



THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SYSTEM

REPORT: UNC SYSTEM INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS & FINANCIAL TRANSPARENCY REPORT 2016-17

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Executive Summary

- A total of 1,252 recruited freshmen student-athletes were enrolled at UNC System institutions in 2016-17:
 - 22 (1.8%) received an exception to the Minimum Course Requirements (MCR)
 - 54 (4.3%) received an exception to the Minimum Admission Requirements (MAR)
- The academic profile of recruited freshmen student-athletes in revenue sports saw improvements across many measures in 2016-17.
- Student-athletes major in a variety of disciplines, the most popular being business, parks, recreation, leisure & fitness, and communications & journalism.
- Six institutions performed as well as or better than the average of their Board of Governors-approved peer institutions, and seven institutions performed as well as or better than the average of their athletic conference peer institutions in NCAA academic success metrics.
- All UNC System institutions met the NCAA's Academic Progress Rate (APR) standards determining eligibility for post-season competition, indicating consistent progress towards graduation for their student-athletes.
- Nine UNC System institutions and 29 sports received NCAA Public Recognition Awards, highlighting teams in the top 10 percent of the most recent APR scores.
- Thirteen UNC System institutions had a total of 86 Level III non-academic violations processed by the NCAA during the 2016-17 academic year.
- Increased academic integrity standards across all UNC System institutions have led to improved academic monitoring of all students and faculty. Regulations include monitoring of student-athlete enrollment, guidelines on independent study courses taught by faculty, strict grade-changing policies, and clear reporting guidelines to inform boards of trustees, chancellors, and faculty representatives of student-athlete activities on campus.
- Financial transparency regulations adopted in 2014 to monitor athletics budgets and institutional expenditures continue to provide senior administrators and policy makers with key financial data to inform athletic and academic decisions and are provided in this report.
- Institutional data in this report have been presented to each institution's board of trustees and approved by all chancellors.

Introduction

The Board of Governors of the University of North Carolina (UNC System) has delegated the responsibility for intercollegiate athletics to chancellors, which includes the required reporting of academic characteristics and performance of the UNC System's student-athletes. This report follows all reporting standards required by the Board and incorporates the following required elements:

- Academic profiles of freshmen student-athletes;
- Majors of student-athletes who have attained at least junior status;
- NCAA academic success indicators;
- Programs receiving NCAA awards or sanctions based on academic performance;
- Comparisons of student-athlete and non-student-athlete GPAs;
- Non-academic violations of NCAA bylaws relevant to student-athletes and prospective student-athletes;
- Athletics department financial information as reported to the NCAA; and
- Athletics fundraising and private foundation activities that support student-athletes and athletic departments.

Academic Profile of Recruited Freshmen Student-Athletes

Exceptions to UNC System Minimum Course Requirements and Minimum Admission Requirements

All admissions to the University, whether for student-athletes or non-student-athletes, are subject to [UNC Policy 700.1.1](#) ("Minimum Course Requirements for Undergraduate Admission") and [UNC Regulation 700.1.1.1\[R\]](#) ("Regulations on Minimum Undergraduate Admission Requirements and the Admission of Students Requiring Special Consideration"). Policies on minimum course requirements (MCRs) and minimum admissions requirements (MARs) set standards for completed high school courses as well as minimum GPA, SAT, and ACT scores for admissions consideration at a UNC System institution. If students do not meet these minimum requirements, they may be admitted only by receiving a chancellor's exception.

A total of 1,252 recruited freshmen student-athletes enrolled at UNC System institutions in 2016-17 and of those students:

- 22 (1.8%) received an MCR exception
- 54 (4.3%) received an MAR exception

Table 1 provides the number of exceptions to the MCRs and MARs for all recruited freshmen student-athletes in 2016-17 by institution, with some information redacted in order to maintain student-athlete privacy.

Table 1: Exceptions to UNC System Minimum Course Requirements and Minimum Admission Requirements, 2016-17

	NCAA Division	Recruited Freshmen Student-Athletes				
		Total	MCR Exceptions		MAR Exceptions	
			n	%	n	%
ASU	I	101	-	-	-	-
ECU	I	96	***	***	10	10.4
ECSU	II	18	-	-	***	***
FSU	II	21	-	-	***	***
N.C. A&T	I	72	-	-	7	9.7
NCCU	I	33	6	18.2	***	***
NCSU	i	140	6	4.3	***	***
UNCA	I	69	***	***	-	-
UNC-CH	I	197	-	-	-	-
UNCC	I	75	***	***	6	8.0
UNCG	I	62	***	***	***	***
UNCP	II	126	-	-	***	***
UNCW	I	109	-	-	-	-
WCU	I	90	***	***	***	***
WSSU	II	43	-	-	10	23.3
UNC System Total		1,252	22	1.8	54	4.3

"-" indicates zero student-athletes were reported in this category

***Campus-level data is left blank to comply with FERPA data protection standards. The UNC System Office follows the NCAA standard for FERPA data protections: when institutional data include four or fewer student-athletes and/or when the data combined with publicly-available information could result in the information being identifiable because of a small sample size (four or fewer), this information is not disclosed.

High School NCAA Core Course GPA and SAT/ACT of Recruited Freshmen Student-Athletes

A student-athlete who enrolls as a first-time freshman without any previous full-time college attendance must meet the NCAA's academic requirements (as certified by the NCAA Eligibility Center and approved by the NCAA Executive Committee) and any applicable institutional and conference regulations. Among these academic measures are SAT and ACT scores and the high school grade point average in NCAA-defined high school core courses.¹

A new SAT test was introduced in spring of 2016 across the country, and UNC System institutions had the flexibility to use either the new or old SAT scores in their admissions decision for all students. Very few admissions decisions were based on the new SAT scores for recruited freshmen student-athletes in the 2016-17 academic year, with institutions reporting that new SAT scores were used in admissions decisions for only 22 of the 358 (6%) recruited freshmen student-athletes in the three revenue sports (football, men's basketball, women's basketball). Due to this small number at each institution, the data are not included in the table below to preserve the privacy protections guaranteed by FERPA as interpreted by the NCAA (when data include four or fewer student-athletes and/or when the data combined with publicly-available information could result in the information being identifiable because of a small sample size four or fewer, this information is not disclosed).

