

### Virginia Western Fall-to-Spring Retention by Academic Plan

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College Transfer	Academic Plan	Degree	School	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained
Business Administration	213	AS	BTT	71%	70%	70%	72%	71%	71%	1%
Engineering	831	AS	STEM	82%	77%	78%	85%	87%	83%	12%
Engineering - Engineering Construction	831-02	AS	STEM	43%	48%	43%	33%	41%	39%	-5%
Engineering - Engineering Construction Pre-Admission	831-11	AS	STEM	50%	45%	35%	41%	-	**	**
Engineering - Computer Science	831-01	AS	STEM	72%	69%	69%	84%	77%	77%	12%
Engineering - Pre-Admission	831-10	AS	STEM	30%	42%	17%	21%	-	**	**
General Studies	699	AS	LASS	73%	73%	71%	73%	71%	72%	0%
General Studies - Undecided	699-02	AS	LASS	43%	39%	39%	50%	-	**	**
Liberal Arts	648	AA	LASS	78%	70%	69%	57%	70%	65%	1%
Liberal Arts - Fine Arts	648-01	AA	LASS	54%	63%	67%	67%	69%	68%	3%
Science	880	AS	STEM	69%	71%	73%	68%	67%	69%	-8%
Science - Agriculture	880-08	AS	STEM	76%	72%	77%	59%	54%	63%	-30%
Science - Biotechnology	880-09	AS	STEM	-	-	-	-	73%	**	**
Science - Computer Science	880-01	AS	STEM	85%	63%	64%	63%	53%	60%	-17%
Science - Health Sciences	880-02	AS	STEM	67%	51%	68%	60%	69%	66%	1%
Science - Integrated Environmental Studies	880-05	AS	STEM	74%	61%	65%	70%	82%	72%	26%
Science - Mathematics	880-04	AS	STEM	75%	67%	60%	78%	100%	79%	67%
Social Sciences	882	AS	LASS	71%	66%	67%	68%	67%	67%	0%
Social Sciences - Education Specialization	882-01	AS	LASS	70%	66%	84%	70%	67%	74%	-20%
<b>Total</b>				<b>66%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>83%</b>	<b>12%</b>

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Career Technical Degree	Academic Plan	Degree	School	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained
Accounting	203	AAS	BTT	75%	86%	74%	75%	77%	75%	4%
Administration of Justice*	400	AAS	LASS	63%	100%	44%	-	-	**	**
Administrative Management Technology (AMT)	298	AAS	BTT	72%	93%	76%	67%	88%	77%	16%
AMT - Medical Administrative Management	298-03	AAS	BTT	74%	81%	80%	85%	86%	84%	7%
Criminal Justice	456	AAS	LASS	60%	68%	62%	64%	66%	64%	6%
Culinary Arts	242	AAS	BTT	79%	91%	76%	76%	66%	73%	-13%
Culinary Arts - Baking Specialization	242-01	AAS	BTT	75%	89%	64%	94%	82%	80%	28%
Dental Hygiene	118	AAS	HP	85%	88%	87%	95%	94%	92%	8%
Dental Hygiene Pre-Admission*	118-01	AAS	HP	56%	-	-	-	-	**	**
Early Childhood Development	636	AAS	LASS	70%	71%	68%	75%	69%	71%	1%
Human Services	480	AAS	LASS	76%	78%	72%	64%	60%	65%	-17%
Information Systems Technology (IST)	299	AAS	STEM	66%	60%	60%	71%	55%	62%	-8%
IST - Cyber Security & Network Administration	299-11	AAS	STEM	77%	77%	71%	77%	61%	70%	-14%
IST - Database and Program Developer	299-10	AAS	STEM	67%	78%	73%	64%	79%	72%	8%
IST - Web Programmer Specialization*	299-12	AAS	STEM	69%	100%	0%	0%	-	**	**
Management	212	AAS	BTT	68%	79%	80%	69%	76%	75%	-5%

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Mechatronics Systems Engineering Technology (MSET)	736	AAS	STEM	81%	74%	82%	72%	79%	78%	-4%
Medical Laboratory Technology	151	AAS	HP	91%	80%	89%	69%	47%	68%	-47%
Medical Laboratory Technology Pre-Admission*	151-01	AAS	HP	14%	-	-	-	-	**	**
MSET - Design Engineering Technology	736-01	AAS	STEM	90%	80%	55%	85%	68%	69%	24%
MSET - Electrical Engineering Technology	736-02	AAS	STEM	86%	81%	74%	71%	61%	69%	-18%
Nursing	156	AAS	HP	94%	93%	90%	84%	91%	88%	1%
Nursing Pre-Admission*	156-01	AAS	HP	64%	-	-	-	-	**	**
Paralegal Studies	260	AAS	BTT	83%	84%	83%	81%	70%	78%	-16%
Physical Therapist Assistant	180	AAS	HP	-	-	-	100%	93%	**	**
Radiation Oncology	113	AAS	HP	100%	100%	95%	89%	97%	94%	2%
Radiation Oncology Pre-Admission*	113-01	AAS	HP	55%	-	-	-	-	**	**
Radiography	172	AAS	HP	93%	100%	87%	90%	98%	92%	13%
Radiography Pre-Admission*	172-01	AAS	HP	57%	-	-	-	-	**	**
Surgical Technology	171	AAS	HP	-	-	-	92%	94%	**	**
Technical Studies	718	AAS	BTT	-	-	100%	100%	80%	93%	-20%
Visual Design	511	AAS	LASS	77%	69%	67%	71%	77%	72%	15%
<b>Total</b>				<b>73%</b>	<b>83%</b>	<b>72%</b>	<b>76%</b>	<b>77%</b>	<b>75%</b>	<b>6%</b>

