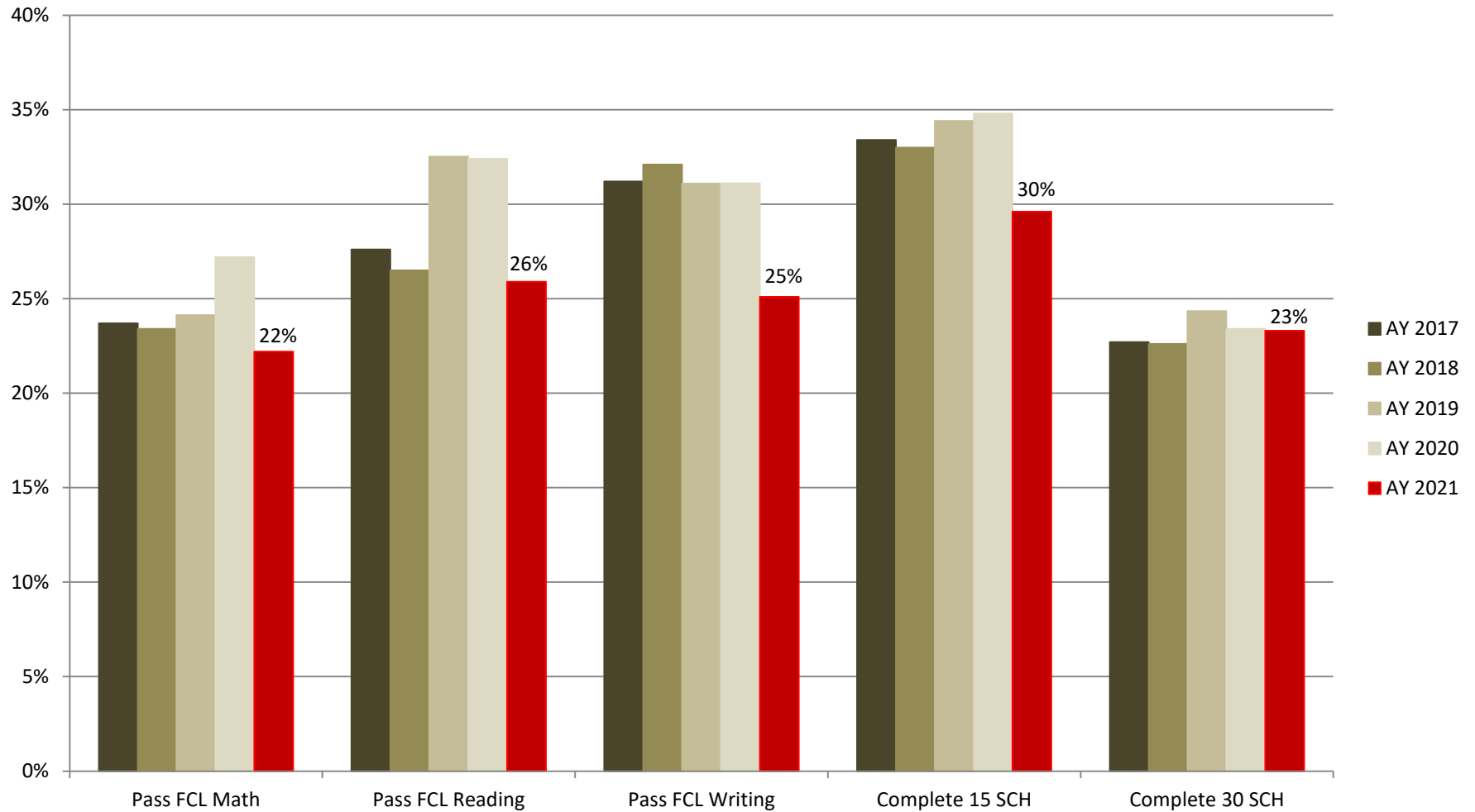# Student Success Metrics

Wharton County Junior College

Course and Credit Completions

First College-Level[1] and Semester Credit Hour Completions[2]; AY 2017 – AY 2021

