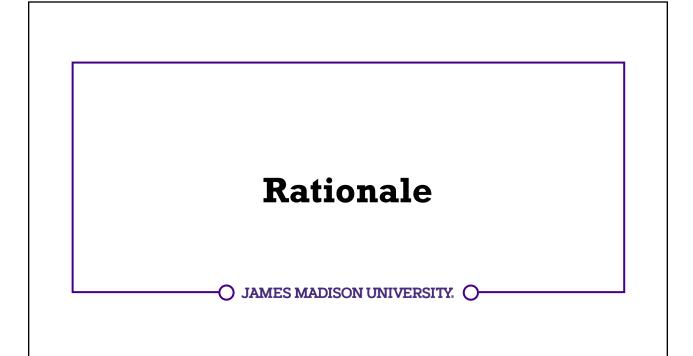
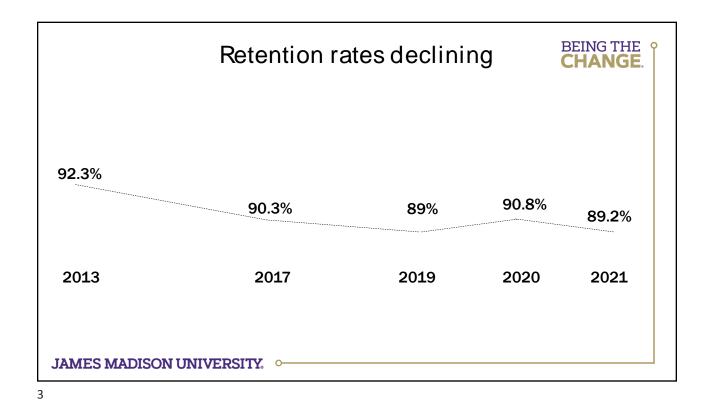
BEING THE CHANGE.

89.2%

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BEING THE ? Equity-based retention gaps exist CHANGE. 1st Gen Out of Black Hispanic 2+ Transfer Pell State race 92.3 2013 89.6% 89.4% 86.7% 92.3% 93.2% 86.1% 91.4% 90.3 2017 87.0% 88.8% 87.3% 85.5% 90.3% 84.9% 88.3% 89.0 2019 83.9% 85.1% 89.1%. 88.4% 87.1% 86.1% 86.5% 90.8 2020 88.9% 92.1% 87.3% 87.1% 82.7% 89.6% 88.5% 89.2 2021 83.1% 87.3% 84.9% 86.8% 84.8% 79.8% 84.9% JAMES MADISON UNIVERSITY. •

Moving JMU Forward



- Cost of retention / not retaining students
 - \$500,000 \$2,400,000 per 1% in change in overall retention rate
- Establishing student success culture & infrastructure for cohorts to come
 - Equity-minded
 - Holistic approach
 - Intentional & integrated
- Aligns with JMU's strengths & planning

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Institutional Capacity

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Aligning with strategic planning



Priority #1 Being the Change at Work and in the World

We will be an innovative engine powering student lifelong learning and providing the skill sets and solutions that education, business, government and other constituents have come to expect from JMU as we are truly being the change.

Priority #2 Advancing Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI)

We will advance access and affordability for qualified students from all backgrounds, diligently removing obstacles to success.

Priority #3 Attracting the Students of Tomorrow

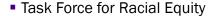
Our approach to enrollment management will be visionary and innovative, astutely anticipating national demographic trends, meeting community needs and fueling Virginia's commitment to be the most well-educated state.

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Builds alongside other divisions & activities





- Campus Climate Study
- Re-Engineering Madison
- Move to Common Application for Admissions
- Academic Affairs Strategic Plan
- Student Affairs Curricular Integration
- The Reddix Center for First Generation Students
- Fundraising to increase access & improve affordability

