

Student-Right-To-Know

Methodist University has graduation rate* of 35 percent for a full-time new freshman who entered in Fall 2011 in pursuit of a baccalaureate degree as of Fall 2017. This information is provided under requirements of the Student-Right-to-Know and Campus Security Act of 1990. So what does our **35** percent graduation rate mean? This rate means that 35 percent of all freshmen who began their collegiate career at Methodist University (MU) in Fall 2011 graduated from MU in six years. For a more detailed break-down of persistence and graduation rate by ethnicity, gender, program, and by aid, click on the following link:

[Persistence and Graduation Rate 2011](#)

*Graduation rates are a measure of the success of students in attaining their educational goals. A graduation rate is the percentage of students in a given entering cohort (group) who graduated within a specified period. The number of students in the entering cohort is the denominator of the rate; the number of students graduating is the numerator of the rate. The entering cohort of an institution includes all full-time, first-time degree or certificate-seeking undergraduate students who began in the stated cohort year. The period is 150% of normal time to program completion (for example, for a four-year program, the graduation rate would include students who had graduated within six years of the beginning of the program).