Legend: AY 2017, AY 2018, AY 2019, AY 2020, AY 2021

[1] Percentage of students passing their first college-level course with a grade of A, B, or C in the year measured.
[2] Percentage of students who successfully completed 15 or 30 semester credit hours (SCH) from the 3 previous years, including the year being measured.
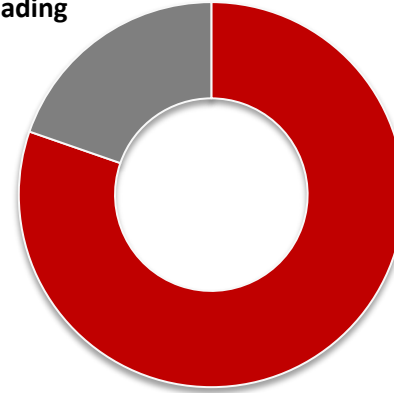
Source: Texas Success Points Report

Developmental Education

TSI Obligation Met[3]; Fall 2019 Cohort

TSI Satisfied – Math
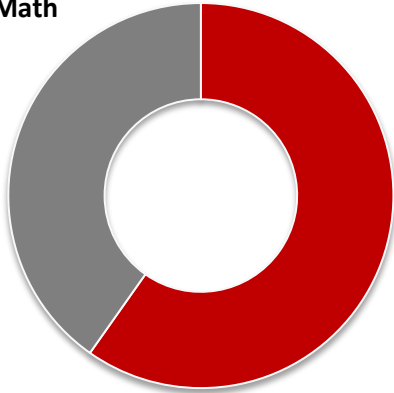
WCJC = 57.8%
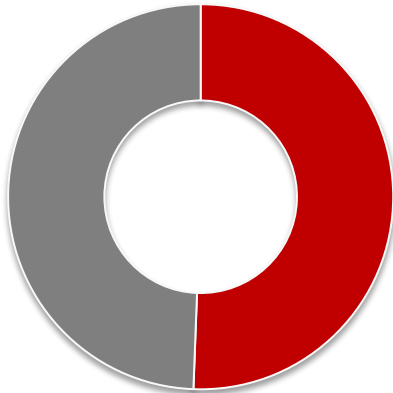**Statewide Avg = 43.3%**

TSI Satisfied – Reading

WCJC = 72.6%
Statewide Avg = 57.1%

Completed College Course[4]; Fall 2019 Cohort

Completed Course – Math

WCJC = 50.6%
Statewide Avg = 33.8%

Completed Course – Reading
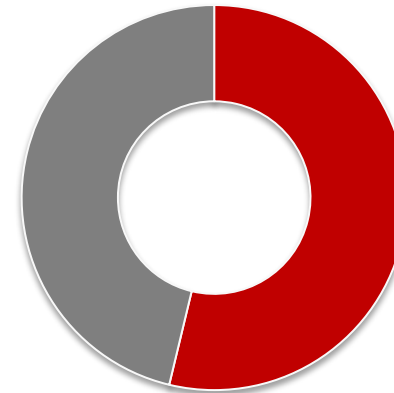
WCJC = 59.4%
Statewide Avg = 51.1%

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[3] Percentage of not-college ready (NCR) students for that subject area who satisfied state standards of college-readiness within two years of college enrollment.

[4] Percentage of NCR students for that subject area who successfully completed (A, B, or C) a college-level course in a related area within two years of college enrollment.

