Tennessee State University

Quick Facts

Fall 2016

Highest Offering Doctoral/Research Intensive

Established 1912
Affiliation or Control State

Carnegie Class Doctorate

Fall 2016 7,007 Undergraduate 1,746 Graduate 8,753 Total

Six-Year Grad. Rate (w/Clearinghouse Data)

Fall 2009 Cohort Total 40.0%

First-Time Freshmen Fall 2016 FTF HC 1,300 - Fall 2015 FTF HC 1,406 - Retained Fall 2016 780 - Retention

Total Degrees Awarded (Summer 2015 - Spring 2016) 1612 Degrees Awarded

Student Origins 43 States and 44 Countries

Student Residency 67.6% instate, 33.6% Davidson County

First Year Students Average ACT Composite Score

First Year Students Average High School GPA 2.8

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Faculty 363 Full-Time Faculty 181 Adjunct*

Student:Faculty Ratio 16:1

Students Age 25 and Older 1,711 Undergraduate Students, 1,476 Graduate Students(36% of Total)

Headcount by Race	UG			GR		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Alaskan Native	1	0	1	0	1	1
Am. Indian	3	10	13	0	4	4
Asian or Pacific Islander	33	46	79	14	37	51
Black, Non-Hispanic	1,822	3,312	5,134	232	521	753
Hispanic	40	71	111	6	23	29
Non-Resident Alien	509	40	549	110	77	187
Race/ethnicity unknown	25	47	72	9	21	30
White, Non-Hispanic	438	610	1,048	233	458	691
Total	2,871	4,136	7,007	604	1,142	1,746

Popular Majors (Top Five)	Headcount
Business Administration	565
Health Sciences	446
Criminal Justice	433
Biology	378
Nursing BSN	377
Mechanical Engineering	230