

Student Achievement - Enrollment

Goal: Continue to Grow Texas Southmost College Student Body
Vision 2023 Goal: Foster Student Success
Criteria: Increase Fall-to-Fall enrollment headcount by 10% annually
Threshold of Acceptability: 8% growth in Fall-to-Fall enrollment headcount annually

Fall Headcount

	Enrollment Headcount	Fall-to-Fall Percent Change	
Fall 2016	5,062		Baseline
Fall 2017	6,216	+22.8%	Target Achieved
Fall 2018	7,130	+14.7%	Target Achieved
Fall 2019	8,628	+21.0%	Target Achieved
Fall 2020	8,777	+1.7%	Not Achieved
Fall 2021	7,527	-14.2%	Not Achieved
Fall 2022	7,648	+1.6%	Not Achieved

Fall Headcount - By Gender

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	% Change 2016-2022
Total	5,062	6,216	7,130	8,628	8,777	7,527	7,648	+51.2%
Male	2,171	2,649	3,156	3,748	3,633	3,074	3,189	+46.9%
Female	2,891	3,567	3,974	4,880	5,144	4,453	4,459	+54.2%

Fall Headcount - By Ethnicity

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	% Change 2016-2022
Total	5,062	6,216	7,130	8,628	8,777	7,527	7,648	+51.2%
White	141	192	208	263	243	186	184	+30.5%
African American	9	10	15	20	16	9	12	+33.3%
Hispanic	4,804	5,874	6,720	8,019	8,338	7,179	6,946	+44.6%
Asian	24	30	24	27	32	28	24	0%
International	30	20	20	25	22	17	13	-56.6%
Other	54	90	143	274	126	108	469	+768.5%

Results:

Texas Southmost College (TSC) regularly tracks enrollment headcount through the Office of Institutional Research. This data tracking takes place as part of the TSC’s Vision 2023 Strategic Plan. Institutional data for this outcome was derived from the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB), Accountability System Reports (2016 – 2022 reports) for Texas Community, Technical, and State Colleges. Even though the 10% annual target was not achieved in the years after the COVID pandemic (Fall 2020), TSC shows a positive trend in the last year. In addition, the 7-year percent change shows a 51.2% growth from 2016 to 2023.