Source: THECB Higher Education Almanac 2023

Persistence and Retention

First-Time in College Retention Rates (Fall to Fall); AY 2019 – AY 2023 (Cohort beginning the previous Fall)
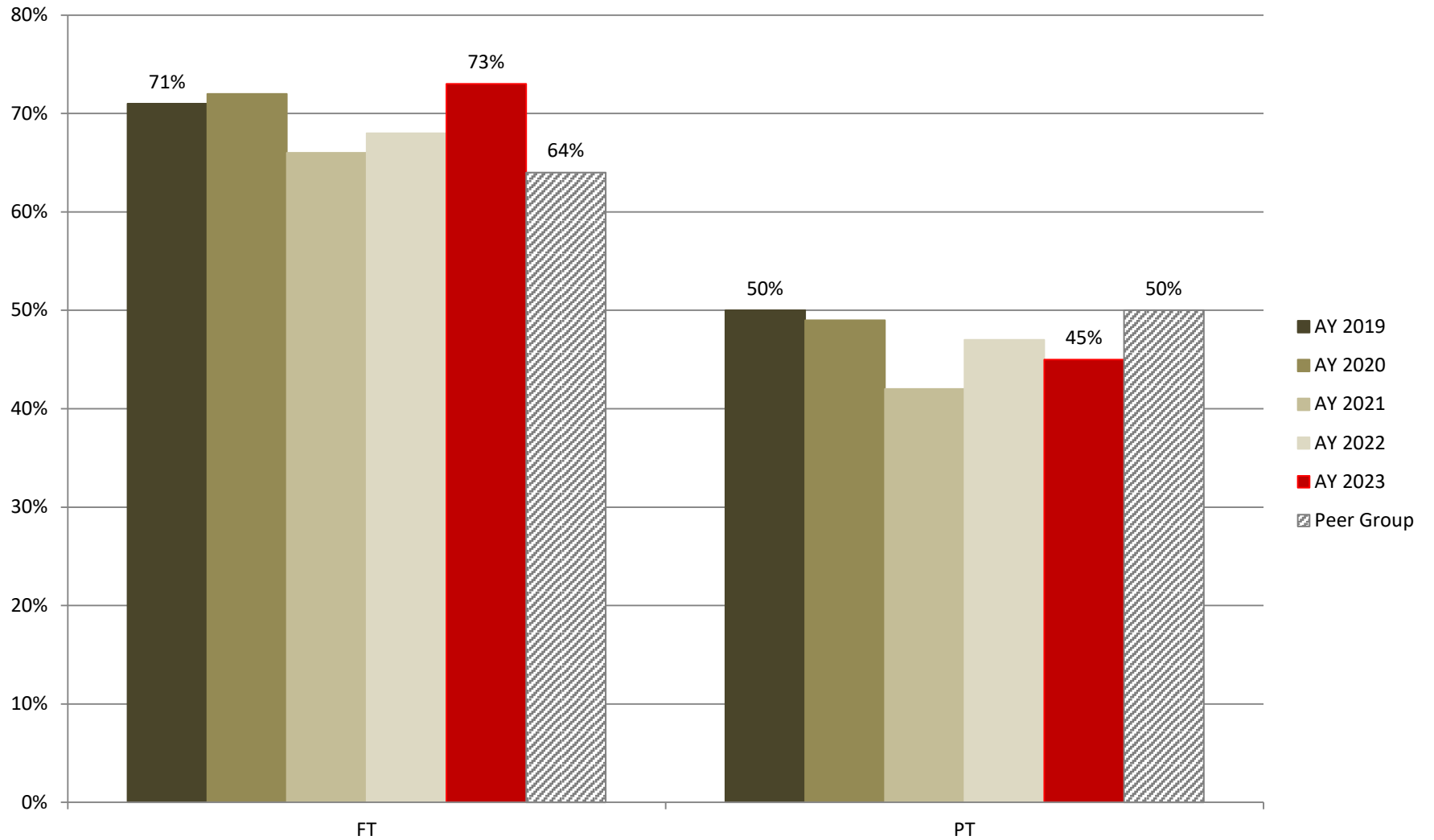
Source: IPEDS Annual Feedback Report 2023

