



Trenholm State

COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Student Achievement

Trenholm State Community College identifies, evaluates, and publishes goals and outcomes for student achievement appropriate to its mission, the nature of the students we serve, and the kinds of programs we offer. Below are the multiple measures used to document student success.

1. **Retention, full-time students:** Percent of first-time, full-time students from the fall of first enrollment who enroll the following fall.

Year	Threshold	Results	Threshold met?
Fall 2019-Fall 2020	>50%	Trenholm: 51% Comparison group: 60%	Yes
Fall 2020-Fall 2021	>50%	Trenholm: 60% Comparison group: 60%	Yes
Fall 2021-Fall 2022	>50%	Trenholm: 58% Comparison group: 60%	Yes
Threshold of Acceptability: 50%		Achievement Goal: 60%	

2. **Retention, part-time students:** Percent of first-time part-time students from the fall of first enrollment who enroll the following fall.

Year	Threshold	Results	Threshold met?
Fall 2019-Fall 2020	>30%	Trenholm: 23% Comparison group: 44%	No

Fall 2020 -Fall 2021	>30%	Trenholm: 29% Comparison group: 46%	No
Fall 2021-Fall2022	>30%	Trenholm: 35% Comparison group: 43%	Yes
Threshold of Acceptability: 30%		Achievement Goal: 44%	

3. Graduation Rate, 150% of normal time: Graduation rate for first-time, full-time credential-seeking students, in 150% of normal time (normal time = two years; 150% = three years).

Year	Threshold	Results	Threshold met?
2019-20 (cohort 2017)	>20%	Trenholm: 18% Comparison group: 35%	No
2020-21 (cohort 2018)	>20%	Trenholm: 23% Comparison group: 32%	Yes
2021-22 (cohort 2019)	>20%	Trenholm: 20% Comparison group: 35%	Yes
Threshold of Acceptability: 20%		Achievement Goal: 34%	

3. Transfer Rate, 150% of normal time: Transfer rate for first-time, full-time, credential-seeking students in 150% of normal time (normal time = two years; 150% = three years).

Year	Threshold	Results	Threshold met?
2019-20 (cohort 2017)	>18%	Trenholm: 25% Comparison group: 10%	Yes
2020-2021 (cohort 2018)	>18%	Trenholm: 19% Comparison group: 11%	Yes
2021-2022 (cohort 2019)	>18%	Trenholm: 11% Comparison group: 12%	No
Threshold of Acceptability: 18%		Achievement Goal: 35%	

5. Degrees and certificates awarded: Annual count of certificates and associate degrees awarded

(Annual count – Total of Summer, Fall, and Spring).

Year	Threshold	Results	Threshold met?
2019-20	>310	Trenholm: 373 Comparison group: 416	Yes
2020-21	>310	Trenholm: 270 Comparison group: 428	No
2021-22	>310	Trenholm: 289 Comparison group: 417	No
Threshold of Acceptability: 310		Achievement Goal: 420	

Notes:

1. The retention, transfer, and graduation rates are defined by the U.S. Department of Education Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS) data.
2. Comparison groups are selected by IPEDS.