

Retention PWL

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Description: Some of the tables that are contained in the Retention PWL package are Admissions Application, Person Address, Person Detail, Pre Student, Previous Education Slot, Test Slot, Student Retention, Student Profile, and Freeze Enrollment PU.

Useful for: This package is useful for creating reports regarding information on Student Retention.

Filters:

Need	Filters
A filter for Student Level is necessary if you are trying to see only Undergraduate or only Graduate level students for retention.	Example for Undergraduate: [Student Retention].[Student Profile].[PROFILE_LEVEL] = 'UG'
A filter to determine first time full time is necessary to match federal standards for cohort definition.	[Student Retention].[Student Profile].[PROFILE_FIRSTTIME_FULLTIME_IND] = 'Y'

Key Variables:

Package contains frozen data. Data is frozen during the CENSUS_FREEZE event.
Package is tied to Profile. The Profile is created at the point they became degree-seeking.
Cohorts begin with Fall semester and progress is tracked from fall to fall.
If a student begins in summer, they are counted with fall beginners.
Full time definition for undergraduate = 12 credit hours.
Students must be enrolled in the fall semester to be counted.
Reporting categories are hierarchical for tracking retention based on the federal standard– if a student earns a Baccalaureate degree, it trumps all other categories for undergraduate students. <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. First Baccalaureate Degree2. First Professional Degree3. First Associate Degree4. Deceased5. Enrolled6. Dropped7. Voluntarily Withdrew

Supporting Documentation

There is supporting documentation located on the OnePurdue Student Reporting website located at <http://www.purdue.edu/onepurdue/ESA/reporting.shtml>.

Documents located under Student Data Knowledge Base>Data Cautions
Undergraduate Retention

Supporting Banner Tables: Please use the link to the metadata on the OnePurdue Student Reporting Webpage to determine Banner Tables supported by packages/models.

Metadata URL: https://www.purdue.edu/onepurdue/about/secure/banner_ods/metadata/ODS_index.html

Validated Reports:

Report	Description	Path
College Retention Report	Report allows you to select your college so that you can get results for just the college selected.	Public Folders – PROD > Student – PWL > Validated > Official Reporting > Retention
Retention Report – Enter Cohort IDs	Report allows you to enter Cohort PUID's so that you can get the results for just the PUID's entered.	Public Folders – PROD > Student – PWL > Validated > Official Reporting > Retention
University Retention Report	Report is overall retention for West Lafayette Campus	Public Folders – PROD > Student – PWL > Validated > Official Reporting > Retention