Thus, the only data reported below are the average high school GPA in NCAA core courses, average old SAT scores used in admissions decisions, and average ACT scores used in admissions decisions. Table 2 presents this data for 2016-17.

¹ Average high school NCAA core course GPA is based on 16 core courses for Division I schools and 14 core courses Division II schools. For additional information, see: <http://www.ncaa.org/student-athletes/future/core-courses>

Table 2: Average High School NCAA Core Course GPA & SAT/ACT Scores of Recruited Freshmen Student-Athletes, 2016-17

	NCAA Division	Men's Football (averages)			Men's Basketball (averages)			Women's Basketball (averages)		
		Core Course GPA	SAT (old)	ACT	Core Course GPA	SAT (old)	ACT	Core Course GPA	SAT (old)	ACT
ASU	I	3.49	956	22	***	***	***	***	***	***
ECU	I	2.99	895	20	3.00	***	***	***	***	***
ECSU	II	2.90	879	-	***	***	***	3.27	924	-
FSU	II	2.77	***	17	***	***	***	***	***	***
N.C. A&T	I	3.07	904	19	***	***	***	3.90	-	21
NCCU	I	2.91	***	19	-	-	-	***	***	***
NCSU	I	3.48	1039	22	2.99	-	21	***	***	***
UNCA	I	-	-	-	3.04	***	***	***	***	***
UNC-CH	I	3.20	1004	21	***	***	***	3.90	***	***
UNCC	I	-	795	22	***	***	***	***	***	***
UNCG	I	-	-	-	***	***	***	3.23	***	***
UNCP	II	3.26	957	20	***	***	***	***	***	***
UNCW	I	-	-	-	***	***	***	***	***	***
WCU	I	3.39	917	21	***	***	***	3.55	976	***
WSSU	II	2.86	854	17	***	***	***	***	***	***
UNC System Total		3.12	917	20	3.13	920	21	3.72	987	20

"-" indicates zero student-athletes or scores were reported in this category

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Selected Majors of Recruited Student-Athletes

The undergraduate academic majors of recruited student-athletes vary. Appendix A provides, by institution, the undergraduate majors of recruited student-athletes from all sports enrolled in fall 2016 achieving at least junior academic standing. The top three subject areas chosen by undergraduate student-athletes make up 46% of all declared majors:

- Business, management, marketing, and related support services (19%);
- Parks, recreation, leisure and fitness studies (16%); and
- Communication, journalism and related programs (11%).

Student-Athlete Academic Success Indicators

Graduation Rates for Student-Athletes

There are several indicators commonly used to measure student-athlete success. The three reported here are the NCAA's Graduation Success Rate (GSR) for Division I schools, the NCAA's Academic Success Rate (ASR) for Division II schools, and the U.S. Department of Education's Federal Graduation Rate (FGR) for student-athletes.

The FGR measures the percentage of first-time, full-time freshmen student-athletes who graduate within six years of enrolling in their original four-year institution. This graduation rate is the same as the traditional six-year graduation rate for all students used by the U.S. Department of Education.

The GSR, ASR, and FGRs measure the six-year graduation rates of student-athletes and are calculated using a four-year rolling average by combining student cohorts. The GSR was developed as an alternative measure to the FGR, as the GSR measures scholarship student-athletes but includes student transfers and allows institutions to exclude student-athletes who leave their institutions prior to graduation as long as they would have been academically eligible to compete had they remained (FGRs do not include them).² The ASR is very similar to the GSR, but the ASR includes student-athlete graduation data regardless of whether or not they received an athletic scholarship.³

Although direct comparisons of institutional GSRs, ASRs, and FGRs are complicated due to the differing methodologies, it can be useful to review how the 15 UNC System institutions with athletics programs compare to their Board-approved peers and those in their respective athletic conferences.

- When comparing UNC System institutions with their Board-approved peers, six UNC System institutions performed as well as or better than their peer institutions when measuring the average GSRs/ASRs.

² For additional discussion on the GSR, visit: <http://www.ncaa.org/about/resources/research/graduation-rates>

³ For additional discussion on the ASR, visit: <http://www.ncaa.org/about/resources/research/academic-success-rate-asr>

- A comparison of the average GSRs/ASRs of UNC System institutions with their athletic conference peers show that seven UNC System institutions performed as well as or better than the peer institutions.

Institutional GSRs, ASRs, and FGRs are provided alongside their Board-approved and athletic conference peers in Appendix B. These success rates are also available and organized by sport for all NCAA institutions from the NCAA directly:

- NCAA GSR database: <https://web3.ncaa.org/aprsearch/gsrsearch>
- NCAA ASR database: <https://web3.ncaa.org/aprsearch/asrsearch>

NCAA Academic Progress Rates for Student-Athletes

The Academic Progress Rate (APR) is an NCAA Division I metric developed to track academic achievement by academic teams and is used to determine in-season or post-season penalties. The APR was developed by the NCAA to report on graduation rates, with a score of 930 declared as the minimum threshold for academic achievement.⁴ Thus, if a team has less than a 930 APR, the NCAA considers the student-athletes to be making insufficient academic progress and the sport can be penalized. The NCAA's APR reports for all UNC System Division I institutions can be accessed from the APR database: <https://web3.ncaa.org/aprsearch/aprsearch>.

The APRs are released each year and indicate any penalties or awards for an institution's sports teams. Due to the nature of the APR reporting cycle, they reflect the scores of the graduating class a year in the past. This information is then used to determine penalties, which include in-season limits on practice time or post-season championship eligibility.⁵

APRs for 2017-18 Championship Year

The latest APR scores were released by the NCAA in May 2017 and are based on four years of data covering student-athlete cohorts entering in 2012-13, 2013-14, 2014-15, and 2015-16. For the 2016-17 NCAA championship year, all UNC System institutions had team APRs above the 930 threshold; thus, no institutions received penalties.

APR Awards for Academic Success

The NCAA annually recognizes teams that have high APR scores. Table 3 presents the UNC System institutions and sport(s) receiving NCAA Public Recognition Awards, which highlight the top 10 percent of teams nationally in each sport based on the most recent APR scores. The UNC System has nine institutions and 29 sports receiving recognition. System-wide, this is the highest number of sports singled out for Public Recognition Awards in over five years.

