Undergraduate Retention and Graduation Statistics

The following table displays the cumulative graduation rates from Syracuse University of students entering the S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications at Syracuse University as first-year students from 2015-2020. This group is labeled the Newhouse **Initial Cohort**. Their beginning year is displayed. The Initial Cohort beginning in 2020 is the graduating class of 2024.

Graduation Rate: Initial Cohort*

Initial Cohort	Enrollment	Cumulative Graduation: Rate: 3rd Yr.	Cumulative Graduation Rate: 4th Yr.	Cumulative Graduation Rate: 5th Yr.	Cumulative Graduation Rate: 6th Yr.
2015	405	2.0%	87.9%	90.6%	90.6%
2016	417	1.2%	84.7%	87.1%	87.3%
2017	443	1.6%	81.0%	85.8%	86.9%
2018	444	3.4%	83.6%	87.6%	88.3%
2019	456	0.9%	83.6%	87.5%	n/a
2020	447	2.5%	86.4%	n/a	n/a

The following table displays the retention rate of students who began their studies at the S.I. Newhouse School as first-year students. The cohort date indicates the fall semester in which they began their studies. The retention rates indicate the percentage of students remaining in a given class each year. Since some students return after a leave, numbers can fluctuate up or down.

Retention of Newhouse Undergraduates: Initial Cohort*

Initial Cohort	Enrollment	Percent remaining at end of first year	Percent remaining at end of second year	Percent remaining at end of third year	Percent remaining at end of fourth year	Percent remaining at end of fifth year
2015	405	94.6%	92.1%	89.9%	2.5%	0.5%
2016	417	94.0%	89.9%	87.1%	1.9%	0.7%
2017	443	92.3%	89.6%	84.4%	4.5%	0.5%
2018	444	92.1%	88.7%	85.4%	4.5%	0.7%
2019	456	93.2%	93.0%	90.1%	5.3%	1.8%
2020	447	95.3%	91.3%	88.6%	2.5%	n/a
2021	470	92.1%	88.7%	84.3%	n/a	n/a
2022	521	95.4%	91.4%	n/a	n/a	n/a
2023	493	91.7%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

^{*&}quot;n/a" indicates data that is not yet available.