

Graduation Rates – South Carolina Teaching Fellows Institutions and Teaching Fellows Program

The following table compares two sets of graduation rates for completers of Bachelor’s degrees in South Carolina. The first row of data includes graduation rates for Teaching Fellows Institutions (TFIs). TFIs are colleges and universities with approved educator preparation programs that also have a designated Teaching Fellows program.

The second row of data includes graduation rates for Teaching Fellows from the 2015 cohort. This particular cohort is comprised of Teaching Fellows whose first year of college began in fall 2015. It should be noted that most Teaching Fellows graduate from a TFI within four years. Five- and six-year rates were calculated for comparison purposes.

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2015 Freshmen Cohort Graduation Rates	In 4 years or less	In 5 years	In 6 years
South Carolina Teaching Fellows Institutions	49.8%	60.0%	62.4%
South Carolina Teaching Fellows Program	80.6%	82.5%	82.5%

Source: Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS); CERRA

Note: During the 2015-16 academic year, there were 14 TFIs in the state.