

Purpose of the Report

To provide information on the number of graduates of public high schools who were accepted at West Virginia public institutions of higher education within one year of graduation, and whose knowledge, skill and competency were below the minimum expected levels for full preparation as defined by the governing boards.





Focus of the Report

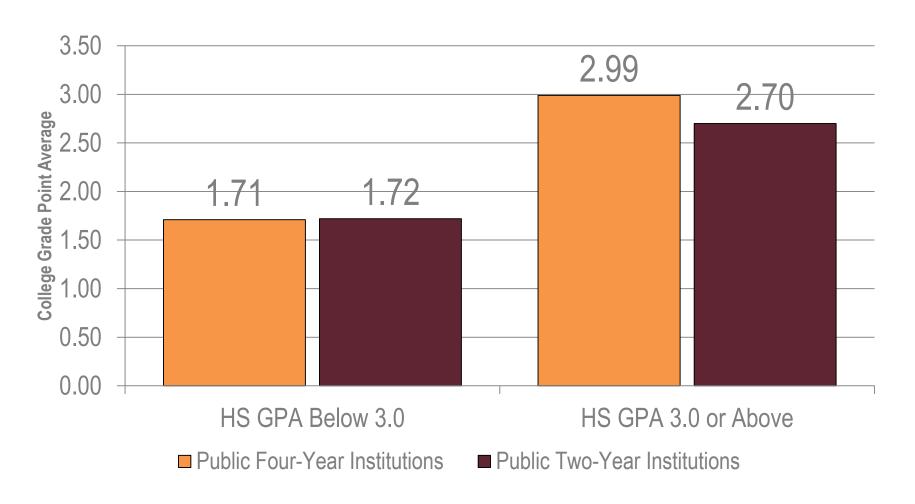
For 2016 high school graduating cohort:

- Fall college GPA and retention to spring;
- Enrollment in developmental education courses;
- Average ACT scores; and
- Percentage meeting ACT college readiness benchmarks.





