

Withdrawal Survey Analysis: Fall 2011 (1st Study)
Sample and Group Characteristics

	Withdrawals	WD Rate	FT Faculty	PT Faculty	LAS	WFD
Survey Sample (W1)	2,107	20.7%	47.3%	52.7%	86.3%	13.7%
All Courses (W1, W2, W4)	3,406	10.7%	40.2%	59.8%	75.9%	24.1%
Departments (LAS)*	ART	HUM	LET	MATH	SCI	SOS
Survey Sample	48	90	350	652	394	247
	2.3%	4.3%	16.6%	30.9%	18.7%	11.7%
All Students Withdrawing	2.2%	4.3%	19.1%	30.1%	16.1%	12.3%
Total Withdrawals	74	147	652	1,029	549	419
Av. Course Withdrawal Rate	7.1%	7.3%	9.3%	17.7%	14.4%	10.3%
Departments (WFD)*	CJ	HRP	WD	Unknown		
Survey Sample	12	67	210	38		
	0.6%	3.2%	10.0%	1.8%		
All Students Withdrawing	0.4%	3.2%	10.2%	2.2%		
Total Withdrawals	12	109	350	74		
Av. Course Withdrawal Rate	11.7%	6.0%	7.8%	8.3%		
Locations	WH	JDAC	LK	Airside	HS (DE)	Missing
Survey Sample	944	80	1,050	16	15	2
	44.9%	3.8%	49.9%	0.8%	0.7%	0.0%
All Students Withdrawing	44.1%	4.0%	49.5%	1.3%	1.2%	
Total Withdrawals	1,505	136	1,691	43	40	N/A
Av. Course Withdrawal Rate	11.9%	12.9%	10.3%	6.0%	5.4%	
Gender and Age	Female	Male	Age ≤21	Age 22-29	Age 30-39	Age ≥40
Survey Sample	65%	35%	44%	29%	17%	10%
College Average	63%	37%	49%	24%	15%	12%
Ethnicity	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Multi	Other
Survey Sample	51%	27%	16%	1%	2%	3%
College Average	59%	19%	15%	2%	2%	3%

***Legend:** LAS=Letters, Arts, & Sciences; WFD=Work Force Development; ART=Arts; HUM=Humanities; LET=Letters; MATH=Mathematics; SCI=Natural Sciences; SOS=Social Sciences; CJ=Criminal Justice; HRP=Health Related Professions; WD=Other Workforce Dev.



Summary of Responses

Sample Info: Survey Responses=2,107; Response Rate=90.2%; Totals: W1=2,336 W2=769 W4=301

Introductory questions (responses not mutually exclusive due to Genesis programming constraints)	
I am withdrawing from this course because I think I will not pass.	Yes = 59%
I am withdrawing from this course because I'm not earning the grade I want.	Yes = 50%
I am withdrawing from this course for reasons not related to the class.	Yes = 54%

Withdrawal Reasons Provided (involving multiple response options)	N	Percentage
Teaching Style/Behavior:	613	11%
The professor's/instructor's teaching style or behavior	613	10.82%
Course-Specific Challenges:	1,303	23%
The course content and/or subject matter	418	7.38%
The fast pace of the class	389	6.87%
Issues with testing or test content	496	8.75%
Time/Course Management:	658	12%
College workload, other classes' requirements	355	6.27%
Too many missed classes	303	5.35%
Personal, Family, and Home Related Issues:	1,770	31%
Requirements/workload at home	727	12.83%
Family or personal issues (not health related)	440	7.77%
Personal illness or medical reasons	305	5.38%
Family death or serious illness in family	154	2.72%
Issues with living quarters	144	2.54%
Employment, Relocation, and Financial Issues:	1,280	23%
Job requirements/workload	671	11.84%
Changes in employment	324	5.72%
Financial reasons; insufficient resources to continue class	172	3.04%
Relocating/moving	113	1.99%
Other Issues: <1%		
English as a second language	42	0.74%
Total Responses (Average: 2.7 Reasons per Respondent)	5,666 Responses	

Response Patterns by Group

Withdrawal Category	All	WH	JDAC	LK	Airside	HS	LAS	WFD
Teaching Style/Behavior:	11%	11%	10%	11%	20%	14%	11%	6%
Course-Specific Challenges:	23%	22%	24%	23%	28%	28%	24%	18%
Time/Course Management:	12%	12%	13%	11%	10%	3%	12%	11%
Personal, Family, and Home Related Issues:	31%	31%	29%	32%	18%	33%	30%	38%
Employment, Relocation, and Financial Issues:	23%	23%	23%	22%	23%	22%	22%	27%
Responses per Student	2.7	2.77	2.76	2.65	2.50	2.25	2.74	2.44

