Profile of New Freshmen
Fall 2023 and Fall 2024

This report contains demographic and academic information for new freshmen who entered the University in Fall 2023 and Fall 2024. Information is included on:

Sex	State of Permanent Address	High School Class Quartile
Age	County of Permanent Residence	Program of Study
Minority Status[1]	Religious Affiliation[1]	First-Generation Status
Citizenship Status	Entrance Test Scores	First Major
Racial/Ethnic Group[1]	Full/Part-Time Status	
Country of Citizenship	Average Credit Hour Load	

Please see page 2 for a note on test score (SAT and ACT) statistics.

Fall 2024

The freshmen class of Fall 2024 includes 751 students who entered the University in Summer 2024 or Fall 2024. Demographically, fifty-seven percent (426) of the new freshmen are female, and 81.2% (610) are from racial or ethnic minority groups. Students with a Baptist religious affiliation make up 15.3% of the group, a decrease from last year.

For students with known addresses, 682 (90.8%) have Texas as their state of permanent address, representing 56 counties. Students from Harris, Fort Bend, and Brazoria counties make up 76.6% of the class, a very slight increase over last year.

Among students who reported a high school class ranking, forty-seven percent were in the top quartile of their high school graduating classes. The class had a mean score of 1089 for the redesigned SAT and 21 for the ACT examination for those who chose to apply traditionally. Fourteen percent of students declared a major in Nursing, while just over seven percent were Computer Science, and just under seven percent were Psychology.

Fall 2023

The freshmen class of Fall 2023 includes 727 students who entered the University in Summer 2023 or Fall 2023. Demographically, sixty percent (437) of the new freshmen are female, and 76.9% (559) are from racial or ethnic minority groups. Students with a Baptist religious affiliation make up 18.0% of the group.

For students with known addresses, 687 (94.5%) have Texas as their state of permanent address, representing 56 counties. Students from Harris, Fort Bend, and Brazoria counties make up 76.5% of the class.

Among students who reported a high school class ranking, forty-three percent were in the top quartile of their high school graduating classes. The class had a mean score of 1083 for the redesigned SAT and 23 for the ACT examination for those who chose to apply traditionally. Eighteen percent of students declared a major in Nursing, seven percent were Psychology, and just under seven percent were Biochemistry/Molecular Biology.

Test Score Calculations

For students with both an SAT and ACT score, both scores are reported. Additionally, for students with multiple SAT test scores, the highest verbal and math subscores (from any test date) are added to get the student's final SAT score. For Fall 2006, this procedure resulted in an increase of approximately 6 points on the average SAT score, from 1074 to 1080.

Prior to Fall 2007, SAT scores were reported using Recruitment PLUS. Recruitment PLUS converted all ACT scores to an equivalent SAT score, and included the converted scores in the final mean.

1. During census processing, it was discovered that race/ethnicity and religious preference data were not being collected for online students. Efforts are underway to collect this data from students who are missing, but this missing data will skew the totals for populations with a large percentage of online students.

Main Campus - Sex	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Male	278	40.5	311	44.4
Female	408	59.5	390	55.6
Total	686	100.0	701	100.0

Main Campus - Age Range	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
<18	39	5.7	44	6.3
18-19	635	92.6	638	91.0
20-21	9	1.3	9	1.3
22-24	2	0.3	5	0.7
25+	1	0.1	5	0.7
Total	686	100.0	701	100.0

Main Campus - Minority Status	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Minority	547	79.7	598	85.3
Non-Minority	139	20.3	103	14.7
Total	686	100.0	701	100.0

Main Campus - First Generation Status	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
First Generation	182	26.5	.	.
Not First Generation	504	73.5	701	100.0
Total	686	100.0	701	100.0

Main Campus - Citizenship Status	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
U.S. Citizen	638	93.0	650	92.7
Resident Alien	24	3.5	17	2.4
Non-Resident Alien	1	0.1	2	0.3
International	23	3.4	32	4.6
Total	686	100.0	701	100.0

Main Campus - Racial/Ethnic Group*	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
African American/Black	174	25.4	213	30.4
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2	0.3	2	0.3
Asian	39	5.7	42	6.0
Hispanic	310	45.2	327	46.6
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	3	0.4	1	0.1
White	126	18.4	90	12.8
Two or More Races	18	2.6	13	1.9
Ethnicity Unknown	14	2.0	13	1.9
Total	686	100.0	701	100.0

Main Campus - Racial/Ethnic Group - Non-Resident Aliens Partitioned*	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
African American/Black	169	24.6	204	29.1
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2	0.3	2	0.3
Asian	37	5.4	37	5.3
Hispanic	307	44.8	319	45.5
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	3	0.4	1	0.1
White	121	17.6	84	12.0
Two or More Races	18	2.6	13	1.9
Ethnicity Unknown	6	0.9	9	1.3
Non-Resident Alien	23	3.4	32	4.6
Total	686	100.0	701	100.0