Degrees Awarded

Degrees Awarded by Degree Type; AY 2019 − AY 2023
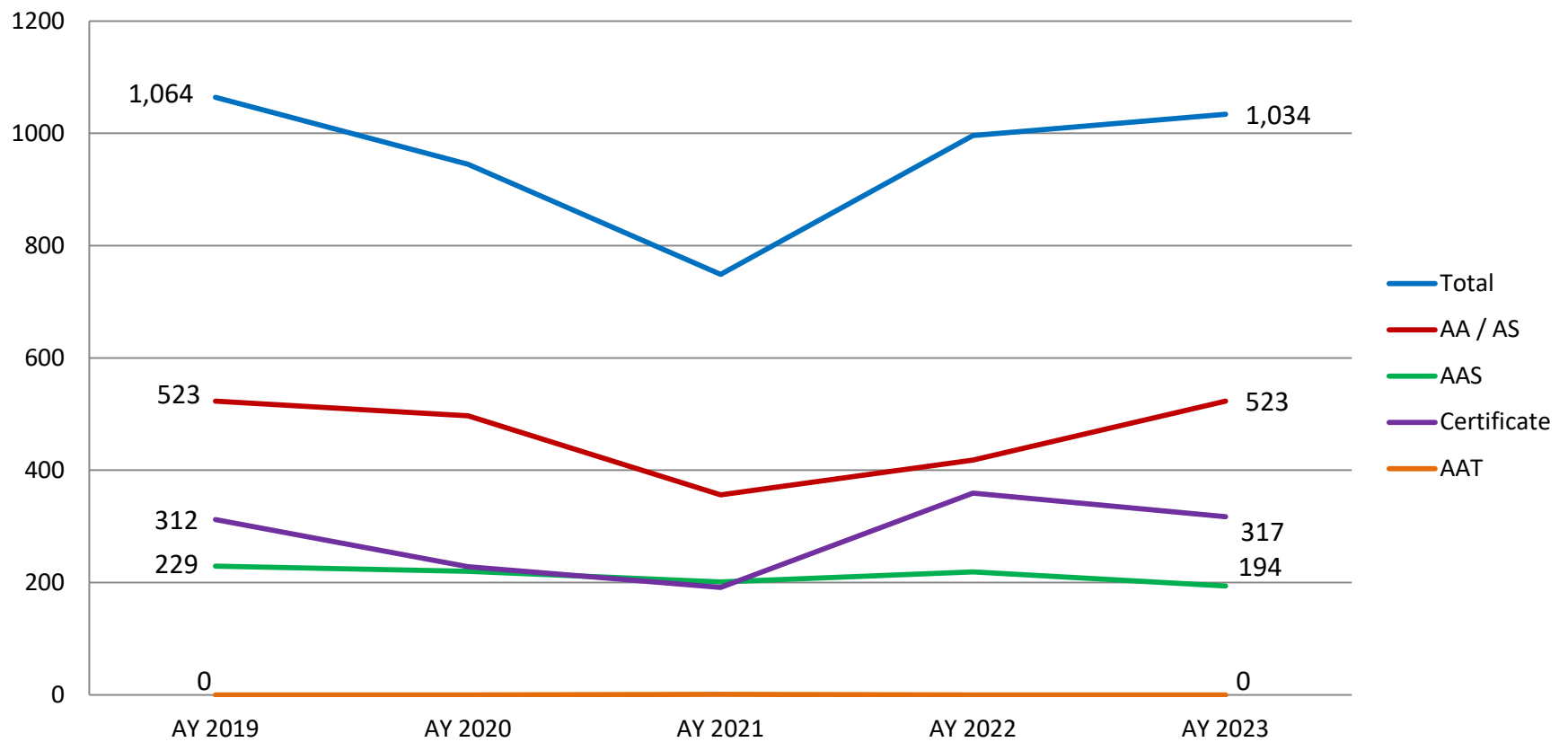
	AY 2019	AY 2020	AY 2021	AY 2022	AY 2023	Year-to-Year Change
AA	523	497	356	418	523	**+25.1%**
AAT	0	0	1	0	0	**Program Closed**
AAS	229	220	201	219	194	**-11.4%**
Certificate	312	228	191	359	317	**-11.7%**
Total	**1,064**	**945**	**749**	**996**	**1,034**	**+3.8%**

Source: WCJC IR Graduation Report

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Degrees Awarded by Student Race/Ethnicity; AY 2022
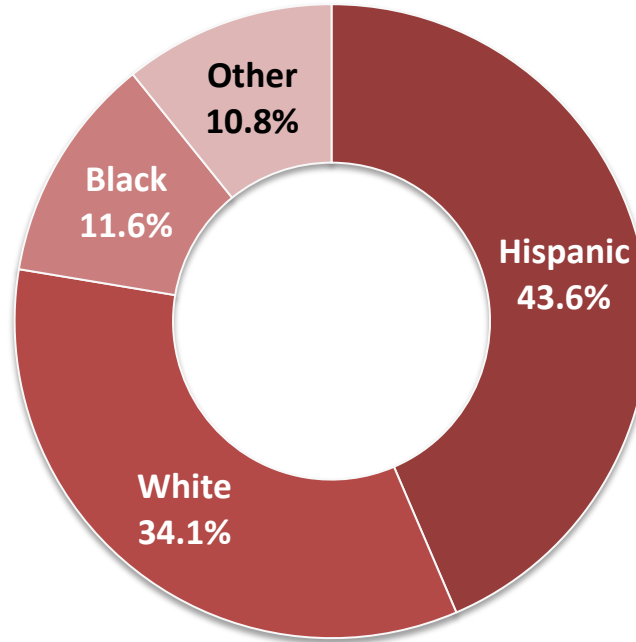
Comparison: Percent Enrollment vs. Percent Degrees Awarded by Race/Ethnicity; AY 2020 – AY 2022

