

Mississippi State University

Student Enrollment Profile

Fall 2015

Main Campus Only

Office of Institutional Research and Effectiveness

SUMMARY

- Main Campus enrollment stands at 20,429 this number includes those students who are enrolled exclusively on-line
- The 3,879 African American students enrolled represent 19.0% and the total minority enrollment is 5,047 or 24.7%. Both based on total main campus enrollment
(minority=Black/African Am, Am Indian/Alaskan Native, Asian, Hispanic, Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, Multiracial)
- Enrollment of First-Time Freshmen increased by 497 students, from 2,974 Fall 2014 to 3,471 Fall 2015
- Average ACT score for First-Time Freshmen is 24.0
- 36 National Merit Finalist

CURRENT REGISTRATION

Undergraduates	
First-time Freshmen	3,471
Returning	11,238
Readmitted	403
New Transfer	1,759
Transient	85
High School Students taking College Courses	56
Non-Formula Student 21 and Over	35
Returning Post Baccalaureate	0
Other	6
Total Undergraduates	17,053
Graduate & Professional Students	
New Graduate	652
Returning	2,389
First Professional	335
Total Graduate/Professionals	3,376
Total Enrollment	20,429

By College	Undergraduates	Graduates
Agriculture & Life Sciences	1,981	406
Architecture, Art & Design	652	
Arts & Sciences	4,207	715
Business	2,184	311
Education	2,714	657
Engineering	3,479	626
Forest Resources	395	136
*Veterinary Medicine	95	401
**Other	1,346	124
Total Enrollment	17,053	3,376

*Includes Professional Students

**Other includes – Acad Affairs, Graduate School and Special Non-Degree

ENROLLMENT CHARACTERISTICS

Fall 2015			
	Under Graduates	Graduates	Total
Class			
Freshmen	4,430		4,430
Sophomore	3,289		3,289
Junior	3,911		3,911
Senior	5,423		5,423
Master		1,875	1,875
Educational Specialist		28	28
Doctoral		1,138	1,138
Professional		335	335
Undergraduate Enrollment 83.5% / Graduate & Professional 16.5%			
Gender			
Female	8,287	1,641	9,928
Male	8,766	1,735	10,501
Female Enrollment 48.6% / Male Enrollment 51.4%			
Race			
Am Indian/Alaskan Native	79	11	90
Asian	211	55	266
Black or African American	3,492	387	3,879
Hispanic	416	86	502
Multiracial	254	41	295
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Isld	11	4	15
White	12,246	2,239	14,485
Non-Resident Alien	253	519	772
Race Ethnic Unknown	91	34	125
Minority Enrollment currently 24.7%			
Age			
Under 18	64	0	64
18 and 19	5,045	0	5,045
20 and 21	6,356	22	6,378
22 to 24	4,114	829	4,943
25 to 29	802	1,121	1,923
30 to 34	269	609	878
35 to 39	154	309	463
40 to 49	168	340	508
50 to 64	65	133	198
65 and Over	16	13	29
* Average Age of ALL Students 23.0*			
Residency			
In-State	11,996	1,664	13,660
Out-of-State	4,804	1,193	5,997
Outside the U.S.	253	519	772
Total Enrollment	17,053	3,376	20,429

ENROLLMENT TRENDS

- Mississippi counties with the highest student enrollment:**

Oktibbeha	1,129	Hinds	921
Madison	1,033	DeSoto	827
Rankin	927	Harrison	674

- Students enrolled from adjacent states:**

Alabama	1,309	Louisiana	282
Tennessee	1,303	Arkansas	144

- Currently students are enrolled from 88 countries. The following countries have the largest enrollment:**

India	127	Iran	41
China	126	Brazil	36
Nepal	48	Sri Lanka	29

TOTAL ENROLLMENT Fall Semesters

Year	Undergraduates	Graduates/ Professional	Total
2004	11,990	3,127	15,117
2005	11,644	2,751	14,395
2006	11,697	2,725	14,422
2007	12,660	3,578	16,238
2008	13,490	3,637	17,127
2009	14,135	3,857	17,992
2010	15,073	3,962	19,035
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2011	15,845	3,985	19,830
2012	15,944	3,866	19,810
2013	15,993	3,643	19,636
2014	16,128	3,507	19,635
2015	17,053	3,376	20,429