Main Campus - Country of Citizenship	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Argentina	1	0.1	.	.
Canada	3	0.4	1	0.1
China	1	0.1	2	0.3
Cote d'Ivoire	1	0.1	.	.
Cuba	.	.	1	0.1
Equatorial Guinea	1	0.1	.	.
France	1	0.1	.	.
Germany	.	.	1	0.1
Honduras	1	0.1	4	0.6
Mexico	2	0.3	3	0.4
Netherlands	.	.	1	0.1
Nigeria	5	0.7	6	0.9
Norway	1	0.1	.	.
Philippines	1	0.1	.	.
South Africa	1	0.1	1	0.1
Spain	.	.	2	0.3
Sweden	3	0.4	.	.
Thailand	.	.	1	0.1
The Dem. Republic of the Congo	.	.	1	0.1
United Kingdom	2	0.3	4	0.6
United States	637	92.9	648	92.4
Unknown	23	3.4	21	3.0
Venezuela	2	0.3	2	0.3
Vietnam	.	.	2	0.3
Total	686	100.0	701	100.0

Main Campus - State of Permanent Address	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Alabama	1	0.1	.	.
California	5	0.7	7	1.0
Colorado	.	.	4	0.6
Florida	2	0.3	.	.
Georgia	.	.	3	0.4
Illinois	.	.	2	0.3
Indiana	.	.	1	0.1
Kentucky	.	.	1	0.1
Louisiana	3	0.4	4	0.6
Minnesota	.	.	1	0.1
Mississippi	.	.	1	0.1
Nebraska	1	0.1	.	.
Nevada	2	0.3	2	0.3
New Mexico	.	.	1	0.1
New York	1	0.1	1	0.1
Non-U.S. Address	2	0.3	.	.
Ohio	1	0.1	2	0.3
Oklahoma	1	0.1	.	.
Texas	657	95.8	645	92.0
US Territories/Military Addr	.	.	1	0.1
Unknown	8	1.2	24	3.4
Washington	1	0.1	1	0.1
Wisconsin	1	0.1	.	.
Total	686	100.0	701	100.0

Main Campus - County of Permanent Address (Texas)	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Anderson	1	0.2	.	.
Angelina	2	0.3	.	.
Austin	2	0.3	.	.
Bastrop	1	0.2	.	.
Bell	.	.	4	0.6
Bexar	9	1.4	5	0.8
Brazoria	32	4.9	41	6.4
Brazos	.	.	2	0.3
Cameron	5	0.8	2	0.3
Castro	.	.	1	0.2
Chambers	.	.	1	0.2
Collin	6	0.9	8	1.2
Comal	1	0.2	.	.
Dallas	7	1.1	14	2.2
DeWitt	1	0.2	.	.
Denton	3	0.5	5	0.8
El Paso	.	.	1	0.2
Ellis	1	0.2	1	0.2
Fort Bend	120	18.3	130	20.2
Galveston	12	1.8	12	1.9
Gray	1	0.2	.	.
Grayson	1	0.2	.	.
Gregg	.	.	1	0.2
Grimes	1	0.2	.	.
Guadalupe	.	.	2	0.3
Hale	.	.	1	0.2
Hardin	.	.	1	0.2
Harris	362	55.1	335	51.9
Hays	1	0.2	.	.
Henderson	1	0.2	.	.
Hidalgo	4	0.6	2	0.3
Hill	.	.	1	0.2
Hopkins	1	0.2	.	.
Houston	.	.	1	0.2
Jefferson	7	1.1	5	0.8

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Main Campus - County of Permanent Address (Texas)	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Jim Hogg	.	.	2	0.3
Karnes	1	0.2	.	.
Kaufman	2	0.3	4	0.6
Lampasas	.	.	1	0.2
Lee	2	0.3	.	.
Liberty	4	0.6	3	0.5
Limestone	.	.	1	0.2
Lubbock	1	0.2	.	.
Madison	1	0.2	.	.
Matagorda	1	0.2	2	0.3
McLennan	1	0.2	.	.
Montgomery	18	2.7	15	2.3
Nacogdoches	1	0.2	1	0.2
Newton	.	.	1	0.2
Nueces	3	0.5	1	0.2
Orange	3	0.5	.	.
Panola	1	0.2	3	0.5
Parker	1	0.2	1	0.2
Polk	2	0.3	1	0.2
Refugio	1	0.2	.	.
Rockwall	1	0.2	3	0.5
San Patricio	1	0.2	.	.
Smith	2	0.3	1	0.2
Tarrant	9	1.4	14	2.2
Taylor	2	0.3	.	.
Travis	1	0.2	.	.
Tyler	1	0.2	.	.
Unknown	2	0.3	.	.
Uvalde	.	.	1	0.2
Victoria	.	.	2	0.3
Walker	.	.	1	0.2
Waller	7	1.1	1	0.2
Washington	4	0.6	1	0.2
Webb	.	.	3	0.5
Wharton	1	0.2	2	0.3

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Main Campus - County of Permanent Address (Texas)	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Williamson	1	0.2	2	0.3
Wilson	.	.	2	0.3
Total	657	100.0	645	100.0