for 2016 High School Graduates, by Higher Education Sector

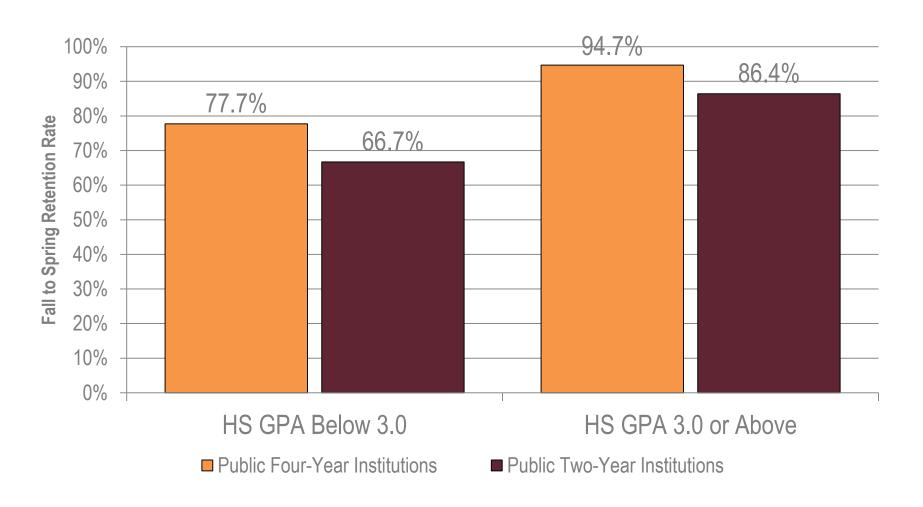






Fall to Spring College Retention Rates

for 2016 High School Graduates, by Higher Education Sector

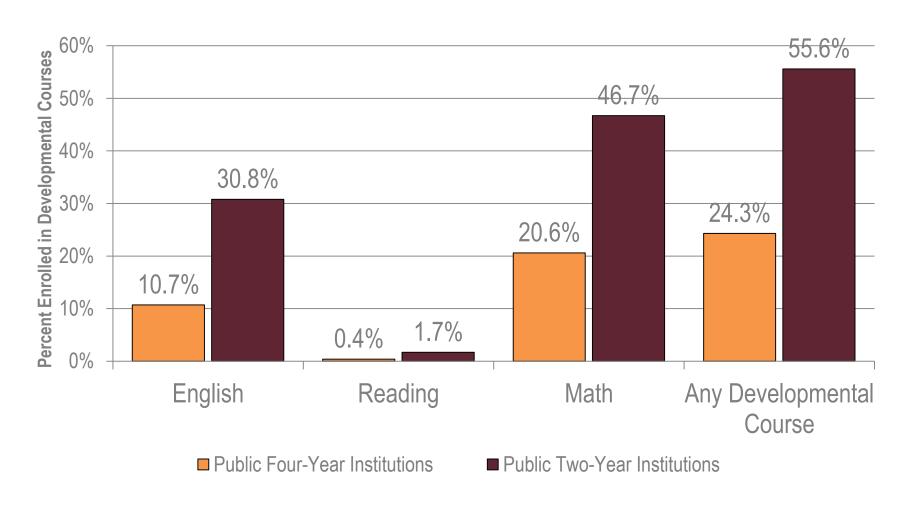






Developmental Education Enrollment

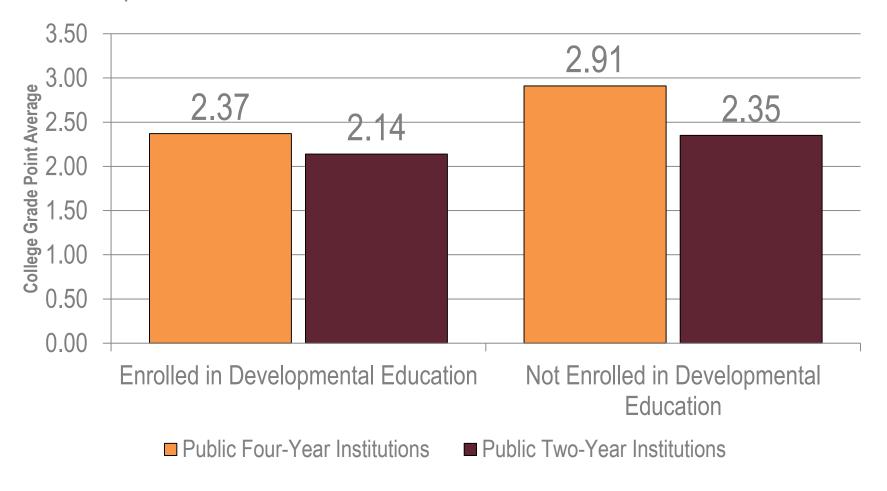
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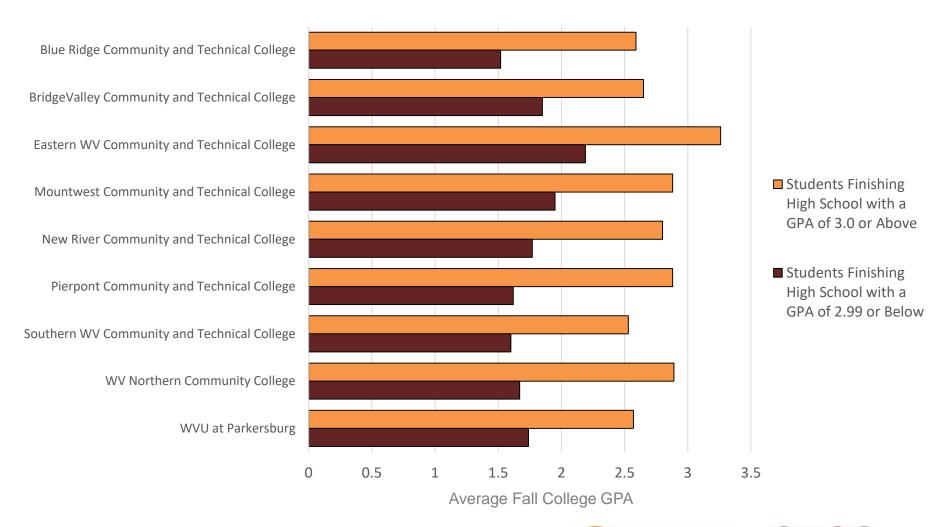
for 2016 High School Graduates, by Higher Education Sector and Developmental Education Enrollment Status