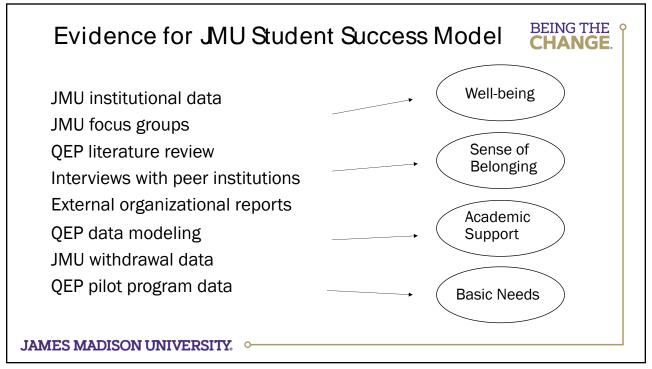


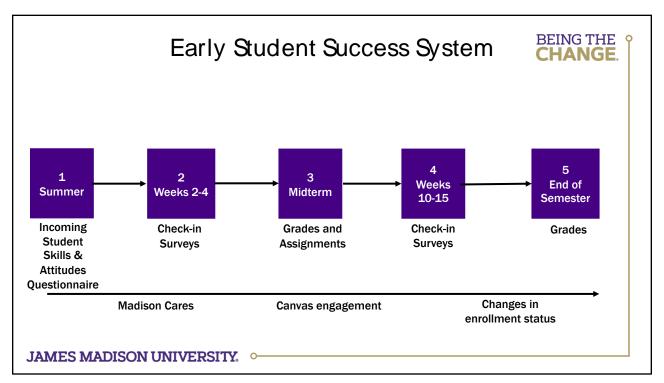


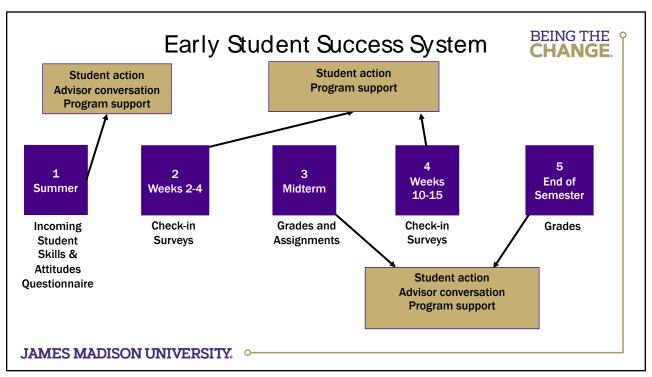
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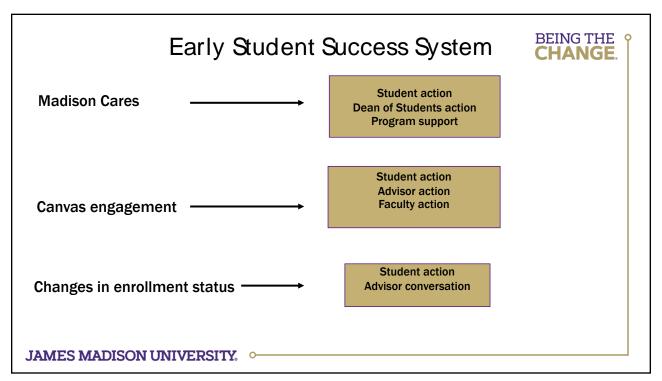
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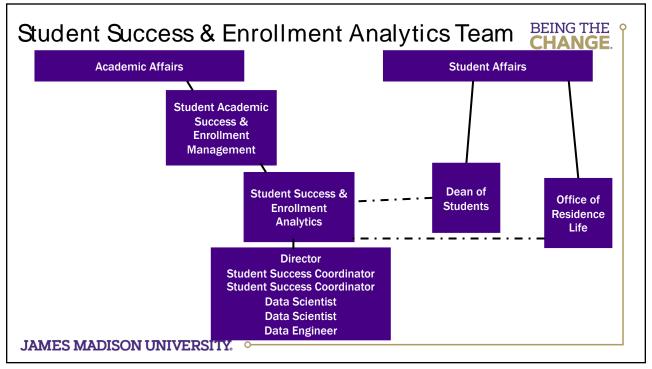
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Early Student Success key components



- At least four full-time advisors
- Retention Task Force
- Data Task Force



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Expected Outcomes & Evaluation

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Focused on Student Success



Increased numbers of diverse student groups participating in high-quality educational experiences, earning high-quality credentials (Kinzie & Kuh, 2017)





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We see it at James Madison University, a leader in sharing information to help families make wise choices. As their Web site says, 'Some say their educational programs are successful. At JMU, we can prove it!', I love that!

(Spellings, 2008)

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5-year retention benchmarks

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	2022-2023 (Year 0)				2027-2028 (Year 5)			
	Sample size	Retention rate	Students retained	Equity gap	Retention rate	Students retained	Equity Gap	Increase In students retained
Overall retention	4770	89.2%	4255	N/A	91.2%	4350	N/A	95
Black students	205	84.9%	174	4.3%	87.9%	180	3.3%	6
First-Gen students	544	83.1%	452	6.1%	86.5%	471	4.7%	18
Hispanic students	341	86.8%	296	2.4%	89.4%	305	1.8%	9
More than 1 race/ethnicity students	256	84.8%	217	4.4%	87.8%	225	3.4%	8
Out of state students	1009	87.3%	881	1.9%	89.8%	906	1.4%	26
Pell-eligible students	684	84.9%	581	4.3%	88.0%	602	3.2%	21
Transfer students	774	79.8%	618	9.4%	83.8%	649	7.4%	31

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Discussion

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