Main Campus - Religious Affiliation	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Anglican-Church of England	5	0.7	2	0.3
Assembly of God	8	1.2	8	1.1
Baptist	131	19.1	115	16.4
Buddhist	4	0.6	4	0.6
Catholic	107	15.6	118	16.8
Christian Scientist	1	0.1	1	0.1
Church of Christ	14	2.0	26	3.7
Church of God	16	2.3	8	1.1
Disciples of Christ (Christian	70	10.2	64	9.1
Eastern Orthodox	4	0.6	2	0.3
Episcopalian	1	0.1	1	0.1
Evangelical Free Church	19	2.8	20	2.9
Hindu	4	0.6	2	0.3
Jehovah's Witness	1	0.1	.	.
Jewish	1	0.1	.	.
Latter Day Saints (Mormon)	1	0.1	1	0.1
Lutheran	4	0.6	.	.
Methodist	9	1.3	6	0.9
Moslem (Islam, Muslim)	8	1.2	3	0.4
No Preference	53	7.7	29	4.1
Non-denominational	71	10.3	145	20.7
Other	30	4.4	23	3.3
Pentecostal	32	4.7	43	6.1
Presbyterian	2	0.3	3	0.4
Reformed	.	.	1	0.1
Seventh Day Adventist	4	0.6	7	1.0
Undeclared	86	12.5	69	9.8
Total	686	100.0	701	100.0

Interquartile Range	Fall 2023	Fall 2024
25th Percentile	960	1010
75th Percentile	1200	1190

	Fall 2023	Fall 2024
Mean	1085	1090

Main Campus - SAT Distribution	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
< 900	33	13.4	31	12.6
900-990	40	16.2	26	10.5
1000-1090	55	22.3	66	26.7
1100-1190	56	22.7	63	25.5
1200-1290	33	13.4	36	14.6
1300+	30	12.1	25	10.1
Total	247	100.0	247	100.0

Main Campus Median Scores by Sex	Fall 2023			Fall 2024		
	Verbal	Math	Total	Verbal	Math	Total
Male	570	550	1110	560	550	1110
Female	540	520	1060	550	530	1070

Note:
1. In Fall 2021, a test optional admissions policy was in place where students could decide whether their test scores were used for consideration during the admissions process. These scores represent the students who elected to apply traditionally and submit their test scores for consideration.
2. On the redesigned scale, Verbal is now Evidence-Based Reading and Writing. The total score is comprised of the Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (Verbal) and Math sections.
3. Although submission of entrance test scores generally is required in the admission process, in each entering class there were a small number of students who were admitted without entrance test scores. Some students take both the SAT and ACT. Therefore, the number of SAT scores plus the number of ACT scores does not equal the total class size.

Interquartile Range	Fall 2023	Fall 2024
25th Percentile	19	17
75th Percentile	28	24

	Fall 2023	Fall 2024
Mean	23	21

Main Campus - ACT Distribution	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
< 20	15	28.3	25	52.1
20-21	5	9.4	3	6.3
22-24	8	15.1	11	22.9
25-27	10	18.9	4	8.3
28-29	7	13.2	1	2.1
30+	8	15.1	4	8.3
Total	53	100.0	48	100.0

Main Campus Median Scores by Sex	Fall 2023			Fall 2024		
	Engl	Math	Comp	Engl	Math	Comp
Male	21	23	25	21	20	21
Female	21	23	22	19	18	19

Note:
1. In Fall 2021, a test optional admissions policy was in place where students could decide whether their test scores were used for consideration during the admissions process. These scores represent the students who elected to apply traditionally and submit their test scores for consideration.
2. Although submission of entrance test scores generally is required in the admission process, in each entering class there were a small number of students who were admitted without entrance test scores. Some students take both the SAT and ACT. Therefore, the number of SAT scores plus the number of ACT scores does not equal the total class size.

Main Campus - Full/Part-Time Status	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Full-Time	675	98.4	691	98.6
Part-Time	11	1.6	10	1.4
Total	686	100.0	701	100.0

Main Campus Average Credit Hour Load*	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	Average	#	Average
College of Arts and Humanities	111	14.8	112	14.5
School of Christian Thought	9	15.2	10	15.0
Dunham College of Business	119	13.9	100	13.7
College of Education/Beh Sci	59	14.7	41	14.1
School of Nursing and Allied Health	187	14.6	162	14.1
College of Science and Engineering	188	14.5	260	14.6
Total	673	14.5	685	14.3

Main Campus - High School Class Quartile*	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
First Quartile	224	43.8	213	46.7
Second Quartile	198	38.7	152	33.3
Third Quartile	78	15.2	77	16.9
Fourth Quartile	12	2.3	14	3.1
Total	512	100.0	456	100.0

* High School Quartile data may not be available for each student in the class. Therefore, the total does not equal the total class size.