	Fall 2015 %	*Fall 2014 %	*Fall 2013 %	*Fall 2012 %	*Fall 2011 %	*Fall 2010 %
Black/African Am	18.99	18.83	19.22	20.17	20.40	19.45
Am Ind/Alaskan Native	0.44	0.44	0.53	0.46	0.44	0.38
Asian	1.30	1.34	1.25	1.23	1.26	1.10
Hispanic	2.46	2.28	2.00	1.88	1.84	1.72
White	70.90	70.89	70.98	70.06	69.31	69.99
*Native Hawaiian/Pac Is	0.07	0.09	0.10	0.08	0.09	0.14
*Multiracial	1.44	1.36	1.27	1.13	1.07	1.02
Non-Resident Alien	3.78	3.97	3.78	3.82	4.01	4.16
Race/Ethnic Unknown	0.61	0.80	0.87	1.19	1.59	2.04

*New race categories as mandated by IPEDS

- The highest undergraduate program enrollment is in Kinesiology (KINE) with 1,247 students, followed by Biological Sciences (BIO) with 952 students
- The highest graduate enrollment program is in Geosciences (GG) with 205 students, followed by Engineering (ENGR) with 194 students
- The professional student enrollment in Veterinary Medicine (DVM) is 335
- Undeclared - undergraduate student enrollment (UND) is 1,255
- Unclassified - graduate student enrollment (UNC) is 124

COMMUNITY COLLEGES

- Total of 1,759 new transfer students enrolled for Fall 2015 semester. Of those 1,282 were from Mississippi Community Colleges, compared to 1,149 for Fall 2014 semester:

NEW UNDERGRADUATE TRANSFERS From Mississippi Community Colleges

Coahoma Community College	4
Copiah-Lincoln Community College	58
East Central Community College	94
East Mississippi Community College	168
Hinds Community College	105
Holmes Community College	131
Itawamba Community College	182
Jones County Junior College	112
Meridian Community College	60
Mississippi Delta Community College	21
Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College	94
Northeast Mississippi Community College	84
Northwest Mississippi Community College	108
Pearl River Community College	46
Southwest Mississippi Community College	15
Total	1,282

ACT INFORMATION

- First-Time Entering Freshmen enrollment increased from 2,974 for Fall 2014 to 3,471 for Fall 2015. The average ACT score of first-time freshmen is 24.0

ACT COMPOSITE SCORE

Category	Average	High	Low
Total First-Time Freshmen	24.0	36	12
First-Time Males	24.5	36	13
First-Time Females	23.5	12	35

Average Score by Section

English	25.05
Mathematics	23.24
Reading	25.37
Natural Science	24.24

Average Score by Race

Black or African American	20.10
American Indian/Alaskan Native	22.80
Asian	26.21
Hispanic	23.95
White	25.34
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	20.33
Multiracial	23.43
Non-Resident Alien	23.47
Race/Ethnic Unknown	20.83

Average Score by Residency

In-State	23.47
Out-of-State	24.78
Outside the U.S.	23.47

Enrollment by College by Major

Main Campus Only

Fall 2015

College/School	Major Code	Major	Undergraduate	Graduate	Total
Agriculture & Life Sciences					
	ADS	Animal & Dairy Science	338	0	338
	AEE	Ag Extension Education	0	28	28
	AETB	Agri Engineering Technology & Business	98	0	98
	AGB	Agribusiness	126	0	126
	AGBM	Agribusiness Management	0	5	5
	AGN	Agronomy	126	0	126
	AGR	Agriculture	0	80	80
	AGS	Agricultural Science	76	87	163
	AIS	Agricultural Information Sciences	67	0	67
	ALSC	Agricultural Life Sciences	0	31	31
	BCH	Biochemistry	452	0	452
	CULY	Culinology	12	0	12
	EEM	Environmental Economics & Mgt	27	0	27
	ESAS	Environmental Sci in Ag System	2	0	2
	FSNH	Food Science, Nutrition, Health Promotion	139	0	139
	HDFS	Human Development & Family Studies	0	29	29
	HO	Horticulture	78	0	78
	HS	Human Sciences	304	0	304
	LA	Landscape Architecture	55	19	74
	LAC	Landscape Contracting	27	0	27
	LFSC	Life Science	0	21	21
	MOLB	Molecular Biology	0	11	11
	NFSH	Food Science, Nutrition, Health Promotion	0	95	95
	PO	Poultry Science	54	0	54
TOTAL Agriculture & Life Sciences			1,981	406	2,387
Architecture, Art & Design					
	ARC	Architecture	186	0	186
	ART	Art	104	0	104
	BCS	Building Construction Science	92	0	92
	ID	Design	105	0	105
	PARC	Pre-Architecture	23	0	23
	UART	Undeclared-Art	142	0	142
TOTAL Architecture, Art & Design			652		652
Arts & Sciences					
	AN	Anthropology	62	0	62
	APAN	Applied Anthropology	0	48	48
	APSY	Applied Psychology	0	25	25
	AT	Applied Technology	2	0	2
	BIO	Biological Sciences	952	45	997
	BSIS	Interdisciplinary Studies	187	0	187
	CH	Chemistry	137	58	195
	CO	Communication	554	0	554
	COG	Cognitive Sciences	0	8	8
	CRIM	Criminology	242	0	242
	EASC	Earth and Atmospheric Sciences	0	24	24
	ECAS	Economics – A&S	24	0	24
	EN	English	100	28	128
	FL	Foreign Language	32	11	43
	GBIO	General Biology	0	44	44
	GG	Geosciences	524	205	729
	GLA	General Liberal Arts	4	0	4
	GSC	General Science	7	0	7
	HI	History	102	52	154
	IDS	Interdisciplinary Sciences	0	0	0
	MA	Mathematics	78	16	94

