12% | 29% | 38% | 11% |
| 2001 | 594 | 75% | 58% | 52% | 14% | 28% | 36% | 7% | 77% | 64% | 58% | 14% | 30% | 38% | 11% |
| 2002 | 566 | 70% | 60% | 55% | 17% | 35% | 40% | 6% | 73% | 64% | 61% | 18% | 37% | 43% | 8% |
| 2003 | 762 | 73% | 60% | 51% | 13% | 32% | 40% | 4% | 76% | 65% | 56% | 14% | 34% | 42% | 6% |
| 2004 | 627 | 77% | 60% | 53% | 15% | 31% | 38% | 9% | 78% | 65% | 58% | 15% | 32% | 40% | 11% |
| 2005 | 923 | 71% | 56% | 45% | 22% | 35% | 41% | 8% | 74% | 60% | 50% | 23% | 37% | 43% | 11% |
| 2006 | 765 | 71% | 54% | 49% | 11% | 27% | 35% | 7% | 72% | 58% | 52% | 11% | 29% | 37% | 9% |
| 2007 | 820 | 69% | 57% | 47% | 13% | 27% | 35% | 7% | 72% | 60% | 53% | 14% | 29% | 38% | 9% |
| 2008 | 664 | 69% | 54% | 47% | 8% | 26% | | | 70% | 59% | 53% | 8% | 29% | | |
| 2009 | 635 | 71% | 59% | 53% | 11% | | | | 72% | 62% | 59% | 12% | | | |
| 2010 | 608 | 75% | 57% | 49% | | | | | 78% | 62% | 55% | | | | |
| 2011 | 573 | 71% | 57% | | | | | | 71% | 60% | | | | | |
| 2012 | 477 | 70% | | | | | | | 73% | | | | | | |

Source: EIS and DIS files.