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**W**elcome to Valdosta State, a comprehensive university - meaning we offer associate, bachelor, graduate, and doctoral degrees - that serves the heart of South Georgia in one of its largest cities. We love palm trees, live oaks, fountains, and sunny days on the Front Lawn. Our students love hands on experience, individual faculty interaction, and unique experiences like undergraduate research in the Florida Keys. Settled just fifteen minutes above the Florida state line, VSU offers in-state tuition to residents of Florida, as well as South Carolina, Alabama, and Tennessee.

At Valdosta State, students take learning beyond the classroom. Here, you can participate in research or practice with faculty members as early as your first year. You'll utilize technology from the hospital room to the news room and everywhere in between to gain professional-level knowledge in your field. You can study in over 100 locations around the world, then apply your experience at home. Whatever experience you're looking for, you can find it here.

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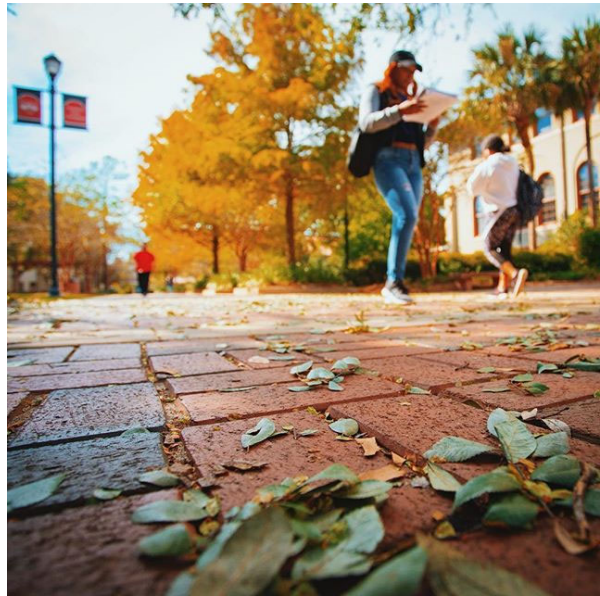
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# General Information



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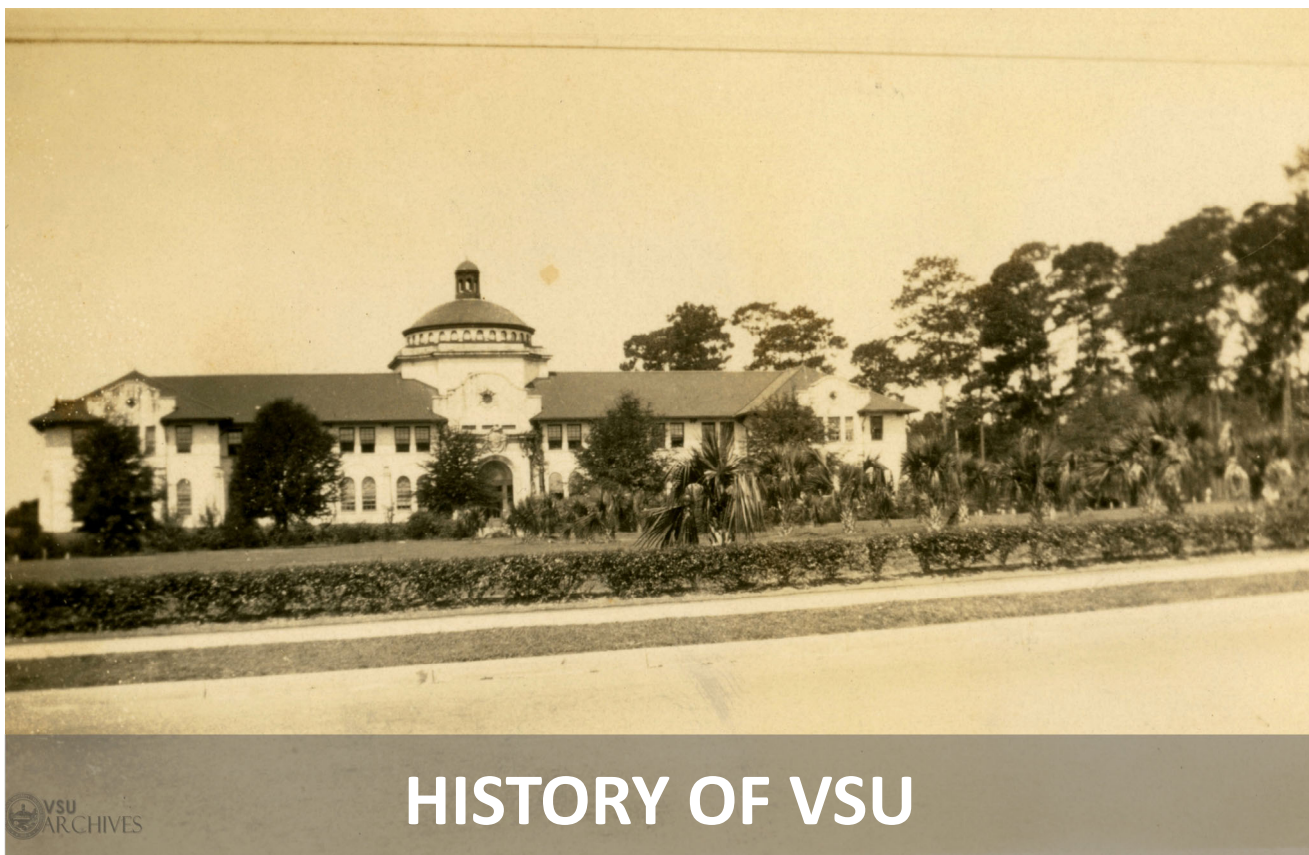
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### Quick Facts about VSU's History:

- Valdosta State College became a Regional University within the University System of Georgia on July 1, 1993; its name was officially changed to Valdosta State University. VSU celebrated its centennial years from 2006 to 2013, marking the institution's establishment and opening. VSU became a comprehensive university within the University System of Georgia on July 1, 2013.
- The seven colleges within the University are the College of Science & Mathematics, the College of Humanities & Social Sciences, the Langdale College of Business Administration, the Dewar College of Education & Human Services, the College of the Arts, the College of Nursing & Health Sciences, and the Honors College.
- VSU offers sixty bachelor programs, six certificate programs, one diploma seal program, and one associate program on the undergraduate level. At the graduate level, VSU offers forty-one master programs, eight education specialists programs, six endorsements, eight certificate programs, five certification programs, and six doctoral programs at the graduate level.
- In 2021, the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools reaffirmed VSU's regional accreditation as a part of its 10-year review process.



## HISTORY OF VSU

A special act by the Georgia General Assembly established an institution of higher learning in Valdosta, Georgia, in 1906. South Georgia State Normal College opened to young ladies on January 2, 1913 as a two-year college specializing in teacher training. An act by the General Assembly in 1922 changed the institution's name to Georgia State Woman's College at Valdosta and authorized a four-year liberal arts program leading to a bachelor's degree.

In 1950, after 37 years as a woman's college, the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia approved the coeducational status and a new name for the institution: Valdosta State College. During the following forty-three years, the school grew exponentially in numbers through expanded undergraduate and graduate degree programs. In 1993, Valdosta State College was named a Regional University by the Board of Regents and became Valdosta State University. In 2013 VSU became a Comprehensive University.

As a comprehensive university in South Georgia, VSU collaborates with other University System of Georgia (USG) institutions to provide educational programs to the university's 41-county service region. To expand its programmatic outreach, VSU continues to develop and offer distance learning programs and courses at off-campus locations throughout Georgia and online.

*Note: Photo courtesy of Valdosta State Archives.*



### **Concise Mission Statement**

As a comprehensive institution of the University System of Georgia, Valdosta State University (VSU) is a welcoming, aware, and vibrant community focused on and dedicated to serving our communities' rich and diverse heritages. Through excellence in teaching, basic and applied research, and service, VSU provides rigorous programs and opportunities that enrich our students, our university, and our region. As such, the VSU mission consists of three interrelated parts:

**Student Mission:** To provide a diverse student population with an inspired education, a safe learning environment, a nurturing community, and a wealth of experience that assists students in molding their futures in a creative, conscious, and caring fashion while preparing them to be lifelong learners who will meet the needs of a changing global society.

**University Mission:** To operate the university with a focus toward human, environmental, and financial sustainability while increasing value to our local, regional, national, and international stakeholders. To expand opportunities for our students, employees, and varied community members by promoting social justice and service learning.

**Regional Mission:** To provide our region and home with resources and support necessary to develop and sustain a higher quality of living, greater economic and community development, and inspired innovation that nurtures and respects our diverse population and beautiful environment while promoting academic outreach, public and private entrepreneurship, and collaboration with all regional entities. Valdosta State University fulfills its mission by focusing on inclusion in all aspects of the educational experience.

*Source: VSU Facts, 2016*



## Presidents of VSU



**Richard A. Carvajal**  
(2017 to present)

### Prior Presidents

Richard H. Powell (1913-1933)

Jere M. Pound (1933-1934)

Frank R. Reade (1935-1948)

J. Ralph Thaxton (1948-1966)

S. Walter Martin (1966-1978)

Hugh C. Bailey (1978-2001)

Ronald M. Zaccari (2002-2008)

Patrick J. Schloss (2008-2011)

Louis Levy (2011-2012, Interim)

William J. McKinney (2012-2015)

Cecil P. Staton (2015-2016, Interim)

Kelli R. Brown (2016, Interim)

## Vision

*Valdosta State University will be a catalyst for regional comprehensive progress.*

## VSU Strategic Plan | 2022-2027

### Shared Values

Through excellence in teaching, basic and applied research, and service, VSU provides rigorous programs and opportunities that enrich our students, our university, and our region. As such, the VSU mission consists of three interrelated parts: Student Mission, University Mission, and Regional Mission.

### Strategic Goals

#### Goal #1:

##### Foster Student Success

VSU will help students succeed in life by continuing to prioritize retention and degree completion and expanding experiential opportunities and career focus.

#### Goal #2:

##### Cultivate Diversity, Equity and Inclusion

VSU will be an inclusive community where differences are respected and embraced, understanding is sought, and all have equitable access to opportunities.

#### Goal #3:

##### Impact Regional Progress

VSU will solidify our role as South Georgia's flagship institution and improve the communities we serve by expanding career readiness, applied research, entrepreneurship, and regional engagement.

#### Goal #4:

##### Sustain Institutional Strength

VSU will manage its resources efficiently and responsibly, making informed decisions and investments that ensure long-term organizational strength.

## Blazer Creed

### *Civility*

A Blazer shows courtesy and compassion as well as respect for the dignity of every human being.

### *Integrity*

Each Blazer is responsible for his or her own actions, and our community is stronger when we contemplate the context of our decisions and uphold the principles of trust and honesty.

### *Citizenship*

Each Blazer has an interest in the well-being of the community, and, therefore, a duty to stay informed, to make positive contributions, and to offer support to those who need help.

## Board of Regents

<b>Regent</b>	
Patrick C. Jones .....	First
Bárbara Rivera Holmes .....	Second
Mat Swift .....	Third
Cade Joiner.....	Fourth
Sarah-Elizabeth Langford .....	Fifth
Richard “Tim” Evans .....	Sixth
Jose R. Perez.....	Seventh
W. Allen Gudenrath .....	Eighth
James K. Syfan, III.....	Ninth
Harold Reynolds (Chair) .....	Tenth
Tom Bradbury .....	Eleventh
C. Everett Kennedy III .....	Twelfth
Doug Aldridge.....	Thirteenth
Lowery Houston May .....	Fourteenth
Samuel D. Holmes .....	At Large
Erin Hames .....	At Large
James M. Hull .....	At-Large
Neil L. Pruitt, Jr. ....	At Large
T. Dallas Smith (Vice Chair) .....	At Large

## University System of Georgia Administrative Staff

### Chancellor’s Office

Dr. Sonny Perdue ..... Chancellor

### External Affairs

Mr. Kirby Thompson ..... Vice Chancellor, Development

Mr. Chris Green ..... Director of Economic Development

Ms. Ashley Jones May ..... Chief of Staff, Vice Chancellor of External Affairs

### Academic Affairs

Dr. Ashwani Monga..... Executive Vice Chancellor, Chief Academic Officer

Dr. Dana Nichols..... Vice Chancellor, Academic Affairs

Dr. Jeffery Galle..... Associate Vice Chancellor, Faculty Development

Mr. Christopher M. Davidson, J.D..... Director, Georgia Archives

Dr. Felita Williams ..... Vice Chancellor, Student and Faculty Success

Ms. Julie Walker ..... State Librarian, Georgia Public Library Service

Mr. Scott Votaw ..... Executive Director, Georgia Film Academy

Ms. Lucy Harrison .... Assistant Vice Chancellor for Academic Library Services/Director (GALILEO)

Mr. Jon Sizemore..... Associate Vice Chancellor for Distance Learning and Innovation

Sabrina Thompson ..... Director of Athletics

## University System of Georgia Administrative Staff *continued*

### Administration and Operations

<b>Ms. Teresa MacCartney</b> .....	Chief Operating Officer
<b>Mr. Timothy M. Chester</b> .....	Interim Vice Chancellor and CIO
<b>Sandra L. Neuse</b> .....	Vice Chancellor for Real Estate, & Facilities
<b>Dr. Juanita Hicks</b> .....	Vice Chancellor, Human Resources
<b>Mr. Christopher McGraw</b> .....	Vice Chancellor of Legal Affairs
<b>Ms. Jenna Wiese, CPA, CFE</b> ..	Vice Chancellor for Internal Audit, Ethics & Compliance/Chief Audit Officer
<b>Mr. Alfred Baker</b> .....	Chief Information Security Officer
<b>Dr. John Fuchko, III</b> .....	Vice Chancellor for Organizational Effectiveness
<b>Dr. Stuart Rayfield</b> .....	Vice Chancellor, Leadership and Institutional Development
<b>Mr. Mike Coverson</b> .....	Director of Safety & Security (Chief of Police)
<b>Dr. Angela Bell</b> .....	Vice Chancellor Research & Policy Analysis
<b>Mr. Rich Loftus</b> .....	Associate Vice Chancellor

### Fiscal Affairs

<b>Ms. Tracey Cook</b> .....	Chief Fiscal Officer
<b>Mr. Jeff Davis</b> .....	Vice Chancellor for Fiscal Affairs

### Valdosta State University Senior Administrative Officers - Fall 2022

<b>Dr. Richard A. Carvajal</b> .....	President
<b>Dr. Robert T. Smith</b> .....	Provost & Vice President for Academic Affairs
<b>Ms. Traycee Martin</b> .....	Vice President for Finance & Administration
<b>Dr. Vince Miller</b> .....	Vice President for Enrollment & Student Affairs
<b>Mr. Blake Pearce (Interim)</b> .....	Vice President for University Advancement
<b>Mr. Kevin Overlaur</b> .....	Chief Information Officer
<b>Mr. Herb Reinhard</b> .....	Director of Intercollegiate Athletics

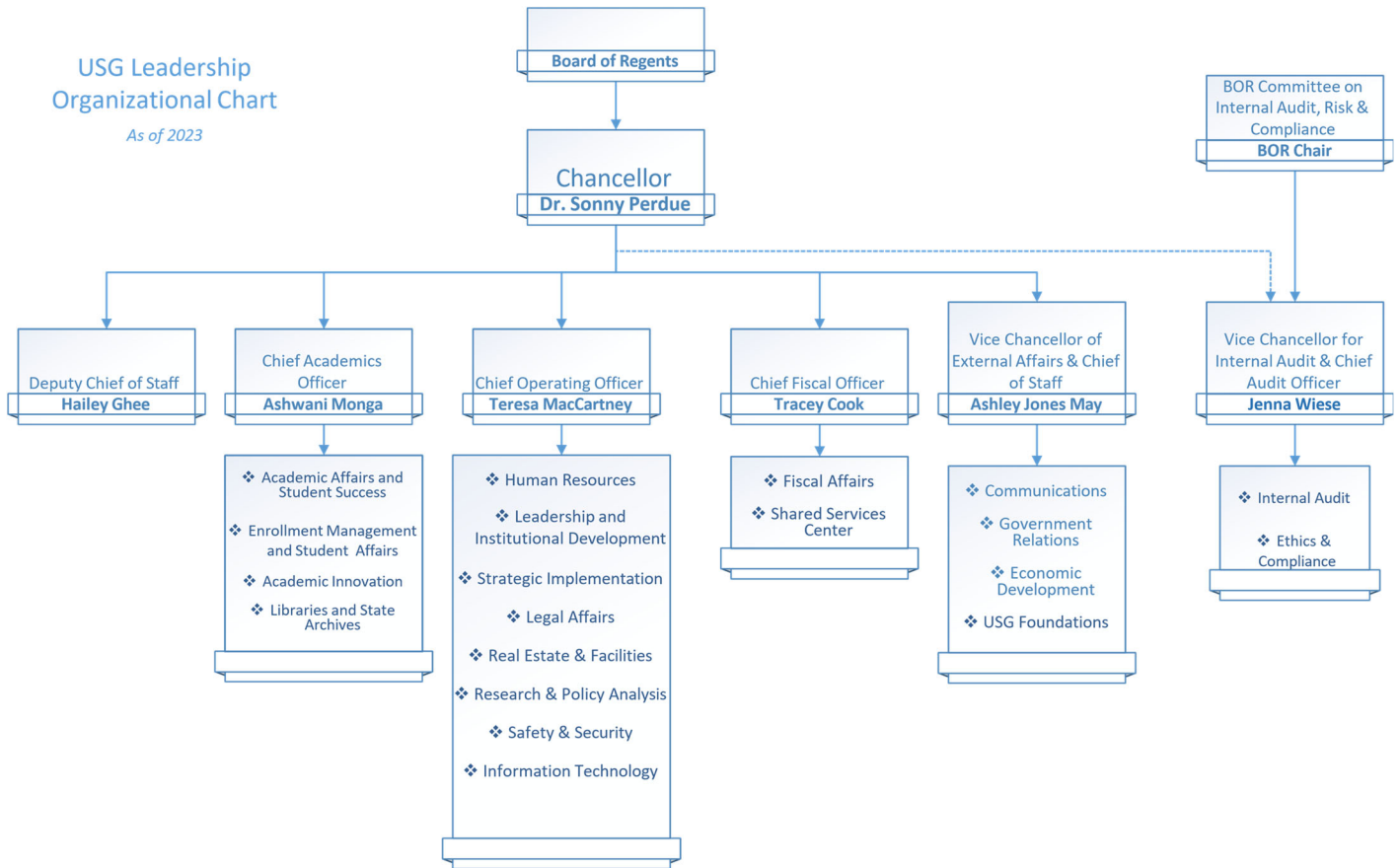
### Valdosta State University Deans - Fall 2022

<b>Mr. Michael Schmidt (Interim Dean)</b> .....	College of the Arts
<b>Dr. Karin Pafford Roland</b> .....	College of Business Administration
<b>Dr. David Slykhuis</b> .....	College of Education & Human Services
<b>Dr. James LaPlant</b> .....	College of Humanities & Social Sciences
<b>Dr. James Pace</b> .....	College of Nursing & Health Sciences
<b>Dr. Pierre-Richard Cornely</b> .....	College of Science & Mathematics
<b>Dr. Michael Savoie</b> .....	Honors College
<b>Dr. Alan Bernstein</b> .....	Odum Library

# Board of Regents Organizational Chart

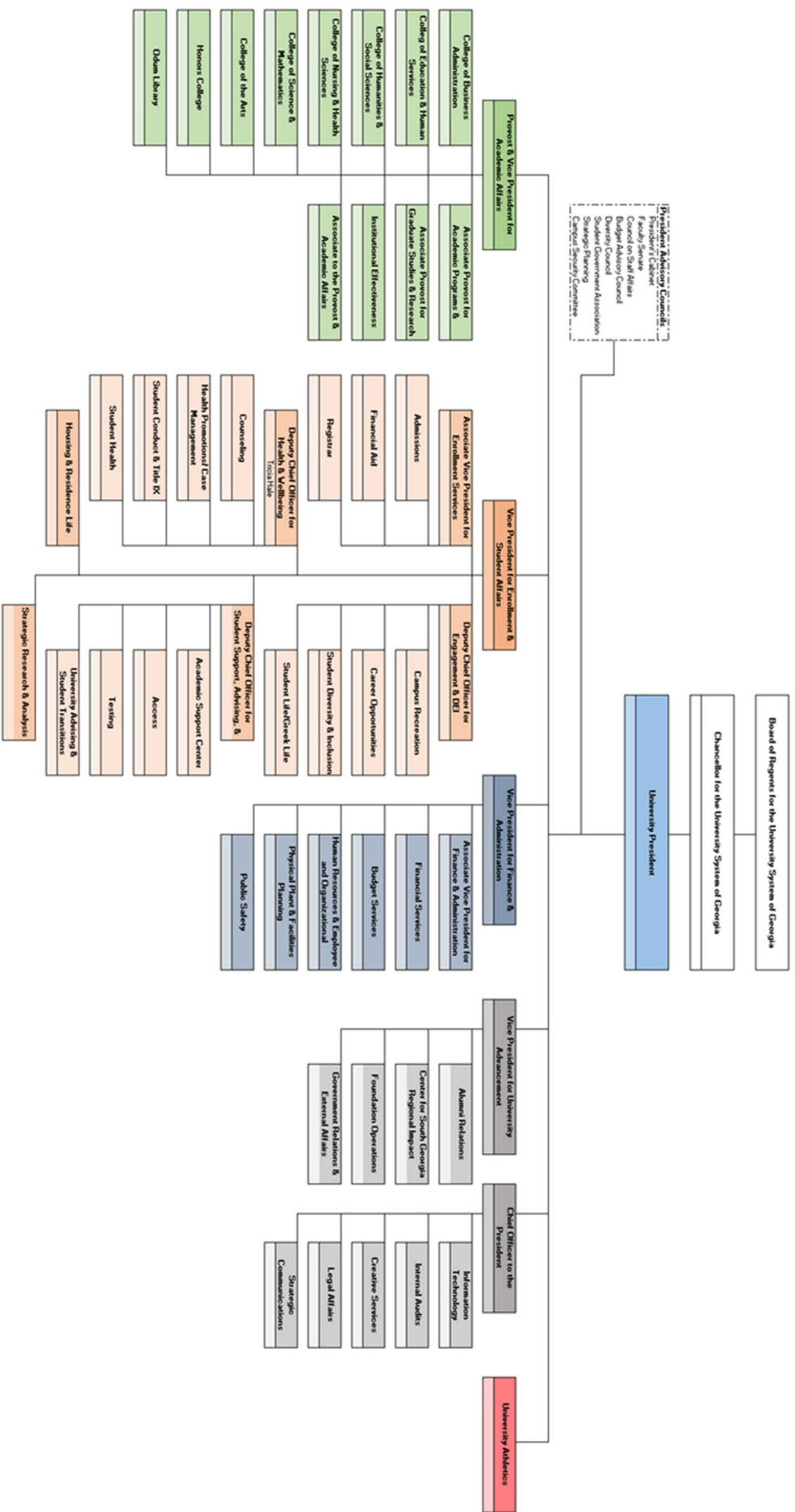
## USG Leadership Organizational Chart

As of 2023



Source: University System of Georgia

# VSU Organizational Chart



Source: VSU SRA, 2023.

