



Enrollment by Term and Academic Level

Enrollment is a key performance indicator for Clark Atlanta University (CAU) Strategic Plan Goal 1: Enrollment and Student Success. As a performance metric, CAU tracks the undergraduate and graduate student enrollment.

Objective 1: Increase Undergraduate and Graduate student enrollment by 2023.

Goal: Fall Enrollment headcount is 4,110-4,230 (75% Undergraduate/25% Graduate composition).

Undergraduate and Graduate Enrollment, Fall 2018 - Fall 2020

	FALL 2018	FALL 2019	FALL 2020	Increase/Decrease over previous year	
				#	%
Total Students Enrolled:	3911	3920	3776	-144	-3.67
Total Full-Time Equivalent (FTE):	3761	3779	3608	-171	-4.53
Graduate Students	586	602	680	78	12.96
Undergraduate Students	3325	3318	3096	-222	-6.69
Undergraduate Student Enrollment					
New Students	1084	957	937	-20	-2.09
Returning Students	2241	2361	2159	-202	-8.56
Full Time Students	3234	3255	2951	-304	-9.34
Part Time Students	91	63	145	82	130.16
Full Time Equivalent (FTE)*	3292	3291	3038	-253	-7.69
Male Students	830	803	739	-64	-7.97
Female Students	2495	2515	2357	-158	-6.28
University Housing***					
Graduate Student Enrollment					
New Students	170	232	231	-1	-0.43
Returning Students	416	370	449	79	21.35
Full Time Students	385	414	497	83	20.05
Part Time Students	201	188	183	-5	-2.66
Full Time Equivalent (FTE)*	469	488	571	83	17.01
Male Students	185	195	190	-5	-2.56
Female Students	401	407	490	83	20.39
University Housing***					
New Undergraduate Student Enrollment					
First-Time Freshmen	921	814	786	-28	-3.44
Transfers	158	136	147	11	8.09
Special (Non-Degree)	5	7	4	-3	-42.86
Total	1084	957	937	-20	-2.09

Sources: Banner by Ellucian/OPAR

Note: As of 9/28/2020.



Notes: Fall headcounts are unduplicated and include those students that were financially enrolled as of the University Official Fall Census capture for the referenced terms; "New Students" headcounts are unduplicated and include those students enrolled for the first-time during the referenced Fall and prior Summer terms; "Special (Non-Degree)" headcounts also include those students that are cross registered.

* Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) calculation

For undergraduate level students are as follows: Number of FT UG Headcount plus Total PT UG credit hours converted to FT (divide Total PT hours by 12).

For graduate level students are as follows: Number of FT GR Headcount plus Total PT GR credit hours converted to FT (divide Total PT hours by 9).

***University Housing counts were not included in the Fall 2020 Official Enrollment Census Report. The University's operations for the Fall 2020 semester is 100% online as a result of the Novel Coronavirus. University Housing counts for prior Fall terms are found in the Fact Book 2016-2020.