



## The University sector

Year: 2013

Fund: Student Achievement



### Successful Completion of Courses

Level 1-2	77%
Level 3-4	75%
Level 5-6	77%
Level 7-8	86%

This measure shows the proportion of courses in a given year that are successfully completed.



### Completion of Qualifications

Level 1-2	71%
Level 3-4	65%
Level 5-6	73%
Level 7-8	80%
Level 9-10	95%

This measure shows the proportion of students in a given year who complete a qualification.



### Student Progression to Higher Level Study

Level 1	* %
Level 2	23%
Level 3	36%
Level 4	85%

This measure shows the proportion of students in a given year who progress to study at a higher level after completing a qualification at levels 1 - 4.



### Students Retained in Study

Level 1-2	50%
Level 3-4	51%
Level 5-6	61%
Level 7-8	85%
Level 9-10	89%

This measure shows the proportion of students in a given year that complete a qualification or re-enrol at the same tertiary education organisation in the following year.

### About the University sector

In 2013 the TEC allocated Student Achievement component funding to all eight universities, which funded from approximately 2700 to over 29,000 equivalent full-time students.

The nature of enrolments at a specific university will influence its performance. For example, part-time and extra-mural students often have work or family commitments and cannot devote as much time and energy to their studies. They may also have different study goals. For example, Massey University has a large extra-mural roll.

Lincoln University's results are not necessarily comparable to previous years given the merger of Lincoln University with Telford Rural Polytechnic on 1 November 2011.

In addition, the Canterbury earthquakes impacted on both Lincoln University and the University of Canterbury and decreases in enrolments can have flow on effects on qualification completion and retention, in particular.

### Government expectations of the University sector

The government expects universities to:

- Enable a wide range of students to successfully complete degree and postgraduate qualification
- Undertake internationally recognised research
- Create and share new knowledge that contributes to New Zealand's economic and social development and environmental management.

Universities are expected to do more than teaching and learning; they also have an important research role. However, the performance information presented here does not include information about research.

### Tertiary Education Strategy

The Tertiary Education Strategy (TES) sets high expectations for TEO performance and prioritises an outcomes focus especially for industry, Maori and Pasifika learners and at risk young people.

### Context

Number of students in total: 153,014

Number of equivalent full-time student places: 116,660

Student ethnicity*		Level of study	
European	69%	Level 1-2	0%
Maori	10%	Level 3-4	2%
Pacific	7%	Level 5-6	2%
Asian	20%	Level 7-8	86%
Other	6%	Level 9-10	10%

\*Total may exceed 100% as some students identify with more than one ethnicity.



## University of Canterbury

Organisation Type: University

Year: 2013 Fund: Student Achievement Component

### Successful Completion of Courses

All Levels of Study

**87%**

Level 1-2	*
Level 3-4	62%
Level 5-6	*
Level 7-8	87%
Level 9-10	*

\* Information is not available for this level group.

### Completion of Qualifications

All Levels of Study

**88%**

Level 1-2	*
Level 3-4	52%
Level 5-6	*
Level 7-8	88%
Level 9-10	97%

\* Information is not available for this level group.

### Student Progression to Higher Level Study

Level 1 - 4 Study

**95%**

Level 1	*
Level 2	*
Level 3	*
Level 4	95%

\* Information is not available for this level group.

### Students Retained in Study

All Levels of Study

**86%**

Level 1-2	*
Level 3-4	50%
Level 5-6	*
Level 7-8	87%
Level 9-10	86%

\* Information is not available for this level group.

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This measure shows the proportion of students in a given year who complete a qualification.

This measure shows the proportion of students in a given year who progress to study at a higher level after completing a qualification at levels 1 - 4.

This measure shows the proportion of students in a given year that complete a qualification or re-enrol at the same tertiary education organisation in the following year.

### Context

EFTS\*: 11,249

Students: 13,648

Further information about student characteristics may be available on the organisation's website.

\* Number of equivalent full time students.

### Student Ethnicity\*

European	83%
Maori	7%
Pacific	2%
Asian	11%
Other	4%

\* Total may exceed 100% as some students identify with more than one ethnicity.

### Level of Study

L1-2 Certificates	0%
L3-4 Certificates	1%
L5-6 Diplomas & Grad Certs	0%
L7-8 Degrees & Postgrad	87%
L9-10 Masters & Doctorates	11%

### Student Age

17 Years and Under	0%
18 - 19	27%
20 - 24	49%
25 - 39	17%
40 Years and Over	7%

### Subject Area

Society & Culture	30%
Engineering	16%
Natural & Physical Sciences	16%
Education	15%
Other	23%

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## University of Canterbury

Organisation Type: University

Year: 2013 Fund: Student Achievement Component

**Successful Completion of Courses**

This measure shows the proportion of courses in a given year that are successfully completed.

		Median:	86%
1	University of Otago	89%	<div style="width: 89%;"></div>
2	University of Auckland	88%	<div style="width: 88%;"></div>
3	<b>University of Canterbury</b>	<b>87%</b>	<div style="width: 87%;"></div>
4	Victoria University of Wellington	86%	<div style="width: 86%;"></div>
5	University of Waikato	85%	<div style="width: 85%;"></div>
6	Auckland University of Technology	84%	<div style="width: 84%;"></div>
7	Lincoln University	83%	<div style="width: 83%;"></div>
8	Massey University	80%	<div style="width: 80%;"></div>

**Completion of Qualifications**

This measure shows the proportion of students in a given year who complete a qualification.

		Median:	81%
1	<b>University of Canterbury</b>	<b>88%</b>	<div style="width: 88%;"></div>
2	University of Otago	86%	<div style="width: 86%;"></div>
3	University of Waikato	84%	<div style="width: 84%;"></div>
4	University of Auckland	81%	<div style="width: 81%;"></div>
5	Lincoln University	80%	<div style="width: 80%;"></div>
6	Auckland University of Technology	79%	<div style="width: 79%;"></div>
7	Massey University	78%	<div style="width: 78%;"></div>
8	Victoria University of Wellington	76%	<div style="width: 76%;"></div>

**Student Progression to Higher Level Study**

This measure shows the proportion of students in a given year who progress to study at a higher level after completing a qualification at levels 1 - 4.

		Median:	79%
1	<b>University of Canterbury</b>	<b>95%</b>	<div style="width: 95%;"></div>
2	University of Auckland	94%	<div style="width: 94%;"></div>
3	University of Otago	92%	<div style="width: 92%;"></div>
4	Auckland University of Technology	83%	<div style="width: 83%;"></div>
5	Victoria University of Wellington	75%	<div style="width: 75%;"></div>
6	Massey University	58%	<div style="width: 58%;"></div>
7	University of Waikato	50%	<div style="width: 50%;"></div>
8	Lincoln University	25%	<div style="width: 25%;"></div>

**Students Retained in Study**

This measure shows the proportion of students in a given year that complete a qualification or re-enrol at the same tertiary education organisation in the following year.

		Median:	86%
1	University of Otago	90%	<div style="width: 90%;"></div>
2	University of Auckland	89%	<div style="width: 89%;"></div>
3	<b>University of Canterbury</b>	<b>86%</b>	<div style="width: 86%;"></div>
4	Victoria University of Wellington	86%	<div style="width: 86%;"></div>
5	University of Waikato	85%	<div style="width: 85%;"></div>
6	Auckland University of Technology	83%	<div style="width: 83%;"></div>
7	Massey University	75%	<div style="width: 75%;"></div>
8	Lincoln University	59%	<div style="width: 59%;"></div>

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