	Fall 2019 Enrollment	AY 2020 Degrees Awarded	Fall 2020 Enrollment	AY 2021 Degrees Awarded	Fall 2021 Enrollment	AY 2022 Degrees Awarded
Hispanic	44%	40.4%	44%	44.7%	45%	43.6%
White	30%	36.0%	28%	36.4%	28%	34.1%
Black	12%	11.7%	11%	12.0%	12%	11.6%
Other	14%	12.0%	17%	6.8%	15%	10.8%

Source: THECB Higher Education Almanac 2023

Degrees Awarded by Academic Major (AA/AS and AAT); AY 2019 – AY 2023

	AY 2019	AY 2020	AY 2021	AY 2022	AY 2023
Agriculture	3	3	4	2	0
Art	0	2	1	2	5
Biology	8	7	6	5	12
Business Administration	67	83	56	78	84
Chemistry	0	2	0	0	0
Criminal Justice	10	2	10	16	10
Computer Science	4	8	8	4	9
Drama	6	6	2	2	1
EC-12 Generalist (AAT)	0	0	1	0	0
Elementary Education	0	0	1	6	7
Engineering	5	6	6	6	7
English	0	1	1	0	2
General Studies	354	308	183	216	296
Geology	0	0	0	0	0
History	0	1	2	2	3
Kinesiology	1	2	3	2	5
Mathematics	0	0	0	0	0
Music	2	1	0	4	3
Pre-Nursing	57	51	53	53	48
Pre-Dental Hygiene	0	2	0	4	7
Pre-PTA	0	1	1	1	1
Pre-Radiologic Tech	1	0	1	2	4
Physics	0	0	0	0	0
Psychology	5	11	17	12	16
Sociology	0	0	0	1	1
Total AA and AAT	**523**	**497**	**356**	**418**	**523**

Highest Number of Degrees Awarded (AA/AS & AAT)

General Studies: 296

Business: 84

Pre-Nursing: 48

Degrees Awarded by Vocational Program (AAS and Certificates); AY 2019 – AY 2023

	AY 2019	AY 2020	AY 2021	AY 2022	AY 2023
Automotive Technology	1	3	1	1	4
Business Office Technology	6	5	1	7	2
Computer Programming	0	0	0	0	0
Computer Simulation	7	6	1	0	5
Construction Mgmt	1	0	0	0	0
Dental Hygiene	15	21	8	16	12
Digital Media	2	4	2	3	2
Engineering Design	7	12	4	8	8
Early Childhood Dev	1	3	2	0	4
Electronics Technology	7	4	8	10	11
Emergency Medical Services	5	3	4	3	3
Health Information Tech	10	9	3	9	7
Human Services	6	10	4	5	3
Law Enforcement	2	0	1	3	1
LVN-ADN Transition	9	10	7	13	8
Manufacturing Tech	1	5	3	8	8
Network Administrator	4	4	6	3	4
Nuclear Power Tech	21	11	15	17	11
Nursing	39	47	42	36	33
Office Administration	0	0	0	0	0
Paralegal Studies	18	4	5	4	9
Physical Therapist Asst	12	13	12	10	12
Process Technology	40	44	43	49	35
Radiologic Technology	15	2	29	14	16
Total AAS	**229**	**220**	**201**	**219**	**194**
Total Certificates	**312**	**228**	**191**	**359**	**317**
Total Vocational	**541**	**448**	**392**	**578**	**511**

Highest Number of Degrees Awarded (AAS)