⁴ According to the NCAA, an APR of 930 is equivalent to a 50% graduation rate for the cohort.

⁵ Please visit the NCAA APR explanation page for additional information and detail: <http://www.ncaa.org/about/resources/research/division-i-academic-progress-rate-apr>

Table 3: NCAA Public Recognition Awards, 2016-17

UNC Institution	Sport
ASU	Women's Golf
	Women's Soccer
	Women's Tennis
ECU	Softball
	Women's Golf
NCCU	Women's Tennis
NCSU	Mixed Rifle
	Women's Golf
	Women's Tennis
UNCG	Women's Cross Country
	Women's Track
	Women's Volleyball
UNCA	Men's Tennis
	Women's Basketball
	Women's Tennis
UNC-CH	Men's Cross Country
	Men's Soccer
	Men's Tennis
	Women's Fencing
	Women's Golf
	Women's Gymnastics
	Women's Tennis
	Women's Volleyball
UNCW	Men's Golf
	Men's Soccer
	Women's Swimming and Diving
	Women's Tennis
	Women's Volleyball
WCU	Men's Golf

Non-Academic NCAA Violations

Along with monitoring the academic work of student-athletes according to the APR, the NCAA strictly monitors breaches of conduct that “seriously undermine or threaten the integrity of the NCAA Collegiate Model...” (NCAA, 2013). There are four levels of violations, ranging from severe (Level I, e.g. substantial impermissible benefits) to incidental (Level IV, e.g. inadvertent, isolated infractions). Incidents of Levels I and II violations are shared with the public by the NCAA while Level III violations are

heavily redacted and only shared upon request. Level IV violations are reported by institutions to their respective athletics conferences. For the 2016-17 academic year, the NCAA did not process any Level I or Level II violations at UNC Systems institutions.⁶

Thirteen of the 15 UNC System institutions with student-athletes had a total of 86 Level III violations processed by the NCAA during the 2016-17 academic year (two Division II schools did not report any violations). Examples of Level III violations include coaches calling prospective student-athletes during periods of time where communications are impermissible and athletics teams practicing more than the allotted time during a particular week. The NCAA provided summaries of the violations and rulings without identification, per NCAA disclosure rules, to the UNC System Office to assist with the System’s monitoring and compliance role in this area.

A summary of Level III violations processed over the last three academic years appears below in Table 4.

Table 4: Annual Summaries of NCAA Level III Violations at UNC Institutions

Year	Total Number of UNC System	
	Institutions with Level III Violations Processed	Total Number of Level III Violations Processed
2016-17	13	86
2015-16	14	94
2014-15	12	119
2013-14	13	132

Academic Integrity at UNC System Institutions

Academic Integrity Regulations

As part of the UNC System’s ongoing efforts to monitor and protect the integrity of its curriculum and academic records, each institution was required to develop practices and procedures to implement the academic integrity regulations adopted by the Board in April 2013. Many institutions were proactive in their monitoring of academics, developing policies well in advance of the adoption of [UNC Regulation 700.6.1\[R\]](#) in 2013. The regulations follow the recommendations from multiple task forces, studies, and extensive discussions with various stakeholders. The data required by UNC Regulation 700.6.1[R] are divided into four functional areas:

- Registrar and Student Records Best Practices
- Evaluating the Academic Performance of Student-Athletes and Other Student Subgroups

⁶ Additional details regarding the NCAA violation structure can be found here: <http://www.ncaa.org/about/resources/media-center/news/new-violation-structure>

- Review and Approval of Nonstandard Course and Course Sections
- Supervision and Evaluation of Faculty and Faculty Administrators

Student-Athletes, Academics, and Institutional Procedures

[UNC Guideline 700.6.1.1\[G\]](#) requires that institutions conduct course clustering and transcript review analyses to identify any anomalies that may be present among student-athletes. Specifically, institutions reviewed all courses and flagged any course where student-athletes make up 25% or more of course section enrollment (this is identified as “course clustering” of student-athletes). If course enrollment did consist of 25% or more student-athletes, the course was flagged for additional review and the grade distribution of student-athletes and non-student-athletes in the course section was reviewed for significant differences between these two groups. Additionally, any student-athletes who were found to be in three or more flagged courses had their transcripts reviewed to ensure that no academic irregularities occurred.

In the reviews of course clustering and transcripts, no abnormalities were identified and all institutions report being in full compliance with this policy. Additionally, each institution is required to compare the overall student-athlete GPA with the overall non-student-athlete GPA (undergraduates only). Table 5 presents the results for this GPA analysis for the spring 2017 term.

Table 5: Student-Athlete and Non-Student-Athlete GPA, Spring 2017

	Student-Athlete GPA	Non-Student Athlete GPA
ASU	3.01	3.19
ECU	3.03	2.96
ECSU	2.73	2.80
FSU	2.80	3.03
N.C. A&T	2.87	2.75
NCCU	2.98	2.77
NCSU	2.95	3.18
UNCA	3.18	2.95
UNC-CH	3.02	3.27
UNCC	2.99	3.02
UNCG	3.20	2.95
UNCP	2.78	2.66
UNCW	3.22	3.15
WCU	2.98	3.10
WSSU	2.68	2.82

Athletics Financial Transparency Regulations

[UNC Regulation 1100.1.1\[R\]](#) requires specific financial reporting to monitor athletics budgets and institutional expenditures and ensures that all UNC System chancellors, boards of trustees, the president, and Board of Governors will receive the necessary data when considering the balance between athletics and academics at each constituent university. The data in Appendix C were collected from the NCAA Institutional Performance Program (IPP) dashboards and reported by each institution. The data in this report produced by the UNC System Office are slightly different than what was made available in years past. The NCAA has phased out its financial dashboards (the source of prior years' data and where UNC System staff pulled data directly) in favor of the IPP dashboards, which utilize some different metrics and data points in their reporting. The data in Appendix C is for the most recent year available (2015-16) and reflects content similar to what was previously reported.

Athletics Fundraising and Private Foundations

Thirteen of the UNC System institutions have established private foundations (or “booster clubs”) for the purpose of providing resources to enrich various programs of the constituent institutions. Only ECSU and WSSU do not have formal booster clubs.

