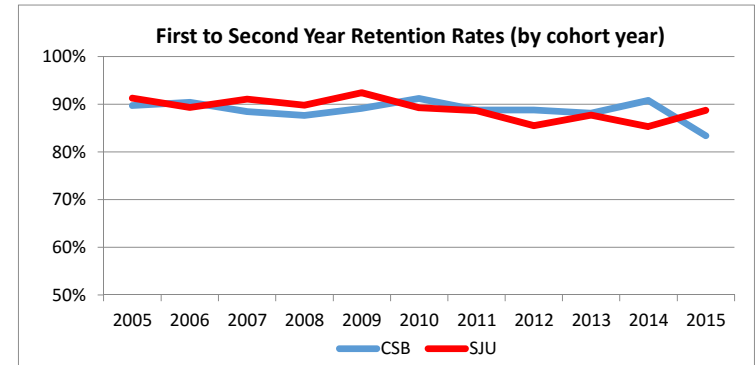


**Table 17: Retention Rates of New Entering Students
Fall 2004 to Fall 2014 Student Cohorts**

New Entering Students	New Entering Students returning for:					
	2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
College of Saint Benedict						
2005	576		488	85%	469	81%
2006	540		488	90%	452	84%
2007	537		475	88%	449	84%
2008	519		455	88%	420	81%
2009	551		491	89%	474	86%
2010	535		488	91%	472	88%
2011	525		466	89%	443	84%
2012	490		435	89%	406	83%
2013	538		474	88%	447	83%
2014	542		492	91%	470	87%
2015	476		397	83%		
Saint John's University						
2005	447		408	91%	377	84%
2006	506		452	89%	424	84%
2007	516		470	91%	436	84%
2008	461		414	90%	393	85%
2009	461		426	92%	390	85%
2010	503		449	89%	430	85%
2011	494		438	89%	400	81%
2012	449		384	86%	365	81%
2013	497		436	88%	408	82%
2014	450		384	85%	361	80%
2015	451		400	89%		
<i>IPEDS Fall Enrollment Survey</i>						
<i>Average Freshman Retention Rate</i>						
Peer Institutions***		88%				
Aspirant Institutions***		92%				



Sources: CSB/SJU Admission Office, American College Testing Service, IPEDS

Notes: Peer and aspirant data represent fall 2011 retention rates

***Aspirant and Peer are defined in Appendix

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