Enrollment by College by Major Main Campus Only Fall 2015

College/School	Major Code	Major	Undergraduate	Graduate	Total
	MASC	Mathematical Sciences	0	14	14
	MEDT	Medical Technology	57	0	57
	MIC	Microbiology	89	0	89
	MU	Music	31	0	31
	PH	Physics	37	19	56
	PPA	Public Policy & Administration	0	68	68
	PR	Philosophy	33	0	33
	PRIS	Pre-Interdisciplinary Studies	172	0	172
	PS	Political Science	179	4	183
	PSY	Psychology	422	1	423
	SO	Sociology	42	35	77
	ST	Statistics	0	10	10
	SW	Social Work	138	0	138
TOTAL Arts & Sciences			4,207	715	4,922
Business					
	ACC	Accounting	222	30	252
	BA	Business Administration	0	191	191
	BIS	Business Information Systems	122	0	122
	BUAD	Business Administration	620	0	620
	BUSI	Business Administration – MR	15	0	15
	ECO	Business Economics	76	0	76
	FINA	Finance	261	0	261
	GAEC	Applied Economics	0	5	5
	GBA	General Business Administration	1	0	1
	INFS	Information Systems	0	27	27
	INS	Insurance	3	0	3
	MGT	Management	163	0	163
	MKT	Marketing	463	0	463
	PACC	Pre-Accounting	238	0	238
	PM	Project Management	0	48	48
	TAX	Taxation	0	10	10
TOTAL Business			2,184	311	2,495
Education					
	CED	Community College Education	0	23	23
	CIED	Curriculum & Instruction	0	37	37
	COE	Counselor Education	0	77	77
	EDAD	Elementary, Middle & Sec Educ Admin	0	48	48
	EDLS	School Administration	0	4	4
	EDUC	Education	0	30	30
	ELED	Elementary Education	641	8	649
	EPY	Educational Psychology	191	36	227
	EXAR	Special Education Alternate Route	0	11	11
	EXED	Special Education	75	10	85
	INDT	Industrial Technology	124	0	124
	ISWD	Instruct. Sys & Workforce Dev	0	48	48
	IT	Instructional Technology	0	8	8
	ITS	Information Tech Services	75	0	75
	KINE	Kinesiology	1,247	63	1,310
	MLAR	Middle Level Alternate Route	0	62	62
	MST	Technology	0	3	3
	MUED	Music Education	71	0	71
	PHCE	Student Counseling & Personnel Ser.	0	11	11
	PHCL	Community College Leadership	0	71	71
	PHSE	Counselor Ed/Student Counseling	0	12	12
	SEED	Secondary Education	273	10	283

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College/School	Major Code	Major	Undergraduate	Graduate	Total
	STAR	Secondary Teacher Alt Route	0	65	65
	TTE	Technology Teacher Education	17	0	17
	WEL	Workforce Education Leadership	0	20	20
TOTAL Education			2,714	657	3,371
Engineering					
	ASE	Aerospace Engineering	272	38	310
	BE	Biological Engineering	397	2	399
	BME	Biomedical Engineering	0	22	22
	CE	Civil Engineering	433	63	496
	CHE	Chemical Engineering	458	3	461
	CME	Computational Engineering	0	7	7
	CPE	Computer Engineering	183	0	183
	CS	Computer Science	263	66	329
	ECPE	Electrical & Computer Engineering	0	94	94
	EE	Electrical Engineering	280	0	280
	ENGR	Engineering	0	194	194
	IE	Industrial Engineering	160	37	197
	ISE	Industrial and Systems Engineering	0	57	57
	ME	Mechanical Engineering	823	43	866
	PTE	Petroleum Engineering	58	0	58
	SE	Software Engineering	103	0	103
	UENG	Engineering Undeclared	49	0	49
TOTAL Engineering			3,479	626	4,105
Forest Resources					
	FO	Forestry	171	37	208
	FOR	Forest Resources	0	57	57
	FP	Forest Products	0	10	10
	NREC	Nat Res & Envir Conservation	13	0	13
	WFA	Wildlife, Fisheries and Aqua	211	32	243
TOTAL Forest Resources			395	136	531
Veterinary Medicine					
	*CVM	Veterinary Medicine	0	335	335
	ENVT	Environmental Toxicology	0	7	7
	PVMT	Pre-Veterinary Medicine	61	0	61
	VMS	Veterinary Medical Science	0	59	59
	VMT	Veterinary Medical Technology	34	0	34
TOTAL Veterinary Medicine			95	401	496
Other					
	ATS	Academically Talented	56	0	56
	SND	Special Non-Degree	35	0	35
	UNC	Undeclared – Graduate	0	124	124
	UND	Undeclared - Undergraduates	1,255	0	1,255
TOTAL Other			1,346	124	1,470
TOTAL Main Campus			17,053	3,376	20,429

