

SPRING 2021

CENSUS REPORT & ACADEMIC YEAR OUTCOMES

Student Headcount

Total Spring Headcount was 29,557 students, -0.1% decrease compared to the Spring 2020 semester. (Which was the highest Spring enrollment ever at 29,589 students.) Due to the pandemic, our enrollment models were a bit of a roller coaster. The Enrollment Management Team, along with our student-facing offices, and our campus partners, reached out to students (who would have otherwise have not enrolled) and helped them to enroll. A big thank you to the team who helped meet our goal of being within 1% of the target. We actually came within 0.1% of target.

Full-Time Equivalences

The total FTEs were 25,267 on census day, a 0.3% increase from the Spring 2020 semester.

We were able to comfortably achieve our FTEs target for the year, both at the CO level (23,077 FTEs Target) and at the university level (within 1% of previous year).

So, although we had a slight decrease in total headcount, there was an overall increase in our FTEs which means students are taking more units.

Academic Year Headcount Comparison

Our 2020-2021 Academic year was a roller coaster on many levels, and enrollment management was not immune to it. However, we persevered and our annualized academic year* headcount landed at 30,599 which was actually 146 more students compared to the 2019-2020 annualized academic year.

International Students Headcount Comparison

There is a slight increase in the overall international student population, 21 more students, when compared to our historical average (2017 to 2020). While we had a decrease in the number of international graduate students enrolling (-45 students) we had a significant increase in undergraduate students (+65 students).

2020-2021 Highlights

- Average Unit Load for our Hornet Launch Students Cohort: 14.03
- Total Average Unit Load increase between Spring 2020 and Spring 2021: +0.48%
- Total increase in student enrollment from AY 19/20 to AY 20/21: +146

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