

FALL 2007 ON-CAMPUS ENROLLMENT SUMMARY

On-campus headcount enrollment increased to 17,428 in Fall 2007, up 458 students (2.7%) from 16,970 in Fall 2006. Degrees were sought by 16,089 undergraduate and 1,137 graduate students. Another 202 non-degree seeking students were enrolled in regular credit courses. There were 16,490 full-time and 938 part-time students. There were 461 more full-time and 3 fewer part-time students than Fall 2006. Full-time degree seeking undergraduate enrollment increased by 415 (2.7%). Out-of-state students accounted for 29.6% of on-campus enrollment, up slightly from 29.5% in Fall 2006. The entering freshman class had 3,867 students, up from 3,748 in Fall 2006. Past freshman performance suggests that roughly 91% of them will return in Fall 2008 and about 80% will graduate within six years. Undergraduate transfers decreased from 702 in Fall 2006 to 659 in Fall 2007. The number of enrolled students returning grew with 11,127 full-time undergraduates returning in Fall 2007, 341 students more than Fall 2006.

Applications for admission to the entering freshman class increased 3.3% to 18,352 in Fall 2007 from 17,765 in Fall 2006. The University accepted 11,660 (63.5%) of these freshman applicants, up from 11,137 (62.7%) in Fall 2006. The yield rate (percentage of accepted students who enrolled) decreased slightly from 33.7% in Fall 2006 to 33.2% in Fall 2007. The yield rate for Virginia applicants decreased slightly from 39.4% in Fall 2006 to 39.0% in Fall 2007. The out-of-state yield decreased slightly from 26.1% in Fall 2006 to 26.0% in Fall 2007. The percentage of minority entering class students in Fall 2007 was 11.5%, down from 13.0% in Fall 2006. The number of African-American entering class students decreased from 184 in Fall 2006 to 133 in Fall 2007. In-state African-American entering class students decreased from 160 to 114. Asian/Pacific Islanders were the largest minority group in the entering class with 180 students. 202 entering students were counted as Unreported (multiracial and unknown).

Mean SAT scores for the Fall 2007 entering class were 565 critical reading, 575 math, and 1,140 composite. Each of these scores for 2007 are equal to the scores for Fall 2006. The highest mean SAT score since recentering began in 1995 was 1,186 in Fall 1995. The 2007 national average SAT composite was 1,017, while the average for Virginia was 1,022.

The percentage of on-campus males increased for the first time since Fall 1995. Degree seeking undergraduate males increased from 6,115 (39.1%) in Fall 2006 to 6,371 (39.6%) in Fall 2007. Entering male freshmen increased from 1,314 (35.1%) in Fall 2006 to 1,465 (37.9%) in Fall 2007.

On-campus graduate enrollment (degree and non-degree seeking) increased 6.8% from 1,136 in Fall 2006 to 1,213 in Fall 2007. Full-time graduate enrollment increased from 770 in Fall 2006 to 839 in Fall 2007. Graduate students represent 7.0% of on-campus enrollment.

Ten-year summary tables follow on the next page. More detailed enrollment tables are published in the 2007-08 James Madison University *Statistical Summary*. The *Statistical Summary* is available online at <http://www.jmu.edu/instresrch>. Copies of the *Statistical Summary* are also placed on reserve in the Carrier Library.

TABLE 1

Fall On-Campus Headcount, 1998-2007

Fall	Degree Seeking		Non-degree Seeking	Total
	Undergraduate	Graduate		
1998	13,225	723	466	14,414
1999	13,668	680	466	14,814
2000	13,824	609	528	14,961
2001	14,069	651	432	15,152
2002	14,402	684	526	15,612
2003	14,683	702	384	15,769
2004	14,676	867	266	15,809
2005	15,282	959	305	15,546
2006	15,653	1,030	287	16,970
2007	16,089	1,137	202	17,428

TABLE 2

Fall Entering Class Acceptances and SAT Scores, 1998-2007

Fall	Applied	Accepted	Enrolled	Percent Accepted	Percent Enrolled	Mean SAT Composite
1998	13,157	7,818	2,973	59.4	38.0	1,175
1999	12,980	8,494	3,039	65.4	35.8	1,170
2000	13,573	8,712	3,226	64.2	37.0	1,171
2001	14,114	9,080	3,249	64.3	35.8	1,163
2002	15,639	9,048	3,283	57.9	36.3	1,165
2003	15,056	9,404	3,388	62.5	36.0	1,167
2004	15,013	9,472	3,285	63.1	34.7	1,162
2005	16,388	11,094	3,798	67.7	34.2	1,160
2006	17,765	11,137	3,748	62.7	33.7	1,140
2007	18,352	11,660	3,867	63.5	33.2	1,140

TABLE 3

Fall On-Campus Headcount by Gender and Academic Level, 1998-2007

Year	Degree Seeking Undergraduate		Degree Seeking Graduate		Non-degree Seeking		Total	
	Male/Pct	Female/Pct	Male/Pct	Female/Pct	Male/Pct	Female/Pct	Male/Pct	Female/Pct
1998	5,759 (43.6)	7,466 (56.4)	254 (35.1)	469 (64.9)	203 (43.6)	263 (56.4)	6,216 (43.1)	8,198 (56.9)
1999	5,837 (42.7)	7,831 (57.3)	232 (34.1)	448 (65.9)	177 (38.0)	289 (62.0)	6,246 (42.2)	8,568 (57.8)
2000	5,807 (42.0)	8,017 (58.0)	211 (34.6)	398 (65.4)	200 (37.9)	328 (62.1)	6,218 (41.6)	8,743 (58.4)
2001	5,829 (41.4)	8,240 (58.6)	227 (34.9)	424 (65.1)	159 (36.8)	273 (63.2)	6,215 (41.0)	8,937 (59.0)
2002	5,930 (41.2)	8,472 (58.8)	221 (32.3)	463 (67.7)	145 (27.6)	381 (72.4)	6,296 (40.3)	9,316 (59.7)
2003	5,889 (40.1)	8,794 (59.9)	221 (31.5)	481 (68.5)	122 (31.8)	262 (68.2)	6,232 (39.5)	9,537 (60.5)
2004	5,805 (39.6)	8,871 (60.4)	278 (32.1)	589 (67.9)	104 (39.1)	162 (60.9)	6,187 (39.1)	9,622 (60.9)
2005	6,020 (39.4)	9,262 (60.6)	304 (31.7)	655 (68.3)	98 (32.1)	207 (67.9)	6,422 (38.8)	10,124 (61.2)
2006	6,115 (39.1)	9,538 (60.9)	335 (32.5)	695 (67.5)	85 (29.6)	202 (70.4)	6,535 (38.5)	10,435 (61.5)
2007	6,371 (39.6)	9,718 (60.4)	377 (33.2)	760 (67.8)	72 (35.6)	130 (64.4)	6,820 (39.1)	10,608 (60.9)