Process Tech: 35

Nursing: 33

Radiologic Tech: 16

Source: WCJC IR Graduation Report
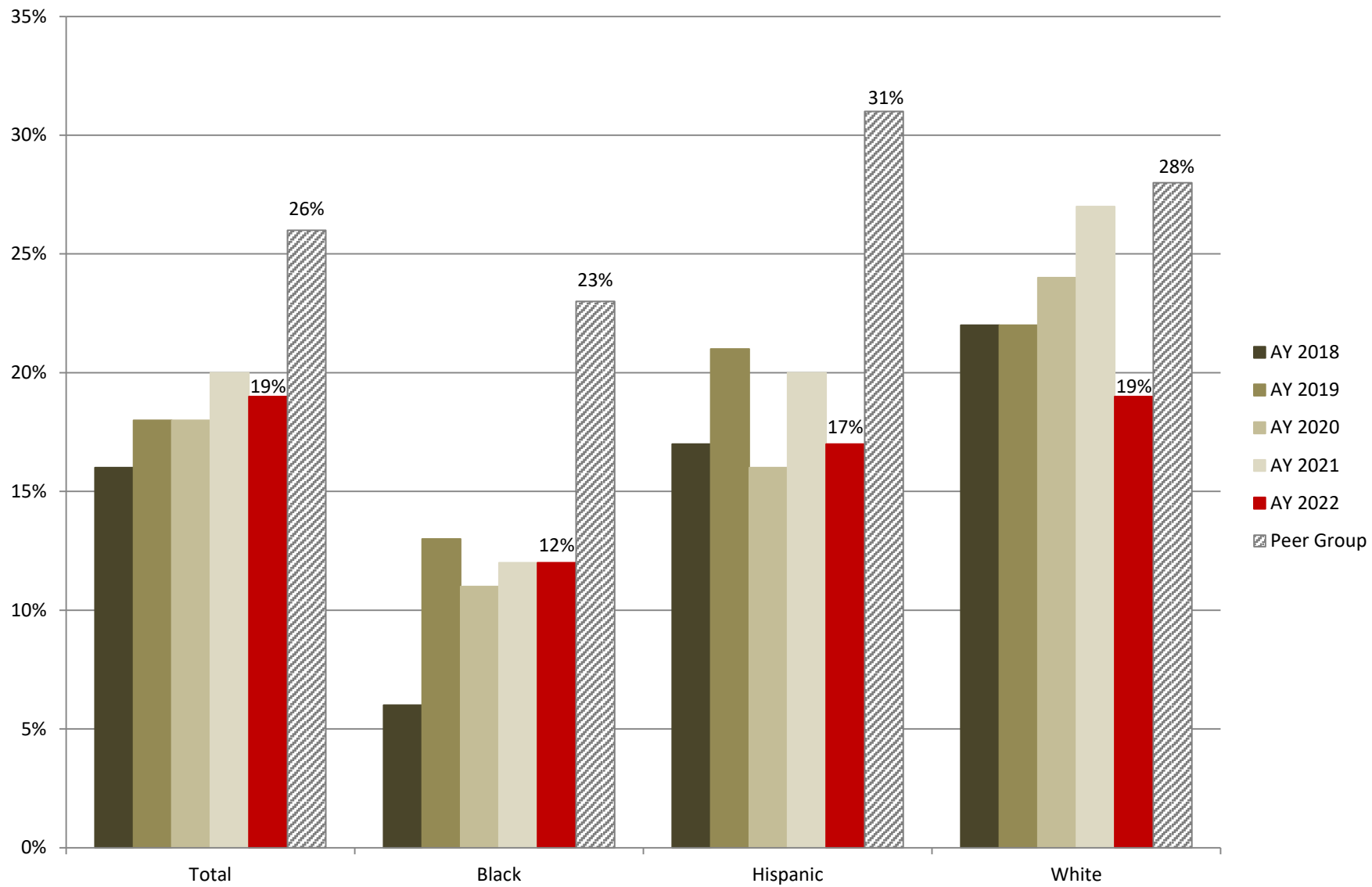
Graduation and Transfer Rates