These private organizations are subject to [UNC Regulation 600.2.5\[R\]](#), which requires an annual independent audit be performed and reported to the institution’s board of trustees and that a copy be provided to the president to be reviewed by UNC System leadership. In addition to UNC Regulation 600.2.5[R], booster club organizations have increased reporting requirements under [UNC Regulation 1100.1.1\[R\]](#), including providing copies of their most recent financial information and external audit (as submitted to their boards of trustees). Additionally, institutions provide their booster clubs’ official operating procedures to the UNC System Office as part of their reporting requirements.

Appendix A

Declared Majors of Upper-Division UNC System Student-Athletes

	ASU	ECSU	ECU	FSU	N.C. A&T	NCCU	NCSU	UNCA	UNCC	UNC-CH	UNCG	UNCP	UNCW	WCU	WSSU	UNC System Total
01 - agriculture, agriculture operations, and related sciences	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
03 - natural resources and conservation	3	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	14
04 - architecture and related services	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
05 - area, ethnic, cultural, gender, and group studies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	4	0	0	0	0	0	22
09 - communication, journalism and related programs	19	0	42	1	7	9	45	0	10	41	9	10	2	8	4	207
11 - computer and information sciences and support services	0	2	2	1	2	2	3	0	3	4	3	4	1	0	1	28
13 - education	12	0	8	9	0	1	3	0	2	0	2	50	0	12	8	107
14 - engineering	0	0	4	0	10	0	38	1	9	0	0	0	1	1	0	64
15 - engineering technologies and engineering-related fields	4	2	3	0	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	23
16 - foreign languages, literatures, and linguistics	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	11
19 - family and consumer sciences / human sciences	1	0	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	12
23 - English language and literature / letters	1	0	0	0	2	0	3	1	3	2	1	0	2	0	1	16
24 - liberal arts and sciences, general studies, and humanities	0	1	6	0	18	1	6	1	1	0	4	22	1	0	0	61
26 - biological and biomedical sciences	7	1	10	6	3	5	15	1	4	5	4	16	3	8	1	89
27 - mathematics and statistics	1	2	2	1	0	1	2	1	1	5	0	2	3	0	1	22
30 - multi/interdisciplinary studies	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	1	1	2	0	0	1	1	27
31 - parks, recreation, and leisure and fitness studies	27	3	27	0	27	21	64	0	13	75	18	0	8	15	14	312
38 - philosophy and religious studies	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	2	1	0	0	7
40 - physical sciences	4	0	2	3	3	2	0	3	3	4	0	4	3	2	1	34
41 - science technologies / technicians	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
42 - psychology	7	0	7	3	8	12	11	1	15	17	2	1	1	8	2	95
43 - homeland security, law enforcement, firefighting, and related protective services	8	2	11	7	8	5	0	0	14	0	0	0	1	7	6	69
44 - public administration and social service professions	1	0	4	0	1	0	9	0	0	1	0	3	3	0	2	24
45 - social sciences	6	0	8	1	6	12	14	3	37	29	15	4	3	3	1	142
49 - transportation and materials moving	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
50 - visual and performing arts	2	1	2	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	14
51 - health professions and related programs	31	0	11	8	0	2	0	15	1	3	2	2	12	7	16	110
52 - business, management, marketing, and related support services	34	6	30	12	12	17	51	10	28	34	25	29	23	47	9	367
54 - history	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	4	6	1	1	1	0	1	17
XX - undecided	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2

Appendix B – Comparing NCAA Graduation Success Measures

UNC Board of Governors and Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

Appalachian State University

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)		
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate1	NCAA Academic Success Rate2	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
SUNY at Binghamton	17	92%		75%
Bowling Green State University	16	92%		73%
Miami University-Ohio	15	91%		77%
James Madison University	17	88%		81%
Towson University	18	84%		68%
Western Illinois University	16	84%		65%
Eastern Illinois University	17	83%		67%
Appalachian State University	16	83%		64%
University of Northern Iowa	14	82%		68%
College of Charleston	15	81%		67%
Sam Houston State University	13	77%		57%
Western Washington University	12		90%	71%
West Chester University of Pennsylvania	19		85%	76%
Indiana University of Pennsylvania	15		75%	59%
Minnesota State University-Mankato	19		74%	57%
Saint Cloud State University	19		75%	69%
California State University-Chico	11		76%	65%
Rowan University	-	-	-	-
University of Wisconsin-La Crosse	-	-	-	-
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		85%	79%	68%
Appalachian State University		83%		64%
Difference		-2%		-4%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate1	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Sun Belt			
Appalachian State University	16	83%	64%
Arkansas State University	12	83%	60%
Troy University	13	82%	63%
Georgia State	13	81%	66%
University of Louisiana at Lafayette	12	81%	62%
Georgia Southern University	13	80%	64%
Texas State University	12	79%	64%
New Mexico State University	15	75%	57%
University of Idaho	12	75%	58%
University of South Alabama	13	75%	60%
University of Louisiana at Monroe	12	72%	57%
Conference Peer Average		78%	61%
Appalachian State University		83%	64%
Difference		5%	3%

"-" indicates there are no scores to report (no athletics programs or NCAA is not currently available)

East Carolina University

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ²
University of South Carolina-Columbia	16	93%	65%
University of Missouri-Kansas City	12	88%	62%
East Tennessee State University	12	88%	59%
Wright State University	14	87%	68%
Ohio University	16	86%	75%
University of Louisville	19	86%	67%
Northern Illinois University	15	86%	66%
University of Southern Mississippi ³	13	86%	54%
University of North Dakota	16	83%	66%
Southern Illinois University Carbondale	14	83%	65%
East Carolina University	15	82%	69%
Western Michigan University	14	82%	67%
Central Michigan University	12	82%	61%
Texas Tech University	13	82%	60%
SUNY at Buffalo	18	81%	67%
University of Nevada-Reno	16	81%	65%
Old Dominion University	15	80%	66%
Virginia Commonwealth University	12	79%	65%
Florida International University	13	78%	60%
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		84%	64%
East Carolina University		82%	69%
Difference		-2%	5%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ²
American Athletic Conference			
University of Central Florida	15	94%	55%
Tulane University	10	92%	71%
University of Connecticut	19	89%	69%
Temple University	20	88%	74%
University of Memphis	15	87%	62%
University of Cincinnati	15	86%	67%
University of Tulsa	14	85%	70%
East Carolina University	15	82%	69%
University of South Florida	15	82%	66%
Southern Methodist University	15	82%	66%
Wichita State University	11	80%	57%
University of Houston	12	74%	56%
Conference Peer Average		85%	65%
East Carolina University		82%	69%
Difference		-3%	4%