# Undergraduate Programs

## COLLEGE OF THE ARTS

### [Undergraduate Majors]

BA/BFA in Art  
 BFA in Art Education  
 BFA in Communication  
 BFA in Dance  
 BFA in Interior Design  
 BFA in Mass Media  
 BA in Music  
 BM in Music Performance  
 BFA in Theatre Arts

### [Undergraduate Minors]

Art  
 Communication  
 Dance  
 Mass Media Studies  
 Music  
 Theatre Arts

## COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

### [Undergraduate Majors]

BBA in Accounting  
 BBA in Economics  
 BBA in Finance  
 BBA in Healthcare Administration  
 BBA in International Business  
 BBA in Management  
 BBA in Marketing

### [Undergraduate Minors]

Advertising and Promotions  
 Economics  
 Entrepreneurship  
 Healthcare Administration  
 Human Resources Management

## COLLEGE OF EDUCATION & HUMAN SERVICES

### [Undergraduate Majors]

BSEd in American Sign Language and English  
 Interpreting  
 BSEd in Communication Disorders  
 BSEd in Elementary Education  
 BSEd in Health and Physical Education  
 BSEd in Middle Grades Education  
 BS in Office Administration and Technology  
 BSEd in Special Education: Deaf and Hard of  
 Hearing  
 BSEd in Workforce Education and Development

### [Undergraduate Minors]

Coaching  
 Deaf Studies  
 Health and Physical Education  
 Recreation and Leisure

## COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

### [Undergraduate Majors]

BS in Criminal Justice  
 BA in English  
 BA in French  
 BA in History  
 Dual BA/BSEd in History and Secondary  
 Education  
 BA in Interdisciplinary Studies  
 BS in Organizational Leadership  
 BA in Philosophy and Religious Studies  
 BA/BS in Psychology  
 BA in Political Science  
 BA in Sociology and Anthropology  
 BA in Spanish

Source: VSU Office of Institutional Effectiveness, 2022.

*College of Humanities & Social Sciences continued*

**[Undergraduate Minors]**

- Africana Studies
- Anthropology
- Creative Writing
- French
- German
- History
- Journalism
- Literature and Language
- Middle Eastern Studies
- Native American Studies
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Professional and Applied Ethics
- Professional Writing
- Public Administration
- Religious Studies
- Spanish
- Women's and Gender Studies

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Geography
- Geology
- Mathematics
- Physics

**CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS**

**[College of Humanities and Social Sciences]**

- European Union Studies
- Latin American Studies
- Spanish for Professionals
- Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

**[College of the Arts]**

- Institutional Cross-training for Journalism and Mass Media

**[College of Science and Mathematics]**

- Data Science

**[Academic Affairs and Student Affairs]**

- University Honors
- Cooperative Education
- Advanced Cooperative Education (Diploma Seal)

**COLLEGE OF NURSING & HEALTH SCIENCES**

**[Undergraduate Majors]**

- AAS in Dental Hygiene
- BSEP in Exercise Physiology
- BS in Health Sciences
- BSN in Nursing

**[Undergraduate Minors]**

- Nutritional Science

**COLLEGE OF SCIENCE & MATHEMATICS**

**[Undergraduate Majors]**

- BS in Applied Mathematics
- BS in Astronomy
- BA/BS in Biology
- BS in Chemistry
- BS in Computer Information Systems
- BS in Computer Science
- BS Engineering Technology
- BS in Environmental Geosciences
- BA in Mathematics
- BS in Physics

*College of Science & Mathematics continued*

**[Undergraduate Minors]**

- Aerospace Studies
- Applied Statistics
- Astronomy



# Graduate Programs

## COLLEGE OF THE ARTS

### [Graduate Degrees]

MA in Communication  
 MAT in Music Education  
 MMP in Music Performance

## COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

### [Graduate Degrees]

MAcc in Accountancy  
 MBA in Business Administration
 

- General Business Track
- Healthcare Administration Track

## COLLEGE OF EDUCATION & HUMAN SERVICES

### [Graduate Degrees]

MEd in Adult and Career Education  
 MEd in Communication Disorders  
 MEd in Counselor Education  
 MEd in Curriculum and Instruction
 

- Accomplished Teaching

 MEd in Education Leadership  
 MEd in Elementary Education  
 MAT in Education
 

- Agriculture Education Track

 MEd in Educational Leadership  
 MEd/MAT in Health and Physical Education  
 MEd Higher Education Leadership  
 MEd in Instructional Technology
 

- Non P-12 Technology Applications
- P-12 Technology Applications
- School Library Media

 MLIS in Library and Information Science  
 MS in Marriage and Family Therapy  
 MEd Middle Grades Math and Science  
 MAT in Middle Grades Or Secondary Education  
 MAT in Secondary Education  
 MSW in Social Work  
 MAT in Special Education
 

- Adapted Curriculum
- Deaf and Hard of Hearing
- General Curriculum

 MEd in Special Education
 

- Deaf and Hard of Hearing

### [Specialist Programs]

EdS in Coaching Pedagogy in Physical Education  
 EdS in Educational Leadership  
 EdS in Instructional Technology
 

- P-12 Technology Applications
- P-12 Technology Applications W/ Library
- Non P-12 School Personnel Applications

 EdS in School Counseling

### *College of Education & Human Services continued*

- Technology Applications Track

EdS in Teacher Leadership  
 EdS in Special Education

### [Doctoral Programs]

EdD in Adult and Career Education  
 EdD in Curriculum and Instruction
 

- Learning & Development
- P-12 Disciplinary Concentration

 EdD in Leadership  
 SLPD in Communication Sciences and Disorders

## COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

### [Graduate Degrees]

MS in Criminal Justice  
 MA in English  
 MAT in Education
 

- English to Speakers of Other Languages/ Foreign Language Tracks

 MA in History  
 MPA in Public Administration  
 MS in Sociology

### [Doctoral Programs]

DPA in Public Administration

## COLLEGE OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES

### [Graduate Degrees]

MSN in Nursing

### [Doctoral Programs]

DNP in Nursing  
 DNP/MBA Dual Degree in Nursing

## COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS

### [Graduate Degrees]

MS in Biology

### Georgia PSC Certificate Programs

#### [College of Education and Human Services]

Early Childhood Education  
 Educational Leadership  
 Health and Physical Education  
 Online Teaching  
 School Counseling  
 School Library Media  
 Secondary Education Fields

### Georgia PSC Endorsement Programs

#### [College of Education and Human Services]

Reading Education  
 Gifted In-Field

# Accreditation

PROGRAMS ELIGIBLE FOR ACCREDITATION	MOST RECENT ACCREDITATION	ACCREDITATION AGENCY
<b>VSU</b>		
VSU	2021	Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC)
<b>COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION</b>		
College of Business Administration	2021	AACSB International-The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business
Accounting	2021	AACSB International-The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business
<b>COLLEGE OF EDUCATION &amp; HUMAN SERVICES</b>		
College of Education & Human Services	2015	Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation
College of Education & Human Services	2015	Georgia Professional Standards Commission
Communication Disorders	2015	Council on Academic Accreditation of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association
Counseling	2017	Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs
Instructional Technology	2015	American Association of School Librarians
Library & Information Science	2021	American Library Association
Marriage & Family Therapy	2020	Commission on Accreditation for Marriage and Family Therapy Training and Education of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy
Middle Grades Education	2012	Association on Middle Level Education
Social Work	2018	Council on Social Work Education
Special Education	2012	Council for Exceptional Children
<b>COLLEGE OF NURSING &amp; HEALTH SCIENCES</b>		
Exercise Physiology	2015	Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs
Nursing	2021	Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education
<b>COLLEGE OF SCIENCE &amp; MATHEMATICS</b>		
Chemistry	2017	American Chemical Society
Computer Science	2022	Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology, Inc. (ABET)
<b>COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES &amp; SOCIAL SCIENCES</b>		
French Education	2015	American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages
Public Administration	2019	National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration
Spanish Education	2015	American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages
<b>COLLEGE OF THE ARTS</b>		
Art	2014	National Association of Schools of Art and Design
Theatre Arts	2016	National Association of Schools of Theatre
Art Education	2015	Georgia Professional Standards Commission
Communication	2015	Public Relations Society of America
Music	2018	National Association of Schools of Music
Music Education	2015	Georgia Professional Standards Commission

Source: VSU Office of Institutional Effectiveness, 2022

# Historical Information

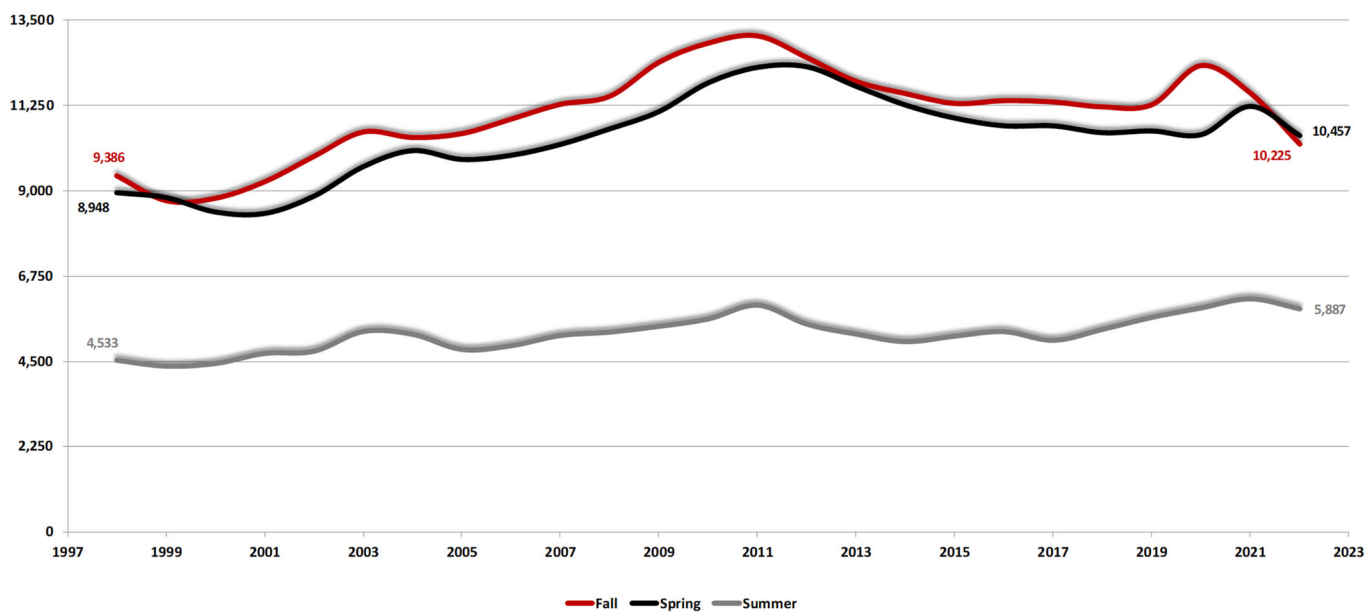


### Total Enrollment Headcount

Year	Spring	Summer	Fall
1998	8,948	4,533	9,386
1999	8,820	4,380	8,729
2000	8,438	4,449	8,792
2001	8,400	4,714	9,230
2002	8,856	4,771	9,900
2003	9,636	5,291	10,547
2004	10,060	5,218	10,400
2005	9,827	4,818	10,503
2006	9,937	4,916	10,888
2007	10,225	5,186	11,280
2008	10,635	5,274	11,490
2009	11,092	5,427	12,391
2010	11,853	5,621	12,898
2011	12,261	5,984	13,089
2012	12,277	5,483	12,515
2013	11,760	5,223	11,885
2014	11,265	5,025	11,563
2015	10,919	5,169	11,302
2016	10,715	5,288	11,375
2017	10,714	5,059	11,341
2018	10,534	5,348	11,211
2019	10,580	5,663	11,270
2020	10,482	5,912	12,304
2021	11,231	6,151	11,573
2022	10,457	5,887	10,225

Source: USG Semester Enrollment Reports. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2024

### Total Enrollment Headcount 1998 - 2022



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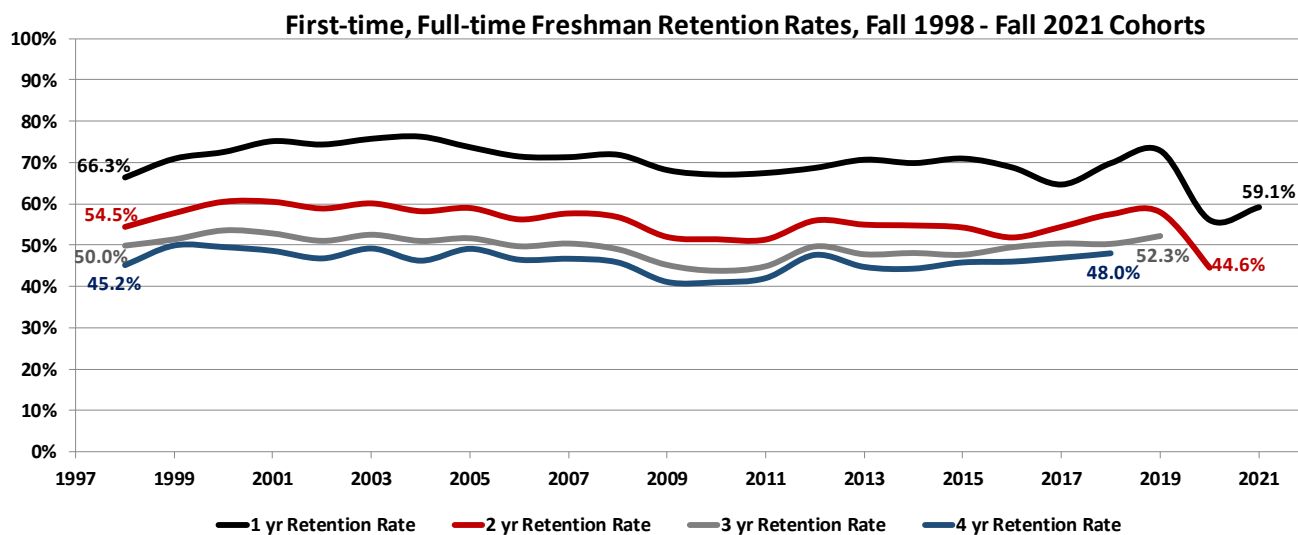
### First-time, Full-time Freshman Retention Rates

Cohort	1 yr Retention Rate	2 yr Retention Rate	3 yr Retention Rate	4 yr Retention Rate
Fall 1998	66.3%	54.5%	50.0%	45.2%
Fall 1999	70.9%	57.8%	51.5%	49.9%
Fall 2000	72.5%	60.5%	53.7%	49.5%
Fall 2001	75.1%	60.5%	52.9%	48.6%
Fall 2002	74.3%	58.9%	51.1%	46.8%
Fall 2003	75.7%	60.1%	52.6%	49.2%
Fall 2004	76.2%	58.2%	51.1%	46.2%
Fall 2005	73.6%	59.0%	51.8%	49.1%
Fall 2006	71.4%	56.3%	49.8%	46.5%
Fall 2007	71.2%	57.7%	50.5%	46.7%
Fall 2008	71.8%	56.8%	49.1%	45.8%
Fall 2009	68.1%	52.0%	45.3%	41.1%

Cohort	1 yr Retention Rate	2 yr Retention Rate	3 yr Retention Rate	4 yr Retention Rate
Fall 2010	67.0%	51.5%	43.9%	41.0%
Fall 2011	67.4%	51.4%	45.0%	42.0%
Fall 2012	68.6%	56.0%	49.8%	47.6%
Fall 2013	70.6%	55.0%	47.9%	44.7%
Fall 2014	69.8%	54.8%	48.2%	44.3%
Fall 2015	70.9%	54.3%	47.8%	45.8%
Fall 2016	68.7%	51.9%	49.6%	46.0%
Fall 2017	64.6%	54.5%	50.5%	46.9%
Fall 2018	69.8%	57.5%	50.4%	48.0%
Fall 2019	72.8%	58.0%	52.3%	
Fall 2020	56.0%	44.6%		
Fall 2021	59.1%			

Source: USG Retention Reports, 1998-2022.  
 Analysis by VSU SRA, 2024.

The official retention rates track first-time, full-time freshman students.



Source: USG Retention Reports, 1998-2021. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2024.

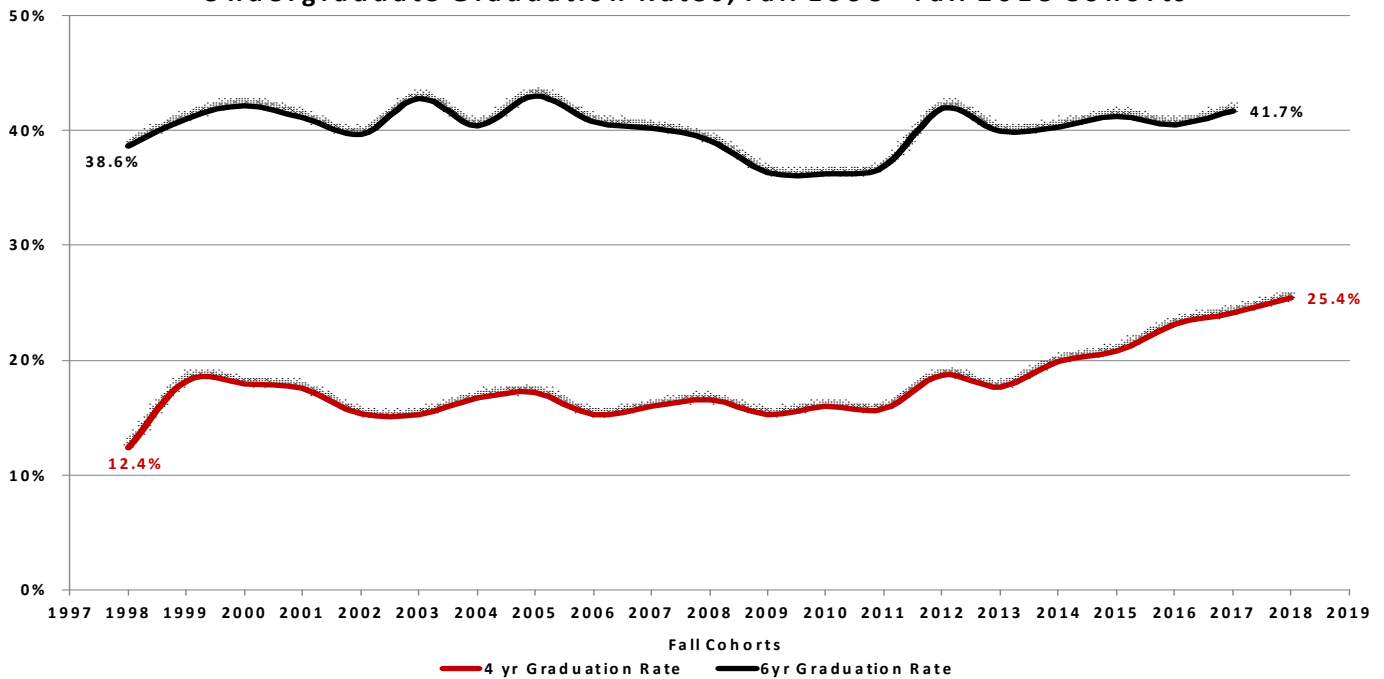
### Undergraduate Graduation Rates

Cohort	4 yr Graduation Rate	6 yr Graduation Rate	Cohort	4 yr Graduation Rate	6 yr Graduation Rate
Fall 1998	12.4%	38.6%	Fall 2009	15.3%	36.3%
Fall 1999	18.2%	41.0%	Fall 2010	16.0%	36.2%
Fall 2000	18.0%	42.2%	Fall 2011	15.8%	36.8%
Fall 2001	17.5%	41.1%	Fall 2012	18.7%	41.9%
Fall 2002	15.3%	39.6%	Fall 2013	17.7%	39.9%
Fall 2003	15.3%	42.8%	Fall 2014	19.9%	40.3%
Fall 2004	16.7%	40.4%	Fall 2015	20.8%	41.2%
Fall 2005	17.2%	43.0%	Fall 2016	23.1%	40.5%
Fall 2006	15.3%	40.7%	Fall 2017	24.1%	41.7%
Fall 2007	16.0%	40.2%	Fall 2018	25.4%	
Fall 2008	16.6%	39.1%			

Source: USG Graduation Reports, 1998-2018. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2024.