Main Campus - Program of Study	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
BS in Nursing	115	16.8	79	11.3
Bachelor of Arts	156	22.7	167	23.8
Bachelor of Business Admin.	89	13.0	67	9.6
Bachelor of Fine Arts	37	5.4	38	5.4
Bachelor of Music	4	0.6	4	0.6
Bachelor of Music Education	8	1.2	6	0.9
Bachelor of Science	277	40.4	340	48.5
Total	686	100.0	701	100.0

Main Campus - First Major	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Accounting	19	2.8	16	2.3
Animation	4	0.6	11	1.6
Biblical Studies	1	0.1	2	0.3
Bilingual Elementary Education	2	0.3	.	.
Biochemistry/Molecular Biology	49	7.1	25	3.6
Biology	38	5.5	41	5.8
Business Administration	27	3.9	33	4.7
Chemistry	10	1.5	5	0.7
Christian Ministry	4	0.6	4	0.6
Christianity	.	.	2	0.3
Cinematic Arts	5	0.7	2	0.3
Classics	2	0.3	.	.
Computer Science	37	5.4	54	7.7
Creative Writing	3	0.4	5	0.7
Criminal Justice	9	1.3	21	3.0
Cyber Engineering	12	1.7	22	3.1
Cyber Security	9	1.3	42	6.0
EC-12 Art w/Certification	1	0.1	.	.
EC-6 /All-Level Sp Ed EC-12	3	0.4	.	.
ELA 7-12 w/ Cert & ESL/SPED	.	.	1	0.1
Electrical Engineering	21	3.1	45	6.4
Elem Ed w/ Bilingual & SPED	3	0.4	7	1.0
Elem Ed w/ ESL & SPED	6	0.9	8	1.1
Elem. Ed EC-6 w/Sp ED/ESL	4	0.6	.	.
Elementary Ed w/ Special Ed	1	0.1	.	.
Elementary Education w/ ESL	4	0.6	.	.
Engl/Lang Arts 7-12 w/ ESL	1	0.1	.	.
English	4	0.6	.	.
Finance	18	2.6	15	2.1
General Business	4	0.6	.	.
Graphic Design	8	1.2	12	1.7
History	5	0.7	2	0.3
Information Systems	8	1.2	19	2.7
Integrated Behavioral Studies	1	0.1	2	0.3
Interdisciplinary Stds-Non Ed	.	.	2	0.3

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Main Campus - First Major	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
International Business	10	1.5	7	1.0
Kinesiology EC-12 w/ Cert.	2	0.3	2	0.3
Kinesiology-Allied Health	17	2.5	15	2.1
Kinesiology-Sport Management	17	2.5	27	3.9
Kinesiology-Wellness Mgmt	19	2.8	16	2.3
Learning, Technology & Design	.	.	2	0.3
Legal Studies	23	3.4	19	2.7
Management	19	2.8	14	2.0
Marketing	22	3.2	15	2.1
Math 7-12 w/ Cert & ESL/SPED	2	0.3	.	.
Mathematics	4	0.6	7	1.0
Mathematics 7-12 w/ESL	1	0.1	1	0.1
Medical Humanities	2	0.3	4	0.6
Music	5	0.7	2	0.3
Music Performance-Piano	.	.	1	0.1
Music Performance-Voice	4	0.6	3	0.4
Music-Instrumental	3	0.4	1	0.1
Music-Vocal/Keyboard	6	0.9	5	0.7
Narrative Arts	2	0.3	1	0.1
Nursing	134	19.5	104	14.8
Philosophy	.	.	3	0.4
Political Science	2	0.3	3	0.4
Pre-Cinematic Arts	15	2.2	.	.
Psychology	38	5.5	36	5.1
Science 7-12 w/Cert & ESL/SPED	1	0.1	.	.
Social Studies 7-12 w/ESL	1	0.1	.	.
Span EC-12 w/Cert & SPED	1	0.1	.	.
Spanish-Teacher Certification	1	0.1	.	.
Studio Art	4	0.6	1	0.1
Theological Studies	1	0.1	.	.
Undeclared	4	0.6	6	0.9
Video Game Design	3	0.4	8	1.1
Total	686	100.0	701	100.0

100% Online - Sex	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Male	12	29.3	14	28.0
Female	29	70.7	36	72.0
Total	41	100.0	50	100.0

100% Online - Age Range	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
18-19	8	19.5	8	16.0
20-21	3	7.3	3	6.0
22-24	3	7.3	3	6.0
25+	27	65.9	36	72.0
Total	41	100.0	50	100.0

100% Online - Minority Status	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Minority	12	29.3	12	24.0
Non-Minority	29	70.7	38	76.0
Total	41	100.0	50	100.0

100% Online - First Generation Status	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
First Generation	16	39.0	.	.
Not First Generation	25	61.0	50	100.0
Total	41	100.0	50	100.0

100% Online - Citizenship Status	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
U.S. Citizen	41	100.0	49	98.0
International	.	.	1	2.0
Total	41	100.0	50	100.0

100% Online - Racial/Ethnic Group*	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
African American/Black	7	17.1	6	12.0
Hispanic	4	9.8	6	12.0
White	4	9.8	4	8.0
Two or More Races	1	2.4	.	.
Ethnicity Unknown	25	61.0	34	68.0
Total	41	100.0	50	100.0

