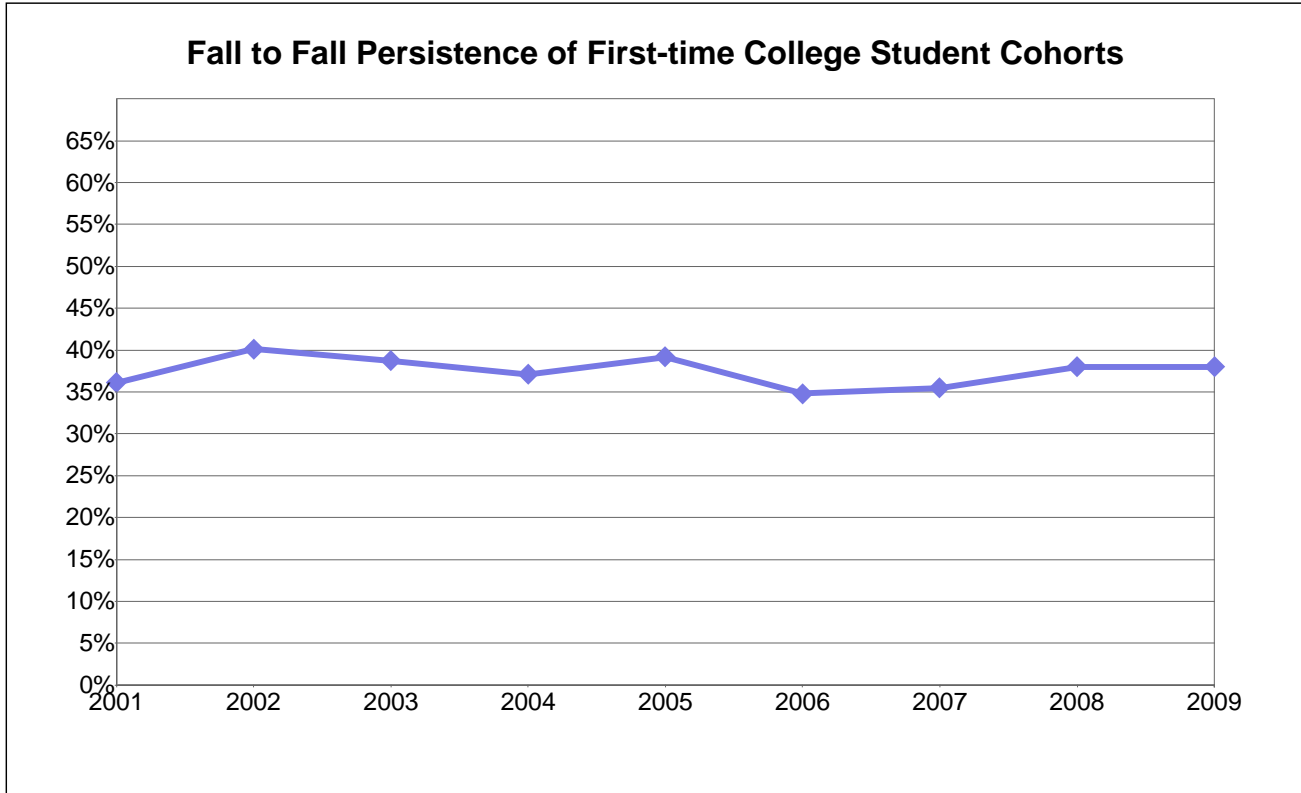


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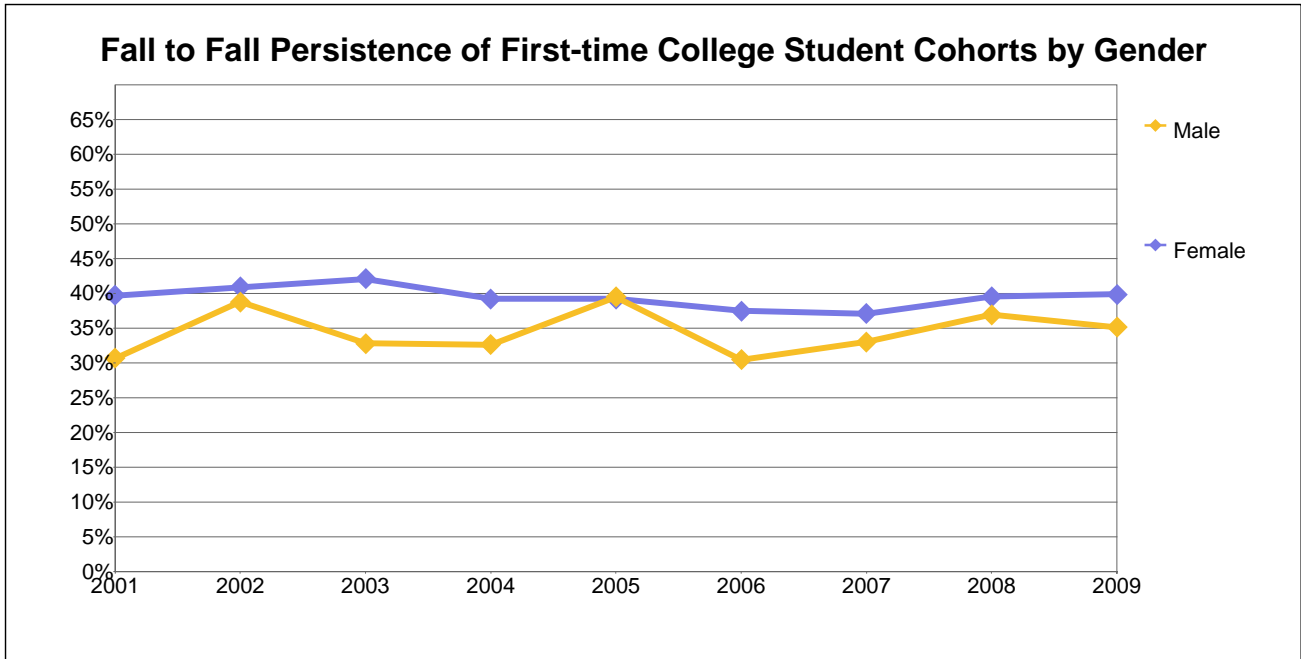


Fall to Fall Persistence Rates of First-time College Students at Merritt College

Fall Term Cohort	Number of Students Enrolled at Fall Census at the College	Number Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day within the District	Percentage Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day within the District
2001	1,343	485	36%
2002	1,369	549	40%
2003	1,403	543	39%
2004	1,232	457	37%
2005	1,342	526	39%
2006	1,365	475	35%
2007	1,212	430	35%
2008	1,848	702	38%
2009	2,076	789	38%