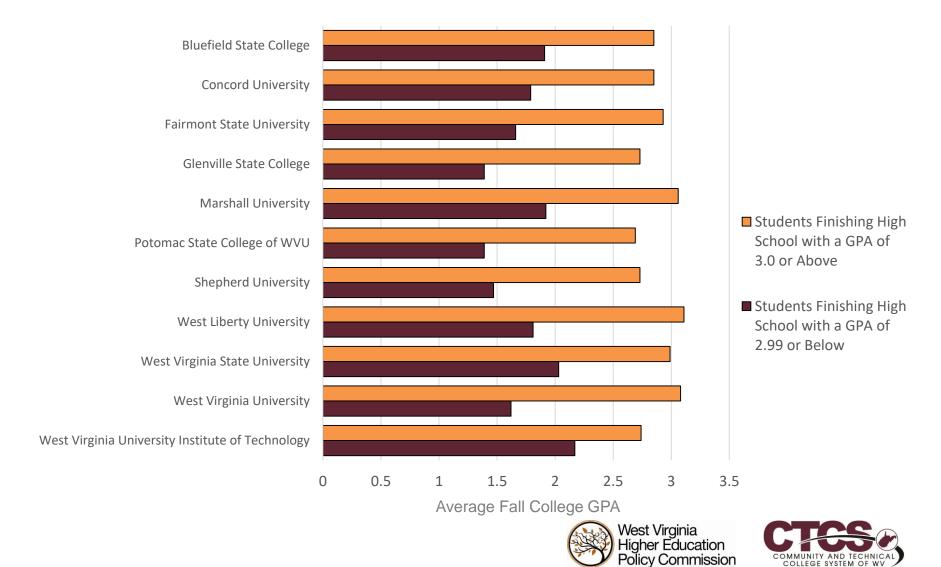
for 2016 High School Graduates, by Institution and High School GPA