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<b>Certificate</b>	<b>Academic Plan</b>	<b>Degree</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>% Retained</b>	<b>% Retained</b>	<b>% Retained</b>	<b>% Retained</b>	<b>% Retained</b>	<b>% Retained</b>	<b>% Retained</b>
General Education	695	CERT	LASS	91%	93%	94%	65%	97%	85%	3%
Practical Nursing	157	CERT	HP	76%	86%	90%	80%	89%	86%	-1%
Practical Nursing Pre-Admission*	157-01	CERT	HP	65%	-	-	-	-	**	**
<b>Total</b>				<b>77%</b>	<b>90%</b>	<b>92%</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>93%</b>	<b>86%</b>	<b>1%</b>

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Air Conditioning & Refrigeration - Residential	221-903-10	CSC	BTT	82%	95%	86%	67%	74%	76%	-14%
Air Conditioning & Refrigeration - Commercial	221-903-13	CSC	BTT	-	-	-	67%	50%	**	**
AMT - Advanced Medical Office Specialist	221-285-91	CSC	BTT	-	57%	100%	100%	70%	90%	-30%
AMT - Computer Office Support Specialist*	221-298-02	CSC	BTT	86%	89%	83%	80%	71%	78%	-14%
AMT - Customer Support*	221-218-03	CSC	BTT	50%	-	-	-	-	**	**
Applied Interdisciplinary Science*	221-879-01	CSC	STEM	100%	100%	-	-	-	**	**
Automotive Analysis & Repair	221-909-01	CSC	BTT	64%	71%	56%	45%	55%	52%	-2%
Biotechnology	221-149-01	CSC	STEM	73%	80%	80%	100%	69%	83%	-14%
Building Trades Technology	221-989-00	CSC	BTT	77%	82%	79%	57%	74%	70%	-6%

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Business Communication	221-298-21	CSC	BTT	-	83%	83%	86%	69%	79%	-17%
Computed Tomography Imaging	221-172-02	CSC	HP	-	-	-	-	0%	**	**
Computer Draft & Design (CAD)	221-729-01	CSC	STEM	100%	92%	71%	90%	71%	77%	0%
Construction Management	221-917-01	CSC	BTT	80%	75%	80%	81%	83%	81%	4%
Criminal Justice - Advanced Foundations	221-400-47	CSC	LASS	-	-	63%	73%	76%	71%	21%
Criminal Justice - Foundations	221-400-45	CSC	LASS	-	33%	63%	72%	76%	70%	21%
Culinary Arts - Advanced Foodservice	221-242-03	CSC	BTT	60%	80%	64%	73%	50%	62%	-22%
Culinary Arts - Baking & Pastry	221-242-05	CSC	BTT	85%	75%	87%	67%	73%	76%	-16%
Culinary Arts - Cake Production & Decorating	221-242-07	CSC	BTT	83%	100%	88%	70%	43%	67%	-51%
Culinary Arts - Introduction to Foodservice	221-241-02	CSC	BTT	56%	83%	60%	80%	36%	59%	-40%
Culinary Arts - Professional Catering	221-242-01	CSC	BTT	88%	80%	50%	67%	60%	59%	20%
Early Childhood Development	221-636-04	CSC	LASS	62%	70%	54%	68%	62%	61%	15%
Early Childhood Development - Advanced	221-636-10	CSC	LASS	-	83%	78%	70%	60%	69%	-23%
Early Childhood Development - Infant and Toddler Care	221-636-06	CSC	LASS	57%	71%	75%	65%	55%	65%	-27%
Electrical Wiring	221-706-01	CSC	BTT	79%	71%	69%	70%	69%	69%	0%
Emergency Medical Technician	221-146-01	CSC	HP	-	-	0%	50%	73%	41%	-
Engineering	221-831-01	CSC	STEM	100%	100%	91%	92%	100%	94%	10%
Entrepreneurship Plus	221-212-10	CSC	BTT	64%	81%	65%	63%	74%	67%	14%
Exercise Science & Personal Training*	221-196-01	CSC	STEM	-	-	-	-	-	**	**
Health Records Coding	221-152-06	CSC	BTT	82%	81%	81%	78%	74%	78%	-9%
Horticulture Technology	221-335-04	CSC	BTT	62%	100%	85%	62%	77%	75%	-9%
HP - Introduction to Dental Hygiene	221-118-01	CSC	HP	-	49%	61%	61%	73%	65%	20%
HP - Introduction to Medical Laboratory Technology	221-151-01	CSC	HP	-	30%	100%	65%	50%	72%	-50%
HP - Introduction to Nursing	221-156-02	CSC	HP	-	64%	61%	60%	66%	62%	8%
HP - Introduction to Physical Therapist Assistant	221-180-01	CSC	HP	-	69%	69%	75%	70%	71%	1%
HP - Introduction to Practical Nursing	221-157-02	CSC	HP	-	61%	44%	56%	59%	53%	34%
HP - Introduction to Radiation Oncology	221-112-01	CSC	HP	-	67%	62%	69%	78%	70%	26%
HP - Introduction to Radiography	221-172-01	CSC	HP	-	77%	60%	63%	69%	64%	15%
HP - Introduction to Surgical Technology	221-159-01	CSC	HP	-	-	-	78%	73%	**	**
Human Services - Advanced Skills	221-480-46	CSC	LASS	-	0%	85%	72%	57%	71%	-33%
Human Services - Foundations	221-480-44	CSC	LASS	-	0%	80%	64%	58%	67%	-28%
IST - Cyber Security	221-732-09	CSC	STEM	74%	74%	67%	78%	63%	69%	-6%
IST - CISCO CCNA Networking	221-732-12	CSC	STEM	84%	82%	65%	73%	63%	67%	-3%
IST - Database and Program Developer	221-299-12	CSC	STEM	61%	74%	71%	62%	75%	69%	6%
IST - Desktop Support Technician*	221-299-04	CSC	STEM	25%	100%	-	-	-	**	**
IST - Information Technology Support Analyst	221-299-23	CSC	STEM	-	80%	50%	63%	57%	57%	14%
IST - Network & Security Administration	221-732-02	CSC	STEM	76%	82%	60%	80%	71%	70%	18%
IST - Web Programmer	221-352-03	CSC	STEM	59%	69%	74%	66%	71%	70%	-4%
Legal Office Assisting	221-260-01	CSC	BTT	58%	78%	87%	74%	65%	75%	-25%
Magnetic Resonance Imaging	221-172-04	CSC	HP	100%	-	-	0%	-	**	**
Maintenance Technology	221-731-98	CSC	BTT	92%	83%	0%	40%	50%	30%	-
Mechatronics - Advanced Technology	221-706-90	CSC	STEM	63%	75%	67%	83%	64%	71%	-4%