The official graduation rates track first-time, full-time freshman students.

### Undergraduate Graduation Rates, Fall 1998 - Fall 2018 Cohorts



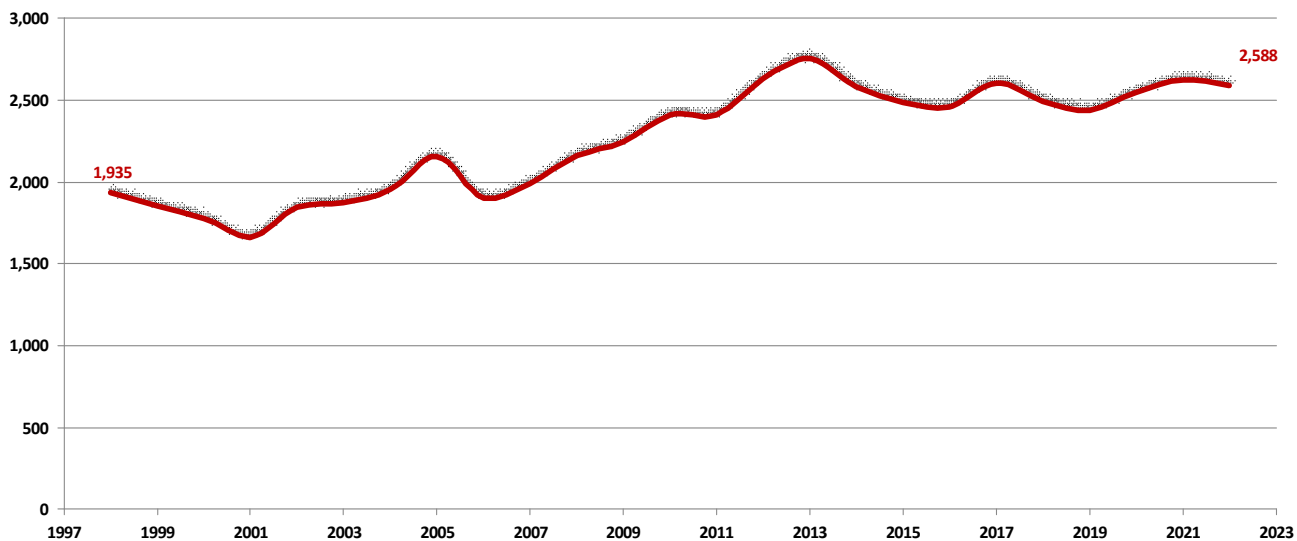
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### Degrees Conferred

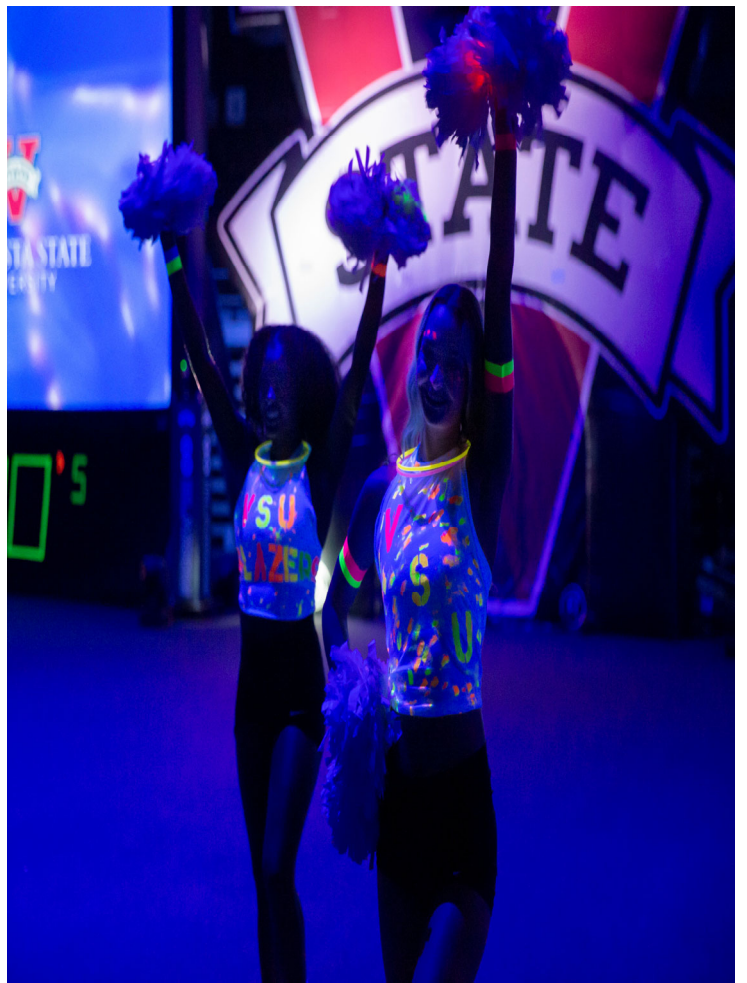
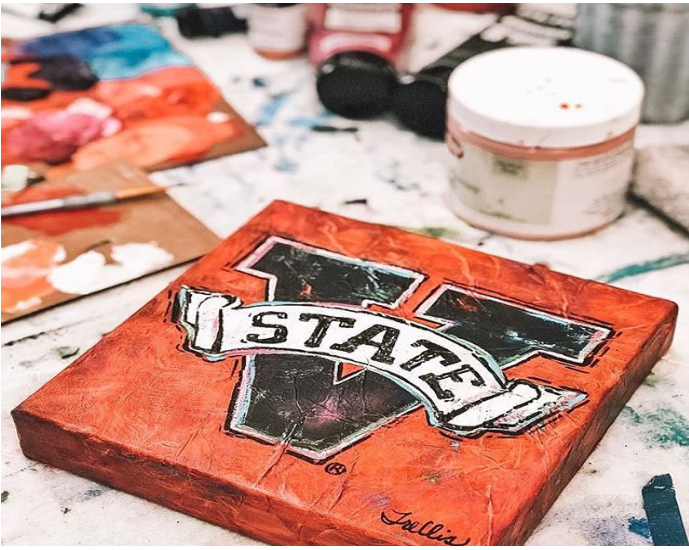
Fiscal Year	Degrees Conferred	Fiscal Year	Degrees Conferred
FY1998	1,935	FY2011	2,411
FY1999	1,856	FY2012	2,631
FY2000	1,780	FY2013	2,752
FY2001	1,664	FY2014	2,581
FY2002	1,844	FY2015	2,487
FY2003	1,877	FY2016	2,461
FY2004	1,953	FY2017	2,605
FY2005	2,157	FY2018	2,494
FY2006	1,904	FY2019	2,439
FY2007	1,994	FY2020	2,547
FY2008	2,160	FY2021	2,624
FY2009	2,246	FY2022	2,588
FY2010	2,410		

Source: USG Degrees Conferred Reports, FY1998-FY2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2024.

Degrees Conferred, FY1998-FY2021



Source: USG Degrees Conferred Reports, FY1998-FY2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2024.





# Student Information



## Highest Enrollment Majors

- 1. Psychology
- 2. Nursing
- 3. Biology
- 4. Management
- 5. Health Science
- 6. Elementary Education
- 7. Library & Information Science
- 8. Criminal Justice
- 9. Organizational Leadership
- 10. Communication Disorders

## Our Enrollment

Undergraduate .....	7,589
Graduate .....	2,636
Female .....	68.8%
Minority Population .....	50.6%
Georgia Students .....	72.1%
Total Countries Represented .....	61
Countries Represented by Resident Students .....	44
Countries Represented by International Students.....	44

# 2021 Quick Facts Enrollment

**10,225**

Total Enrollment

**1,081**

New First-Time, Full-Time  
Freshmen

**488**

New Undergraduate  
Transfers

**636**

New Graduate Students



# Fall Admissions Freshman Profile

as of August 2022

4,934

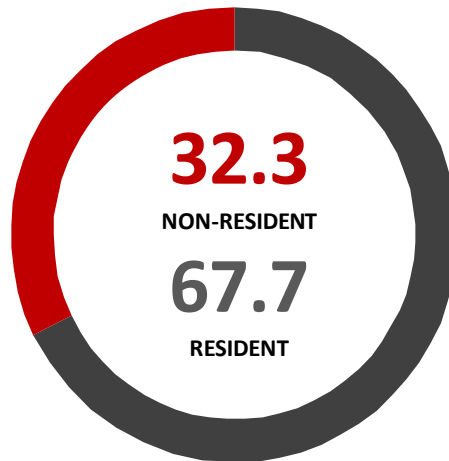
APPLICATIONS

4,468

ACCEPTED

1,096

ENROLLED



3.38

MEAN GPA

1039

MEAN SAT TOTAL

20

MEAN ACT COMPOSITE

## Declared Majors

Accounting	Economics	Interior Design	Philosophy & Religious Studies
American Sign Language	Elementary Education	International Business	Physical Education
Art	Engineering Studies/ Technology	Learning Support	Physics
Art Education-Grades PreK-12	English	Management	Political Science
Astronomy	Environmental Geosciences	Marketing	Psychology
Biology	Exercise Physiology	Mass Media	Secondary Education
Business Administration	Finance	Mathematics	Sociology & Anthropology
Chemistry	French	Middle Grades Education	Spanish
Communication	General Business	Music	Special Education
Communication Disorders	Health Science	Music Performance	Theatre Arts
Computer Information Systems	Healthcare Administration	Nursing	WGTC-Dental Hygiene (AAS)
Computer Science	History	Office Administration & Technology	Workforce Education & Development
Criminal Justice	Interdisciplinary Studies	Organizational Leadership	
Dance			

## Regional Representation

- 69.1% of New Freshman are from Georgia
- Students came from 40 states and territories, and 8 countries

## Demographics

66.0% Female, 34.0% Male

0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native

1.6% Asian

33.9% Black/African American

12.0% Hispanic

4.0% Multi-racial

0.1% Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander

1.0% Unknown

46.3% White

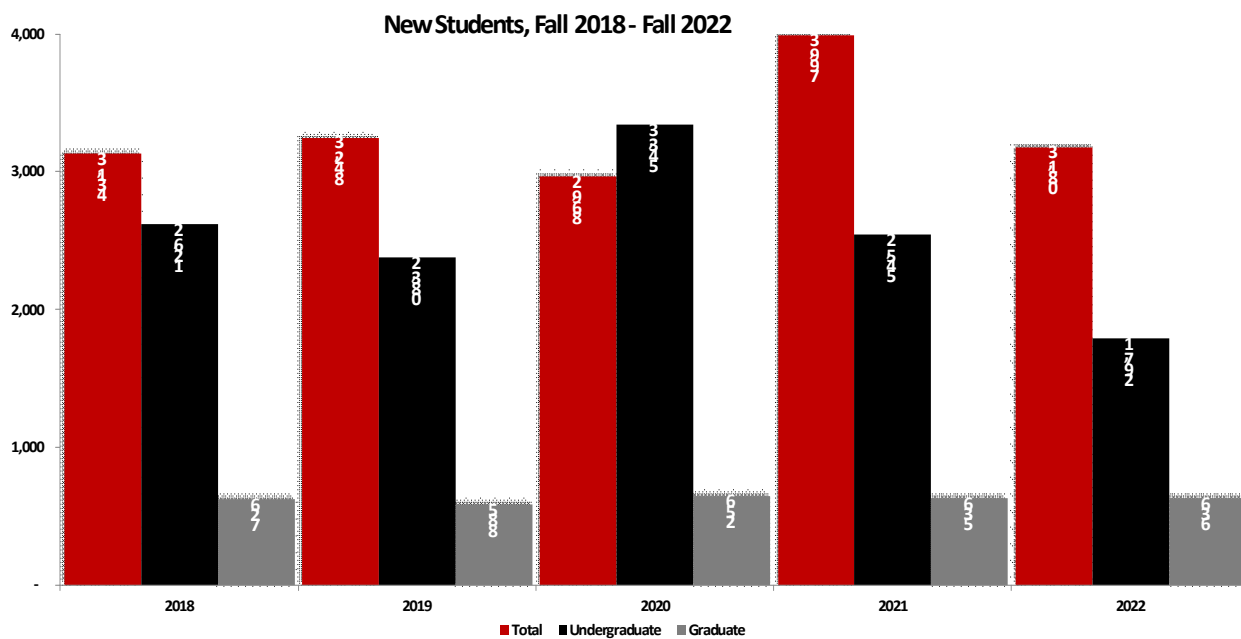
### New Students Enrolled by Classification

Term	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	Fall 2022	% Change from 2017-2021	% Change from 2021-2022
<b>Undergraduate</b>							
New Freshman	1,657	1,553	2,557	1,711	1,096	-33.9%	-35.9%
Other Freshman <sup>†</sup>	59	100	134	109	78	32.2%	-28.4%
Sophomore	368	295	262	224	189	-48.6%	-15.6%
Junior	268	231	219	216	180	-32.8%	-16.7%
Senior	31	37	29	39	41	32.3%	5.1%
Transient	44	20	5	19	31	-29.5%	63.2%
Joint Enrolled	166	115	103	203	150	-9.6%	-26.1%
Post-baccalaureate	28	29	36	24	27	-3.6%	12.5%
<b>Undergraduate Total</b>	<b>2,621</b>	<b>2,380</b>	<b>3,345</b>	<b>2,545</b>	<b>1,792</b>	<b>-31.6%</b>	<b>-29.6%</b>
<b>Graduate</b>							
Post-baccalaureate	29	34	34	43	31	6.9%	-27.9%
Masters	396	447	436	457	445	12.4%	-2.6%
Education Specialist	71	72	54	84	92	29.6%	9.5%
Doctorate	64	74	64	68	68	6.3%	0.0%
<b>Graduate Total</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>627</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>652</b>	<b>636</b>	<b>13.6%</b>	<b>-2.5%</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3,181</b>	<b>3,007</b>	<b>3,933</b>	<b>3,197</b>	<b>2,428</b>	<b>-23.7%</b>	<b>-24.1%</b>

<sup>†</sup>Other freshman include non-first-time freshman, such as transfer freshman.

Source: USG Semester Enrollment Reports, 2018-2022. USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

**VSU's Fall 2022 new student enrollment decreased 24.1% from the prior year.**



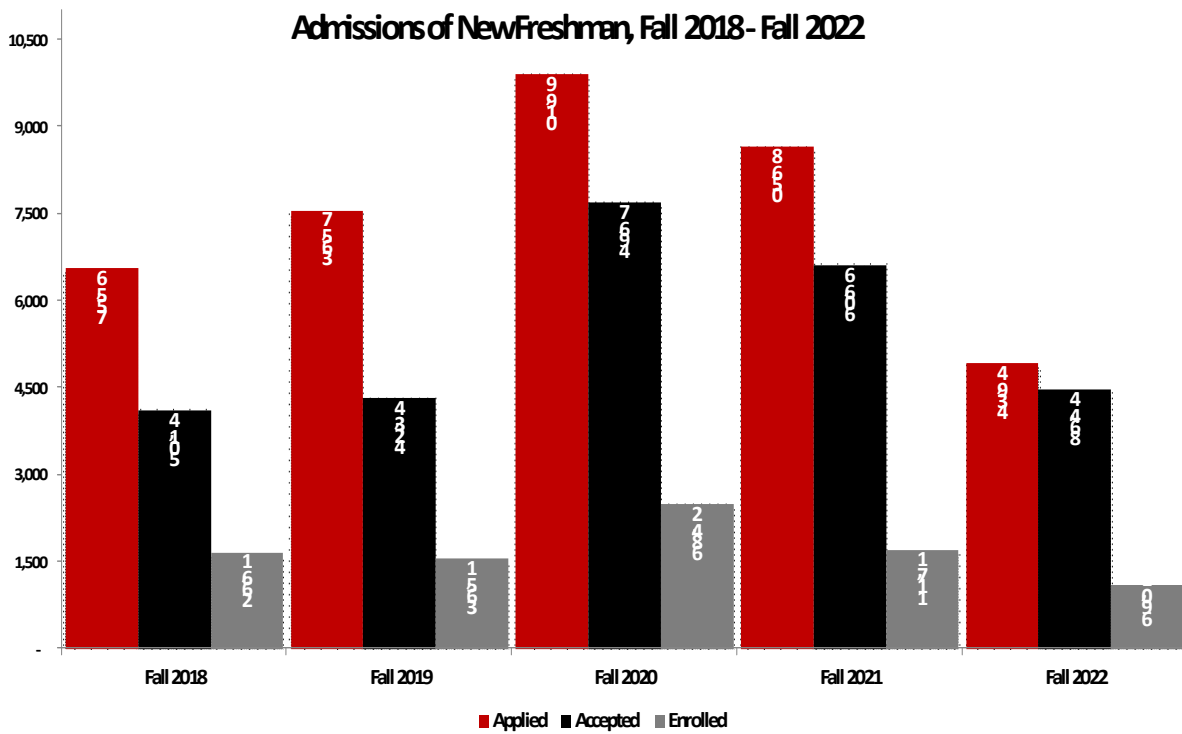
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### Admissions of New Freshman

Term	Applied	Accepted	Enrolled	% of Applied Accepted	% of Accepted Enrolled
Fall 2018	6,557	4,105	1,662	65.1%	42.7%
Fall 2019	7,563	4,324	1,563	74.2%	40.6%
Fall 2020	9,910	7,694	2,486	77.6%	32.3%
Fall 2021	8,650	6,606	1,711	76.4%	25.9%
Fall 2022	4,934	4,468	1,096	90.6%	24.5%
% Change from 2018-2022	-24.8%	8.8%	-34.1%	25.4%	-18.2%

Note: New freshman counts for students who applied, were admitted, and enrolled for the respective fall term.

