

# Student Achievement Goals

Wiregrass Georgia Technical College evaluates and reports its success with respect to student achievement consistent with the college's mission. Annual goals for student achievement are established and published to keep the public informed of those goals and the college's success of goal achievement. Criteria examined for student achievement include the following: Retention Rate, Graduation Rate, Total Placement Rate, In-Field Placement Rate, Full-Time Equivalent (FTE), and Dual Enrollment (High School).

## Retention Rate:

**2016 Goal:** 60.00% - **Actual:** 61.20%  
**2017 Goal:** 61.80% - **Actual:** 66.90%  
**2018 Goal:** 67.90% - **Actual:** 69.90%  
**2019 Goal:** 72.82% - **Actual:** 70.10%  
**2020 Goal:** 72.82%

## Graduation Rate:

**2016 Goal:** 58.00% - **Actual:** 71.00%  
**2017 Goal:** 72.80% - **Actual:** 76.60%  
**2018 Goal:** 78.00% - **Actual:** 78.20%  
**2019 Goal:** 78.50% - **Actual:** 77.40%  
**2020 Goal:** 78.50%

## Total Placement Rate:

**2016 Goal:** 95.00% - **Actual:** 99.50%  
**2017 Goal:** 95.00% - **Actual:** 99.30%  
**2018 Goal:** 95.00% - **Actual:** 98.20%  
**2019 Goal:** 95.00% - **Actual:** 99.20%  
**2020 Goal:** 95.00%

## In-Field Placement Rate:

**2016 Goal:** 80.00% - **Actual:** 90.60%  
**2017 Goal:** 80.00% - **Actual:** 81.60%  
**2018 Goal:** 80.00% - **Actual:** 82.60%  
**2019 Goal:** 85.00% - **Actual:** 90.50%  
**2020 Goal:** 85.00%

## Full-Time Equivalent (FTE):

**2016 Goal:** 3,000 FTEs - **Actual:** 2,450 FTEs  
**2017 Goal:** 2,511 FTEs - **Actual:** 2,548 FTEs  
**2018 Goal:** 2,614 FTEs - **Actual:** 2,574 FTEs  
**2019 Goal:** 2,638 FTEs - **Actual:** 2,815 FTEs  
**2020 Goal:** 2,885 FTEs

## Dual Enrollment (High School):

**2016 Goal:** 1,100 students - **Actual:** 1,510 students  
**2017 Goal:** 1,812 students - **Actual:** 1,881 students  
**2018 Goal:** 2,257 students - **Actual:** 2,058 students  
**2019 Goal:** 2,200 students - **Actual:** 3,155 students  
**2020 Goal:** 2,376 students