100% Online - Racial/Ethnic Group - Non-Resident Aliens Partitioned*	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
African American/Black	7	17.1	6	12.0
Hispanic	4	9.8	5	10.0
White	4	9.8	4	8.0
Two or More Races	1	2.4	.	.
Ethnicity Unknown	25	61.0	34	68.0
Non-Resident Alien	.	.	1	2.0
Total	41	100.0	50	100.0

100% Online - Country of Citizenship	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Mexico	.	.	1	2.0
United States	10	24.4	49	98.0
Unknown	31	75.6	.	.
Total	41	100.0	50	100.0

100% Online - State of Permanent Address	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Alabama	1	2.4	.	.
Arkansas	.	.	3	6.0
California	.	.	2	4.0
Florida	1	2.4	2	4.0
Iowa	1	2.4	.	.
Kentucky	.	.	1	2.0
Louisiana	1	2.4	1	2.0
Michigan	1	2.4	1	2.0
Mississippi	1	2.4	.	.
New York	1	2.4	.	.
Ohio	.	.	1	2.0
South Carolina	2	4.9	1	2.0
South Dakota	.	.	1	2.0
Tennessee	1	2.4	.	.
Texas	30	73.2	37	74.0
Washington	1	2.4	.	.
Total	41	100.0	50	100.0

100% Online - County of Permanent Address (Texas)	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Anderson	.	.	1	2.7
Austin	1	3.3	1	2.7
Bexar	.	.	2	5.4
Brazoria	.	.	3	8.1
Burleson	.	.	1	2.7
Burnet	1	3.3	.	.
Cameron	1	3.3	.	.
Dallas	1	3.3	2	5.4
Denton	1	3.3	.	.
Ector	.	.	1	2.7
El Paso	1	3.3	.	.
Ellis	1	3.3	1	2.7
Fort Bend	.	.	1	2.7
Franklin	1	3.3	.	.
Gregg	1	3.3	.	.
Hardin	.	.	1	2.7
Harris	11	36.7	12	32.4
Hidalgo	2	6.7	1	2.7
Hopkins	.	.	1	2.7
Jefferson	1	3.3	.	.
Kendall	.	.	1	2.7
Liberty	2	6.7	.	.
Lubbock	.	.	1	2.7
McLennan	.	.	2	5.4
Montgomery	2	6.7	3	8.1
Orange	1	3.3	.	.
Tarrant	1	3.3	1	2.7
Taylor	1	3.3	.	.
Williamson	.	.	1	2.7
Total	30	100.0	37	100.0

100% Online - Religious Affiliation	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Catholic	.	.	1	2.0
Church of Christ	1	2.4	.	.
Non-denominational	.	.	1	2.0
Pentecostal	1	2.4	.	.
Undeclared	39	95.1	48	96.0
Total	41	100.0	50	100.0

Interquartile Range	Fall 2023	Fall 2024
25th Percentile	750	900
75th Percentile	750	940

	Fall 2023	Fall 2024
Mean	750	920

100% Online - SAT Distribution	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
< 900	1	100.0	.	.
900-990	.	.	2	100.0
Total	1	100.0	2	100.0

100% Online Median Scores by Sex	Fall 2023			Fall 2024		
	Verbal	Math	Total	Verbal	Math	Total
Male	.	.	.	.	.	.
Female	350	400	750	525	395	920

Note:
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100% Online - Full/Part-Time Status	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Part-Time	41	100.0	50	100.0
Total	41	100.0	50	100.0

100% Online Average Credit Hour Load*	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	Average	#	Average
College of Arts and Humanities	10	5.7	9	5.0
School of Christian Thought	12	5.0	18	5.2
Dunham College of Business	3	6.0	8	5.3
College of Education/Beh Sci	16	4.5	15	5.4
Total	41	5.0	50	5.2

100% Online - High School Class Quartile*	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
First Quartile	1	14.3	.	.
Second Quartile	1	14.3	.	.
Third Quartile	2	28.6	.	.
Fourth Quartile	3	42.9	2	100.0
Total	7	100.0	2	100.0

* High School Quartile data may not be available for each student in the class. Therefore, the total does not equal the total class size.

100% Online - Program of Study	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Bachelor of Arts	41	100.0	45	90.0
Bachelor of Business Admin.	.	.	5	10.0
Total	41	100.0	50	100.0

100% Online - First Major	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Biblical Studies	9	22.0	14	28.0
Business Administration	3	7.3	3	6.0
Criminal Justice	7	17.1	8	16.0
Interdisciplinary Stds-Non Ed	3	7.3	1	2.0
Management	.	.	4	8.0
Marketing	.	.	1	2.0
Psychology	16	39.0	15	30.0
Theological Studies	3	7.3	4	8.0
Total	41	100.0	50	100.0

Total - Sex	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Male	290	39.9	325	43.3
Female	437	60.1	426	56.7
Total	727	100.0	751	100.0

Total - Age Range	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
<18	39	5.4	44	5.9
18-19	643	88.4	646	86.0
20-21	12	1.7	12	1.6
22-24	5	0.7	8	1.1
25+	28	3.9	41	5.5
Total	727	100.0	751	100.0