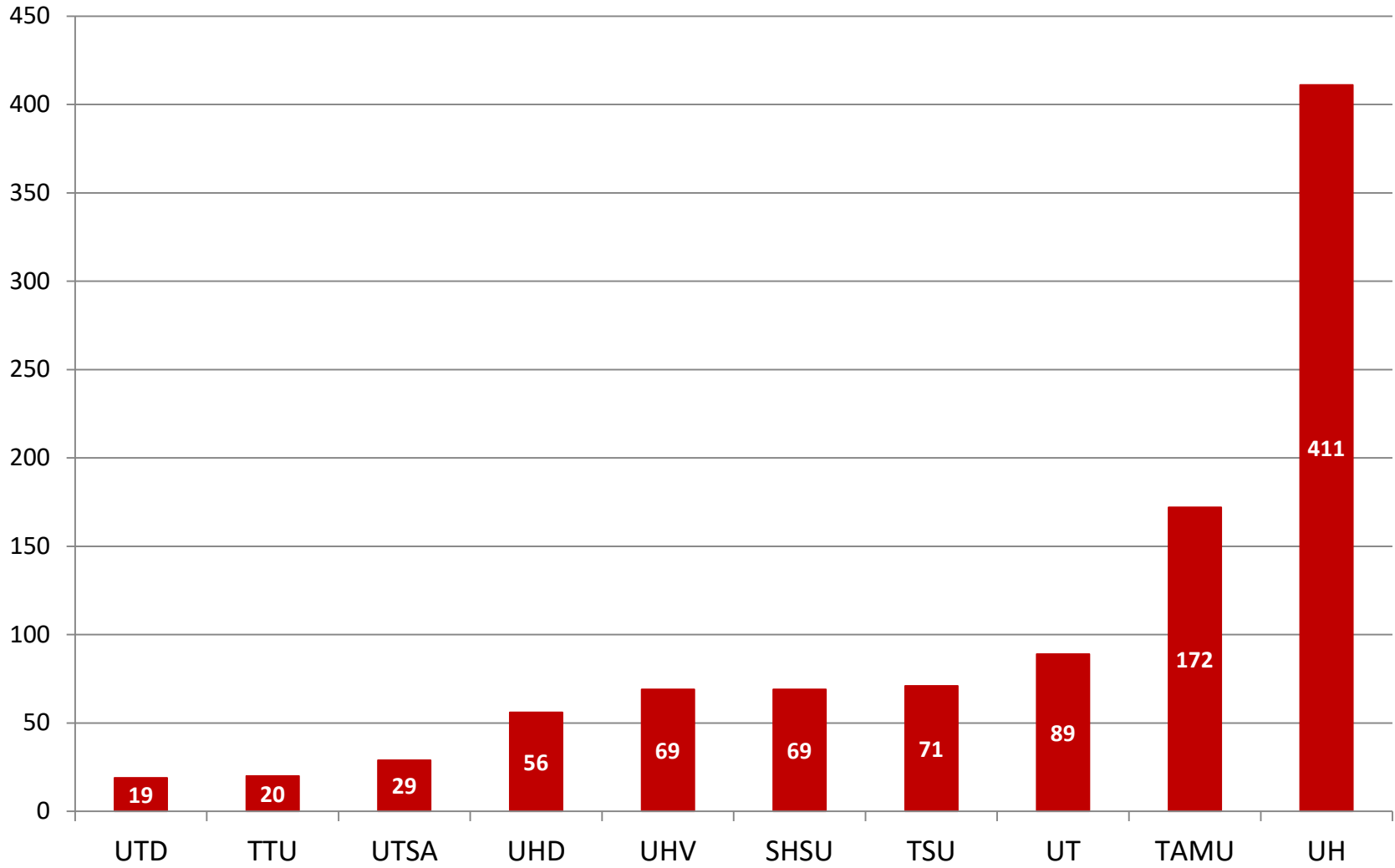## Graduation[5] and Transfer[6] Rates; AY 2018 – AY 2022