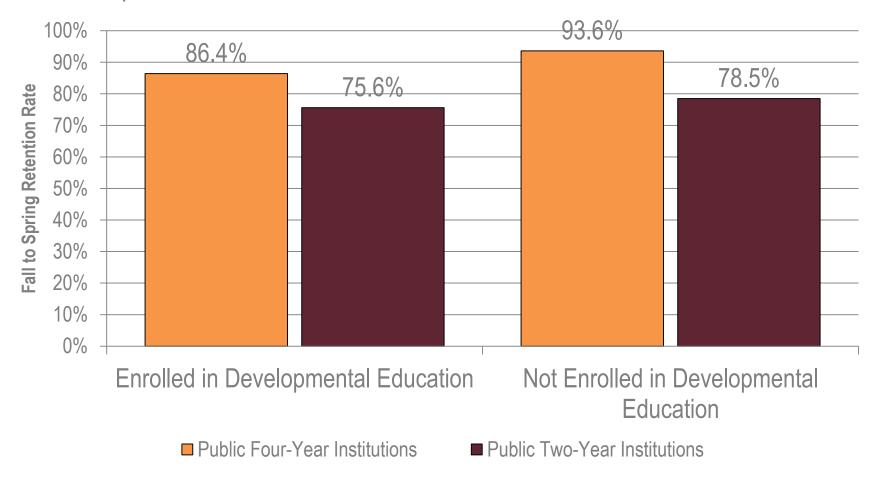


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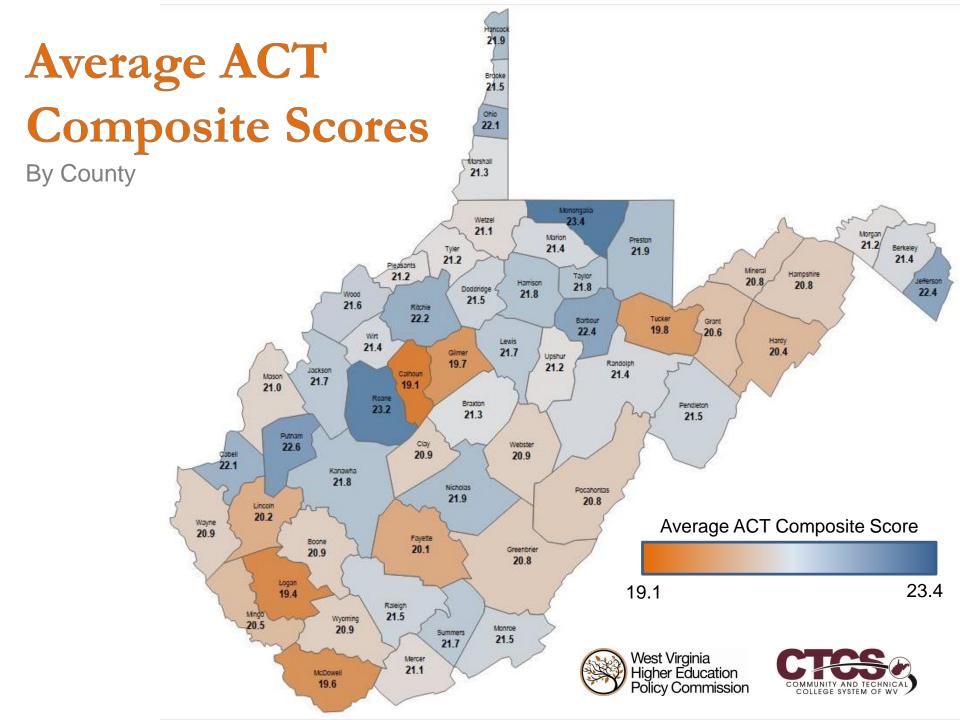
Average ACT Scores

and Percent at or Above ACT Benchmark Scores for 2016 High School Graduates Enrolling at a WV Public Institution, by Higher Education Sector

| | | ACT Math | | ACT English | | ACT Science | | ACT Reading | |
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| | ACT Comp. | Score | % at or Above Bench- mark (22) | Score | % at or Above Bench- mark (18) | Score | % at or Above Bench- mark (23) | Score | % at or Above Bench- mark (22) |
| WV Public Four-Year Institutions | 22.2 | 21.1 | 45.7% | 22.4 | 81.8% | 22.6 | 49.7% | 23.8 | 64.5% |
| WV Public Two-Year Institutions | 18.4 | 17.4 | 12.3% | 17.9 | 48.2% | 18.9 | 16.3% | 19.1 | 26.8% |
| All Public Institutions | 21.6 | 20.5 | 40.2% | 21.6 | 76.3% | 22.0 | 44.3% | 23.0 | 58.1% |







Average ACT Composite Scores

By County

Highest ACT Composite Scores

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| | ACT | |
| County | Composite | Rank |
| Monongalia | 23.4 | 1 |
| Roane | 23.2 | 2 |
| Putnam | 22.6 | 3 |
| Barbour | 22.4 | 4 |
| Jefferson | 22.4 | 4 |
| Ritchie | 22.2 | 5 |
| Cabell | 22.1 | 6 |
| Ohio | 22.1 | 6 |
| Hancock | 21.9 | 7 |
| Nicholas | 21.9 | 7 |
| Preston | 21.9 | 7 |
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Lowest ACT Composite Scores

| | ACT | |
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| County | Composite | Rank |
| Grant | 20.6 | 46 |
| Mingo | 20.5 | 47 |
| Hardy | 20.4 | 48 |
| Lincoln | 20.2 | 49 |
| Fayette | 20.1 | 50 |
| Tucker | 19.8 | 51 |
| Gilmer | 19.7 | 52 |
| McDowell | 19.6 | 53 |
| Logan | 19.4 | 54 |
| Calhoun | 19.1 | 55 |
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