Total - Minority Status	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Minority	559	76.9	610	81.2
Non-Minority	168	23.1	141	18.8
Total	727	100.0	751	100.0

Total - First Generation Status	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
First Generation	198	27.2	.	.
Not First Generation	529	72.8	751	100.0
Total	727	100.0	751	100.0

Total - Citizenship Status	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
U.S. Citizen	679	93.4	699	93.1
Resident Alien	24	3.3	17	2.3
Non-Resident Alien	1	0.1	2	0.3
International	23	3.2	33	4.4
Total	727	100.0	751	100.0

Total - Racial/Ethnic Group*	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
African American/Black	181	24.9	219	29.2
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2	0.3	2	0.3
Asian	39	5.4	42	5.6
Hispanic	314	43.2	333	44.3
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	3	0.4	1	0.1
White	130	17.9	94	12.5
Two or More Races	19	2.6	13	1.7
Ethnicity Unknown	39	5.4	47	6.3
Total	727	100.0	751	100.0

Total - Racial/Ethnic Group - Non-Resident Aliens Partitioned*	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
African American/Black	176	24.2	210	28.0
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2	0.3	2	0.3
Asian	37	5.1	37	4.9
Hispanic	311	42.8	324	43.1
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	3	0.4	1	0.1
White	125	17.2	88	11.7
Two or More Races	19	2.6	13	1.7
Ethnicity Unknown	31	4.3	43	5.7
Non-Resident Alien	23	3.2	33	4.4
Total	727	100.0	751	100.0

Total - Country of Citizenship	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Argentina	1	0.1	.	.
Canada	3	0.4	1	0.1
China	1	0.1	2	0.3
Cote d'Ivoire	1	0.1	.	.
Cuba	.	.	1	0.1
Equatorial Guinea	1	0.1	.	.
France	1	0.1	.	.
Germany	.	.	1	0.1
Honduras	1	0.1	4	0.5
Mexico	2	0.3	4	0.5
Netherlands	.	.	1	0.1
Nigeria	5	0.7	6	0.8
Norway	1	0.1	.	.
Philippines	1	0.1	.	.
South Africa	1	0.1	1	0.1
Spain	.	.	2	0.3
Sweden	3	0.4	.	.
Thailand	.	.	1	0.1
The Dem. Republic of the Congo	.	.	1	0.1
United Kingdom	2	0.3	4	0.5
United States	647	89.0	697	92.8
Unknown	54	7.4	21	2.8
Venezuela	2	0.3	2	0.3
Vietnam	.	.	2	0.3
Total	727	100.0	751	100.0

Total - State of Permanent Address	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Alabama	2	0.3	.	.
Arkansas	.	.	3	0.4
California	5	0.7	9	1.2
Colorado	.	.	4	0.5
Florida	3	0.4	2	0.3
Georgia	.	.	3	0.4
Illinois	.	.	2	0.3
Indiana	.	.	1	0.1
Iowa	1	0.1	.	.
Kentucky	.	.	2	0.3
Louisiana	4	0.6	5	0.7
Michigan	1	0.1	1	0.1
Minnesota	.	.	1	0.1
Mississippi	1	0.1	1	0.1
Nebraska	1	0.1	.	.
Nevada	2	0.3	2	0.3
New Mexico	.	.	1	0.1
New York	2	0.3	1	0.1
Non-U.S. Address	2	0.3	.	.
Ohio	1	0.1	3	0.4
Oklahoma	1	0.1	.	.
South Carolina	2	0.3	1	0.1
South Dakota	.	.	1	0.1
Tennessee	1	0.1	.	.
Texas	687	94.5	682	90.8
US Territories/Military Addr	.	.	1	0.1
Unknown	8	1.1	24	3.2
Washington	2	0.3	1	0.1
Wisconsin	1	0.1	.	.
Total	727	100.0	751	100.0

Total - County of Permanent Address (Texas)	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Anderson	1	0.1	1	0.1
Angelina	2	0.3	.	.
Austin	3	0.4	1	0.1
Bastrop	1	0.1	.	.
Bell	.	.	4	0.6
Bexar	9	1.3	7	1.0
Brazoria	32	4.7	44	6.5
Brazos	.	.	2	0.3
Burleson	.	.	1	0.1
Burnet	1	0.1	.	.
Cameron	6	0.9	2	0.3
Castro	.	.	1	0.1
Chambers	.	.	1	0.1
Collin	6	0.9	8	1.2
Comal	1	0.1	.	.
Dallas	8	1.2	16	2.3
DeWitt	1	0.1	.	.
Denton	4	0.6	5	0.7
Ector	.	.	1	0.1
El Paso	1	0.1	1	0.1
Ellis	2	0.3	2	0.3
Fort Bend	120	17.5	131	19.2
Franklin	1	0.1	.	.
Galveston	12	1.7	12	1.8
Gray	1	0.1	.	.
Grayson	1	0.1	.	.
Gregg	1	0.1	1	0.1
Grimes	1	0.1	.	.
Guadalupe	.	.	2	0.3
Hale	.	.	1	0.1
Hardin	.	.	2	0.3
Harris	373	54.3	347	50.9
Hays	1	0.1	.	.
Henderson	1	0.1	.	.
Hidalgo	6	0.9	3	0.4