Elizabeth City State University

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)		
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	NCAA Academic Success Rate ²	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Virginia State University	12		81%	58%
Mansfield University of Pennsylvania	10		80%	64%
University of Illinois at Springfield	10		75%	55%
Elizabeth City State University	10		68%	56%
Bowie State University	9		58%	40%
Delaware State University	13	83%		61%
California State University-Bakersfield	16	75%		45%
Norfolk State University	10	63%		51%
Athens State University	-	-	-	-
Christopher Newport University	-	-	-	-
Frostburg State University	-	-	-	-
Ohio State University-Marion	-	-	-	-
Pennsylvania State University - York	-	-	-	-
SUNY College at Old Westbury	-	-	-	-
University of Puerto Rico-Humacao	-	-	-	-
University of the Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		74%	74%	53%
Elizabeth City State University			68%	56%
Difference			-6%	3%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Academic Success Rate ²	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association			
Virginia State University	12	81%	58%
Winston-Salem State University	11	73%	57%
Livingstone College	9	70%	38%
Elizabeth City State University	10	68%	56%
Johnson C. Smith University	11	66%	51%
Fayetteville State University	10	65%	58%
St. Augustine's University	11	64%	46%
The Lincoln University (Pennsylvania)	12	60%	52%
Virginia Union University	11	60%	52%
Bowie State University	9	58%	40%
Chowan University	13	55%	36%
Shaw University	11	46%	36%
Conference Peer Average		63%	48%
Elizabeth City State University		68%	56%
Difference		5%	8%

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Fayetteville State University

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)		
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	NCAA Academic Success Rate ²	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Virginia State University	12		81%	58%
Northwest Missouri State University	11		79%	63%
Western Oregon University	9		70%	49%
Francis Marion University	12		69%	45%
Minnesota State University Moorhead	12		66%	55%
Fayetteville State University	10		65%	58%
University of North Alabama	12		58%	42%
Bowie State University	9		58%	40%
Albany State University	9		56%	38%
Southwestern Oklahoma State University	10		54%	38%
Angelo State University	10		52%	52%
California State University-Bakersfield	16	75%		45%
Norfolk State University	10	63%		51%
Grambling State University	13	66%		51%
California State University-San Marcos	-	-	-	-
Eastern Connecticut State University	-	-	-	-
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		68%	64%	48%
Fayetteville State University			65%	58%
Difference			1%	10%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Academic Success Rate ²	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association			
Virginia State University	12	81%	58%
Winston-Salem State University	11	73%	57%
Livingstone College	9	70%	38%
Elizabeth City State University	10	68%	56%
Johnson C. Smith University	11	66%	51%
Fayetteville State University	10	65%	58%
St. Augustine's University	11	64%	46%
The Lincoln University (Pennsylvania)	12	60%	52%
Virginia Union University	11	60%	52%
Bowie State University	9	58%	40%
Chowan University	13	55%	36%
Shaw University	11	46%	36%
Conference Peer Average		64%	47%
Fayetteville State University		65%	58%
Difference		1%	11%

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North Carolina A&T State University

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ²
University of New Hampshire	17	92%	78%
Clemson University	15	91%	67%
Cleveland State University	17	90%	65%
University of Maine	15	87%	65%
The University of Texas at Arlington	10	85%	59%
South Dakota State University	17	83%	72%
University of Wyoming	13	82%	64%
Louisiana Tech University	12	81%	62%
University of Louisiana at Lafayette	12	81%	62%
Indiana State University	12	81%	57%
Old Dominion University	15	80%	66%
The University of Texas at El Paso	12	79%	55%
New Jersey Institute of Technology	15	76%	56%
New Mexico State University	15	75%	57%
University of Idaho	12	75%	58%
Jackson State University	13	75%	55%
North Carolina A&T State University	12	68%	54%
Florida A&M University	13	65%	49%
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		81%	62%
North Carolina A&T State University		68%	54%
Difference		-13%	-8%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ²
Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference			
Delaware State University	13	83%	61%
University of Maryland Eastern Shore	10	80%	36%
Howard University	15	80%	69%
North Carolina Central University	12	77%	51%
South Carolina State University	13	77%	58%
Hampton University	12	73%	63%
Bethune-Cookman University	13	70%	51%
Coppin State University	9	69%	36%
North Carolina A&T State University	12	68%	54%
Florida A&M University	13	65%	49%
Morgan State University	10	64%	52%
Norfolk State University	10	63%	51%
Savannah State University	10	55%	41%
Conference Peer Average		71%	52%
North Carolina A&T State University		68%	54%
Difference		-3%	2%

North Carolina Central University

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)		
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	NCAA Academic Success Rate ²	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Murray State University	14	83%		59%
The University of Tennessee-Martin	13	79%		54%
North Carolina Central University	12	77%		51%
Jackson State University	13	75%		55%
California State University-Bakersfield	16	75%		45%
Hampton University	12	73%		63%
Florida A&M University	13	65%		49%
Morgan State University	10	64%		52%
Tennessee State University	11	63%		45%
Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania	16		79%	68%
Edinboro University of Pennsylvania	15		76%	66%
Washburn University	10		61%	47%
The University of West Florida	13		61%	43%
West Texas A & M University	13		52%	39%
Valdosta State University	11		48%	40%
New Jersey City University	-	-	-	-
Rutgers University-Camden	-	-	-	-
University of Houston-Clear Lake	-	-	-	-
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		72%	63%	52%
North Carolina Central University		77%		51%
Difference		5%		-1%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference			
Delaware State University	13	83%	61%
University of Maryland Eastern Shore	10	80%	36%
Howard University	15	80%	69%
North Carolina Central University	12	77%	51%
South Carolina State University	13	77%	58%
Hampton University	12	73%	63%
Bethune-Cookman University	13	70%	51%
Coppin State University	9	69%	36%
North Carolina A&T State University	12	68%	54%
Florida A&M University	13	65%	49%
Morgan State University	10	64%	52%
Norfolk State University	10	63%	51%
Savannah State University	10	55%	41%
Conference Peer Average		71%	52%
North Carolina Central University		77%	51%
Difference		6%	-1%