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Mechatronics - Technology	221-736-01	CSC	STEM	-	50%	63%	82%	56%	67%	-11%
Medical Billing	221-152-03	CSC	BTT	85%	74%	79%	69%	57%	68%	-28%
Medical Office Specialist	221-285-87	CSC	BTT	83%	78%	82%	88%	69%	80%	-16%
Nurse Aide	221-157-04	CSC	HP	88%	100%	-	-	-	**	**
Phlebotomy	221-151-02	CSC	HP	58%	70%	73%	52%	52%	59%	-29%
Welding & Metal Processing	221-995-47	CSC	BTT	69%	73%	68%	66%	73%	69%	7%
<b>Total</b>				<b>75%</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>69%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>-7%</b>

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<b>Non Program-Placed</b>				Academic Plan	Degree	School	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained
Upgrading Emp Skills	021			0%	100%	50%	-	-	**	**
Develop Job Skills	022			50%	1%	0%	50%	-	25%	-
Career Exploration	023			0%	-	-	-	-	**	**
Personal Satisfaction	024			18%	30%	19%	16%	19%	18%	0%
Transient Student	025			29%	0%	0%	7%	5%	4%	-
Non Degree Transfer	026			27%	0%	25%	-	-	25%	-
High School & College Dual Credit	041			74%	74%	75%	74%	77%	75%	3%
High School or Home School - No High School Credit	042			74%	86%	68%	54%	56%	59%	-18%
High School - Both Dual and Non-Dual Credit	043			77%	90%	70%	67%	64%	67%	-9%
<b>Total</b>				<b>39%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>15%</b>

#### FALL-TO-SPRING RETENTION BY DEGREE TYPE

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Degree	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained	% Retained
Non Program Placed	39%	48%	38%	45%	44%	42%	16%	
College Transfer Degrees (AA/AS)	66%	62%	62%	62%	70%	65%	13%	
Career Technical Degrees (AAS)	73%	83%	72%	76%	77%	75%	7%	
Certificates (CERT)	77%	90%	92%	73%	93%	86%	1%	
Career Studies Certificates (CSCs)	75%	73%	69%	67%	64%	67%	-7%	
<b>Average Fall-to-Spring Retention</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>71%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>5%</b>	
<b>Average Program-Placed Fall-to-Spring Retention</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>77%</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>76%</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>3%</b>	

Source: SIS - VWIR\_ENRL\_BY\_PLANS, PV282\_IR\_GRADS, 6/12/2024

\* Discontinued programs

\*\* 3-year averages and % change not reported for discontinued programs

^ Students counted for each academic program they are enrolled in during the initial fall semester