

## RD095

	Cohort Making First Attempt* at RD089/095 in Fall							
	200220	200320	200420	200520	200620***	200720	200820	200920
<b>First Attempt</b>								
N	335	374	365	405	400	427	444	450
Successful N	235	271	257	284	292	341	344	337
Successful %	70%	72%	70%	70%	73%	80%	77%	75%
<b>Immed. Retention Rate</b>								
Retained N	240	278	256	294	281	316	321	326
Retained %	72%	74%	70%	73%	70%	74%	72%	72%
<b>Returned w/in 2 Years</b>								
Returned N	256	295	293	321	303	348	352	
Returned %	76%	79%	80%	79%	76%	81%	79%	
<b>Completed RD099</b>								
Completed N	148	180	187	212	203	240	255	
Completed %	44%	48%	51%	52%	51%	56%	57%	
<b>Achieve Threshold</b>								
Achieve N	98	121	121	124	131	144	154	
Achieve %	29%	32%	33%	31%	33%	34%	35%	
<b>Comprehensive Acad P.</b>								
Comp Acad Prog N	82	115	99	98	101	120		
Comp Acad Prog %	24%	31%	27%	24%	25%	28%		
<b>Degree w/in 3 Years</b>								
Received Degree/Cert N	10	9	3	12	8	9		
Received Degree/Cert %	3%	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%		
<b>Degree w/in 4 Years</b>								
Received Degree/Cert N	17	17	12	26	23			
Received Degree/Cert %	5%	5%	3%	6%	6%			

\* "First attempt" is the first attempt at Montgomery College.

\*\* In fall 1999 (200020) and subsequent terms, students with very minimal reading skills enrolled in IS106.

\*\*\* In fall 2005 (200620) RD095, a 5 hour course, replaced RD089, a 3 hour course.

"Successful" is defined as a grade of "C" or better.

"Immediate retention rate" is the number and percentage of students returning in the following spring.

"Returned within 2 years" is the number and percentage of students taking any course at MC in the subsequent 2 years.

"Completed RD099 within two years" includes summer sessions up to the fall term two years from cohort formation.

"Achieve threshold" is the number and percentage of students passing EN101 or its equivalent within 2 yrs of their first attempt in RD089/095.

"Academic Progress" is the number and percentage of students earning a GPA  $\geq$  2.0 for at least 15 credits. "Comprehensive" includes any work completed prior to their first attempt in RD089/095 up to the end of the spring term 3 academic years after this first attempt.

"Degree w/in 3 years" is similar to the criteria used for the federal Graduation Rate Survey and Student Right to Know. These allow for 150% of the time to complete a degree.

"Degree w/in 4 years" allows students an additional year to complete a degree or certificate. Many of our students require more than the federal guideline of 150% of time to complete a degree.