

Appendix table 1-19

**High school graduates enrolled in college the October after completing high school, by sex, race/ethnicity, and family income: 1973–2001**

Year	Sex		Race/ethnicity			Family income <sup>a</sup>		
	Male	Female	White	Black	Hispanic	Low	Middle	High
1973 .....	50	43	48	32	54	20	41	64
1974 .....	49	46	47	47	47	NA	NA	NA
1975 .....	53	49	51	42	58	31	46	64
1976 .....	47	50	49	44	53	39	41	63
1977 .....	52	49	51	49	51	28	44	66
1978 .....	51	49	51	46	42	31	44	64
1979 .....	50	48	50	47	45	31	43	63
1980 .....	47	52	50	43	52	33	42	65
1981 .....	55	53	55	43	52	34	49	68
1982 .....	49	52	53	36	43	33	42	71
1983 .....	52	53	55	38	54	35	45	70
1984 .....	56	54	59	40	44	34	48	74
1985 .....	59	57	60	42	51	40	51	75
1986 .....	56	52	57	37	44	34	48	71
1987 .....	58	55	59	52	34	37	50	74
1988 .....	57	61	61	44	57	43	55	73
1989 .....	58	62	61	53	55	48	55	71
1990 .....	58	62	63	47	43	47	54	77
1991 .....	58	67	65	46	57	39	58	78
1992 .....	60	64	64	48	55	41	57	79
1993 .....	59	64	63	56	62	50	57	79
1994 .....	61	63	65	51	49	41	58	78
1995 .....	63	61	64	51	54	34	56	83
1996 .....	60	70	67	56	51	49	63	78
1997 .....	64	70	68	59	66	57	61	82
1998 .....	62	69	69	62	47	46	65	77
1999 .....	61	64	66	59	42	49	60	76
2000 .....	60	66	66	55	53	50	59	77
2001 .....	60	64	64	55	52	44	57	80

NA not available.

<sup>a</sup>Low income is bottom 20 percent of all family incomes, high income is top 20 percent, and middle income is 60 percent in between.

NOTE: Data are for students ages 16–24 completing high school in a given year.

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