



Quick Facts about Southwestern Students

Fall 2018

Retention/Graduation	N
First-semester retention rate (Fall 2017 cohort)	93%
First-year retention rate (Fall 2017 cohort)	81%
Four-year graduation rate (Fall 2014 cohort)	66%
Six-year graduation rate (Fall 2012 cohort)	74%

Percent of graduates who	N
Graduate within four years (Fall 2010 cohort)	91%
Completed an internship for academic credit	71%
Employed or attending graduate/professional school within 1 year of graduation	90%

Fast facts	N
Number of full-time faculty	110
Student to faculty ratio	12:1
Average class size	18
Total Enrollment	1434
Full-time students	1416
Part-time students	14
Audit only	4

First-year students	N
Number of applicants	4551
Number of acceptances	2049
Number of matriculants	442

Transfer students	N
Number of applicants	245
Number of acceptances	81
Number of matriculants	46

Student Population Types	N	%
New first-year students	442	31%
New fall transfer students	46	3%
Continuing or readmitted students	940	66%
Other (audit only, visiting, exchange, or employees)	6	0%

First-year students	N	%
Pell recipient this semester	109	25%
Ever Pell eligible	110	25%
First-generation	91	21%
Hispanic	103	23%
Female	226	51%
Underrepresented groups*	137	31%
Non-traditional (25 or older)	0	0%
From outside of Texas	44	10%
Number of states represented	19	
Number of countries represented	6	

All enrolled students	N	%
Pell recipient this semester	357	25%
Ever Pell eligible	421	29%
First-generation	260	18%
Hispanic	344	24%
Female	789	55%
Underrepresented groups*	462	32%
Non-traditional (25 or older)	43	3%
From a transfer cohort	134	9%
Received any financial aid	1404	98%
From outside of Texas	141	10%
Number of states represented	33	
Number of countries represented	13	

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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