Source: Common Data Set. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

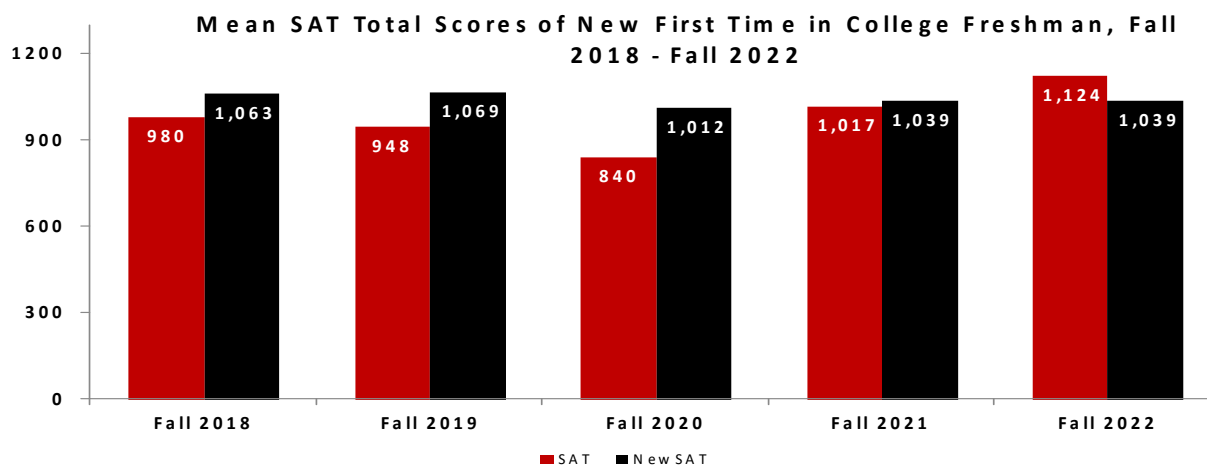


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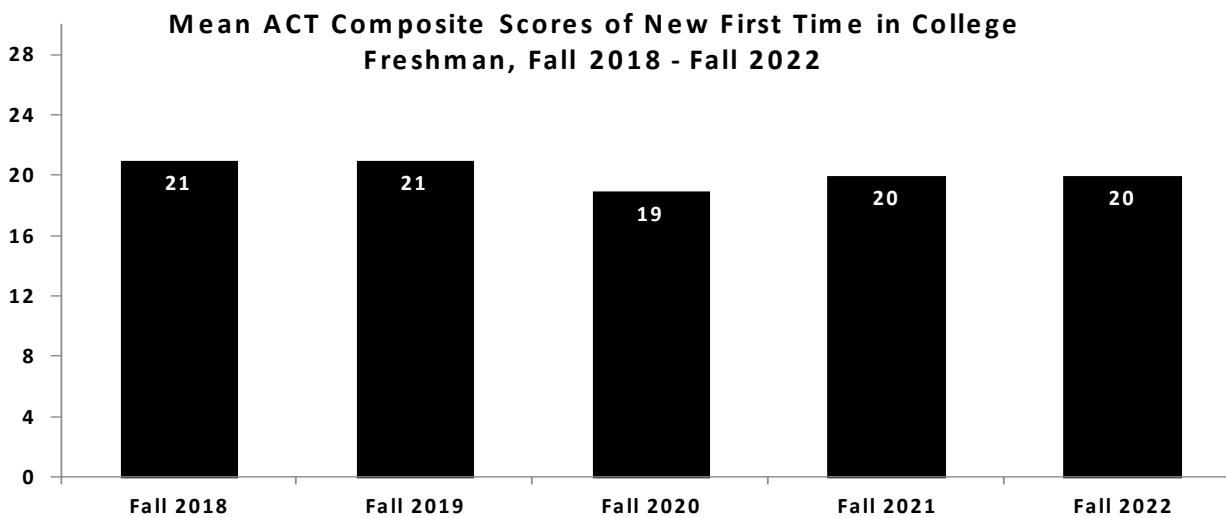
## Mean SAT and ACT Scores of New First Time in College Freshman

Term	SAT			NewSAT				ACT			
	Number of Scores <sup>†</sup>	Critical Reading	Math	Total	Number of Scores*	Math	Evidence Based Reading and Writing	Total	Number of Scores <sup>†</sup>	English	Math
Fall 2018	43	488	487	980	1328	516	546	1,063	885	21	20
Fall 2019	20	479	469	948	1310	519	549	1,069	729	21	20
Fall 2020	4	433	408	840	1488	488	524	1,012	798	18	18
Fall 2021	3	557	430	1,017	318	502	537	1,039	211	20	19
Fall 2022	3	547	577	1,124	617	502	536	1,039	315	20	19

<sup>†</sup>The number of scores may not total the number of new freshman because students can submit both SAT and ACT scores to VSU. A newly revised SAT test is in the process of implementation and has been included in the analysis.  
 Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.



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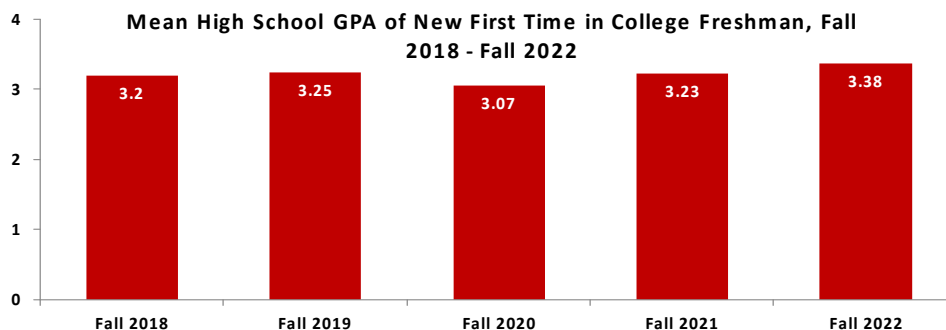


Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

## Mean High School Grade Point Average of New First Time in College Freshman

HS GPA	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	Fall 2022
Number	1,632	1,616	2,617	1,782	1,127
Mean	3.2	3.25	3.07	3.23	3.38

Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

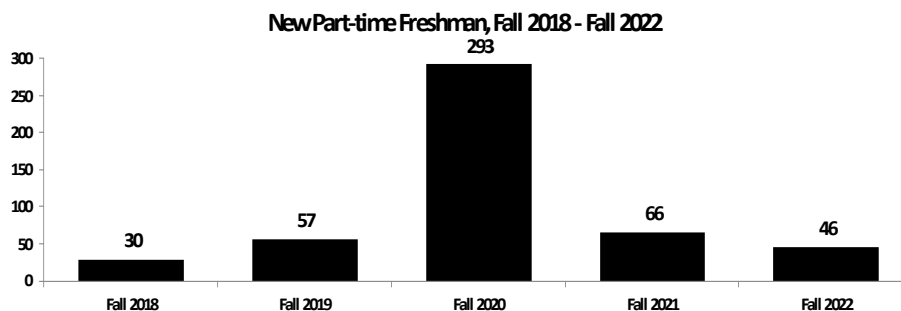
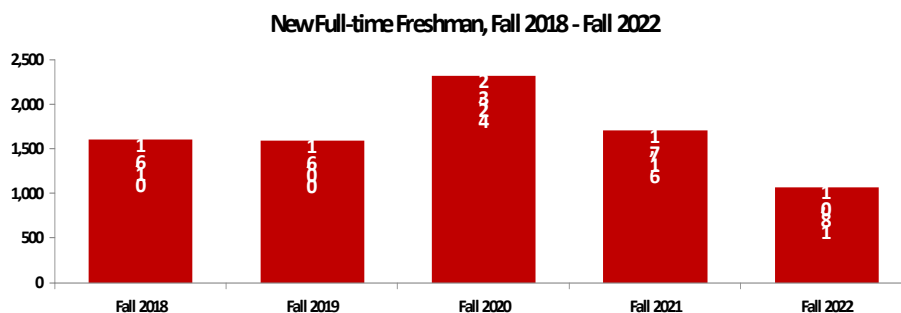


Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

## New First Time in College Freshman by Time Status

Time Status	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	Fall 2022	% Change from 2018-2022
Full-time	1,610	1,600	2,324	1,716	1,081	-32.9%
Part-time	30	57	293	66	46	53.3%
Total	1,640	1,657	2,617	1,782	1,127	-31.3%
% Full-time	97.5%	98.2%	88.8%	96.3%	95.9%	
% Part-time	2.5%	3.4%	11.2%	3.7%	4.1%	

Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.



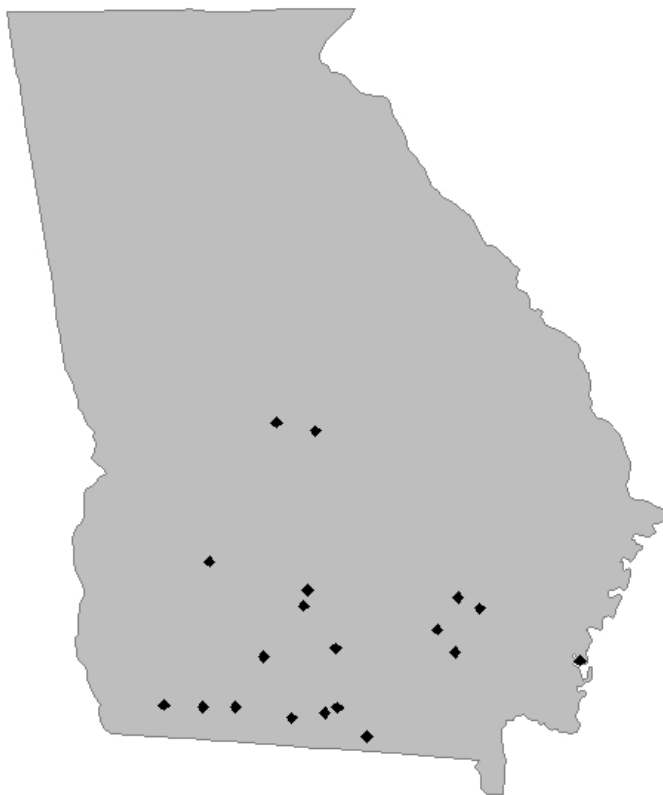
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**20 US High Schools with Highest Enrollment of VSU First Time in College Freshman, Fall 2022**

Name	Number	Name	Number
Lowndes High School	124	Houston County High School	11
Valdosta High School	35	Cairo High School	9
Colquitt County High School	33	Echols County High School	9
Lanier County High School	21	Worth County High School	8
Thomas County Central Hs	20	Ware County High School	8
Cook High School	19	Glynn Academy	8
Berrien County High School	16	Coffee High School	8
Camden County High School	13	Appling County Comprehensive	7
Bainbridge Senior High School	13	Jeff Davis High School	7
Brooks County High School	12	Tift County High School	6

Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.



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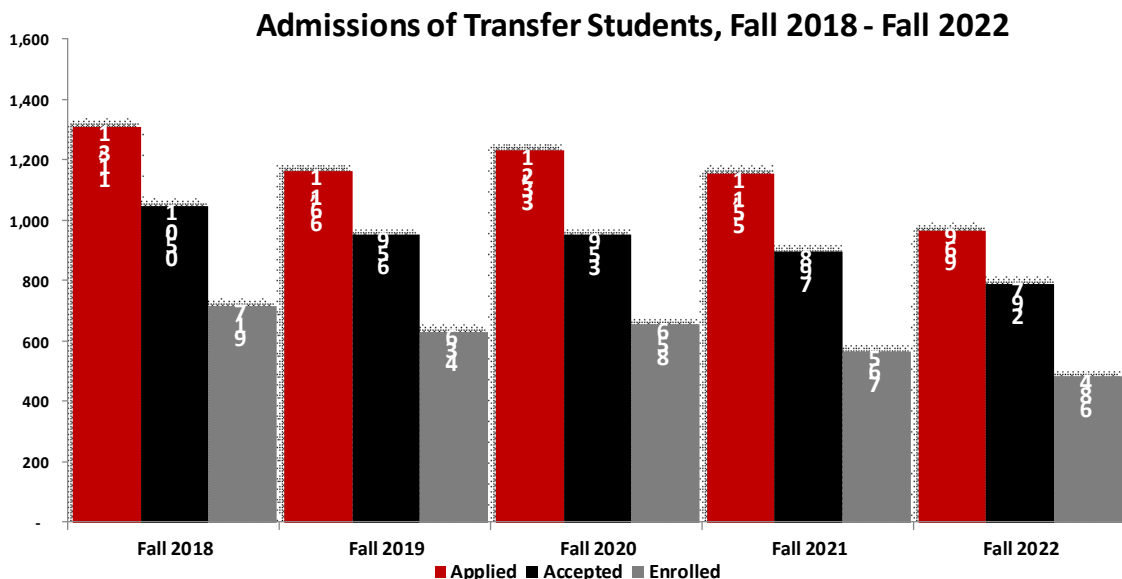
### Admissions of Transfer Students

Term	Applied	Accepted	Enrolled	% of Applied Accepted	% of Accepted Enrolled
Fall 2018	1,311	1,050	719	80.1%	68.5%
Fall 2019	1,166	956	634	82.0%	66.3%
Fall 2020	1,233	953	658	77.3%	69.0%
Fall 2021	1,155	897	567	77.7%	63.2%
Fall 2022	969	792	486	81.7%	61.4%
% Change from 2018-2022	-26.1%	-24.6%	-32.4%	2.1%	-10.4%

Note: Transfers counts for students who applied, were admitted, and enrolled for the respective fall term.

Source: Common Data Set. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

The number of enrolled transfer students at VSU decreased 14.3% from Fall 2021 to Fall 2022.



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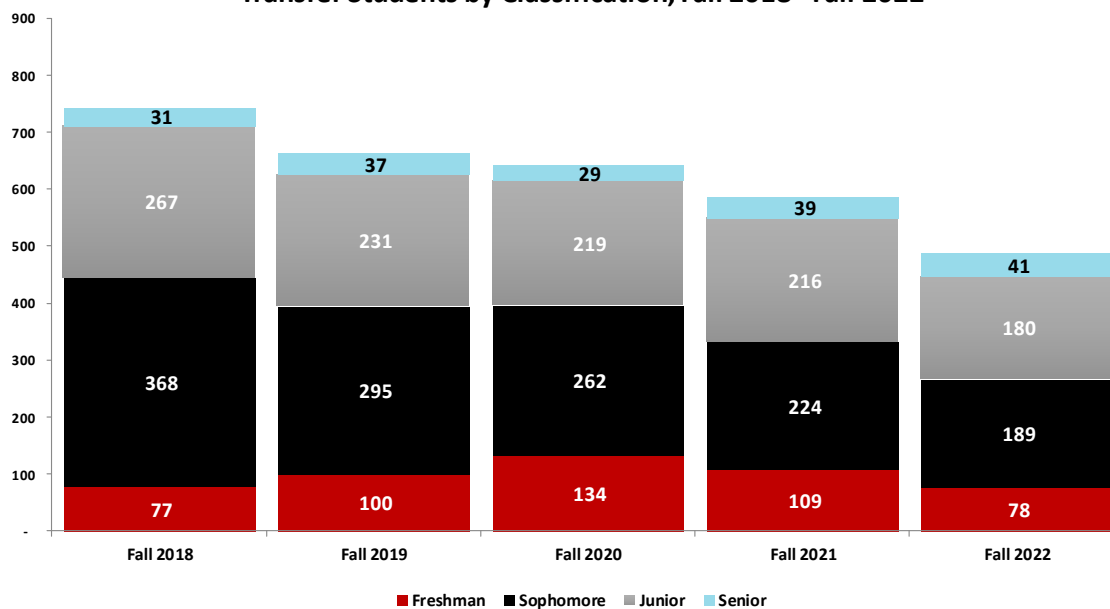
### Transfer Students by Classification

Term	Freshman	Sophomore	Junior	Senior	Total
Fall 2018	77	368	267	31	743
Fall 2019	100	295	231	37	663
Fall 2020	134	262	219	29	644
Fall 2021	109	224	216	39	588
Fall 2022	78	189	180	41	488
% Change from 2018-2022	1.3%	-48.6%	-32.6%	32.3%	-34.3%

Source: USG Semester Enrollment Reports, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

Sophomores and Juniors comprised 75.6% of the transfer students in Fall 2022.

Transfer Students by Classification, Fall 2018 - Fall 2022



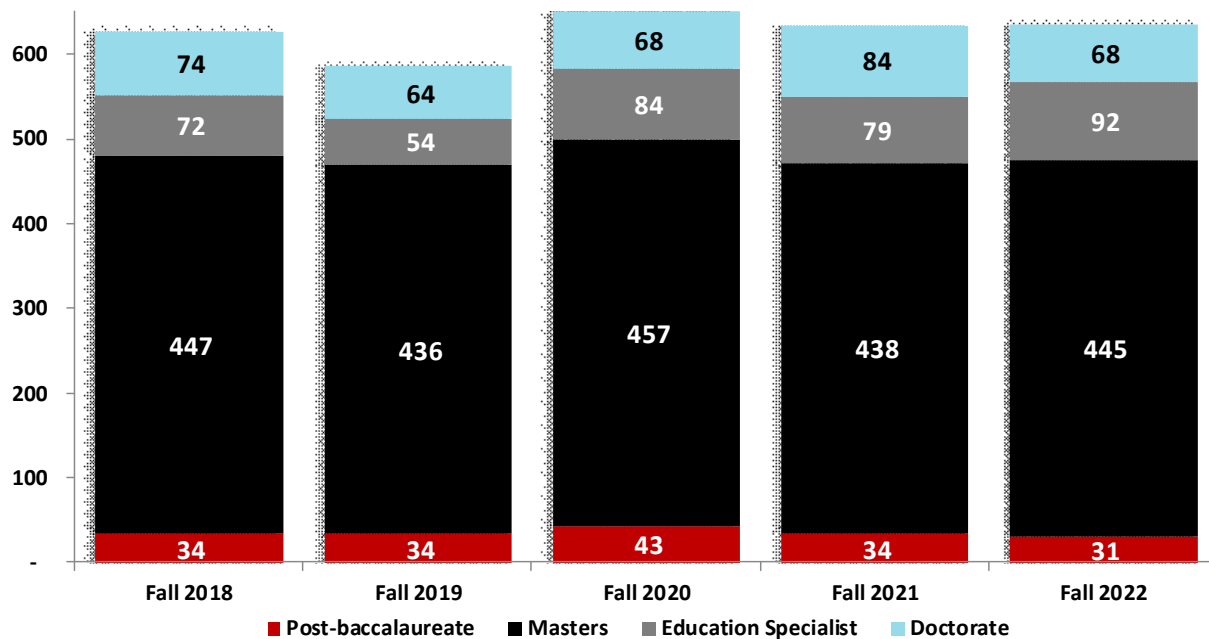
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### New Graduate Students by Classification

Term	Post-baccalaureate	Masters	Education Specialist	Doctorate	Total
Fall 2018	34	447	72	74	604
Fall 2019	34	436	54	64	560
Fall 2020	43	457	84	68	652
Fall 2021	34	438	79	84	635
Fall 2022	31	445	92	68	636
% Change from 2018-2022	-8.8%	-0.4%	27.8%	-8.1%	5.3%

Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

### New Graduate Students by Classification, Fall 2018 - Fall 2022



Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

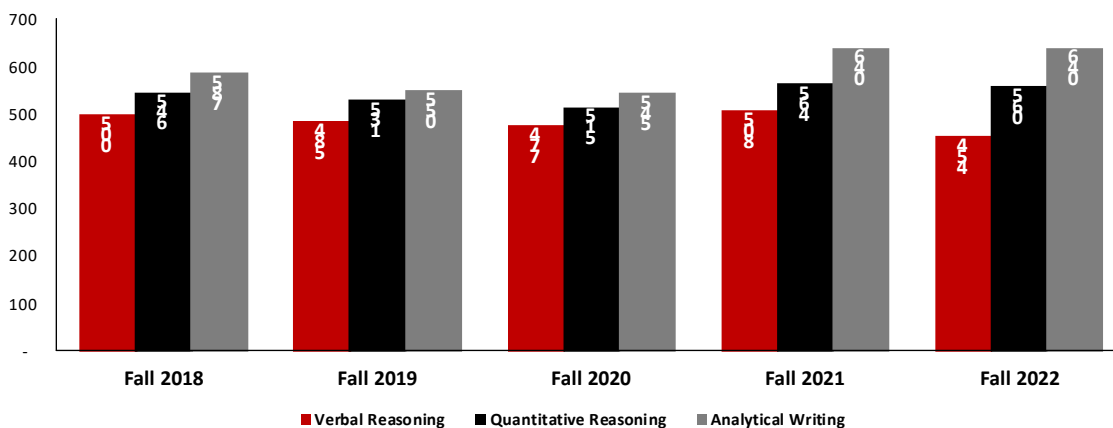
### Mean GRE Scores of New Graduate Students

Term	Verbal Reasoning		Quantitative Reasoning		Analytical Writing	
	Number of Scores	Mean	Number of Scores	Mean	Number of Scores	Mean
Fall 2018	33	500	33	546	14	587
Fall 2019	33	485	33	531	14	550
Fall 2020	16	477	16	515	3	545
Fall 2021	10	508	10	564	3	640
Fall 2022	5	454	5	560	1	640

Term	Verbal Reasoning*		Quantitative Reasoning*		Analytical Writing*	
	Number of Scores	Mean	Number of Scores	Mean	Number of Scores	Mean
Fall 2018	182	150	180	145	199	3.6
Fall 2019	160	151	160	146	178	4.3
Fall 2020	78	151	78	147	78	3.8
Fall 2021	13	146	13	153	3	3.9
Fall 2022	5	148	5	146	1	3.6

\*Note: In 2011, the GRE Verbal Reasoning Score and GRE Quantitative Reasoning Score were changed from a 200-800 scale to a 130-170 scale. In 2005, the GRE Analytical Writing Score was changed from a 200-800 scale to 0-6 scale. Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