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North Carolina State University

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ²
Pennsylvania State University	25	90%	78%
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University	17	90%	67%
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	17	88%	74%
Georgia Institute of Technology	13	88%	70%
University of California-Davis	22	87%	80%
Michigan State University	21	87%	71%
The Ohio State University	31	86%	75%
University of Wisconsin-Madison	19	86%	70%
Rutgers University-New Brunswick	24	85%	70%
North Carolina State University	19	85%	66%
Purdue University-Main Campus	16	84%	71%
Colorado State University-Fort Collins	12	84%	67%
University of Maryland-College Park	22	84%	66%
Iowa State University	14	84%	66%
University of Arizona	16	84%	58%
University of Florida	16	83%	60%
Texas A & M University-College Station	16	81%	70%
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		86%	70%
North Carolina State University		85%	66%
Difference		-1%	-4%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ²
Atlantic Coast Conference			
University of Notre Dame	22	98%	93%
Duke University	22	97%	86%
Boston College	26	95%	80%
Wake Forest University	14	94%	78%
Syracuse University	18	91%	72%
Clemson University	15	91%	67%
University of Miami	14	91%	62%
University of Virginia	21	90%	80%
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University	17	90%	67%
Georgia Institute of Technology	13	88%	70%
University of Louisville	19	86%	67%
University of Pittsburgh	15	86%	66%
North Carolina State University	19	85%	66%
UNC-Chapel Hill	24	84%	69%
Florida State University	15	84%	64%
Conference Peer Average		90%	73%
North Carolina State University		85%	66%
Difference		-5%	-7%

UNC Asheville

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)		
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	NCAA Academic Success Rate ²	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
UNC Asheville	16	92%		70%
Furman University	14	88%		76%
Truman State University	17		88%	61%
Fort Lewis College	11		70%	56%
University of Montevallo	10		70%	63%
Christopher Newport University	-			
Eastern Connecticut State University	-			
Keene State College	-			
Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts	-			
New College of Florida	-			
Ramapo College of New Jersey	-			
Rhodes College	-			
St. Mary's College of Maryland	-			
SUNY at Geneseo	-			
SUNY at Purchase College	-			
The Evergreen State College	-			
University of Maine at Farmington	-			
University of Minnesota-Morris	-			
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		88%	-	64%
UNC Asheville		92%		70%
Difference		4%		6%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Big South Conference			
UNC Asheville	16	92%	70%
High Point University	12	88%	58%
Radford University	15	88%	70%
Longwood University	14	87%	66%
Coastal Carolina University	14	87%	58%
Liberty University	15	87%	69%
Presbyterian College	16	85%	65%
Gardner-Webb University	17	85%	64%
Campbell University	16	85%	65%
Virginia Military Institute	12	82%	72%
Charleston Southern University	13	72%	51%
Conference Peer Average		85%	64%
UNC Asheville		92%	70%
Difference		7%	6%

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UNC-Chapel Hill

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ²
University of Pennsylvania	26	97%	-
Northwestern University	19	97%	91%
Duke University	22	97%	86%
University of Minnesota-Twin Cities	21	92%	77%
University of Michigan-Ann Arbor	23	91%	81%
University of Virginia	21	90%	80%
The University of Texas at Austin	16	87%	69%
University of Southern California	18	86%	74%
University of California-Los Angeles	20	86%	72%
University of Washington-Seattle	19	86%	71%
University of Wisconsin-Madison	19	86%	70%
University of Pittsburgh	15	86%	66%
UNC-Chapel Hill	24	84%	69%
University of Maryland-College Park	22	84%	66%
University of California-Berkeley	23	81%	70%
Johns Hopkins University	2	-	-
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		89%	75%
UNC-Chapel Hill		84%	69%
Difference		-5%	-6%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ²
Atlantic Coast Conference			
University of Notre Dame	22	98%	93%
Duke University	22	97%	86%
Boston College	26	95%	80%
Wake Forest University	14	94%	78%
Syracuse University	18	91%	72%
Clemson University	15	91%	67%
University of Miami	14	91%	62%
University of Virginia	21	90%	80%
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University	17	90%	67%
Georgia Institute of Technology	13	88%	70%
University of Louisville	19	86%	67%
University of Pittsburgh	15	86%	66%
North Carolina State University	19	85%	66%
UNC-Chapel Hill	24	84%	69%
Florida State University	15	84%	64%
Conference Peer Average		90%	73%
UNC-Chapel Hill		84%	69%
Difference		-6%	-4%

UNC Charlotte

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
UNC Charlotte	12	91%	71%
University of Toledo	14	87%	69%
Kent State University	14	86%	71%
University of Louisville	19	86%	67%
University of Texas at Arlington	10	85%	59%
University of Rhode Island	18	84%	64%
Western Michigan University	14	82%	67%
Florida Atlantic University	15	81%	58%
University of Massachusetts-Lowell	12	80%	70%
Old Dominion University	15	80%	66%
University of Texas at San Antonio	12	80%	60%
University of New Mexico	17	80%	58%
Virginia Commonwealth University	12	79%	65%
Florida International University	10	78%	60%
University of Nevada-Las Vegas	15	76%	57%
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	11	74%	60%
Portland State University	10	74%	52%
University of Colorado Denver	-	-	-
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		81%	63%
UNC Charlotte		91%	71%
Difference		10%	8%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ²
Conference USA			
Rice University	12	92%	81%
UNC Charlotte	12	91%	71%
Middle Tennessee State University	13	88%	64%
University of Southern Mississippi	13	86%	64%
Marshall University	14	85%	63%
University of Alabama at Birmingham	14	83%	67%
University of North Texas	12	83%	61%
Western Kentucky University	15	82%	62%
Louisiana Tech University	12	81%	62%
Florida Atlantic University	15	81%	58%
Old Dominion University	15	80%	66%
University of Texas at San Antonio	12	80%	60%
University of Texas at El Paso	12	79%	55%
Florida International University	13	78%	60%
Conference Peer Average		83%	63%
UNC Charlotte		91%	71%
Difference		8%	8%