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Total - County of Permanent Address (Texas)	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Hill	.	.	1	0.1
Hopkins	1	0.1	1	0.1
Houston	.	.	1	0.1
Jefferson	8	1.2	5	0.7
Jim Hogg	.	.	2	0.3
Karnes	1	0.1	.	.
Kaufman	2	0.3	4	0.6
Kendall	.	.	1	0.1
Lampasas	.	.	1	0.1
Lee	2	0.3	.	.
Liberty	6	0.9	3	0.4
Limestone	.	.	1	0.1
Lubbock	1	0.1	1	0.1
Madison	1	0.1	.	.
Matagorda	1	0.1	2	0.3
McLennan	1	0.1	2	0.3
Montgomery	20	2.9	18	2.6
Nacogdoches	1	0.1	1	0.1
Newton	.	.	1	0.1
Nueces	3	0.4	1	0.1
Orange	4	0.6	.	.
Panola	1	0.1	3	0.4
Parker	1	0.1	1	0.1
Polk	2	0.3	1	0.1
Refugio	1	0.1	.	.
Rockwall	1	0.1	3	0.4
San Patricio	1	0.1	.	.
Smith	2	0.3	1	0.1
Tarrant	10	1.5	15	2.2
Taylor	3	0.4	.	.
Travis	1	0.1	.	.
Tyler	1	0.1	.	.
Unknown	2	0.3	.	.
Uvalde	.	.	1	0.1
Victoria	.	.	2	0.3

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Total - County of Permanent Address (Texas)	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	**%**	**#**	**%**
Walker	.	.	1	0.1
Waller	7	1.0	1	0.1
Washington	4	0.6	1	0.1
Webb	.	.	3	0.4
Wharton	1	0.1	2	0.3
Williamson	1	0.1	3	0.4
Wilson	.	.	2	0.3
Total	687	100.0	682	100.0

Total - Religious Affiliation	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Anglican-Church of England	5	0.7	2	0.3
Assembly of God	8	1.1	8	1.1
Baptist	131	18.0	115	15.3
Buddhist	4	0.6	4	0.5
Catholic	107	14.7	119	15.8
Christian Scientist	1	0.1	1	0.1
Church of Christ	15	2.1	26	3.5
Church of God	16	2.2	8	1.1
Disciples of Christ (Christian	70	9.6	64	8.5
Eastern Orthodox	4	0.6	2	0.3
Episcopalian	1	0.1	1	0.1
Evangelical Free Church	19	2.6	20	2.7
Hindu	4	0.6	2	0.3
Jehovah's Witness	1	0.1	.	.
Jewish	1	0.1	.	.
Latter Day Saints (Mormon)	1	0.1	1	0.1
Lutheran	4	0.6	.	.
Methodist	9	1.2	6	0.8
Moslem (Islam, Muslim)	8	1.1	3	0.4
No Preference	53	7.3	29	3.9
Non-denominational	71	9.8	146	19.4
Other	30	4.1	23	3.1
Pentecostal	33	4.5	43	5.7
Presbyterian	2	0.3	3	0.4
Reformed	.	.	1	0.1
Seventh Day Adventist	4	0.6	7	0.9
Undeclared	125	17.2	117	15.6
Total	727	100.0	751	100.0

Interquartile Range	Fall 2023	Fall 2024
25th Percentile	960	1010
75th Percentile	1200	1190

	Fall 2023	Fall 2024
Mean	1083	1089

Total - SAT Distribution	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
< 900	34	13.7	31	12.4
900-990	40	16.1	28	11.2
1000-1090	55	22.2	66	26.5
1100-1190	56	22.6	63	25.3
1200-1290	33	13.3	36	14.5
1300+	30	12.1	25	10.0
Total	248	100.0	249	100.0

Total Median Scores by Sex	Fall 2023			Fall 2024		
	Verbal	Math	Total	Verbal	Math	Total
Male	570	550	1110	560	550	1110
Female	540	520	1060	550	530	1060

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Interquartile Range	Fall 2023	Fall 2024
25th Percentile	19	17
75th Percentile	28	24

	Fall 2023	Fall 2024
Mean	23	21

Total - ACT Distribution	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
< 20	15	28.3	25	52.1
20-21	5	9.4	3	6.3
22-24	8	15.1	11	22.9
25-27	10	18.9	4	8.3
28-29	7	13.2	1	2.1
30+	8	15.1	4	8.3
Total	53	100.0	48	100.0

Total Median Scores by Sex	Fall 2023			Fall 2024		
	Engl	Math	Comp	Engl	Math	Comp
Male	21	23	25	21	20	21
Female	21	23	22	19	18	19

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Total - Full/Part-Time Status	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Full-Time	675	92.8	691	92.0
Part-Time	52	7.2	60	8.0
Total	727	100.0	751	100.0

