

Graduation Rates: Community College Comparison

Six Year Persistence-to-Graduation Rates										
2-Year Institution	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Chattanooga State Technical Community College	21.7%	21.4%	24.5%	20.4%	22.7%	20.8%	21.4%	21.4%	24.7%	21.1%
Cleveland State Community College	25.7%	27.5%	25.5%	29.1%	28.3%	28.9%	27.6%	31.8%	33.3%	27.3%
Columbia State Community College	32.1%	33.8%	33.7%	30.8%	35.3%	32.3%	32.2%	34.2%	35.3%	36.5%
Dyersburg State Community College	28.2%	25.7%	25.9%	23.8%	22.2%	19.8%	23.9%	20.7%	22.9%	26.2%
Jackson State Community College	27.5%	29.8%	27.2%	28.9%	24.7%	24.3%	23.9%	23.1%	26.8%	29.5%
Motlow State Community College	36.3%	31.5%	32.2%	29.8%	31.1%	29.4%	29.7%	30.5%	32.7%	33.6%
Nashville State Technical Community College	19.8%	19.8%	22.1%	22.6%	23.2%	23.6%	21.1%	21.1%	24.4%	16.3%
Northeast State Community College	29.5%	28.5%	29.3%	28.8%	28.4%	29.1%	30.4%	31.8%	31.9%	31.5%
Pellissippi State Technical Community College	25.4%	26.7%	28.5%	27.8%	30.8%	26.5%	32.0%	35.1%	34.1%	35.7%
Roane State Community College	31.0%	31.8%	31.3%	33.6%	33.7%	31.6%	32.2%	32.4%	35.7%	36.2%
Southwest Tennessee Community College	----	14.5%	14.6%	17.1%	13.9%	12.6%	14.8%	12.6%	15.5%	14.1%
Volunteer State Community College	28.9%	25.7%	24.1%	24.6%	28.2%	26.7%	25.4%	28.0%	26.5%	25.2%
Walters State Community College	28.9%	30.4%	32.8%	30.2%	31.7%	31.0%	31.0%	32.2%	35.2%	37.3%
Total	26.2%	26.3%	26.6%	26.3%	26.7%	25.2%	26.0%	26.7%	28.8%	28.1%

Source: Tennessee Higher Education Commission

* Includes summer first-time, full-time freshmen who returned to any public institution in the fall as well as fall first-time, full-time freshmen.