Note: Persistence Rate is defined as the percentage of students enrolled in at least one class at fall census of the cohort year who were then enrolled in at least one class on the following fall opening day within the district.

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Number of First-time College Fall Students Enrolled at Census by Gender at Merritt College

Cohort	Female	Male	Unknown	Total
2001	796	518	29	1,343
2002	863	485	21	1,369
2003	905	464	34	1,403
2004	778	414	40	1,232
2005	844	489	9	1,342
2006	828	535	2	1,365
2007	736	476		1,212
2008	1,111	623	114	1,848
2009	1,192	772	112	2,076

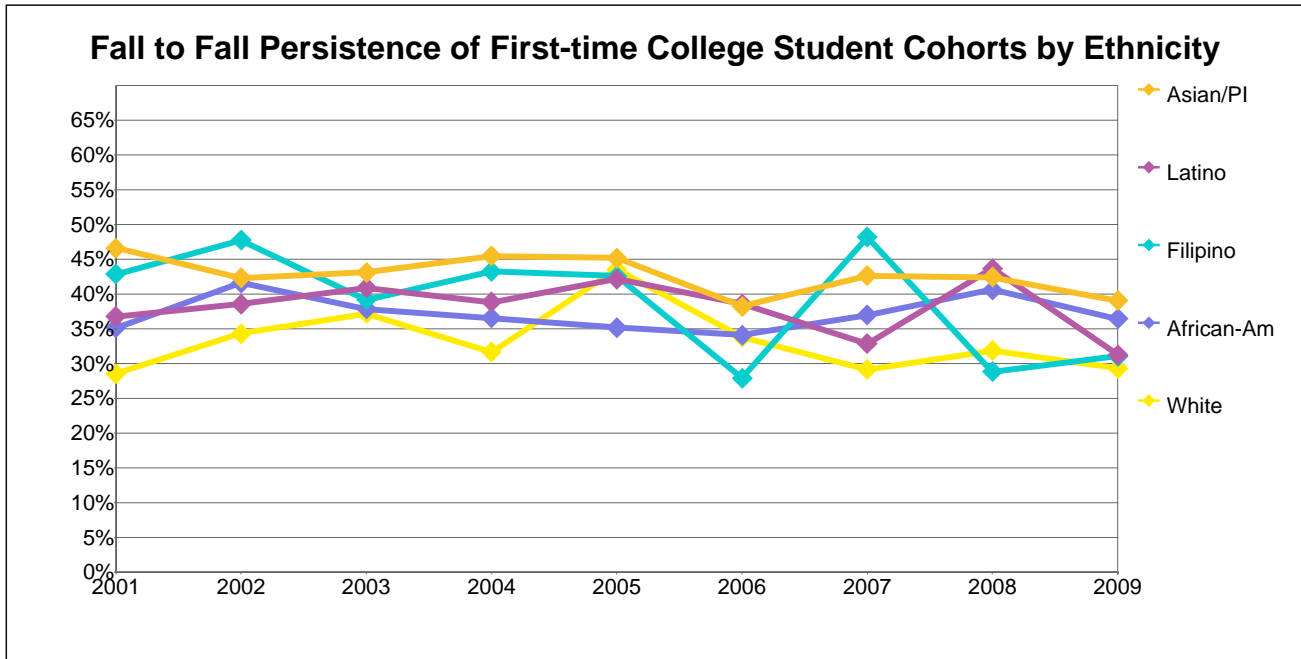
Number of the Cohort Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day by Gender within the District