Total Average Credit Hour Load*	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	Average	#	Average
College of Arts and Humanities	121	14.0	121	13.8
School of Christian Thought	21	9.4	28	8.7
Dunham College of Business	122	13.8	108	13.1
College of Education/Beh Sci	75	12.5	56	11.8
School of Nursing and Allied Health	187	14.6	162	14.1
College of Science and Engineering	188	14.5	260	14.6
Total	714	14.0	735	13.7

Total - High School Class Quartile*	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
First Quartile	225	43.4	213	46.5
Second Quartile	199	38.3	152	33.2
Third Quartile	80	15.4	77	16.8
Fourth Quartile	15	2.9	16	3.5
Total	519	100.0	458	100.0

* High School Quartile data may not be available for each student in the class. Therefore, the total does not equal the total class size.

Total - Program of Study	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
BS in Nursing	115	15.8	79	10.5
Bachelor of Arts	197	27.1	212	28.2
Bachelor of Business Admin.	89	12.2	72	9.6
Bachelor of Fine Arts	37	5.1	38	5.1
Bachelor of Music	4	0.6	4	0.5
Bachelor of Music Education	8	1.1	6	0.8
Bachelor of Science	277	38.1	340	45.3
Total	727	100.0	751	100.0

Total - First Major	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
Accounting	19	2.6	16	2.1
Animation	4	0.6	11	1.5
Biblical Studies	10	1.4	16	2.1
Bilingual Elementary Education	2	0.3	.	.
Biochemistry/Molecular Biology	49	6.7	25	3.3
Biology	38	5.2	41	5.5
Business Administration	30	4.1	36	4.8
Chemistry	10	1.4	5	0.7
Christian Ministry	4	0.6	4	0.5
Christianity	.	.	2	0.3
Cinematic Arts	5	0.7	2	0.3
Classics	2	0.3	.	.
Computer Science	37	5.1	54	7.2
Creative Writing	3	0.4	5	0.7
Criminal Justice	16	2.2	29	3.9
Cyber Engineering	12	1.7	22	2.9
Cyber Security	9	1.2	42	5.6
EC-12 Art w/Certification	1	0.1	.	.
EC-6 /All-Level Sp Ed EC-12	3	0.4	.	.
ELA 7-12 w/ Cert & ESL/SPED	.	.	1	0.1
Electrical Engineering	21	2.9	45	6.0
Elem Ed w/ Bilingual & SPED	3	0.4	7	0.9
Elem Ed w/ ESL & SPED	6	0.8	8	1.1
Elem. Ed EC-6 w/Sp ED/ESL	4	0.6	.	.
Elementary Ed w/ Special Ed	1	0.1	.	.
Elementary Education w/ ESL	4	0.6	.	.
Engl/Lang Arts 7-12 w/ ESL	1	0.1	.	.
English	4	0.6	.	.
Finance	18	2.5	15	2.0
General Business	4	0.6	.	.
Graphic Design	8	1.1	12	1.6
History	5	0.7	2	0.3
Information Systems	8	1.1	19	2.5
Integrated Behavioral Studies	1	0.1	2	0.3
Interdisciplinary Stds-Non Ed	3	0.4	3	0.4

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Total - First Major	Fall 2023		Fall 2024	
	#	%	#	%
International Business	10	1.4	7	0.9
Kinesiology EC-12 w/ Cert.	2	0.3	2	0.3
Kinesiology-Allied Health	17	2.3	15	2.0
Kinesiology-Sport Management	17	2.3	27	3.6
Kinesiology-Wellness Mgmt	19	2.6	16	2.1
Learning, Technology & Design	.	.	2	0.3
Legal Studies	23	3.2	19	2.5
Management	19	2.6	18	2.4
Marketing	22	3.0	16	2.1
Math 7-12 w/ Cert & ESL/SPED	2	0.3	.	.
Mathematics	4	0.6	7	0.9
Mathematics 7-12 w/ESL	1	0.1	1	0.1
Medical Humanities	2	0.3	4	0.5
Music	5	0.7	2	0.3
Music Performance-Piano	.	.	1	0.1
Music Performance-Voice	4	0.6	3	0.4
Music-Instrumental	3	0.4	1	0.1
Music-Vocal/Keyboard	6	0.8	5	0.7
Narrative Arts	2	0.3	1	0.1
Nursing	134	18.4	104	13.8
Philosophy	.	.	3	0.4
Political Science	2	0.3	3	0.4
Pre-Cinematic Arts	15	2.1	.	.
Psychology	54	7.4	51	6.8
Science 7-12 w/Cert & ESL/SPED	1	0.1	.	.
Social Studies 7-12 w/ESL	1	0.1	.	.
Span EC-12 w/Cert & SPED	1	0.1	.	.
Spanish-Teacher Certification	1	0.1	.	.
Studio Art	4	0.6	1	0.1
Theological Studies	4	0.6	4	0.5
Undeclared	4	0.6	6	0.8
Video Game Design	3	0.4	8	1.1
Total	727	100.0	751	100.0