

Quick Facts about Southwestern Students

Spring 2019

Retention/Graduation	N
First-semester retention rate (Fall 2018 cohort)	95%
First-year retention rate (Fall 2017 cohort)	81%
Four-year graduation rate (Fall 2014 cohort)	66%
Six-year graduation rate (Fall 2012 cohort)	74%

Fast facts	N
Number of full-time faculty	110
Student to faculty ratio	12:1
Average class size	18
Total Enrollment	1376
Full-time students	1349
Part-time students	22
Audit only	5

Transfer students	N
Number of applicants	81
Number of acceptances	32
Number of matriculants	21

Student Population Types	N	%
New first-year students*	0	0%
New spring transfer students	21	2%
Continuing or readmitted students	1348	98%
Other (audit only, visiting,	7	1%
exchange, or employees)		

All enrolled students	N	%
Pell recipient this semester	342	25%
Ever Pell eligible	399	29%
First-generation	251	18%
Hispanic	330	24%
Female	761	55%
Underrepresented groups**	444	32%
Non-traditional (25 or older)	42	3%
From a transfer cohort	135	10%
From outside of Texas	133	10%
Number of states represented	30	
Number of countries represented	10	

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*Southwestern accepts new first-year students in the Fall semester only

**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