### Mean GRE Scores of New Graduate Students, Fall 2018 - Fall 2022



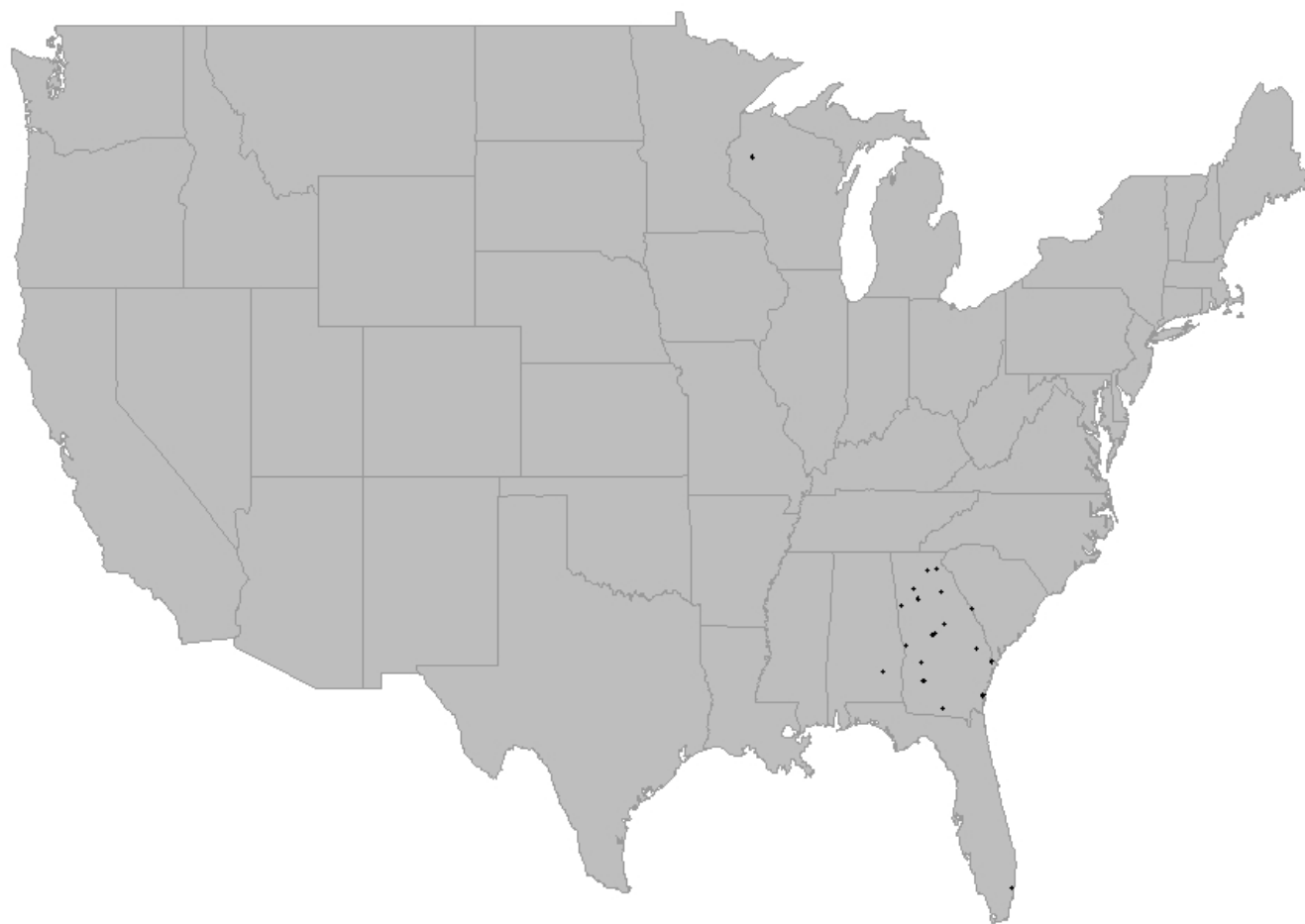
Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

### Top 20 Previous Institutions of New Graduate Students, Fall 2022

Institution	Number	Institution	Number
Valdosta State University	381	Troy State University	12
University of Georgia	43	Wisconsin Indianhead Technical	11
Georgia Southern University	80	Mercer University	11
Georgia College & State University	21	Middle Georgia State College	10
University of North Georgia	19	Armstrong State University	10
Georgia State University	17	Georgia Southwestern State	9
University of West Georgia	17	Nova Southeastern University	9
Kennesaw State University	17	College of Coastal Georgia	12
Columbus State University	15	Piedmont College	6
Albany State University	13	Augusta State University	6

Source: VSU SRA Analysis of USG Academic Data Mart, 2023.

Notes: All institutions with less than 10 students omitted to preserve student anonymity.



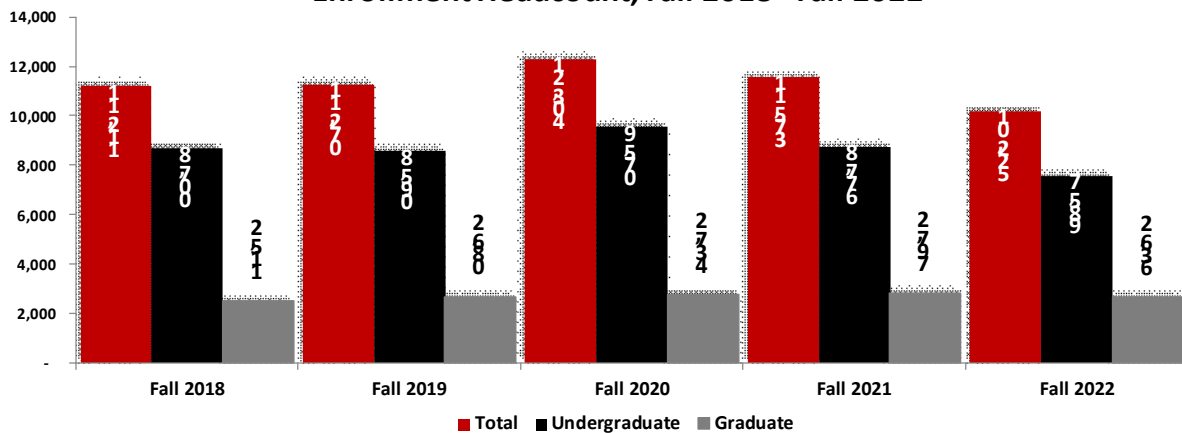
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## Total Enrollment and Full-time Equivalent Enrollment

Term	Enrollment			Full-time Equivalent		
	Undergraduate	Graduate	Total	Undergraduate	Graduate	Total
Fall 2018	8,700	2,511	11,211	8,020	1,746	9,956
Fall 2019	8,590	2,680	11,270	7,880	1,859	9,739
Fall 2020	9,570	2,734	12,304	8,715	1,917	10,632
Fall 2021	8,776	2,797	11,573	7,905	1,949	9,854
Fall 2022	7,589	2,636	10,225	6,844	1,812	8,656
% Change from 2018-2022	-12.8%	5.0%	-8.8%	-14.7%	3.8%	-13.1%

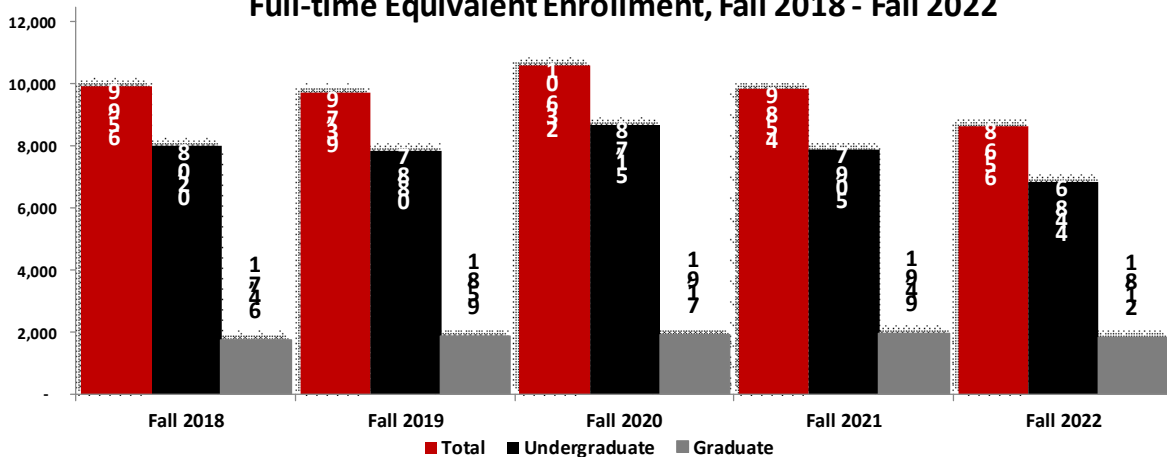
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### Enrollment Headcount, Fall 2018 - Fall 2022



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### Full-time Equivalent Enrollment, Fall 2018 - Fall 2022



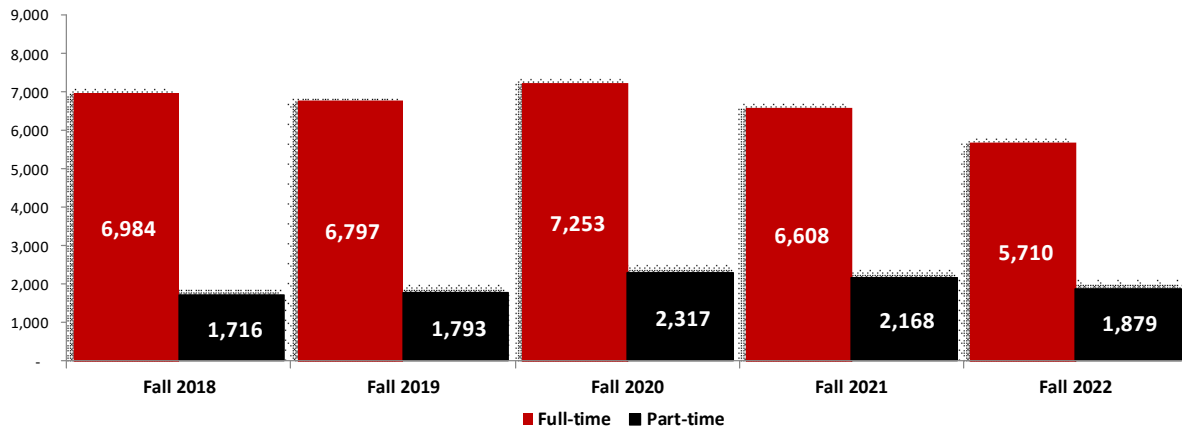
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## Enrollment by Time Status, Fall 2018 - 2022

Term	Undergraduate			Graduate			Total		
	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total
Fall 2018	6,984	1,716	8,700	742	1,769	2,511	7,726	3,485	11,211
Fall 2019	6,797	1,793	8,590	780	1,900	2,680	7,577	3,693	11,270
Fall 2020	7,253	2,317	9,570	889	1,845	2,734	8,142	4,162	12,304
Fall 2021	6,608	2,168	8,776	872	1,925	2,797	7,480	4,093	11,573
Fall 2022	5,710	1,879	7,589	773	1,863	2,636	6,483	3,742	10,225
% Change from 2018-2022	-18.2%	9.5%	-12.8%	4.2%	5.3%	5.0%	-16.1%	7.4%	-8.8%

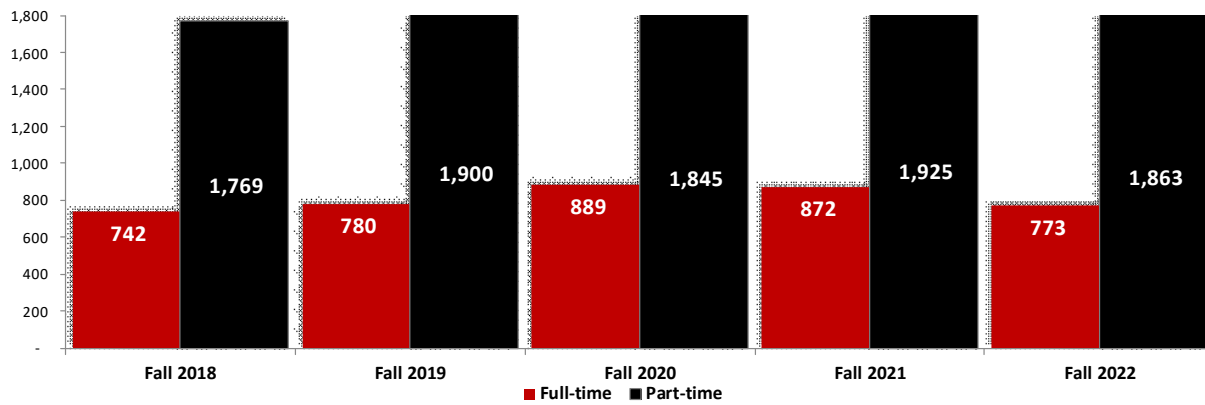
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### Undergraduate Enrollment by Time Status, Fall 2018 - Fall 2022



Source: VSU SRA Analysis of USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

### Graduate Enrollment by Time Status, Fall 2018 - Fall 2022



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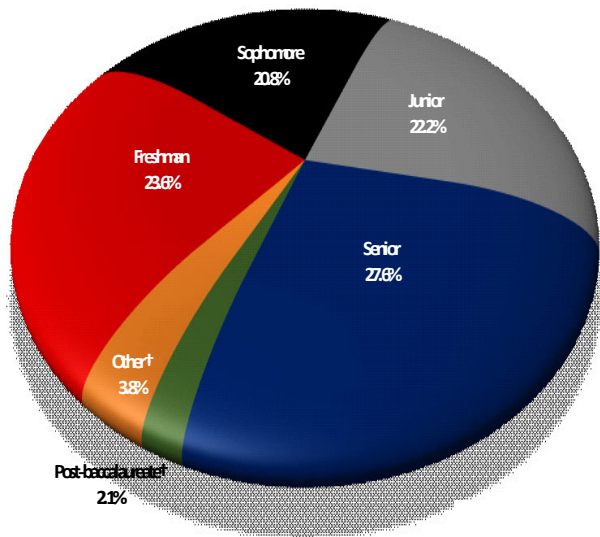


### Enrollment by Classification

Classification	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	Fall 2022	% Change from 2018-2022
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
Freshman	2,322	2,234	3,264	2,651	1,792	-22.8%
Sophomore	1,839	1,904	1,769	1,667	1,575	-14.4%
Junior	1,912	1,865	2,029	1,815	1,682	-12.0%
Senior	2,164	2,199	2,156	2,164	2,093	-3.3%
Transient	49	28	8	25	35	-28.6%
Joint Enrolled	241	205	181	306	250	3.7%
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-
Post-baccalaureate	173	155	163	148	162	-6.4%
<b>Undergraduate Total</b>	<b>8,700</b>	<b>8,590</b>	<b>9,570</b>	<b>8,776</b>	<b>7,589</b>	<b>87.2%</b>
<b>Graduate</b>						
Post-baccalaureate	93	120	141	136	118	26.9%
Masters	1,606	1,735	1,759	1,728	1,638	2.0%
Education Specialist	330	359	366	444	426	29.1%
Doctorate	482	466	468	489	454	-5.8%
<b>Graduate Total</b>	<b>2,511</b>	<b>2,680</b>	<b>2,734</b>	<b>2,797</b>	<b>2,636</b>	<b>5.0%</b>

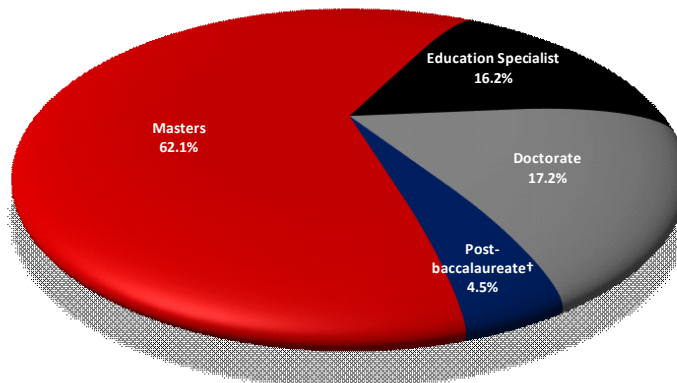
Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

**Undergraduate Enrollment by Classification, Fall 2022**



**Undergraduates comprised 74.2% of VSU's total enrollment for Fall 2022.**

**Graduate Enrollment by Classification, Fall 2022**



† Other includes students who were classified as transient, joint enrolled, and other.

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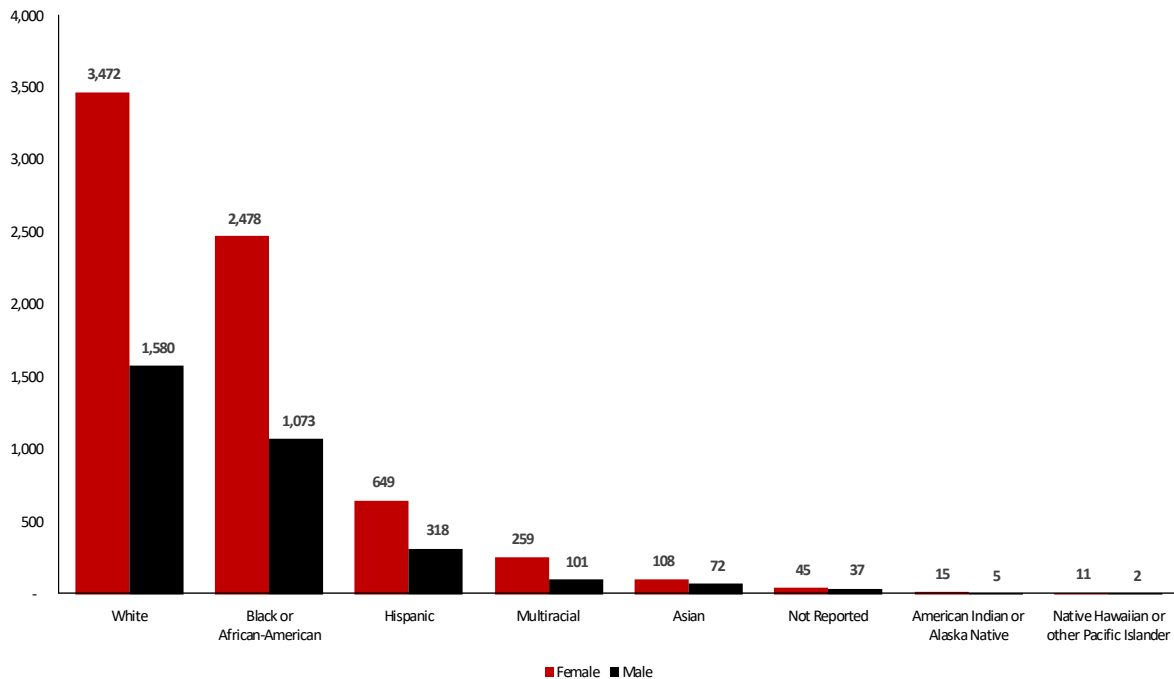
### Enrollment by Ethnicity and Gender

Gender/Ethnicity	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	Fall 2022	% Change from 2018-2022
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	3,838	3,748	3,924	3,591	3,188	-16.9%
Female	7,373	7,522	8,380	7,982	7,037	-4.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,375</b>	<b>11,341</b>	<b>12,304</b>	<b>11,573</b>	<b>10,225</b>	<b>-10.1%</b>
<b>Ethnicity and Gender</b>						
Black or African American Male	1,376	1,258	1,275	1,431	1,073	-22.0%
Black or African American Female	2,573	2,643	2,734	3,252	2,478	-3.7%
White or Caucasian Male	2,039	1,968	1,885	1,870	1,580	-22.5%
White or Caucasian Female	3,899	3,813	3,821	3,937	3,472	-11.0%
All Other Male	601	612	588	623	535	-11.0%
All Other Female	853	917	967	1,191	1,087	27.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,341</b>	<b>11,211</b>	<b>11,270</b>	<b>12,304</b>	<b>10,225</b>	<b>-9.8%</b>

Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2017-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

**Females comprised 68.8% of VSU's total enrollment for Fall 2022.**

### Enrollment by Ethnicity and Gender, Fall 2022



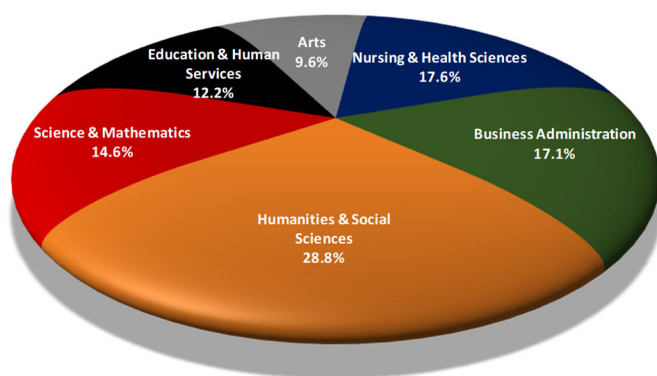
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## Enrollment by College