Withdrawal Category	ART	HUM	LET	MAT	SCI	SOS	CJ	HRP	WD	Unk.
Teaching Style/Behavior:	4%	7%	9%	15%	12%	9%	5%	6%	7%	3%
Course-Specific Challenges:	9%	14%	13%	32%	27%	19%	21%	19%	18%	10%
Time/Course Management:	18%	13%	15%	9%	11%	12%	13%	8%	11%	22%
Personal, Family, and Home Related Issues:	40%	40%	35%	25%	30%	33%	33%	39%	38%	42%
Employment, Relocation, and Financial Issues:	29%	25%	26%	18%	20%	27%	26%	28%	27%	22%
Responses per Student	2.58	2.58	2.82	2.70	2.86	2.79	3.25	2.16	2.48	1.86

Withdrawal Category	Female	Male	Age ≤21	Age 22-29	Age 30-39	Age ≥40	White	Black	Hisp.	Other
Teaching Style/Behavior:	11%	11%	12%	10%	11%	9%	11%	11%	12%	10%
Course-Specific Challenges:	24%	21%	26%	19%	19%	23%	24%	23%	23%	19%
Time/Course Management:	11%	13%	14%	10%	10%	8%	12%	11%	10%	13%
Personal, Family, and Home Related Issues:	33%	28%	26%	34%	37%	37%	30%	32%	31%	34%
Employment, Relocation, and Financial Issues:	21%	26%	21%	25%	23%	22%	23%	22%	22%	23%
Responses per Student	2.76	2.59	2.89	2.57	2.63	2.38	2.70	2.80	2.55	2.69

Course Level Responses

Course	Survey Participants	Teaching Style/Behavior	Course-Specific Challenges	Time and Resource Management	Personal, Family, and Home Related Issues	Employment, Relocation, and Financial Issues	Responses per Participant
MAT1033	159	17%	33%	10%	24%	16%	2.77
MAT0028	153	12%	32%	9%	25%	20%	2.66
MAC1105	131	19%	38%	10%	19%	13%	2.45
BSC2085C	112	10%	29%	11%	30%	20%	3.17
ENC1101	99	12%	15%	15%	33%	25%	2.89
MAT0018	81	10%	31%	10%	28%	19%	2.95
ENC1102	73	16%	12%	15%	33%	23%	2.48
PSY2013	66	7%	17%	14%	34%	27%	3.12
HUM2020	63	7%	15%	13%	39%	25%	2.62
LIT1000	35	10%	20%	8%	35%	25%	3.51
DEP2005	34	7%	18%	13%	39%	24%	2.12
CGS1100	33	11%	30%	11%	30%	18%	2.52
BSC1010C	32	12%	40%	7%	24%	17%	3.41
PHI2600	32	8%	12%	13%	35%	31%	2.66
SLS1101	32	5%	7%	23%	38%	27%	2.31
SYG2000	32	10%	24%	7%	31%	28%	3.19
MCB2010C	31	16%	24%	12%	29%	16%	2.42
BSC2086C	30	11%	38%	4%	27%	20%	2.80
ESC1001	28	14%	28%	15%	29%	14%	3.07
STA2024	28	9%	25%	14%	30%	21%	2.71
ENC0025	27	4%	10%	26%	38%	22%	1.85
BSC1005C	24	13%	20%	14%	31%	23%	2.96
HLP1082	23	2%	9%	13%	43%	28%	2.30
MGF1106	22	13%	24%	8%	34%	21%	1.73
REA0017	22	2%	2%	17%	41%	37%	1.86
CGS1061	21	3%	22%	22%	28%	24%	2.76
HSC1531	21	12%	16%	9%	37%	26%	2.05
CHM1045C	20	22%	24%	8%	24%	22%	2.50
AMH1010	17	21%	26%	12%	24%	18%	2.00
BSC1084C	17	15%	21%	10%	33%	19%	2.82
MAC1114	17	11%	31%	6%	22%	30%	3.18
AMH1020	16	9%	19%	7%	35%	30%	2.69
HUM2250	14	9%	13%	13%	47%	19%	2.29
MAC2233	13	24%	41%	6%	15%	15%	2.62
MAC2311	13	22%	32%	11%	19%	16%	2.85