Cohort	Female	Male	Unknown	Total
2001	316	159	10	485
2002	353	188	8	549
2003	381	152	10	543
2004	305	135	17	457
2005	331	193	2	526
2006	310	163	2	475
2007	273	157		430
2008	439	230	33	702
2009	475	271	43	789

Percentage of the Cohort Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day by Gender within the District

Cohort	Female	Male	Unknown	Total
2001	40%	31%	34%	36%
2002	41%	39%	38%	40%
2003	42%	33%	29%	39%
2004	39%	33%	43%	37%
2005	39%	39%	22%	39%
2006	37%	30%	100%	35%
2007	37%	33%		35%
2008	40%	37%	29%	38%
2009	40%	35%	38%	38%

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Number of First-time College Fall Students Enrolled at Census by Ethnicity at Merritt College

Cohort	African-	Asian/PI	Filipino	Latino	Other/Unkwn	White	Total
2001	481	161	35	324	111	231	1,343
2002	486	201	44	306	125	207	1,369
2003	542	160	46	301	139	215	1,403
2004	490	154	37	255	138	158	1,232
2005	529	177	47	304	92	193	1,342
2006	566	144	43	288	117	207	1,365
2007	525	129	27	268	95	168	1,212
2008	549	198	52	362	304	383	1,848
2009	269	187	29	160	1,264	167	2,076

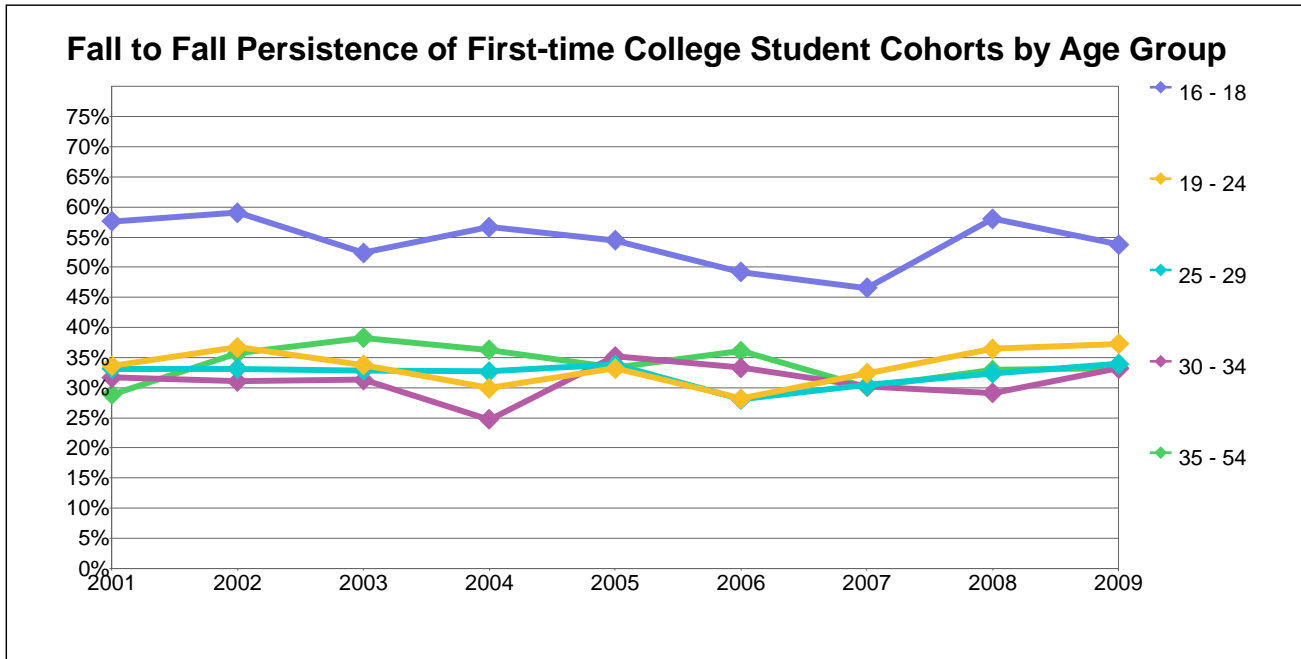
Number of the Cohort Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day by Gender within the District