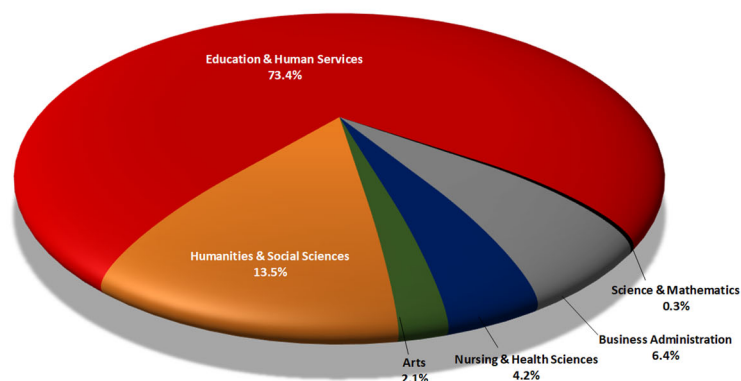
College/Division	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	Fall 2022	% Change from 2018-2022
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
Arts	927	1,023	1,043	860	729	-21.4%
Science & Mathematics	1457	1,350	1,441	1,277	1,109	-23.9%
Business Administration	1,476	1,465	1,578	1,450	1,295	-12.3%
Education & Human Services	1,644	975	1,098	973	928	-43.6%
Nursing & Health Sciences	1,197	1,286	1,791	1,638	1,339	11.9%
Humanities & Social Sciences	1,999	2,491	2,619	2,578	2,189	9.5%
<b>Undergraduate Total</b>	<b>8,700</b>	<b>8,590</b>	<b>9,570</b>	<b>8,776</b>	<b>7,589</b>	<b>-12.8%</b>
<b>Graduate</b>						
Arts	34	31	39	48	56	64.7%
Science & Mathematics	13	15	12	10	8	-38.5%
Business Administration	94	102	97	151	168	78.7%
Education & Human Services	2,000	2,053	2,087	2,099	1,935	-3.3%
Nursing & Health Sciences	70	104	120	118	112	60.0%
Humanities & Social Sciences	300	375	379	371	357	19.0%
<b>Graduate Total</b>	<b>2,511</b>	<b>2,680</b>	<b>2,734</b>	<b>2,797</b>	<b>2,636</b>	<b>5.0%</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,211</b>	<b>11,270</b>	<b>12,304</b>	<b>11,573</b>	<b>10,225</b>	<b>-8.8%</b>

*Note: In Fall 2013, College of Nursing was changed to College of Nursing & Health Sciences, and College of Education was changed to College of Education & Human Services. In Fall 2013, Social Work was combined into College of Education & Human Services. In Fall 2014, MLIS was combined into College of Education & Human Services. Fall 2006-Fall 2013 enrollment for Social Work and MLIS have been combined into Education & Human Services. For 2018, the College of Arts and Sciences was split, resulting in the formation of the College of Science & Mathematics and the College of Humanities & Social Sciences. Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.*

### Undergraduate Enrollment by College, Fall 2022



### Graduate Enrollment by College, Fall 2022



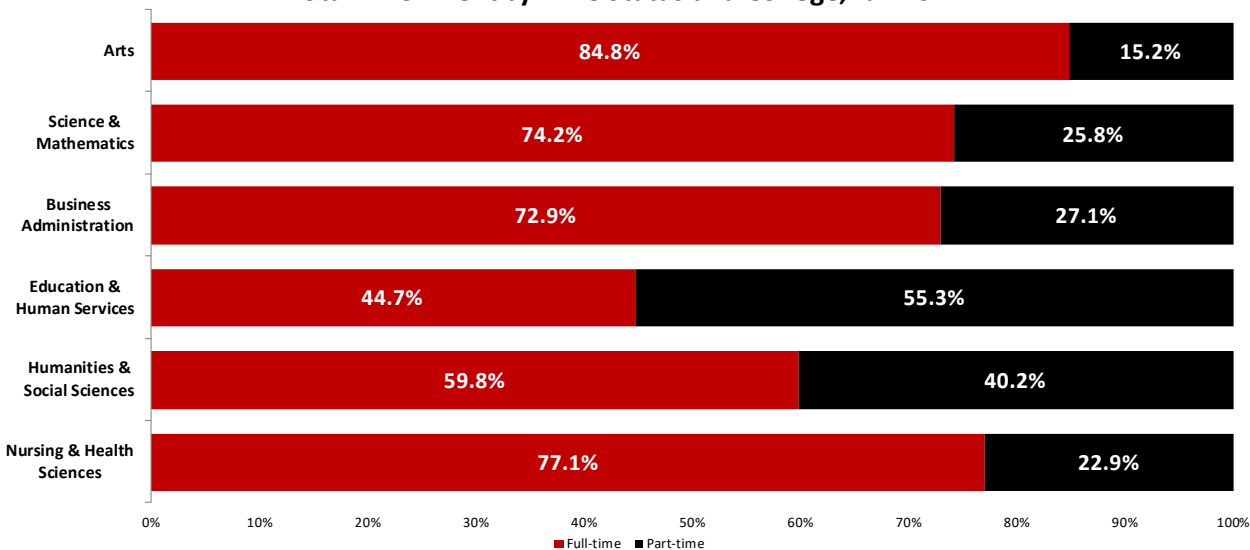
Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

## Enrollment by Time Status, Classification, and College, Fall 2022

College/Division	Undergraduates			Graduates			Total		
	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total
Arts	635	94	729	31	25	56	666	119	785
Science & Mathematics	827	282	1,109	2	6	8	829	288	1,117
Business Administration	1,004	291	1,295	63	105	168	1,067	396	1,463
Education & Human Services	725	203	928	555	1,380	1,935	1,280	1,583	2,863
Humanities & Social Sciences	1,455	734	2,189	68	289	357	1,523	1,023	2,546
Nursing & Health Sciences	1,064	275	1,339	54	58	112	1,118	333	1,451
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,710</b>	<b>1,879</b>	<b>7,589</b>	<b>773</b>	<b>1,863</b>	<b>2,636</b>	<b>6,483</b>	<b>3,742</b>	<b>10,225</b>

Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

### Total Enrollment by Time Status and College, Fall 2022



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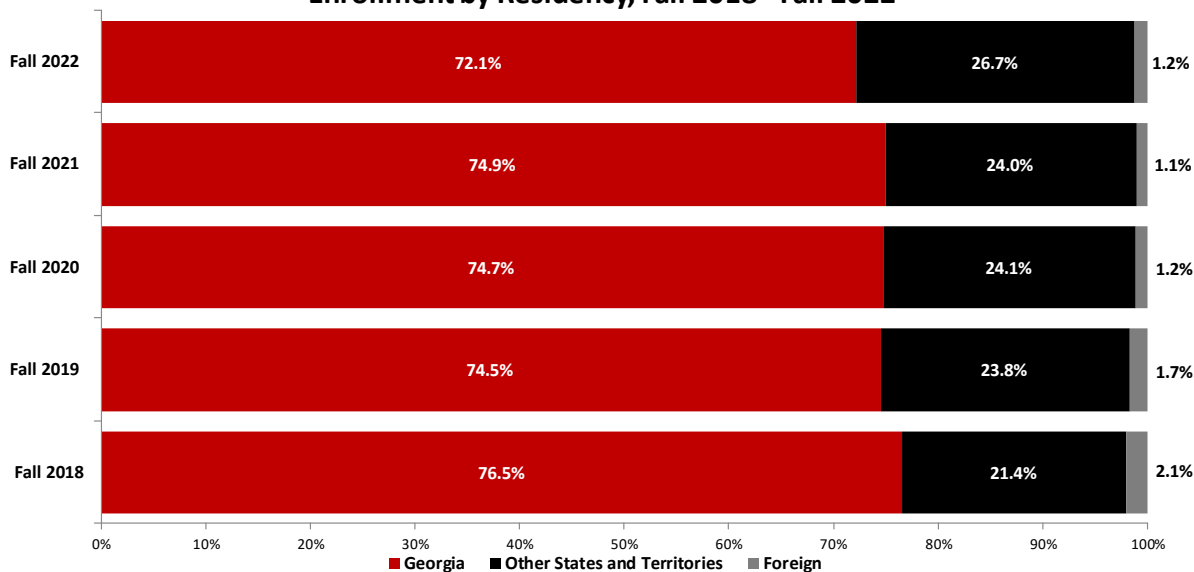
### Enrollment by Residency

Residency	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	Fall 2022	% Change from 2018-2022
Georgia	8,581	8,396	9,195	8,667	7,372	-14.1%
Other States & Territories	2,395	2,679	2,961	2,779	2,727	13.9%
Foreign	235	195	148	127	126	-46.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,211</b>	<b>11,270</b>	<b>12,304</b>	<b>11,573</b>	<b>10,225</b>	<b>-8.8%</b>

Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

**Georgia Residents comprise 72.1% of enrolled students.**

### Enrollment by Residency, Fall 2018 - Fall 2022



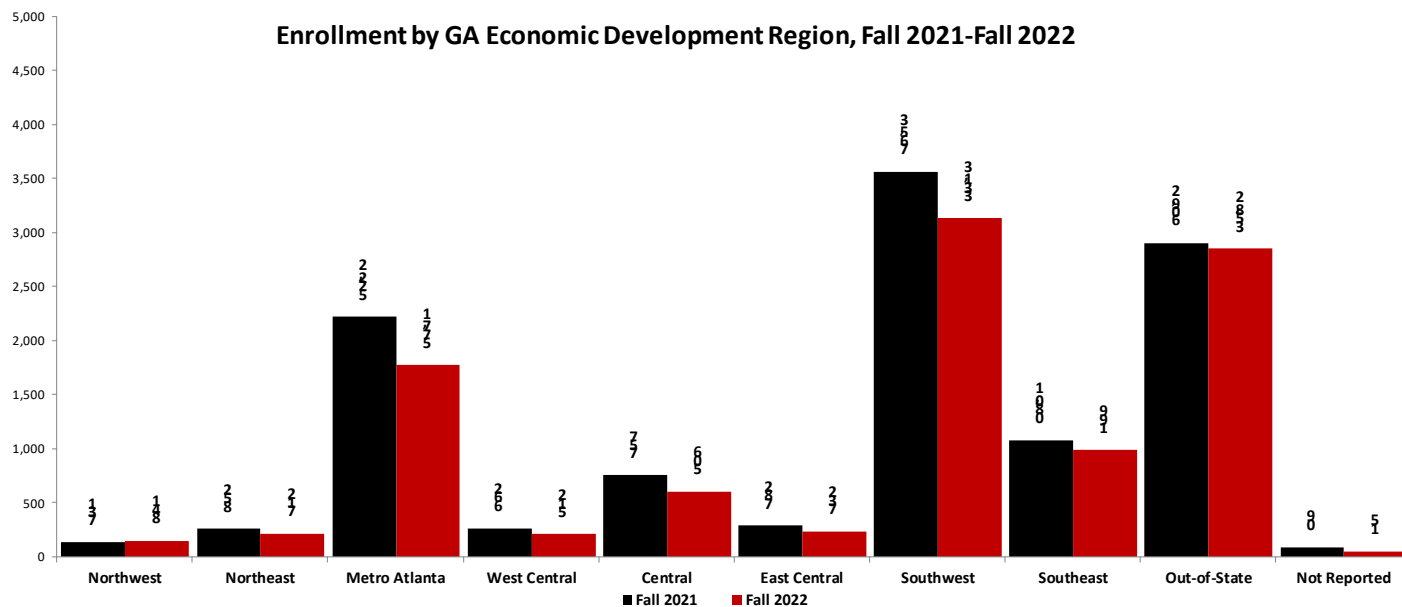
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### Enrollment by Georgia Economic Development Region

Region	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	Fall 2022	% Change from 2018-2022
Northwest	134	139	129	137	148	10.4%
Northeast	231	229	251	258	217	-6.1%
Metro Atlanta	2,361	2,290	2,581	2,225	1,775	-24.8%
West Central	264	268	291	266	215	-18.6%
Central	789	744	783	757	605	-23.3%
East Central	258	243	287	287	237	-8.1%
Southwest	3,381	3,407	3,637	3,567	3,133	-7.3%
Southeast	1,161	1,069	1,176	1,080	991	-14.6%
Out-of-State	2,630	2,874	3,109	2,906	2,853	8.5%
Not Reported	2	7	60	90	51	2450.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,211</b>	<b>11,270</b>	<b>12,304</b>	<b>11,573</b>	<b>10,225</b>	<b>-8.8%</b>

<sup>†</sup>Lowndes County is included in the Southwest Economic Development Region.  
 Source: VSU SRA Analysis of USG Academic Data Mart, 2018– 2022.

### Enrollment by GA Economic Development Region, Fall 2021-Fall 2022



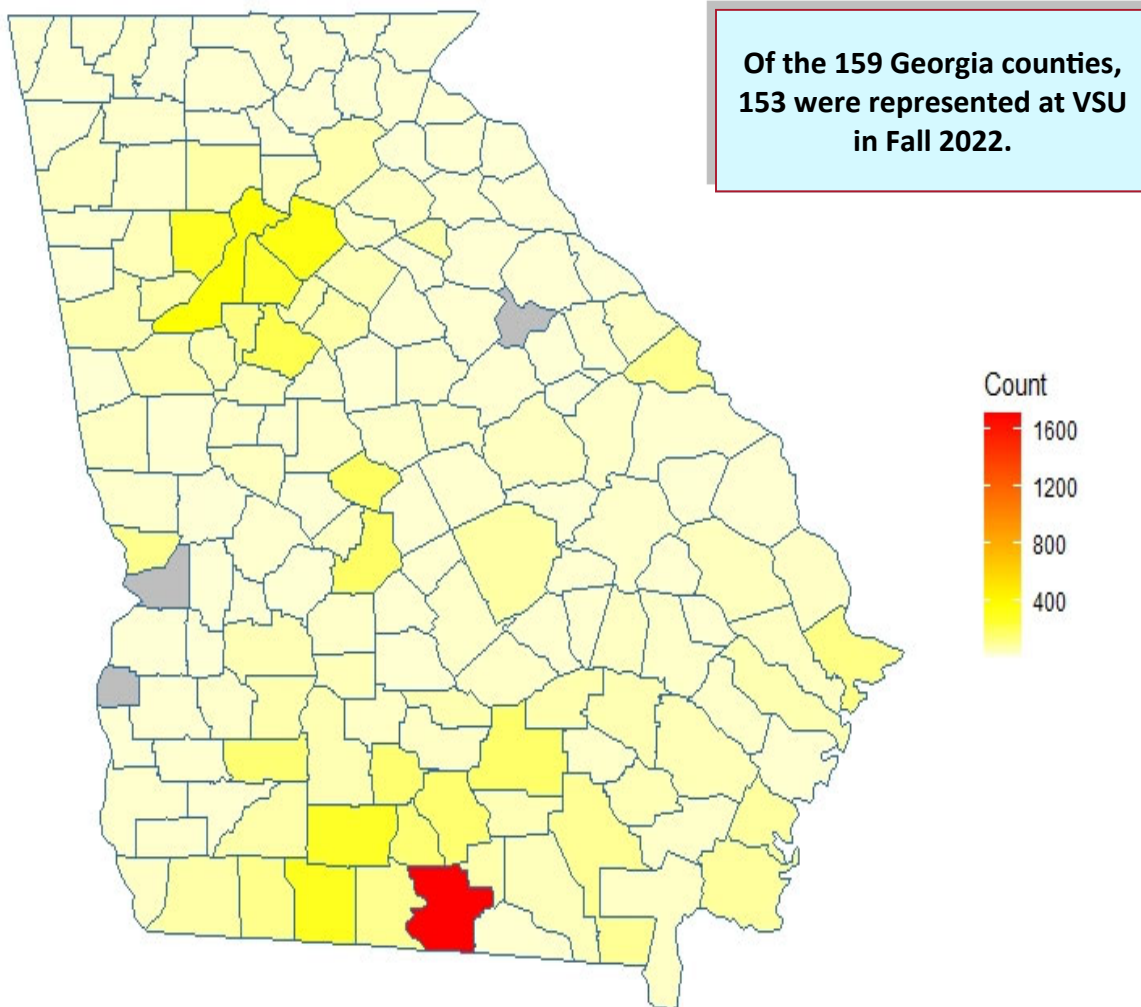
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 Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2021-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

## 20 Counties with Highest Enrollment, Fall 2022

County	Number	County	Number
Lowndes	1,503	Houston	139
Gwinnett	285	Berrien	139
Fulton	252	Chatham	138
Thomas	250	Dougherty	136
Colquitt	243	Cook	131
Cobb	211	Tift	128
Henry	172	Clayton	108
Dekalb	168	Brooks	93
Coffee	147	Grady	83
Bibb	140	Muscogee	83

Source: VSU SRA Analysis of USG Academic Data Mart, 2022.

## Enrollment by Georgia County of Residence, Fall 2022



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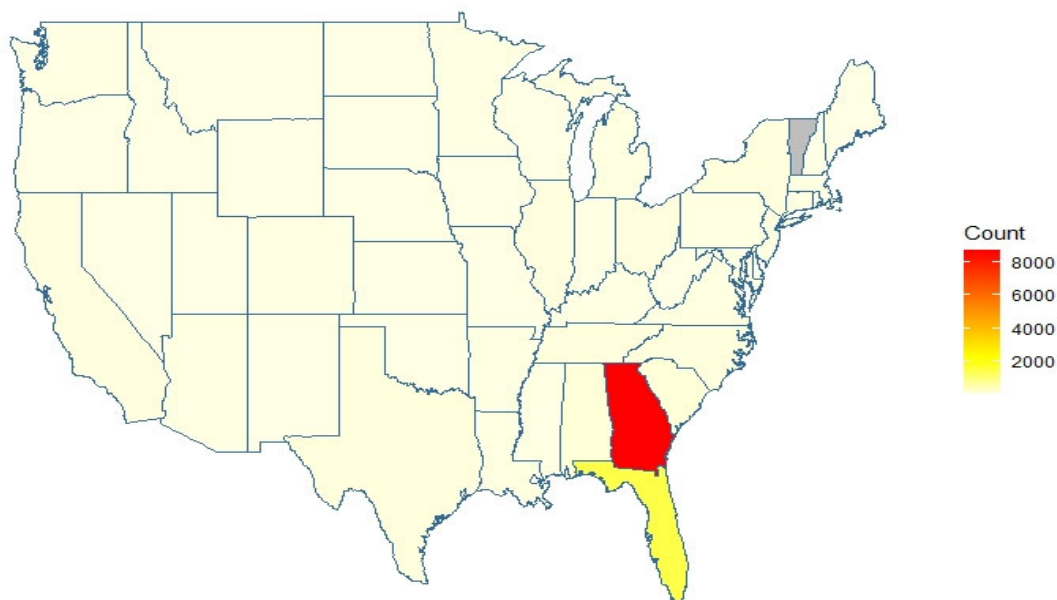
### Enrollment by State of Origin, Fall 2022

State	Count	State	Count	State	Count	State	Count
Georgia	73.27%	Pennsylvania	0.48%	Kansas	0.16%	Idaho	0.06%
Florida	12.41%	Michigan	0.41%	Minnesota	0.16%	Montana	0.06%
Alabama	1.17%	Maryland	0.37%	Mississippi	0.14%	Hawaii	0.06%
South Carolina	1.05%	Kentucky	0.33%	Utah	0.13%	Wyoming	0.05%
New York	1.00%	Massachusetts	0.29%	Wisconsin	0.12%	Nebraska	0.04%
California	0.93%	Indiana	0.28%	Oregon	0.12%	Maine	0.03%
Texas	0.84%	Louisiana	0.27%	New Mexico	0.11%	New Hampshire	0.03%
North Carolina	0.83%	Missouri	0.23%	West Virginia	0.10%	South Dakota	0.03%
Tennessee	0.78%	Connecticut	0.23%	Iowa	0.10%	Rhode Island	0.03%
New Jersey	0.59%	Colorado	0.20%	Alaska	0.09%	Vermont	0.02%
Ohio	0.58%	Arkansas	0.18%	Delaware	0.08%	North Dakota	0.01%
Illinois	0.56%	Washington	0.18%	Nevada	0.08%	<b>Total</b>	100.00%
Virginia	0.53%	Arizona	0.17%	Oklahoma	0.07%		

Notes: U.S. Territories not included. Numbers converted to percentages to retain student anonymity.

Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

**Students from Georgia and bordering states comprised 88.2% of VSU’s Fall 2022 enrollment.**



Note: Alaska, Hawaii, and U.S. Territories, are not included in the map.

