Indiana Department of Education

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2023 REPORT

Attrition-Retention-Completion Rates By Academic Year*

	State Total	Valparaiso University
Total Number of Education Candidates**	11,674	168
Total Number Completion/Graduation	3,304	49
Percentage Completion/Graduation	28.3%	29.2
Total Number Retained in Education	7579	106
Percentage Retained in Education	64.9%	63.1
Total Number Program Attrition	311	4
Percentage Program Attrition	2.7%	2.4
Total Number Institutional Attrition	510	9
Percentage Institutional Attrition	4.4%	5.3

*Academic year is defined as September 1 - August 31.

**Education Candidates - includes all students who in a given academic year were formally admitted to, enrolled in, or completed the institution's education program.

*** Percentage Total = Percentage Completion/Graduation + Percentage Retained in Education + Percentage Program Attrition + Percentage Institutional Attrition = 100%Percentage of Completion/Graduation = Completion/Graduation Number DIVIDED BY total number of candidates.

Percentage Retained in Education = Number Retained in Education DIVIDED BY total number of candidates.

Percentage of Attrition [Program Attrition] = Number of candidates who left education but remained at the institution DIVIDED BY total number of candidates.

Percentage of Attrition [Institutional Attrition]= Number of candidates who left the institution DIVIDED BY total number of candidates

 *Attrition/Retention/Completion numbers were calculated using the IPEDS methodology.
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