

The Student Right-to-Know Act is a law passed by Congress in 1990 that requires institutions eligible for Title IV funding under the Higher Education Act of 1965 to disclose the completion or graduation rate of certificate- or degree-seeking, full-time students entering those institutions. The law requires colleges and universities that administer federal Title IV funds to disclose certain information to prospective and enrolled students, parents and employees. The law requires institutions to collect, report, and disclose graduation rates for full-time, first-time, degree-seeking undergraduate students.

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Graduation Rates 2024-25 IPEDS Data Collection System

The cumulative number of these students who completed their program within 150% of normal time as of August 31, 2024.

Graduation Rate Component Summary

The purpose of this summary is to provide you an opportunity to view some of the data that, when accepted through the IPEDS quality control process, will appear on the [College Navigator](#) website and/or your institution's Data Feedback Report (DFR). In addition, all data reported in IPEDS survey components become publicly available through the [IPEDS Use the Data](#) and appear as aggregated statistics in various Department of Education reports. [College Navigator](#) is updated approximately three months after the data collection period closes and DFRs will be available through the [IPEDS Use the Data](#) and sent to your institution's CEO at the end of 2025.

Please review your data for accuracy. If you have questions about the data displayed below or after reviewing the data reported on the survey screens, please contact the IPEDS Help Desk at: 1-877-225-2568 or ipedshelp@rti.org.

Overall Graduation Rate	
Graduation Rate (%)	88
Total number of students in the Adjusted Cohort	81
Total number of completers within 150% of normal time	71

Overall Transfer-out Rate	
Transfer-out Rate (%)	0
Total number of students in the Adjusted Cohort	81
Total number of transfers-out within 150% of normal time	0

IPEDS Completions by gender, race and ethnicity

[College Navigator: Student Gender and Race/Ethnicity](#)

IPEDS Student Financial Aid Awards

[College Navigator: Undergraduate Student Financial Aid 2023/2024](#)

Retention Rates from 2024/2025 IPEDS Data Collection System Fall Enrollment 8/1 – 10/31 2024

Undergraduate Retention and Graduation Rate Cohort	
First-time, full-time certificate-seeking student fall-to-fall retention rate (%)	88
First-time, part-time certificate-seeking student fall-to-fall retention rate (%)	
Graduation rate cohort as percent of total entering students (%)	

2024 Annual Report Graduation & Employment Data***Reported to the Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges***

Program	Student Cohort	Date Reporting	Graduation %	State Exam Pass %	Employment %
Cosmetology	94	9/2021 – 08/2022	83%	100%	92%
Esthetics	14	7/2022 – 6/2023	86%	100%	75%
Massage Therapy	12	7/2022 – 6/2023	100%	100%	92%
Nail Technology	11	10/2022 -9/2023	100%	100%	73%

Stewart School Transfer-Out Rate: The school does not track transfer-out rates.

Employment Opportunities:

Cosmetologists: Cosmetologists licensed in the state of South Dakota may find employment in a beauty salon, beauty school, beauty spa, beauty supply company or manufacturer, or in department store cosmetic counters. Many cosmetologists choose to own and operate their own salon business. Employment opportunities are posted on a job placement notification board within the school.

Estheticians: Skin Care Specialists and Estheticians licensed in the state of South Dakota may find employment in a beauty salon, a spa, a resort, a beauty school, a beauty supply company or manufacturer, as well as in department store cosmetic counters. Many estheticians choose to own and operate their own salon or spa business.

Massage Therapist: Massage Therapists may find employment in a massage therapy clinic, chiropractic office, physical therapy clinic, health spa, beauty salon, hospital, with an athletic team or sporting event, or may own and operate their own business or clinic. Employment opportunities are posted on a job board within the school.

Nail Technology: Nail Technologists licensed in the state of South Dakota may find employment in beauty salons or nail salons, beauty schools, beauty spas, beauty supply companies and nail product manufacturers, as well as in department store cosmetic counter. Many nail technologists choose to be an independent contractor or own their own nail salon.