First-time Freshman 4-year Graduation Rates by College

		Term					
College	Data	Fall 2015	Fall 2016	Fall 2017	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	5-year Average
Caterpillar College of Engineering and Technology	Graduated	94	99	93	95	119	500
	Entering Cohort	170	183	196	192	208	949
	Graduation Rate	55.29%	54.10%	47.45%	49.48%	57.21%	52.69%
College of Education and Health Sciences	Graduated	139	161	182	130	147	759
	Entering Cohort	214	236	253	183	201	1087
	Graduation Rate	64.95%	68.22%	71.94%	71.04%	73.13%	69.83%
College of Liberal Arts and Sciences	Graduated	87	144	166	150	179	726
	Entering Cohort	159	246	284	240	283	1212
	Graduation Rate	54.72%	58.54%	58.45%	62.50%	63.25%	59.90%
Foster College of Business	Graduated	60	63	64	57	64	308
	Entering Cohort	100	112	129	100	92	533
	Graduation Rate	60.00%	56.25%	49.61%	57.00%	69.57%	57.79%
Slane College of Communications and Fine Arts	Graduated	96	97	135	126	91	545
	Entering Cohort	157	158	214	194	151	874
	Graduation Rate	61.15%	61.39%	63.08%	64.95%	60.26%	62.36%
University Academic Exploration Program	Graduated	53	64	75	83	51	326
	Entering Cohort	129	158	189	181	113	770
	Graduation Rate	41.09%	40.51%	39.68%	45.86%	45.13%	42.34%
Total Graduated		529	628	715	641	651	3164
Total Entering Cohort		929	1093	1265	1090	1048	5425
Total Graduation Rate		56.94%	57.46%	56.52%	58.81%	62.12%	58.32%

The Bradley University 4-year graduation rate is calculated based on entering first-time full-time students who entered in the Fall cohort and graduated from Bradley University within 4 years. Data are broken down by the college in which the student entered the University.

First-time Freshman 6-year Graduation Rates by College

	Term					
Data	Fall 2013	Fall 2014	Fall 2015	Fall 2016	Fall 2017	5-year Average
Graduated	194	151	130	142	125	742
Entering Cohort	248	198	170	183	196	995
Graduation Rate	78.23%	76.26%	76.47%	77.60%	63.78%	74.57%
Graduated	200	156	176	198	208	938
Entering Cohort	243	197	214	236	253	1143
Graduation Rate	82.30%	79.19%	82.24%	83.90%	82.21%	82.06%
Graduated	125	124	115	181	198	743
Entering Cohort	168	167	159	246	284	1024
Graduation Rate	74.40%	74.25%	72.33%	73.58%	69.72%	72.56%
Graduated	99	95	81	88	95	458
Entering Cohort	118	118	100	112	129	577
Graduation Rate	83.90%	80.51%	81.00%	78.57%	73.64%	79.38%
Graduated	98	96	119	123	161	597
Entering Cohort	140	136	157	158	214	805
Graduation Rate	70.00%	70.59%	75.80%	77.85%	75.23%	74.16%
Graduated	119	93	80	99	122	513
Entering Cohort	168	132	129	158	189	776
Graduation Rate	70.83%	70.45%	62.02%	62.66%	64.55%	66.11%
	835	715	701	831	909	3991
	1085	948	929	1093	1265	5320
	76.96%	75.42%	75.46%	76.03%	71.86%	75.02%
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The Bradley University 6-year graduation rate is calculated based on entering first-time full-time students who entered in the Fall cohort and graduated from Bradley University within 6 years. Data are broken down by the college in which the student entered the University.

National Six-Year Completion Rates

	Fall 2011	Fall 2012	Fall 2013	Fall 2014	Fall 2015
National Full-time First-Time Students	56.9%	58.3%	60.7%	61.0%	62.2%

Source: Causey, J., Pevitz, A., Ryu, M., Scheetz, A., & Shapiro, D. (Feb 2022), Completing College: National and State Report on SixYear Completion Rates for Fall 2015 Beginning Cohort (Signature Report 20), Herndon, VA: National Student Clearinghouse Research Center.