## Academic Performance of CCSU Full-Time, First-Time Students in the First Year

Initial Degree Sought: All Education Fields (BSED) - includes secondary education majors

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**Notes:**
- First Semester Completion indicates a PIDM match between 3rd week file and end of semester (students have non-null GPA).
- Semester credits attempted restated in August 2008 (previous version did not include remedial credits in credits attempted).
- Spring semester GPA percentage calculations use students who returned in the following spring as the basis (students who did not continue from fall to spring are not included in the denominator).

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