The Big Picture: Is college completion improving in Indiana?

- **On Time**: 38.5% of students graduate on-time at the same campus and degree level. Rates have increased by 4.0 points in one year and increased by 13.9 points over five years.
- **Extended**: 59.2% of students complete within 6 years at any campus or degree level. Rates have increased by 5.0 points in one year and increased by 2.8 points over five years.

**Completion Gap**

Some Progress Towards closing minority achievement gap by 2025. (Based on average annual progress towards equity in on-time completion rates.)

Early Progress: Are students on track to graduate on time?

- **14% Minority Students**
  - Fall 2012: 14% earning 30+ credits
  - Fall 2015: 25% earning 30+ credits

- **12% 21st Century Scholars**
  - Fall 2012: 23% earning 30+ credits
  - Fall 2015: 40% earning 30+ credits

- **29% Other Low-Income Students**
  - Fall 2012: 23% earning 30+ credits
  - Fall 2015: 23% earning 30+ credits

The Completion Gap: How do completion rates differ by student population?

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<th>Student Group</th>
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<td>Minorities (Black or Hispanic)</td>
<td>23.2%</td>
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<td>21st Century Scholars (Grant Recipients)</td>
<td>29.8%</td>
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<td>Other Low-Income (Received Pell, Non-Scholar)</td>
<td>22.4%</td>
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<td>Part-Time Students</td>
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*Substantial fluctuations in rates may be attributable to small population sizes.

Sources: Indiana Commission for Higher Education, National Student Clearinghouse
Note: Unless otherwise noted, data limited to first-time degree-seeking students who initially enrolled full-time in Indiana public institutions. On-time completion rates represent the 2013 cohort for four year institutions and the 2015 cohort for two year institutions. Six year completion rates represent 2011 cohort students for all institutions. Persistence rates include all students who earned at least 30 credit hours during the student’s first year (fall, spring, and summer). Persistence rates include students who continued enrollment into the fall semester of their second year at any Indiana public college. -- indicates that data were suppressed or otherwise unavailable.

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