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UNC Greensboro

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ²
University of Central Florida	15	94%	55%
Bowling Green State University	16	92%	73%
Middle Tennessee State University	13	88%	64%
University of Memphis	15	87%	62%
Kent State University	14	86%	71%
University of Louisville	19	86%	67%
Northern Illinois University	15	86%	66%
University of Southern Mississippi	13	86%	64%
Indiana University-Purdue University-Indianapolis	14	86%	62%
The University of Texas at Arlington	10	85%	59%
UNC Greensboro	13	83%	50%
Western Michigan University	14	82%	67%
Georgia State University	13	81%	66%
Indiana State University	12	81%	57%
Old Dominion University	15	80%	66%
Virginia Commonwealth University	12	79%	65%
Florida International University	13	78%	60%
Oregon State University	15	78%	54%
Portland State University	10	74%	52%
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		84%	63%
UNC Greensboro		83%	50%
Difference		-1%	-13%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ²
Southern Conference			
Wofford College	13	98%	82%
Samford University	13	97%	72%
Mercer University	14	92%	63%
Furman University	14	88%	76%
East Tennessee State University	13	88%	59%
UNC Greensboro	13	83%	50%
The Citadel	11	83%	64%
Western Carolina University	12	83%	53%
Virginia Military Institute	12	82%	72%
University of Tennessee at Chattanooga	13	81%	61%
Conference Peer Average		88%	67%
UNC Greensboro		83%	50%
Difference		-5%	-17%

UNC Pembroke

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)		
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	NCAA Academic Success Rate ²	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Northwest Missouri State University	11		79%	63%
Pittsburg State University	9		74%	58%
California State University-Stanislaus	11		72%	65%
Northeastern State University	10		71%	48%
Francis Marion University	12		69%	45%
Eastern New Mexico University	11		62%	37%
UNC Pembroke	14		61%	51%
University of Texas of the Permian Basin	12		61%	36%
University of North Alabama	12		58%	42%
Southern Arkansas University	12		51%	39%
Radford University	15	88%		70%
Austin Peay State University	14	84%		65%
Morehead State University	14	76%		63%
Nicholls State University	13	80%		50%
Frostburg State University	-	-	-	-
Indiana University-Southeast	-	-	-	-
University of Guam	-	-	-	-
University of Wisconsin-Superior	-	-	-	-
Western Connecticut State University	-	-	-	-
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		82%	66%	52%
UNC Pembroke			61%	51%
Difference			-5%	-1%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Academic Success Rate ²	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Peach Belt Conference			
Flagler College	12	94%	69%
University of North Georgia	12	82%	64%
Armstrong State University	11	82%	54%
Young Harris College ⁵	1	81%	45%
Georgia College	10	79%	69%
Lander University	11	74%	53%
Columbus State University	11	73%	50%
University of Montevallo	10	70%	63%
Francis Marion University	12	69%	45%
University of South Carolina Aiken	11	65%	54%
Augusta University	10	63%	54%
UNC Pembroke	14	61%	51%
Clayton State University	8	56%	33%
Georgia Southwestern State University	11	55%	54%
Conference Peer Average		74%	54%
UNC Pembroke		61%	51%
Difference		-13%	-3%

"-" indicates there are no scores to report (no athletics programs or NCAA is not currently available)

UNC Wilmington

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)		
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	NCAA Academic Success Rate ²	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
College of William and Mary	19	93%		88%
SUNY at Binghamton	17	92%		75%
James Madison University	17	88%		81%
University of Maine	15	87%		65%
UNC Wilmington	15	85%		72%
Towson University	18	84%		68%
Murray State University	14	83%		59%
University of Northern Iowa	14	82%		68%
College of Charleston	15	81%		67%
University of Maryland-Baltimore County	16	81%		62%
California Polytechnic State University-San Luis Obispo	17	80%		68%
Western Washington University	12		90%	71%
California State University-Chico	11		76%	65%
Truman State University	17		88%	61%
Rowan University	-			
The College of New Jersey	-	-	-	-
The University of Texas at Dallas	-	-	-	-
University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire	-	-	-	-
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		85%	85%	69%
UNC Wilmington		85%		72%
Difference		0%		3%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Colonial Athletic Association			
Elon University	14	94%	80%
College of William & Mary	19	93%	88%
Hofstra University	18	93%	61%
Northeastern University	15	91%	73%
Drexel University	17	89%	78%
James Madison University	17	88%	81%
University of Delaware	19	85%	73%
UNC Wilmington	15	85%	72%
Towson University	18	84%	68%
College of Charleston	15	81%	67%
Conference Peer Average		89%	74%
UNC Wilmington		85%	72%
Difference		-4%	-2%

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Western Carolina University

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)		
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate1	NCAA Academic Success Rate2	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Radford University	15	88%		70%
Winona State University	14	87%		71%
Western Illinois University	16	84%		65%
Eastern Illinois University	17	83%		67%
Murray State University	14	83%		59%
Western Carolina University	12	83%		53%
California State University-Fresno	17	81%		64%
Southeast Missouri State University	12	80%		65%
Sam Houston State University	12	77%		57%
Central Connecticut State University	14	76%		56%
Morehead State University	14	76%		53%
Kennesaw State University	12	72%		51%
California University of Pennsylvania	14		80%	65%
University of Central Missouri	12		77%	65%
Pittsburg State University	10		74%	58%
Plymouth State University	-	-	-	-
Saint Cloud State University	-	-	-	-
Salisbury University	-	-	-	-
SUNY College at Oswego	-	-	-	-
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		81%	77%	62%
Western Carolina University		83%		53%
Difference		2%		-9%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate1	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Southern Conference			
Wofford College	13	98%	82%
Samford University	13	97%	72%
Mercer University	14	92%	63%
Furman University	14	88%	76%
East Tennessee State University	13	88%	59%
UNC Greensboro	13	83%	50%
The Citadel	11	83%	64%
Western Carolina University	12	83%	53%
Virginia Military Institute	12	82%	72%
University of Tennessee at Chattanooga	13	81%	61%
Conference Peer Average		88%	67%
Western Carolina University		83%	53%
Difference		-5%	-14%

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Winston-Salem State University