*Professional students

Composite ACT Score

First-Time Freshmen

Fall 2015

Test Score	Female	Male	Black	*Other	White	In-State	Out-of-State	Outside the US
12	2	0	1	1	0	0	2	0
13	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
14	3	2	5	0	0	3	2	0
15	10	14	19	3	2	18	5	1
16	49	26	58	5	12	53	22	0
17	78	50	86	9	33	101	24	3
18	119	89	127	14	67	146	62	0
19	105	103	104	11	93	158	47	3
20	157	121	121	18	139	200	78	0
21	148	131	96	21	162	191	85	3
22	152	96	59	22	167	143	103	2
23	128	107	36	13	186	128	106	1
24	128	103	36	17	178	132	97	2
25	121	103	25	21	178	118	102	4
26	160	109	23	27	219	121	143	5
27	116	107	8	21	194	98	125	0
28	98	74	6	7	159	73	96	3
29	79	92	11	11	149	98	72	1
30	54	80	9	9	116	79	53	2
31	60	72	3	9	120	80	52	0
32	35	54	1	4	84	51	38	0
33	18	43	0	3	58	41	20	0
34	18	33	0	4	47	33	18	0
35	1	19	0	3	17	9	11	0
36	0	2	0	0	2	1	1	0
Total #	1,839	1,631	834	253	2,383	2,076	1,364	30
Average ACT Score	23.53	24.51	20.10	23.99	25.34	23.47	24.78	23.47

*Other includes- American Indian, Asian, Hispanic, Multiracial and Native Hawaiian

Total Number of First-Time Entering Freshmen – Fall 2015= 3,471

Overall ACT Composite Score for First-Time Entering Freshmen = 24.0

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First-Time Freshmen

Fall 2015

Test Score	Agriculture & Life Sciences	Architecture, Art & Design	Arts & Sciences	Business	Education	Engineering	Forestry	Veterinary Medicine	*Other
12	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
14	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	1
15	2	0	7	3	4	0	0	0	8
16	7	1	29	7	10	0	1	0	20
17	15	4	34	13	20	3	3	1	35
18	22	4	53	20	24	2	3	1	79
19	16	10	49	16	27	7	2	0	81
20	32	13	70	26	29	24	6	2	76
21	46	6	66	38	30	27	10	2	54
22	47	13	55	28	32	29	5	3	36
23	37	11	52	29	27	51	7	0	21
24	30	12	51	21	28	56	0	2	31
25	34	8	58	28	21	55	5	2	13
26	35	12	55	27	28	80	6	2	24
27	25	11	49	25	23	66	6	4	14
28	14	4	46	6	23	57	6	3	13
29	19	4	25	23	8	75	4	1	12
30	14	2	20	17	9	62	2	1	7
31	15	4	26	9	9	63	3	0	3
32	8	2	14	4	4	53	1	1	2
33	5	0	9	0	1	43	1	0	2
34	3	2	10	3	0	31	0	0	2
35	1	0	2	0	0	16	0	0	1
36	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Total #	428	123	781	344	360	801	71	25	537
Avg. ACT Score	23.75	23.67	23.35	23.52	22.81	27.48	24.01	24.64	21.01

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Non-Formula Student 21 and Over	2
Total Undergraduates	422

	Meridian
Graduates	
New Graduates	14
Returning	73
Total Graduates	87
Total Enrollment	509

By College	Meridian
Agriculture and Life Sciences	1
Architecture, Art & Design	1
Arts & Sciences	153
Business	109
Education	206
*Other	39
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ENROLLMENT CHARACTERISTICS

	Meridian
Class	
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Sophomore	15
Junior	134
Senior	268
Master	72
Educational Specialist	13
Doctoral	2
Gender	
Female	358
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Age	
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20 and 21	90
22 to 24	129
25 to 29	89
30 to 34	71
35 to 39	32
40 to 49	63
50 to 64	27
65 and Older	7
* Average Age of ALL Students 30.3*	
Residency	
In-State	498
Out-of-State	11
Outside the U.S.	0