



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 2020 - Fall 2022

	FALL 2020	FALL 2021	FALL 2022	Increase/Decrease over previous year	
				#	%
Total Students Enrolled:	3776	4055	4000	-55	-1.36%
Total Full-Time Equivalent (FTE):	3608	3881	3766	-115	-2.96%
Graduate Students	680	665	573	-92	-13.83%
Undergraduate Students	3096	3390	3427	37	1.09%
Undergraduate Student Enrollment					
New Students	937	1269	1293	24	1.89%
Returning Students	2159	2121	2134	13	0.61%
Full Time Students	2951	3224	3257	33	1.02%
Part Time Students	145	166	170	4	2.41%
Full Time Equivalent (FTE)*	3038	3329	3314	-15	-0.45%
Male Students	739	803	807	4	0.50%
Female Students	2357	2587	2620	33	1.28%
University Housing***			1818	1818	
Graduate Student Enrollment					
New Students	231	217	193	-24	-11.06%
Returning Students	449	448	380	-68	-15.18%
Full Time Students	497	461	392	-69	-14.97%
Part Time Students	183	204	181	-23	-11.27%
Full Time Equivalent (FTE)*	571	552	452	-100	-18.12%
Male Students	190	183	162	-21	-11.48%
Female Students	490	482	411	-71	-14.73%
University Housing***			20	20	
New Undergraduate Student Enrollment					
First-Time Freshmen	786	1123	1157	34	3.03%
Transfers	147	139	133	-6	-4.32%
Special (Non-Degree)	4	7	3	-4	-57.14%
Total	937	1269	1293	24	1.89%

Sources: Banner by Ellucian/OPAR

Note: As of 9/26/2022.



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 2021 Official Enrollment Census Report. The University's operations for the Fall 2020 semester was 100% online as a result of the Novel Coronavirus. University Housing counts for prior Fall terms are found in the Fact Book 2016-2020.