





Quick Facts about Southwestern Students

Spring 2023

Retention/Graduation	N
First-semester retention rate (Fall 2022 cohort)	96%
First-year retention rate (Fall 2021 cohort)	79%
Four-year graduation rate (Fall 2018 cohort)	67%
Six-year graduation rate (Fall 2016 cohort)	72%

Fast Facts	N
Number of full-time faculty	114
Student to faculty ratio	12:1
Average class size	17
Total enrollment	1390
Full-time students	1355
Part-time students	32
Audit only	3

Transfer students	N
Number of applicants	103
Number of acceptances	43
Number of matriculants	16

Student Population Types	N	%
New first-year students*	1	0.0%
New spring transfer students	16	1%
Continuing or readmitted students	1369	98%
Other (audit only, visiting,	4	0.3%
exchange, or employees)		

All enrolled students	N	%
Pell recipients this semester	324	23%
Ever Pell eligible	400	29%
First-generation	247	18%
Hispanic	379	27%
Female	753	54%
Underrepresented groups **	502	36%
Non-traditional (25 or older)	40	3%
From a transfer cohort	154	11%
From outside of Texas	215	15%
Number of states represented	38	
Number of countries represented	16	



st Southwestern accepts new first-year students in the Fall semester only, with few exceptions

^{**} Underrepresented includes Hispanic, Black, or African American, American Indian or Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander, or multi-race if at least one of the races is underrepresented.