Cohort	African-	Asian/PI	Filipino	Latino	Other/Unkwn	White	Total
2001	169	75	15	119	41	66	485
2002	202	85	21	118	52	71	549
2003	205	69	18	123	48	80	543
2004	179	70	16	99	43	50	457
2005	186	80	20	128	28	84	526
2006	193	55	12	111	34	70	475
2007	194	55	13	88	31	49	430
2008	223	84	15	158	100	122	702
2009	98	73	9	50	510	49	789

Percentage of the Cohort Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day by Gender within the District

Cohort	African-	Asian/PI	Filipino	Latino	Other/Unkwn	White	Total
2001	35%	47%	43%	37%	37%	29%	36%
2002	42%	42%	48%	39%	42%	34%	40%
2003	38%	43%	39%	41%	35%	37%	39%
2004	37%	45%	43%	39%	31%	32%	37%
2005	35%	45%	43%	42%	30%	44%	39%
2006	34%	38%	28%	39%	29%	34%	35%
2007	37%	43%	48%	33%	33%	29%	35%
2008	41%	42%	29%	44%	33%	32%	38%
2009	36%	39%	31%	31%	40%	29%	38%

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Number of First-time College Fall Students Enrolled at Census by Age Group at Merritt College

Cohort	16 - 18	19 - 24	25 - 29	30 - 34	35 - 54	55 & Up	Total
2001	243	461	169	145	263	62	1,343
2002	310	441	160	119	280	59	1,369
2003	334	503	161	115	248	42	1,403
2004	291	448	153	97	215	28	1,232
2005	369	518	142	88	195	30	1,342
2006	317	504	164	117	230	33	1,365
2007	320	448	128	109	176	31	1,212
2008	336	595	287	158	373	99	1,848
2009	331	655	359	208	415	108	2,076