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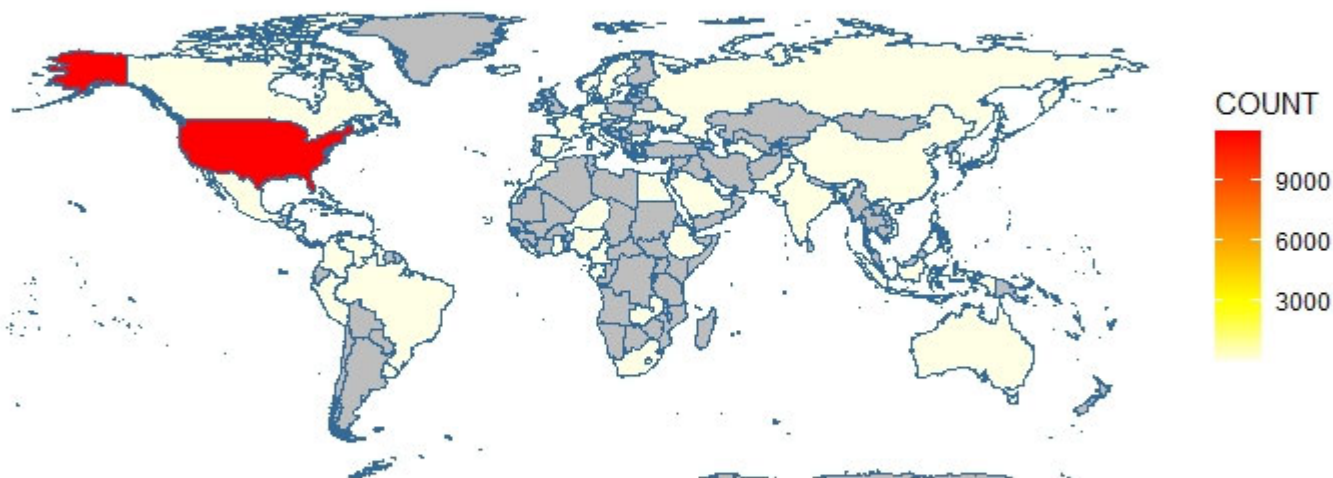


## Enrollment by Country of Citizenship, Fall 2022

Country	Number	Country	Number	Country	Number	Country	Number
United States	97.83%	Ghana	0.04%	Antigua and Barbuda	0.01%	<b>Total</b>	<b>100.00%</b>
Mexico	0.18%	Spain	0.04%	Norway	0.01%		
India	0.17%	Czech Republic	0.03%	Montenegro	0.01%		
South Korea	0.14%	Netherlands	0.03%	Ethiopia	0.01%		
Honduras	0.13%	Philippines	0.03%	Nepal	0.01%		
Canada	0.09%	Switzerland	0.03%	Ukraine	0.01%		
Germany	0.09%	Dominican Republic	0.03%	Malaysia	0.01%		
Belize	0.08%	Pakistan	0.03%	Bulgaria	0.01%		
Jamaica	0.08%	Bangladesh	0.02%	Peru	0.01%		
Colombia	0.07%	El Salvador	0.02%	Zambia	0.01%		
Georgia	0.06%	Venezuela	0.02%	Algeria	0.01%		
Nigeria	0.06%	Saudi Arabia	0.02%	South Africa	0.01%		
United Kingdom	0.05%	Jordan	0.02%	Kenya	0.01%		
Australia	0.05%	Brazil	0.02%	Morocco	0.01%		
Russia	0.05%	Sweden	0.02%	Turkey	0.01%		
Bahamas	0.05%	Hungary	0.01%	Denmark	0.01%		
Haiti	0.05%	Cuba	0.01%	Hong Kong	0.01%		
Italy	0.04%	Taiwan	0.01%	Japan	0.01%		
China	0.04%	Cayman Islands	0.01%	Guatemala	0.01%		
France	0.04%	Belgium	0.01%	Egypt	0.01%		
Vietnam	0.04%	Israel	0.01%				

Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

Notes: Countries listed above are based on international residency regardless of citizenship status. Numbers converted to percentages to retain student anonymity.



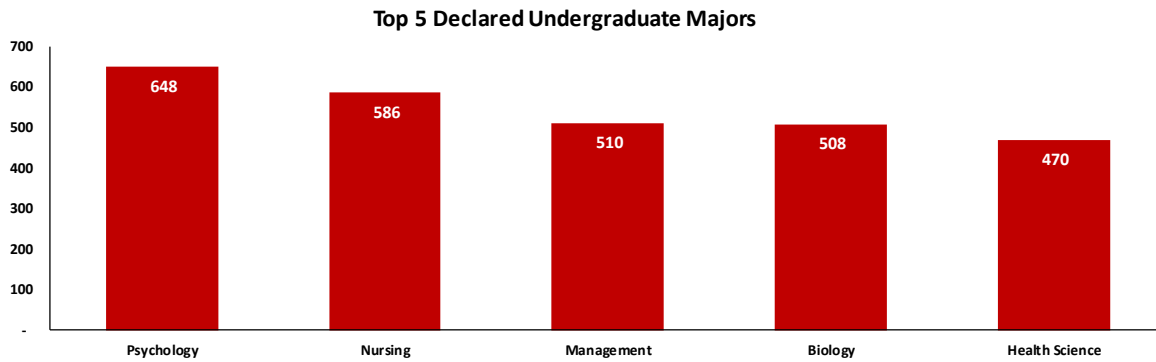
Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

### 5 Largest Declared Undergraduate Majors, Fall 2022

Major	Number	Percent
Psychology	648	7.4%
Nursing	586	6.7%
Management	510	5.8%
Biology	508	5.8%
Health Science	470	5.4%

Note: Nursing includes Pre-Nursing majors.

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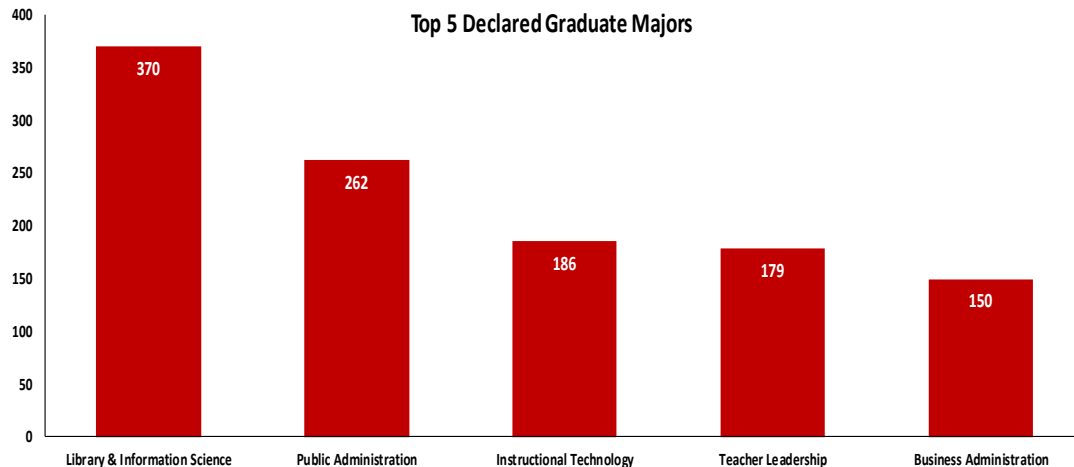


Source: USG Academic Data Mart, 2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

### 5 Largest Declared Graduate Majors, Fall 2022

Major	Number	Percent
Library & Information Science	370	13.2%
Public Administration	262	9.4%
Instructional Technology	186	6.6%
Teacher Leadership	179	6.4%
Business Administration	150	5.4%

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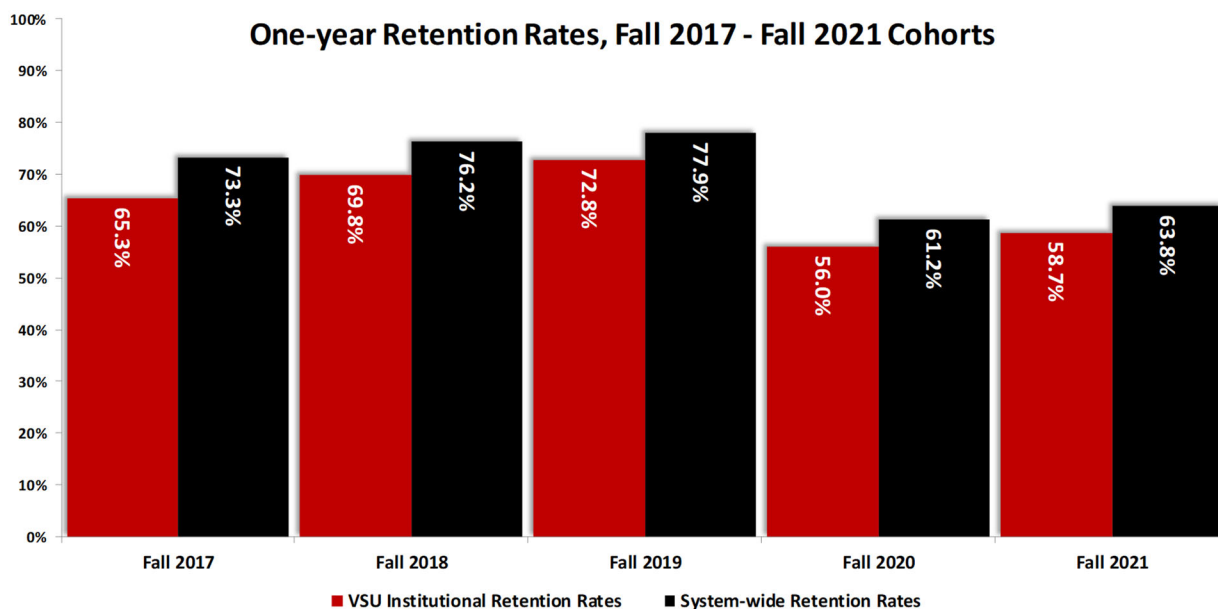


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### One-year Retention Rates

Cohort	Number of Entering Freshman at VSU	Number of Returning Students at VSU	VSU Institutional Retention Rates	Number of Returning Students System-wide	System-wide Retention Rates
Fall 2017	1,694	1,106	65.3%	1,242	73.3%
Fall 2018	1,728	1,207	69.8%	1,317	76.2%
Fall 2019	1,600	1,164	72.8%	1,246	77.9%
Fall 2020	2,324	1,301	56.0%	1,423	61.2%
Fall 2021	1,716	1,008	58.7%	1,094	63.8%

Note: The official USG Retention rate tracks first-time, full-time students for one year. The USG System-wide retention rates show the percent of students who began at VSU, but later transferred to another USG institution.



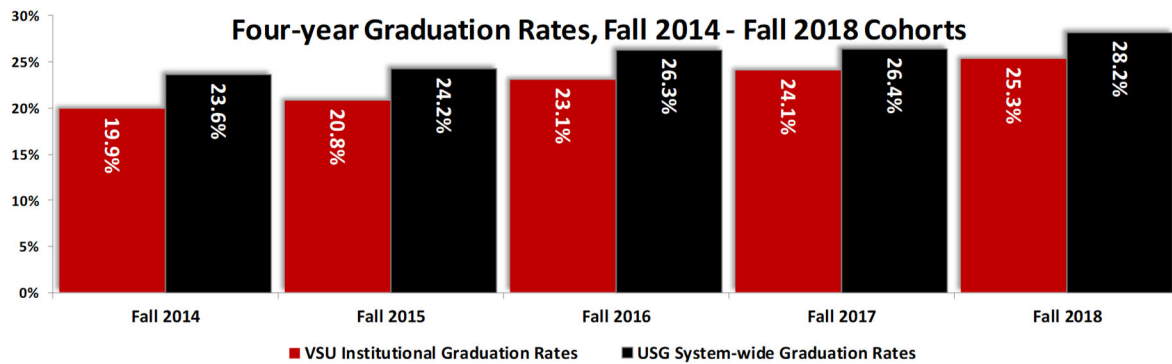
Source: USG Retention Report, 2017-2021.

### Graduation Rates

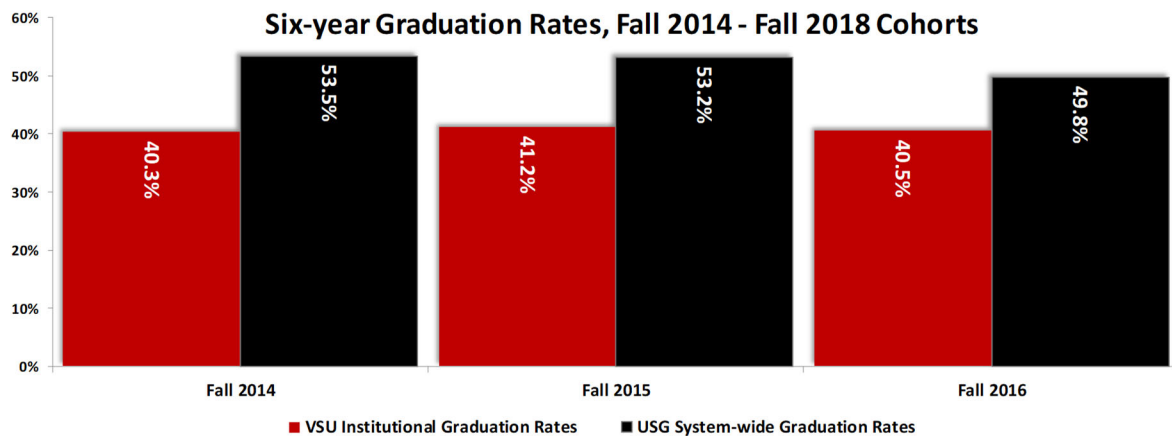
Cohort	First-time Full-time Freshmen	4-year VSU Graduation Rates	4-year System-wide Graduation Rates	6-year VSU Graduation Rates	6-year System-wide Graduation Rates
Fall 2014	1,574	19.9%	23.6%	40.3%	53.5%
Fall 2015	1,394	20.8%	24.2%	41.2%	53.2%
Fall 2016	1,470	23.1%	26.3%	40.5%	49.8%
Fall 2017	1,675	24.1%	26.4%		
Fall 2018	1,703	25.3%	28.2%		

Note: VSU graduation rates are based on first-time, full-time students pursuing a bachelors degree who originally enrolled at VSU and graduated from VSU. System-wide graduation rates are based on first-time, full-time students who originally enrolled at VSU but transferred and graduated from another USG institution.

Source: USG Graduation Reports, 2014—2018.



Source: USG Graduation Reports, 2014-2018. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.



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### Degrees Conferred by College

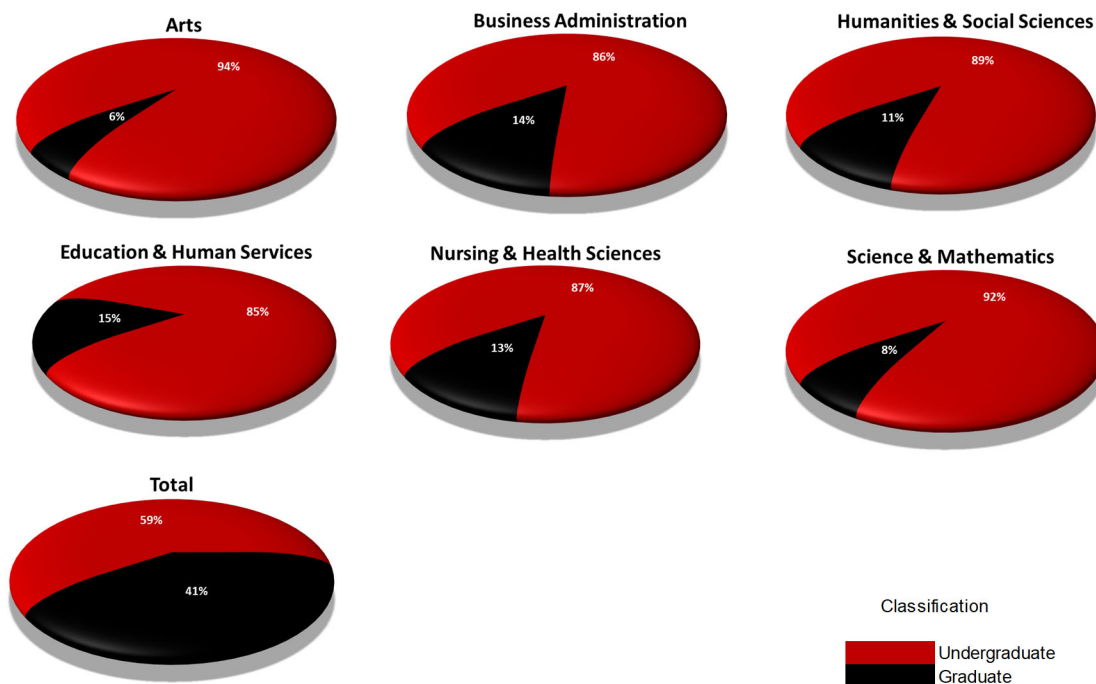
College/Division	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	Total
Business Administration	363	356	356	375	376	1,826
Education & Human Services	1,003	987	941	1,069	1,037	5,037
Humanities & Social Sciences	574	548	635	574	572	2,903
Nursing & Health Sciences	185	195	219	230	237	1,066
Science & Mathematics	148	176	174	177	171	846
Arts	221	177	222	199	195	1,014
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,494</b>	<b>2,439</b>	<b>2,547</b>	<b>2,624</b>	<b>2,588</b>	<b>12,692</b>

Source: USG Degrees Conferred Reports, FY2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

Notes: Colleges assigned retroactively for 2016-2018 following the split of the College of Arts & Sciences into the College of Science & Mathematics and the College of Humanities & Social Sciences in FY 2019.

**Over the last five years, VSU has conferred over 12,709 undergraduate and graduate degrees.**

### Degrees Conferred by College, FY2022



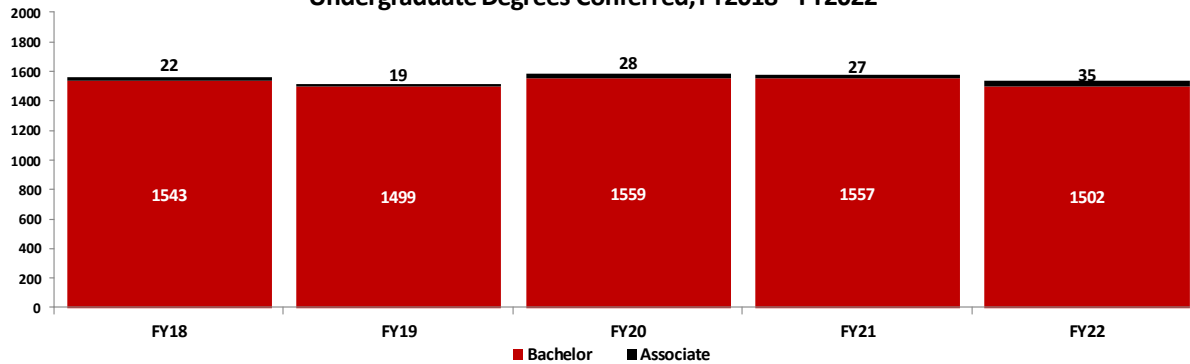
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## Undergraduate Degrees Conferred by College

College	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	Total
Business Administration	304	314	310	320	323	1,571
Education & Human Services	220	209	193	200	158	980
Humanities and Social Sciences	514	486	523	495	508	2,526
Nursing & Health Sciences	175	178	191	208	206	958
Science and Mathematics	144	173	171	174	158	820
Arts	208	158	199	187	184	936
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,565</b>	<b>1,518</b>	<b>1,587</b>	<b>1,584</b>	<b>1,537</b>	<b>7,791</b>

Source: USG Degrees Conferred Reports, FY2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

### Undergraduate Degrees Conferred, FY2018 - FY2022



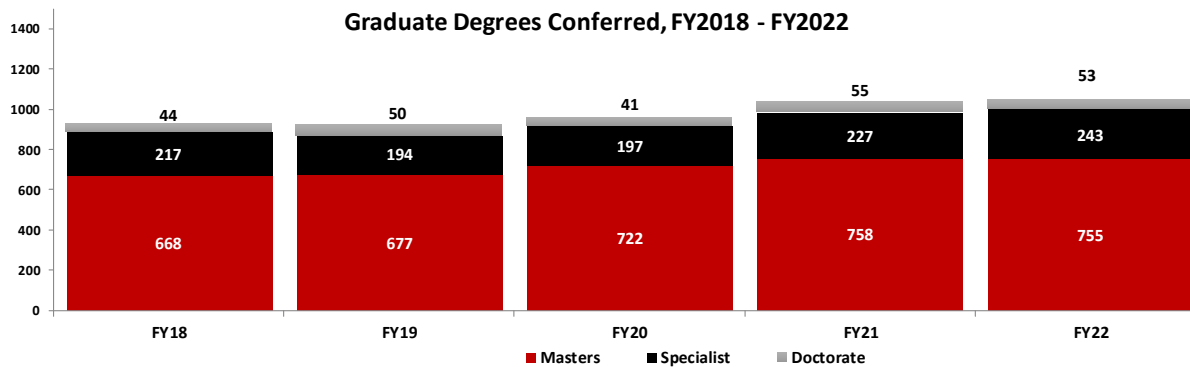
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## Graduate Degrees Conferred by College

College/Division	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	Total
Business Administration	59	42	46	55	53	255
Education & Human Services	783	778	748	869	879	4,057
Humanities and Social Sciences	60	62	112	79	64	377
Nursing & Health Sciences	10	17	28	22	31	108
Science and Mathematics	4	3	3	3	13	26
Arts	13	19	23	12	11	78
<b>Total</b>	<b>929</b>	<b>921</b>	<b>960</b>	<b>1,040</b>	<b>1,051</b>	<b>4,901</b>

Source: USG Degrees Conferred Reports, FY2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

### Graduate Degrees Conferred, FY2018 - FY2022



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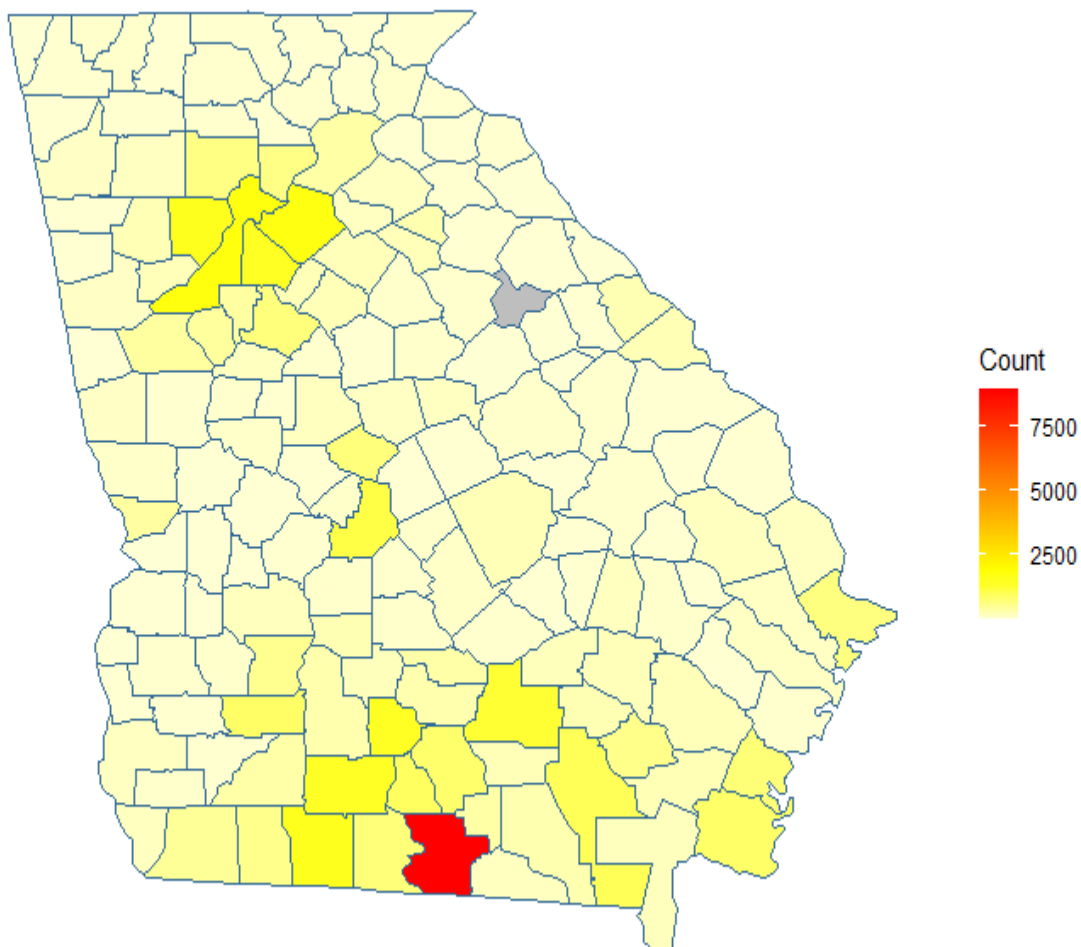
Notes: Colleges assigned retroactively for 2016-2018 following the split of the College of Arts & Sciences into the College of Science & Mathematics and the College of Humanities & Social Sciences in FY2019.

