



## Quick Facts about Southwestern Students

Fall 2023

Retention/Graduation	N
First-semester retention rate (Fall 2022 cohort)	96%
First-year retention rate (Fall 2022 cohort)	83%
Four-year graduation rate (Fall 2019 cohort)	66%
Six-year graduation rate (Fall 2017 cohort)	69%

Percent of graduates who	N
Graduate within four years (Fall 2015 cohort)	92%
Completed an internship	92%
Employed or attending graduate/professional school within one year of graduation	98%

Fast facts	N
Number of full-time faculty	115
Student to faculty ratio	11:1
Average class size	17
Total Enrollment	1459
Full-time students	1443
Part-time students	14
Audit only	2

First-year students	N
Number of applicants	6585
Number of acceptances	2573
Number of matriculants	403

Transfer students	N
Number of applicants	384
Number of acceptances	138
Number of matriculants	58

Student Population Types	N	%
New first-year students	403	28%
New fall transfer students	58	4%
Continuing or readmitted students	993	68%
Other (audit only, visiting, exchange, high school, or employees)	5	0.3%

First-year students	N	%
Pell recipient this semester	113	28%
Ever Pell eligible	113	28%
First-generation	97	24%
Hispanic	123	31%
Female	226	56%
Underrepresented groups*	167	41%
Non-traditional (25 or older)	1	0.2%
From outside of Texas	45	11%
Number of states represented	21	
Number of countries represented	9	

All enrolled students	N	%
Pell recipient this semester	351	24%
Ever Pell eligible	438	30%
First-generation	289	20%
Hispanic	413	28%
Female	801	55%
Underrepresented groups*	555	38%
Non-traditional (25 or older)	40	3%
From a transfer cohort	172	12%
Received any financial aid	1417	97%
From outside of Texas	208	14%
Number of states represented	37	
Number of countries represented	22	



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