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OCE2001C	13	6%	21%	12%	35%	24%	2.62
CLP2141	12	11%	21%	16%	24%	29%	3.17
ECO2013	12	9%	18%	12%	35%	26%	2.83
MAC1140	12	7%	18%	11%	33%	29%	3.75
CHM1025C	11	5%	27%	14%	32%	22%	3.36
HUN1202	11	6%	17%	6%	39%	33%	1.64
POS2041	11	10%	13%	6%	32%	39%	2.82
BSC1931	10	17%	23%	10%	37%	13%	3.00
EDF1005	10	0%	9%	26%	44%	21%	3.40
MUL1011	10	4%	7%	25%	39%	25%	2.80
SPC1609	10	0%	12%	23%	42%	23%	2.60
ECO2023	9	21%	16%	11%	37%	16%	2.11
HUM2310	9	0%	13%	17%	39%	30%	2.56
ENC0015	8	0%	8%	15%	54%	23%	1.63
MAR2011	8	11%	11%	6%	56%	17%	2.25
MTB1104	8	12%	32%	12%	20%	24%	3.13
SOP2773	8	5%	23%	5%	23%	45%	2.75
CHD1430	7	7%	7%	7%	36%	43%	2.00
EMS1059C	7	6%	35%	12%	29%	18%	2.43
ACG2001	6	0%	18%	9%	36%	36%	1.83
ACG2071	6	4%	17%	8%	33%	38%	4.00
CCJ1001	6	6%	18%	6%	33%	33%	5.50
CHD1104	6	19%	25%	0%	38%	19%	2.67
HSC2554	6	12%	24%	4%	20%	40%	4.17
MAN2021	6	11%	33%	0%	44%	11%	1.50
MAN3063	6	0%	21%	11%	37%	32%	3.17
MGF1107	6	5%	26%	0%	53%	16%	3.17
NUR1010C	6	9%	18%	18%	18%	36%	1.83
PGY2801C	6	7%	7%	21%	29%	36%	2.33
PHI2010	6	0%	0%	17%	37%	43%	5.00
SPN1131	6	8%	23%	15%	23%	31%	2.17
ACG3024	5	0%	9%	9%	64%	18%	2.20
ARH1050	5	6%	29%	6%	35%	24%	3.40
CHD2322	5	9%	9%	36%	27%	18%	2.20
EME2041	5	6%	22%	11%	36%	22%	7.20
GEB1011	5	7%	27%	7%	47%	13%	3.00

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GEB3213	5	0%	0%	11%	44%	44%	1.80
MAC2312	5	29%	0%	0%	43%	29%	1.40
MUT1002	5	0%	14%	14%	43%	29%	1.40
NUR3825	5	0%	0%	6%	56%	38%	3.20
PHY2001C	5	25%	25%	8%	25%	17%	2.40
PHY2053C	5	6%	38%	0%	25%	31%	3.20
POS1112	5	5%	11%	16%	42%	26%	3.80
SYG2010	5	7%	14%	14%	36%	29%	2.80
CHD2220	4	13%	0%	13%	25%	50%	2.00
FIL1001	4	17%	17%	8%	33%	25%	3.00
GEB4891	4	9%	0%	9%	55%	27%	2.75
HSC1101	4	0%	0%	43%	29%	29%	1.75
MAC1147	4	7%	13%	13%	33%	33%	3.75
MET1011	4	11%	22%	22%	11%	22%	2.25
PPE2002	4	14%	29%	14%	14%	29%	1.75
REL2301	4	14%	14%	21%	43%	7%	3.50
CCJ2452	3	0%	33%	33%	17%	17%	2.00
CCJ2932	3	0%	0%	0%	60%	40%	1.67
CTS1442	3	17%	42%	8%	25%	8%	4.00
CTS2110C	3	0%	0%	0%	56%	44%	3.00
EEC2272	3	29%	43%	14%	14%	0%	2.33
FRE1131	3	0%	29%	0%	43%	29%	2.33
MAN3303	3	0%	20%	20%	40%	20%	1.67
MAN4504	3	0%	0%	0%	50%	50%	1.33
MAR4802	3	0%	0%	0%	33%	67%	1.00
MMC1001	3	8%	8%	17%	25%	42%	4.00
NUR1140C	3	0%	0%	0%	50%	50%	0.67
NUR1211C	3	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	0.67
OST1100C	3	33%	0%	0%	33%	33%	1.00
PSC1121	3	10%	10%	20%	40%	20%	3.33
PSC2515	3	43%	29%	14%	14%	0%	2.33
WOH1012	3	18%	36%	9%	36%	0%	3.67
WOH1022	3	0%	0%	14%	57%	29%	2.33
ACG2011	2	0%	0%	33%	33%	33%	1.50
AMH1070	2	14%	14%	29%	0%	43%	3.50
ARH1051	2	0%	0%	0%	75%	25%	2.00