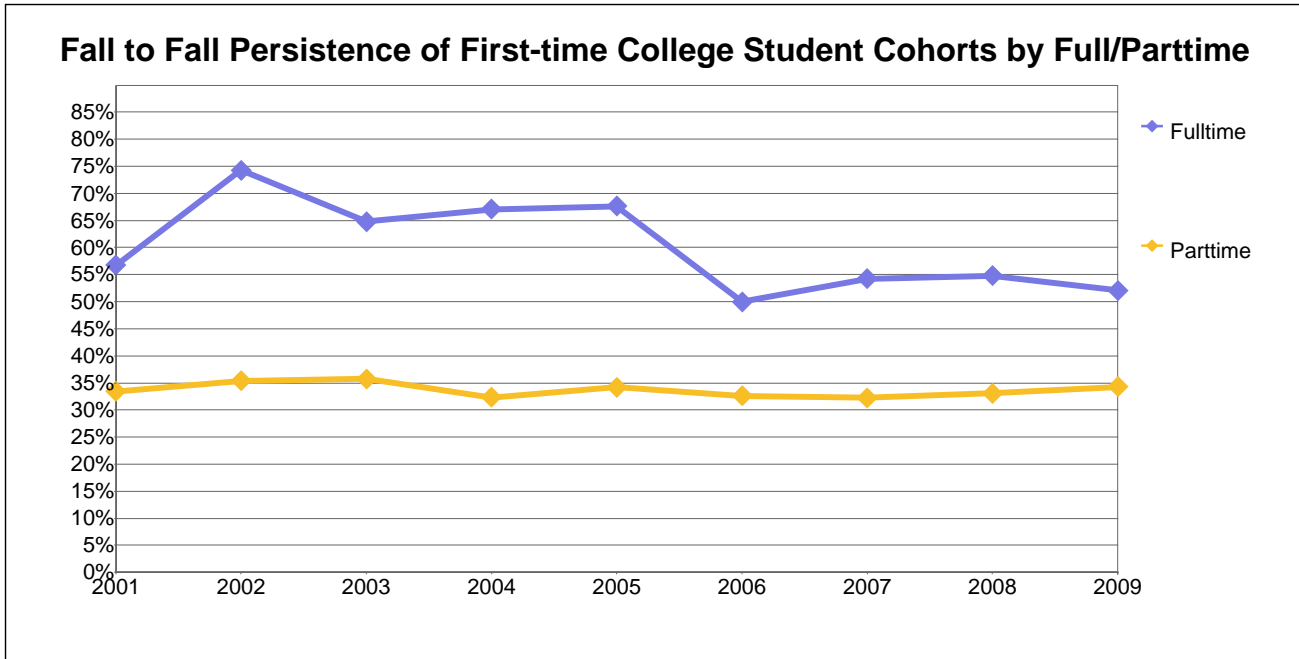
Number of the Cohort Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day by Gender within the District

Cohort	16 - 18	19 - 24	25 - 29	30 - 34	35 - 54	55 & Up	Total
2001	140	155	56	46	76	12	485
2002	183	162	53	37	100	14	549
2003	175	170	53	36	95	14	543
2004	165	134	50	24	78	6	457
2005	201	172	48	31	65	9	526
2006	156	142	46	39	83	9	475
2007	149	145	39	33	53	11	430
2008	195	217	93	46	123	28	702
2009	178	244	122	69	138	38	789

Percentage of the Cohort Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day by Gender within the District

Cohort	16 - 18	19 - 24	25 - 29	30 - 34	35 - 54	55 & Up	Total
2001	58%	34%	33%	32%	29%	19%	36%
2002	59%	37%	33%	31%	36%	24%	40%
2003	52%	34%	33%	31%	38%	33%	39%
2004	57%	30%	33%	25%	36%	21%	37%
2005	54%	33%	34%	35%	33%	30%	39%
2006	49%	28%	28%	33%	36%	27%	35%
2007	47%	32%	30%	30%	30%	35%	35%
2008	58%	36%	32%	29%	33%	28%	38%
2009	54%	37%	34%	33%	33%	35%	38%

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Number of First-time College Fall Students Enrolled at Census by Age Group at Merritt College

Cohort	Fulltime	Parttime	Total
2001	155	1,188	1,343
2002	167	1,202	1,369
2003	142	1,261	1,403
2004	170	1,062	1,232
2005	201	1,141	1,342
2006	174	1,191	1,365
2007	177	1,035	1,212
2008	420	1,428	1,848
2009	434	1,642	2,076