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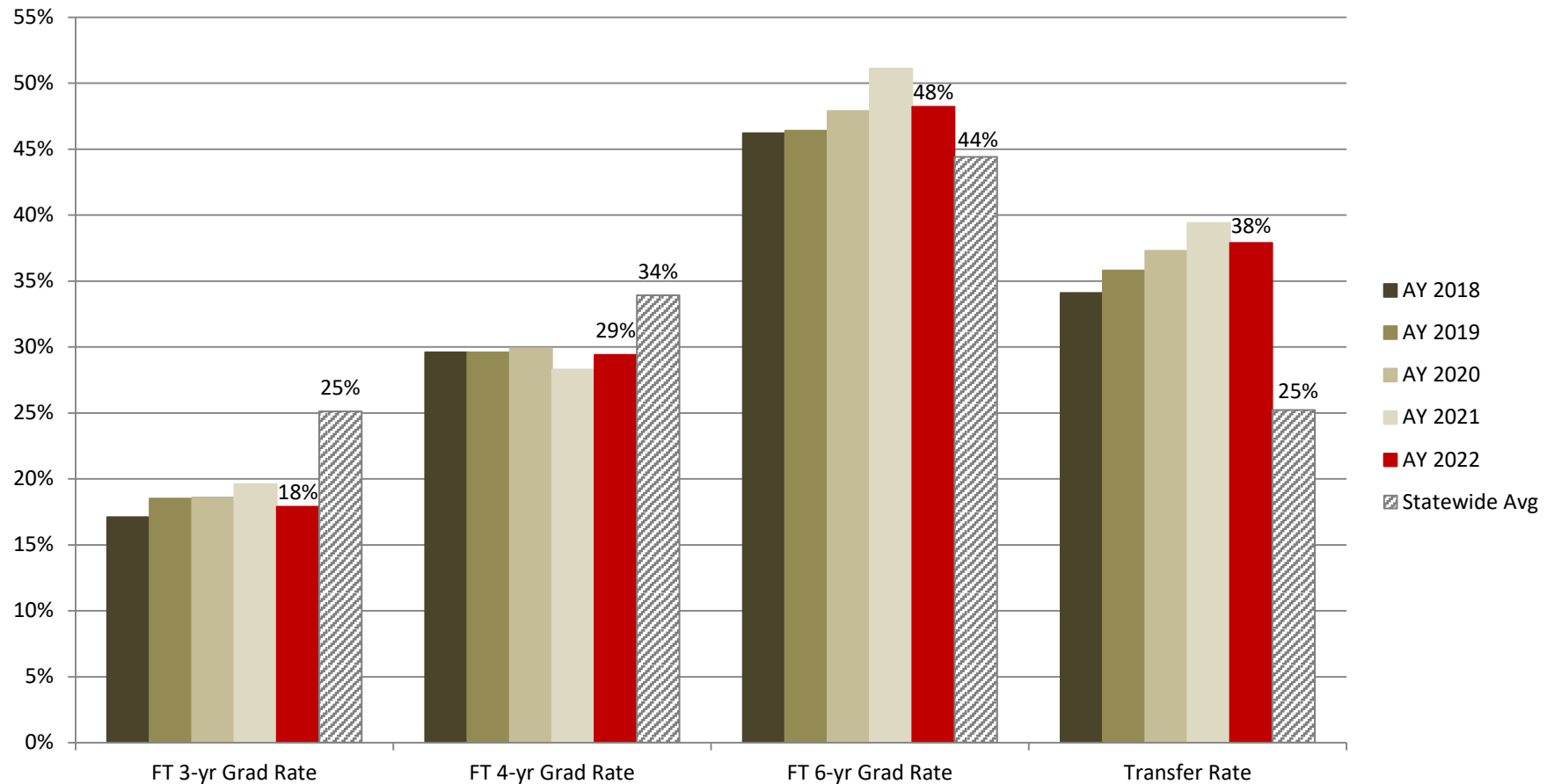
[5] The percentage of first-time credential seeking undergraduates who graduated within 3, 4, or 6 years for those students who enrolled in their first fall as a full-time student. Both degrees and certificates are included in this metric. Entering cohorts differ between metrics and academic years.

[6] The percentage of students who transferred to a senior institution within 6 years of entrance to WCJC. Cohorts differ between academic years.

Source: THECB Higher Education Almanac 2023

Graduation Rates of Full-Time, First-Time Students within Three Years by Race/Ethnicity; AY 2018 – AY 2022

Legend:
- AY 2018
- AY 2019
- AY 2020
- AY 2021
- AY 2022
- Peer Group

Category	AY 2018	AY 2019	AY 2020	AY 2021	AY 2022	Peer Group
Total	16%	18%	18%	20%	19%	26%
Black	6%	13%	11%	12%	12%	23%
Hispanic	17%	21%	16%	20%	17%	31%
White	22%	22%	24%	27%	19%	28%

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Headcount of Transfer Students by Transfer Institution; Attending in AY 2023

Institution	Headcount
UTD	19
TTU	20
UTSA	29
UHD	56
UHV	69
SHSU	69
TSU	71
UT	89
TAMU	172
UH	411