



### Graduation Rates

According to the Student Right to Know (SRTK) Act, Montana Bible College publishes graduation rates for its Certificate in Biblical Studies and Bachelor of Arts programs. Graduation rates are calculated by following a cohort, or group of students who are full-time students for the first time in any college that are degree or certificate seeking. The cohort from each school is tracked over a period of time. Completers are measured by those in the cohort who have earned their degree in 150% of the normal time to completion (i.e., 6 years for a 4-year program).

Starting Cohort Year	Degree Program	Graduation Rate (150%) <sup>3</sup>	Graduation Rate (200%)	Cohort #
2015/2016	Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Studies <sup>4</sup>	14%	29%	7
2014/2015	Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Studies	50%	50%	4
2013/2014	Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Studies	50%	50%	2
2020/2021	Bible Certificate	0%	0%	4
2019/2020	Bible Certificate	33%	33%	6
2018/2019	Bible Certificate	56%	67%	9

### Retention and Transfer Rates

Retention rates are calculated by observing the students in any given year, who are bachelor's degree seeking. This data point calculates the percentage of students who remained a student the following fall semester. The transfer-out rate is the percentage of students in the entering cohort who are known to have transferred to another institution within 150% of the normal completion time for the program.

Observation Year	Degree Program	Retention Rate	Transfer Rate <sup>5</sup>
2020 to 2021	Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Studies	85%	
2019 to 2020	Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Studies	68%	
2018 to 2019	Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Studies	78%	

<sup>3</sup> The benchmark data for graduation rates for the Association for Biblical Higher Education is 25%.

<sup>4</sup> Currently, no other degrees have been in place long enough to have a graduating cohort. They will be added as the first cohort reaches the graduation level.

<sup>5</sup> If this field is blank, the transfer rate is not available for these cohort years.