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ART1300C	2	0%	0%	9%	45%	45%	5.50
BSC1311C	2	0%	50%	0%	0%	50%	1.00
CCJ1020	2	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%	0.50
CET1854C	2	0%	14%	29%	29%	29%	3.50
CHD2841	2	0%	0%	33%	67%	0%	1.50
CHM1046C	2	11%	11%	11%	33%	22%	4.50
CJC1001	2	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	1.00
CJE1130	2	0%	20%	10%	50%	20%	5.00
CJE2331	2	0%	0%	0%	50%	50%	2.00
CJL2131	2	0%	0%	0%	80%	20%	2.50
CRW2002	2	0%	22%	33%	22%	22%	4.50
EDF2085	2	0%	0%	33%	67%	0%	3.00
ENC2210	2	13%	38%	13%	13%	25%	4.00
HSA1100	2	20%	20%	0%	20%	40%	2.50
LIS2005	2	0%	0%	50%	25%	25%	2.00
LIT2380	2	0%	0%	20%	60%	20%	2.50
MAN2300	2	0%	0%	0%	75%	25%	2.00
MUN1140	2	9%	0%	27%	36%	27%	5.50
MUN1320	2	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%	1.00
MVK1112	2	0%	0%	0%	40%	60%	2.50
NUR3687	2	0%	0%	17%	50%	33%	3.00
OST1335	2	0%	0%	0%	57%	43%	3.50
PAD4204	2	7%	14%	0%	57%	21%	7.00
PGY2802C	2	25%	0%	25%	50%	0%	2.00
REA0007	2	0%	0%	0%	50%	50%	2.00
SLS1261	2	14%	0%	29%	43%	14%	3.50
SYG2300	2	50%	50%	0%	0%	0%	1.00
TPP2111	2	0%	0%	33%	67%	0%	1.50
ART2750C	1	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	1.00
ASL1140	1	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	1.00
ASL1150	1	0%	0%	0%	33%	67%	3.00
AST1003	1	0%	50%	0%	0%	50%	2.00
BSC1011C	1	0%	0%	0%	50%	50%	4.00
CCJ1500	1	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	1.00
CET1174C	1	0%	0%	0%	75%	25%	4.00
CET1600C	1	0%	33%	0%	33%	33%	3.00

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CET1610C	1	0%	0%	0%	33%	67%	6.00
CGS1510	1	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%	2.00
CGS2820	1	0%	0%	67%	0%	33%	3.00
CHD1380	1	0%	0%	0%	50%	50%	2.00
CHD2320	1	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	2.00
CHD2801	1	0%	50%	50%	0%	0%	2.00
CHD2831	1	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	1.00
CHM2210C	1	0%	0%	0%	50%	50%	2.00
COP1000	1	50%	50%	0%	0%	0%	2.00
CTS1162C	1	0%	0%	50%	25%	25%	4.00
CTS1347C	1	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%	1.00
CTS2106C	1	0%	33%	33%	0%	33%	3.00
DIG2001	1	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%	2.00
DIG2030C	1	25%	0%	0%	25%	50%	4.00
DSC3080	1	0%	50%	0%	50%	0%	2.00
EDF1250	1	0%	0%	0%	33%	67%	3.00
EMS2604	1	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	1.00
EMS2603L	1	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	1.00
EPI0004	1	0%	25%	0%	50%	25%	4.00
FIN2000	1	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%	2.00
FIN3403	1	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%	2.00
GEB4376	1	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%	1.00
HIM1000C	1	14%	43%	0%	29%	14%	7.00
HIM2810L	1	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	1.00
HSA3110	1	0%	33%	0%	33%	33%	3.00
INP1391	1	0%	0%	50%	0%	50%	2.00
MAN4162	1	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	1.00
MKA2512	1	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	1.00
MSL2402	1	0%	0%	0%	50%	50%	2.00
MUN1710	1	0%	0%	25%	50%	25%	4.00
MUS1010L	1	0%	0%	20%	60%	20%	5.00
OST1711	1	0%	0%	0%	33%	67%	3.00
OST2461	1	0%	0%	17%	50%	33%	6.00
PAD4879	1	0%	0%	0%	63%	38%	8.00
PEM1146	1	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%	1.00
PGY2201C	1	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%	2.00

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PHT1128C	1	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	1.00
PHT1250C	1	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	1.00
PHT2220C	1	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	1.00
PHY2048C	1	33%	67%	0%	0%	0%	3.00
PHY2049C	1	0%	33%	0%	33%	33%	3.00
RET2714	1	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%	1.00
RET2876	1	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%	1.00
THE1000	1	0%	0%	0%	50%	50%	2.00
THE1925	1	0%	0%	50%	25%	25%	4.00
TRA1155	1	20%	20%	20%	40%	0%	5.00