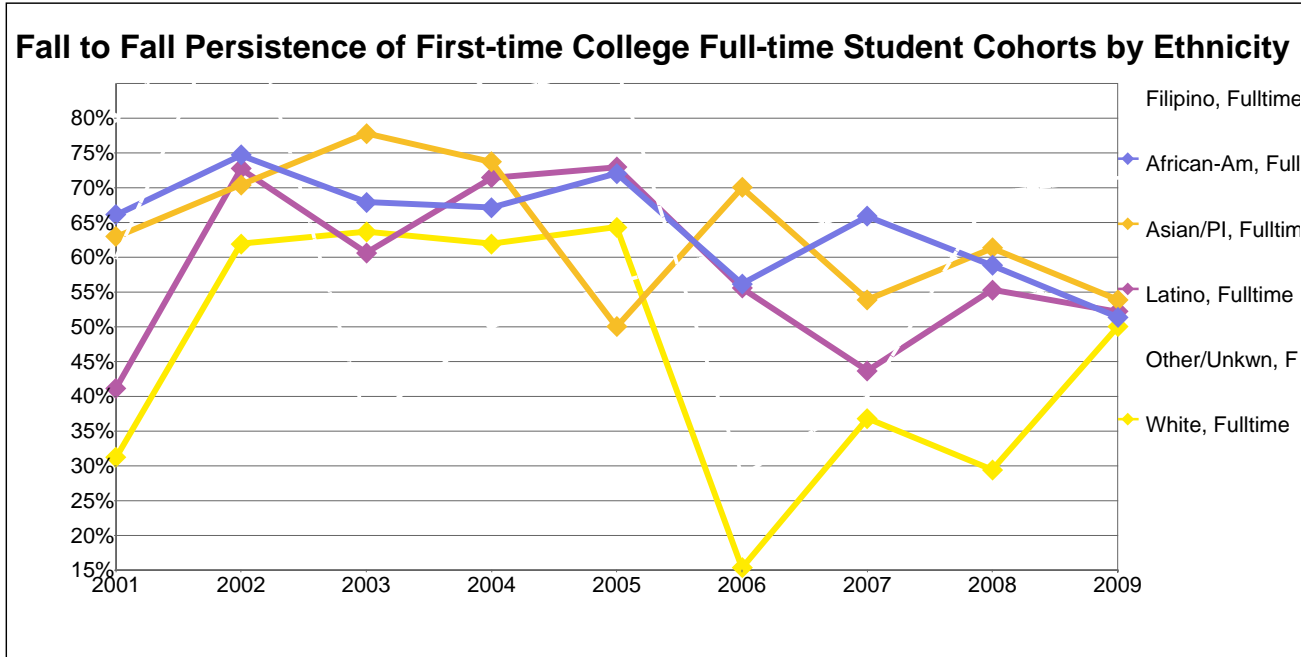
Number of the Cohort Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day by Gender within the District

Cohort	Fulltime	Parttime	Total
2001	88	397	485
2002	124	425	549
2003	92	451	543
2004	114	343	457
2005	136	390	526
2006	87	388	475
2007	96	334	430
2008	230	472	702
2009	226	563	789

Percentage of the Cohort Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day by Gender within the District

Cohort	Fulltime	Parttime	Total
2001	57%	33%	36%
2002	74%	35%	40%
2003	65%	36%	39%
2004	67%	32%	37%
2005	68%	34%	39%
2006	50%	33%	35%
2007	54%	32%	35%
2008	55%	33%	38%
2009	52%	34%	38%

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Number of Fall First-time College Full-time Students Enrolled at Census by Ethnicity at Merritt College

Cohort	African-	Asian/PI	Filipino	Latino	Other/Unkwn	White	Total
2001	59	27	5	17	15	32	155
2002	71	27	5	33	10	21	167
2003	56	18	2	33	11	22	142
2004	73	19	6	35	16	21	170
2005	75	26	8	48	16	28	201
2006	73	10	7	45	13	26	174
2007	82	13	5	55	3	19	177
2008	182	31	13	85	58	51	420
2009	72	26	7	23	292	14	434

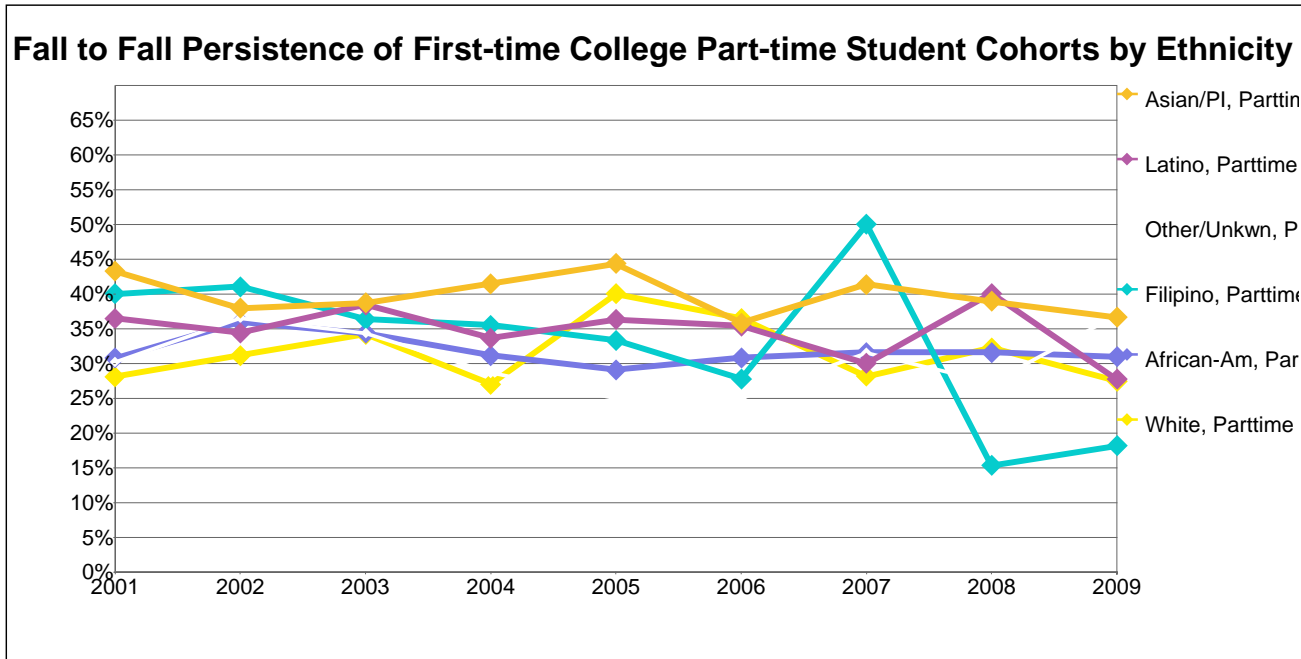
Number of the Cohort Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day by Gender within the District