Graduation Success Measures: BOG Approved Peer Institutions

	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)		
		NCAA Graduation Success Rate ¹	NCAA Academic Success Rate ²	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Virginia State University	12		81%	58%
Winston-Salem State University	11		73%	57%
Francis Marion University	12		69%	45%
University of South Carolina-Aiken	11		65%	54%
Albany State University	9		56%	38%
Fort Valley State University	9		48%	43%
University of Maryland Eastern Shore	10	80%		65%
Delaware State University	13	83%		61%
Jacksonville State University	14	80%		58%
Morgan State University	10	64%		52%
Norfolk State University	10	63%		51%
Prairie View A & M University	14	64%		48%
Alcorn State University	13	70%		45%
Tennessee State University	11	63%		45%
Rutgers University-Camden	-	-	-	-
Spelman College	-	-	-	-
SUNY College at Old Westbury	-	-	-	-
William Paterson University of New Jersey	-	-	-	-
Xavier University of Louisiana	-	-	-	-
UNC BOG Approved Peer Average		71%	67%	52%
Winston-Salem State University			56%	38%
Difference			-11%	-14%

Graduation Success Measures: Athletic Conference Peer Institutions

Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association	Number of Sports Programs	Student-Athlete 4-Year Rolling 6-year Graduation Rates (2007 - 2010 cohorts)	
		NCAA Academic Success Rate ²	Federal Graduation Rate (IPEDS) ³
Virginia State University	12	81%	58%
Winston-Salem State University	11	73%	57%
Livingstone College	9	70%	38%
Elizabeth City State University	10	68%	56%
Johnson C. Smith University	11	66%	51%
Fayetteville State University	10	65%	58%
St. Augustine's University	11	64%	46%
The Lincoln University (Pennsylvania)	12	60%	52%
Virginia Union University	11	60%	52%
Bowie State University	9	58%	40%
Chowan University	13	55%	36%
Shaw University	11	46%	36%
Conference Peer Average		63%	48%
Winston-Salem State University		73%	57%
Difference		10%	9%

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Appendix C – UNC System Institution Financial Data Related to Intercollegiate Athletics

	Total number of student- athletes (scholarship and non- scholarship)	Academic Progress Rate (APR) - Division I	Academic Success Rate (ASR) - Division II	Total Athletics Revenue (\$)	Total Athletics Expenses (\$)	Total Institutional Expenses (\$)	Total Athletics Generated Revenue (\$)
ASU	577	973		\$31,712,155	\$31,523,281	\$379,184,193	\$11,410,762
ECU	413	973		\$44,613,084	\$45,814,967	\$825,342,728	\$25,716,054
ECSU	163		68	\$1,938,174	\$1,909,616	\$57,754,471	\$1,916,621
FSU	167		65	\$2,857,403	\$2,857,403	\$110,031,636	\$397,545
N.C. A&T	348	972		\$12,303,837	\$12,738,300	\$251,810,865	\$3,825,541
NCCU	309	954		\$11,554,364	\$11,809,820	\$186,102,806	\$3,873,734
NCSU	542	984		\$80,225,029	\$79,905,724	\$1,401,497,846	\$73,619,730
UNCA	300	983		\$7,779,044	\$7,712,021	\$90,880,057	\$2,200,659
UNC-CH	818	988		\$95,175,985	\$95,175,985	\$2,827,248,586	\$86,025,008
UNCC	569	963		\$37,334,851	\$32,940,261	\$545,511,475	\$13,091,223
UNCG	233	982		\$16,077,830	\$15,955,636	\$359,530,904	\$2,391,269
UNCP	509		61	\$4,801,176	\$4,332,527	\$119,081,763	\$497,314
UNCW	342	989		\$15,229,020	\$14,989,714	\$287,627,942	\$4,687,304
WCU	351	973		\$13,174,782	\$13,049,483	\$207,002,819	\$4,696,799
WSSU	276		73	\$4,155,482	\$5,685,667	\$136,948,069	\$3,858,815

	Athletics as % of Institutional Expenditures (%)	Student Fees as % of Revenue (%)	Athletics expenses per SA (\$)	Total athletics grant-in-aid (\$)	Total compensation - HCs (\$)	Total compensation - Asst. HCs (\$)	Total compensation - admin (\$)	Team travel as % of expenditures (%)
ASU	8.0%	35.4%	\$62,921	\$5,426,717	\$2,156,505	\$2,611,652	\$4,030,672	6.6%
ECU	6.0%	31.9%	\$101,585	\$8,392,981	\$3,991,549	\$4,700,763	\$8,152,775	8.9%
ECSU	3.3%	49.0%	\$11,712	\$476,676	\$113,469	\$162,397	\$489,325	9.7%
FSU	3.0%	85.0%	\$19,438	\$773,807	\$355,468	\$333,991	\$199,833	11.3%
N.C. A&T	5.0%	55.7%	\$33,086	\$3,231,290	\$1,138,818	\$1,635,591	\$2,006,157	9.8%
NCCU	6.4%	40.1%	\$38,219	\$3,801,028	\$1,162,310	\$1,320,237	\$2,223,496	8.5%
NCSU	6.0%	8.2%	\$147,156	\$11,685,571	\$8,485,071	\$7,965,911	\$13,903,650	6.9%
UNCA	8.0%	35.6%	\$35,215	\$1,996,677	\$797,942	\$502,174	\$924,334	8.1%
UNC-CH	3.0%	7.7%	\$126,396	\$14,528,812	\$8,376,812	\$7,586,265	\$15,930,254	6.4%
UNCC	6.0%	51.9%	\$76,605	\$6,871,537	\$2,407,361	\$3,290,083	\$4,076,637	7.1%
UNCG	4.0%	65.9%	\$67,896	\$3,099,141	\$1,230,921	\$1,066,848	\$2,700,798	4.8%
UNCP	4.0%	69.6%	\$10,724	\$1,566,788	\$288,282	\$301,884	\$564,837	8.4%
UNCW	5.0%	61.5%	\$43,830	\$2,743,860	\$1,545,108	\$1,344,627	\$3,301,991	8.7%
WCU	6.0%	45.0%	\$35,364	\$3,138,842	\$1,297,876	\$1,427,119	\$2,512,286	6.4%
WSSU	4.2%	65.0%	\$20,600	\$1,485,817	\$512,175	\$519,032	\$1,130,533	9.2%