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2-Year Colleges With the Highest and Lowest 3-Year Graduation Rates, 2017

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Of the 25 two-year public institutions with the best three-year graduation rates, four each were in Illinois and Wisconsin. Two-year public colleges had completion rates lower than those of four-year public colleges, but higher than those of private colleges. The average graduation rate for two-year public colleges was 58.5 percent, compared with 61.5 percent for four-year public colleges and 65.5 percent for private colleges. The lowest graduation rates were found at two-year public colleges in Mississippi and South Carolina, with rates of 38.5 percent and 39.5 percent, respectively.

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Rank	Institution	Adjusted student cohort	Completers within 150 percent of expected time	Overall completion rate	Completed less than 2-year programs	Completed 2-year programs	Transferred out	Still enrolled	No longer enrolled
7.	Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology (Pa.)	374	252	67.4%	3.2%	64.2%	0.3%	0.0%	32.4%
8.	Northwest Iowa Community College	223	145	65.0%	28.3%	36.8%	7.6%	2.2%	25.1%
9.	Northwest Kansas Technical College	156	101	64.7%	13.5%	51.3%	6.4%	0.0%	28.8%
10.	De Anza College (Calif.)	2,605	1,625	62.4%	0.2%	62.2%	6.9%	8.3%	22.3%
11.	Frontier Community College (Ill.)	58	36	62.1%	25.9%	36.2%	12.1%	3.4%	
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