Cohort	African-	Asian/PI	Filipino	Latino	Other/Unkwn	White	Total
2001	39	17	3	7	12	10	88
2002	53	19	5	24	10	13	124
2003	38	14	2	20	4	14	92
2004	49	14	5	25	8	13	114
2005	54	13	7	35	9	18	136
2006	41	7	2	25	8	4	87
2007	54	7	2	24	2	7	96
2008	107	19	9	47	33	15	230
2009	37	14	5	12	151	7	226

Percentage of the Cohort Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day by Gender within the District

Cohort	African-	Asian/PI	Filipino	Latino	Other/Unkwn	White	Total
2001	66%	63%	60%	41%	80%	31%	57%
2002	75%	70%	100%	73%	100%	62%	74%
2003	68%	78%	100%	61%	36%	64%	65%
2004	67%	74%	83%	71%	50%	62%	67%
2005	72%	50%	88%	73%	56%	64%	68%
2006	56%	70%	29%	56%	62%	15%	50%
2007	66%	54%	40%	44%	67%	37%	54%
2008	59%	61%	69%	55%	57%	29%	55%
2009	51%	54%	71%	52%	52%	50%	52%

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Number of Fall First-time College Part-time Students Enrolled at Census by Ethnicity at Merritt College

Cohort	African-	Asian/PI	Filipino	Latino	Other/Unkwn	White	Total
2001	422	134	30	307	96	199	1,188
2002	415	174	39	273	115	186	1,202
2003	486	142	44	268	128	193	1,261
2004	417	135	31	220	122	137	1,062
2005	454	151	39	256	76	165	1,141
2006	493	134	36	243	104	181	1,191
2007	443	116	22	213	92	149	1,035
2008	367	167	39	277	246	332	1,428
2009	197	161	22	137	972	153	1,642

Number of the Cohort Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day by Gender within the District

Cohort	African-	Asian/PI	Filipino	Latino	Other/Unkwn	White	Total
2001	130	58	12	112	29	56	397
2002	149	66	16	94	42	58	425
2003	167	55	16	103	44	66	451
2004	130	56	11	74	35	37	343
2005	132	67	13	93	19	66	390
2006	152	48	10	86	26	66	388
2007	140	48	11	64	29	42	334
2008	116	65	6	111	67	107	472
2009	61	59	4	38	359	42	563

Percentage of the Cohort Persisting to the Following Fall Opening Day by Gender within the District

Cohort	African-	Asian/PI	Filipino	Latino	Other/Unkwn	White	Total
2001	31%	43%	40%	36%	30%	28%	33%
2002	36%	38%	41%	34%	37%	31%	35%
2003	34%	39%	36%	38%	34%	34%	36%
2004	31%	41%	35%	34%	29%	27%	32%
2005	29%	44%	33%	36%	25%	40%	34%
2006	31%	36%	28%	35%	25%	36%	33%
2007	32%	41%	50%	30%	32%	28%	32%
2008	32%	39%	15%	40%	27%	32%	33%
2009	31%	37%	18%	28%	37%	27%	34%