





Quick Facts about Southwestern Students

Fall 2020

Retention/Graduation	N
First-semester retention rate (Fall 2019 cohort)	93%
First-year retention rate (Fall 2019 cohort)	86%
Four-year graduation rate (Fall 2016 cohort)	64%
Six-year graduation rate (Fall 2014 cohort)	73%

Percent of graduates who	N
Graduate within four years (Fall 2012 cohort)	90%
Completed an internship	72%
Employed or attending graduate/professional	86%
school within 1 year of graduation	

Fast facts	N
Number of full-time faculty	108
Student to faculty ratio	13:1
Average class size	19
Total Enrollment	1506
Full-time students	1488
Part-time students	17
Audit only	1

First-year students	N
Number of applicants	4578
Number of acceptances	2260
Number of matriculants	361

Transfer students	N
Number of applicants	271
Number of acceptances	111
Number of matriculants	50

Student Population Types	N	%
New first-year students	361	24%
New fall transfer students	50	3%
Continuing or readmitted students	1094	73%
Other (audit only, visiting,	1	0%
exchange, or employees)		

First-year students	N	%
Pell recipient this semester	120	33%
Ever Pell eligible	120	33%
First-generation	65	18%
Hispanic	105	29%
Female	194	54%
Underrepresented groups*	141	39%
Non-traditional (25 or older)	0	0%
From outside of Texas	48	13%
Number of states represented	21	
Number of countries represented	4	

All enrolled students	N	%
Pell recipient this semester	375	25%
Ever Pell eligible	462	31%
First-generation	259	17%
Hispanic	383	25%
Female	827	55%
Underrepresented groups*	511	34%
Non-traditional (25 or older)	44	3%
From a transfer cohort	165	11%
Received any financial aid	1479	98%
From outside of Texas	178	12%
Number of states represented	33	
Number of countries represented	12	



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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