### 20 Georgia Counties with Highest Alumni Residency

County	Number	County	Number	County	Number
Lowndes	9,837	Colquitt	1,494	Berrien	891
Gwinnett	1,969	Coffee	1,305	Henry	798
Fulton	1,964	Houston	1,270	Glynn	794
Cobb	1,803	Ware	1,054	Bibb	770
Thomas	1,682	Cook	1,006	Brooks	745
DeKalb	1,574	Camden	920	Chatham	734
Tift	1,563	Dougherty	914		

Source: VSU Alumni Relations, 2021. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

### Alumni by Georgia County



Source: VSU Alumni Relations, 2021. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

### Alumni by State of Residence

State	Number	State	Number	State	Number	State	Number
Georgia	54,534	Pennsylvania	212	Oklahoma	92	Delaware	31
Florida	6,952	Mississippi	210	Kansas	82	West Virginia	31
North Carolina	1,125	Washington	210	Connecticut	79	Rhode Island	28
South Carolina	985	Kentucky	204	Minnesota	79	Maine	27
Texas	967	Arizona	198	Wisconsin	79	Wyoming	25
Alabama	931	Louisiana	174	Utah	78	South Dakota	21
Tennessee	841	Michigan	162	New Mexico	74	North Dakota	16
Virginia	707	Indiana	158	Iowa	55	Vermont	15
California	562	Missouri	158	Nebraska	53		
Colorado	334	New Jersey	112	Idaho	49		
Ohio	285	Nevada	110	Alaska	48		
Maryland	269	Oregon	103	Montana	46		
Illinois	244	Arkansas	101	New Hampshire	42		
New York	239	Massachusetts	98	Hawaii	33	<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>72,268</b>

Source: VSU Alumni Relations, 2021. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

### Alumni by State of Residence



Note: Alaska, Hawaii, and U.S. Territories, are not pictured in this map.

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# Student Services





## MEN'S ATHLETICS

### 6 TEAMS

- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cross Country
- Football
- Golf
- Tennis

## WOMEN'S ATHLETICS

### 6 TEAMS

- Basketball
- Cross Country
- Soccer
- Softball
- Tennis
- Volleyball

## AFFILIATIONS

Gulf South Conference  
NCAA Division II



## Student Services

- Residence Hall Occupancy
- Financial Aid Awarded
- Odum Library Collection



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### Quick Facts about VSU's Student Services:

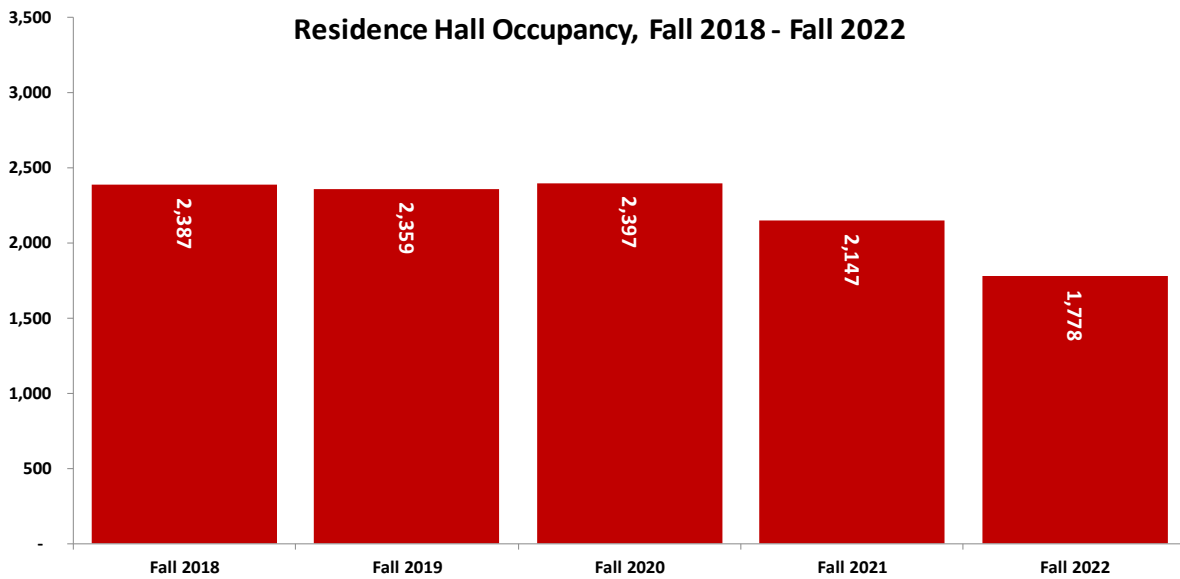
- A total of 1,778 students lived in residence halls in Fall 2022, which represents 17.4% of VSU's total enrollment.
- Of the students living in residence halls, 63.4% are women.
- In academic year 2021-2022, 1,013 degree seeking, first-time, full-time students applied for financial aid, and 818 students (72.6%) were determined to have financial need.
- The number of physical and digital/electronic holding items in the Odum Library collection increased by from 1,553,264 in AY2021 to 1,806,635 in AY2022.

### Residence Hall Occupancy

Building	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	Fall 2022
Brown Hall	191	171	182	187	90
Centennial Hall	489	506	501	459	433
Georgia Hall	483	464	487	486	430
Hopper Hall	501	499	486	504	450
Langdale Hall	453	444	448	374	190
Lowndes Hall	186	190	201	48	105
Reade Hall	84	85	92	89	80
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,387</b>	<b>2,359</b>	<b>2,397</b>	<b>2,147</b>	<b>1,778</b>

Source: VSU Housing and Residence Life, 2018-2028. Analysis by VSU OIR, 2024.

Of VSU total enrollment for Fall 2022, 17.4% lived in a residence hall.



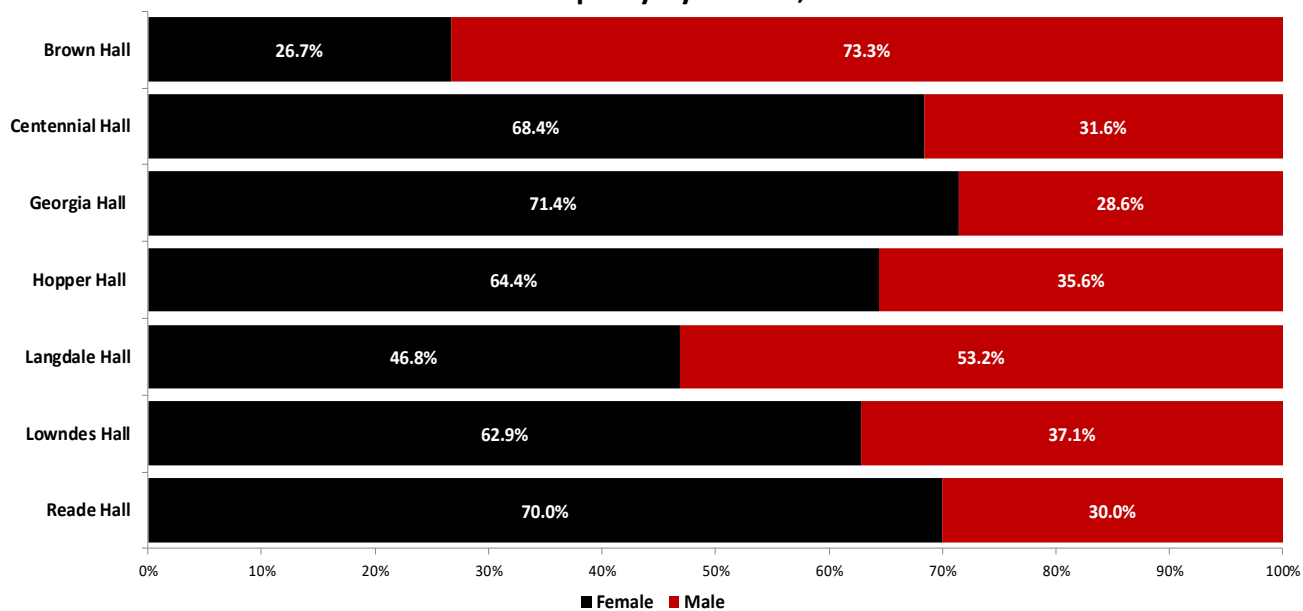
Source: VSU Housing and Residence Life, 2017-2021. Analysis by VSU OIR, 2022.

### Residence Hall Occupancy by Gender, Fall 2022

Building	Female	% Female	Male	% Male	Total	% of Total
Brown Hall	24	26.7%	66	73.3%	90	5.1%
Centennial Hall	296	68.4%	137	31.6%	433	24.4%
Georgia Hall	307	71.4%	123	28.6%	430	24.2%
Hopper Hall	290	64.4%	160	35.6%	450	25.3%
Langdale Hall	89	46.8%	101	53.2%	190	10.7%
Lowndes Hall	66	62.9%	39	37.1%	105	5.9%
Reade Hall	56	70.0%	24	30.0%	80	4.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,128</b>	<b>63.4%</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>36.6%</b>	<b>1,778</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: VSU Housing and Residence Life, 2022. Analysis by VSU OIR, 2024.

### Residence Hall Occupancy by Gender, Fall 2022



Source: VSU Housing and Residence Life, 2022. Analysis by VSU OIR, 2024.

### Financial Aid Awarded in Fall 2022

Students Receiving Financial Aid	Number	Percent
Number of degree-seeking, first-time, full-time freshmen	1,127	100.0%
Degree seeking first-time, full-time freshmen who applied for need-based financial aid	1,013	89.9%
Students who applied for need-based financial aid and were determined to have financial need	818	72.6%
Students who applied for need-based financial aid, were determined to have financial need, who were awarded any financial aid and whose need was fully met (excludes PLUS loans, unsubsidized loans, and private alternative loans)	102	9.1%

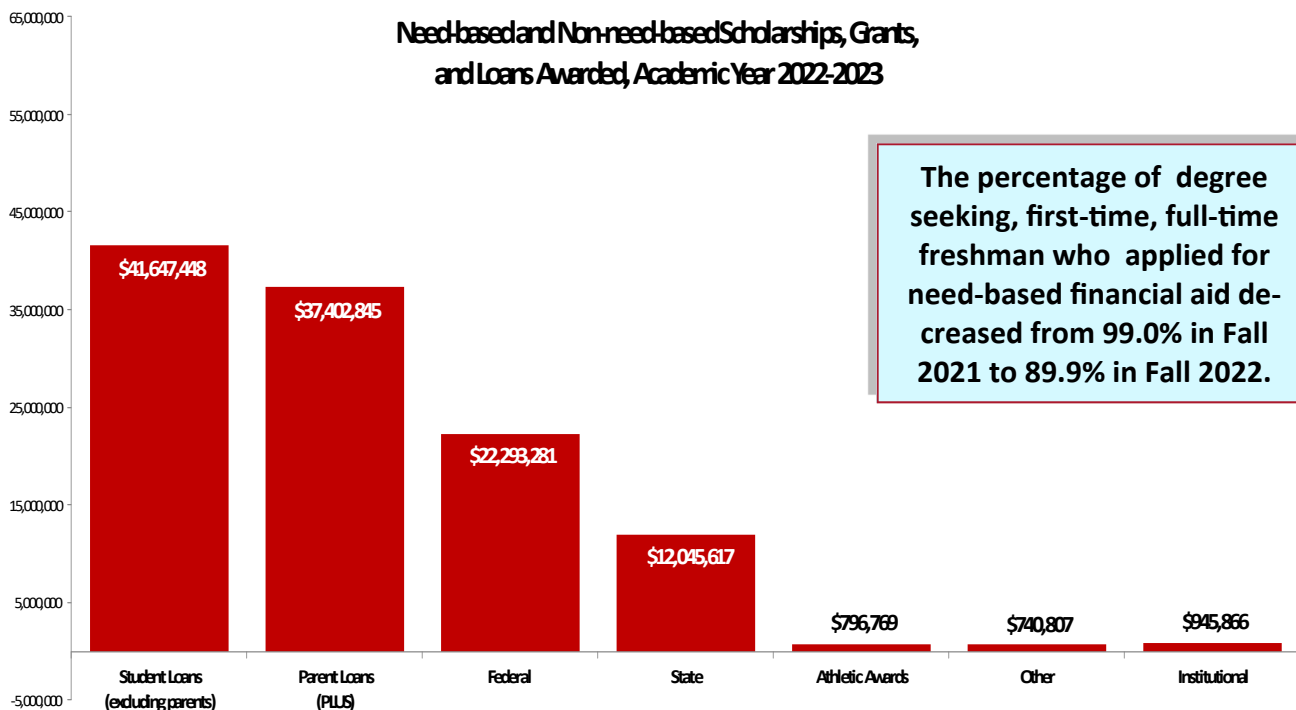
Source: Common Data Set, 2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

Need-based and Non-need-based Scholarships and Grants Distributed				
Federal	State	Institutional	Other	Total
\$ 22,293,281	\$ 12,045,617	\$ 945,866	\$ 740,807	\$ 36,025,571

Source: Common Data Set, 2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

Need-based and Non-need-based Loans/Awards Distributed		
Parents Loans (PLUS)	Athletic Awards	Student Loans (excluding parent)
\$ 37,402,845	\$ 796,769	\$ 41,647,448

Source: Common Data Set, 2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.



Source: VSU Financial Aid Office 2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

### Odum Library Collection, FY 2019-2022

Physical Holdings	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022
Print Volumes <sup>a</sup>	476,976	472,006	478,089	480,671
Media Titles <sup>b</sup>	26,479	36,291	31,292	29,139
Serial Titles	5,131	9,813	9,924	9,961
Library Circulation (Initial) <sup>c</sup>	28,743	8,283	6,777	8,069
Digital/Electronic Holdings				
e-Book Titles <sup>d,e</sup>	629,983	679,069	460,922	754,466
e-Media titles <sup>d</sup>	30,815	106,543	111,378	107,631
Library Circulation/Virtual (Usage)	135,087	341,801	352,407	257,645
e-Serial titles <sup>f</sup>	137,536	191,742	102,250	158,838
Databases <sup>d</sup>	236	225	225	215
Materials Budget				
One-time Resource Purchases	\$ 329,208	\$ 370,293	\$ 108,736	\$ 81,092
Ongoing Resource Purchases, e.g. Subscriptions, Annual License Fees	\$1,082,192	\$1,001,588	\$ 867,788	\$ 884,149
Collection Support (Preservation)				
Library Bindery	\$ 10,628	\$ 10,055	\$ 2,287	\$ 63,339
Interlibrary Activity	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022
Interlibrary Loans: Borrowed /Received	2,395	2,720	2,934	2,788
Interlibrary Loans: Loaned/Lending/Provided	3,439	2,280	5,374	6,685

Source: IPEDS Academic Libraries FY19-FY22

*a* Print Volumes incl. Cataloged government documents and bound journal back files

*b* DVD, Sound Recording, Map Titles, two- and three-dimensional materials in the Catalog

*c* Initial circulation from general physical collection

*d* Odum Library & USG GALILEO

*e* e-government documents and electronic theses included

*f* A-to-Z Full Text Journal Title List count (EBSCO)

# Employee Information





## Employee Information

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### Quick Facts about VSU's Employees:

- Of the 1,403 total employees, Postsecondary Teachers - Instruction comprised the largest portion of the employee population with 41.3% in Fall 2022.
- From Fall 2021 to Fall 2022, the number of total VSU employees decreased 4.0%.
- Females constituted 58.3% of total employees and 51.8% of full-time instructional faculty in Fall 2022.
- In Fall 2022, 36.6% of total employees were self-declared minorities.
- Fall 2022 percentages by rank of the 396 full-time instructional faculty:
  - Professor: 34.3%
  - Associate Professor: 20.5%
  - Assistant Professor: 22.0%
  - Instructor: 4.0%
  - Lecturer: 18.9%
  - No Rank: 0.3%
- In Fall 2022, there were 221 graduate assistants employed.

*Note: Cover photo courtesy of Valdosta State Flickr.*

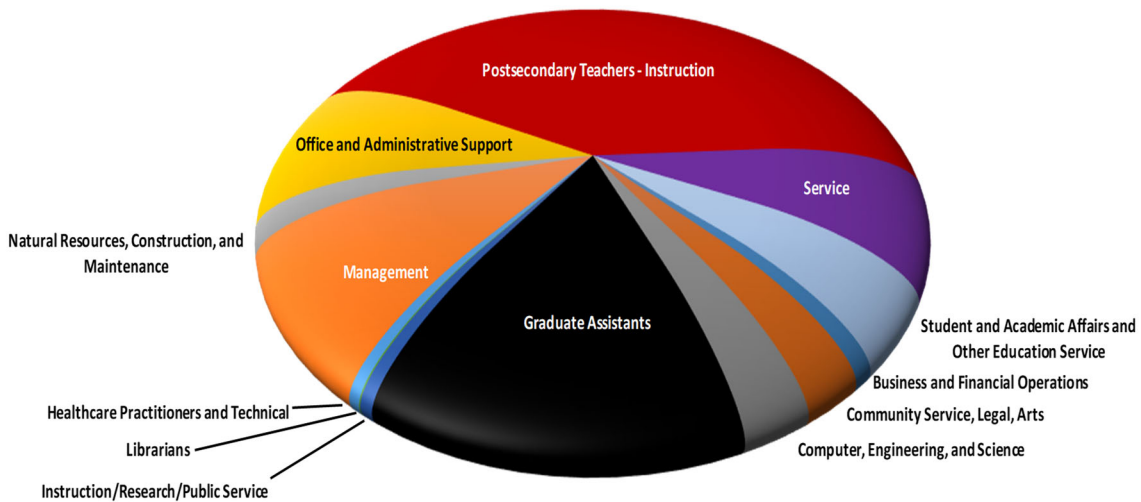
### Employees<sup>†</sup> by Occupational Area

Occupational Area	Fall 2022
Business and Financial Operations	14
Community Service, Legal, Arts	39
Computer, Engineering, and Science	43
Graduate Assistants	221
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	9
Instruction/Research/Public Service	1
Librarians	8
Management	143
Natural Resources, Construction, and Maintenance	28
Office and Administrative Support	136
Postsecondary Teachers - Instruction	580
Service	111
Student and Academic Affairs and Other Education Service	70
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,403</b>

<sup>†</sup>Employee data as of November 1, 2022.

Source: VSU Human Resources, 2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

Employees by Occupational Area, Fall 2022



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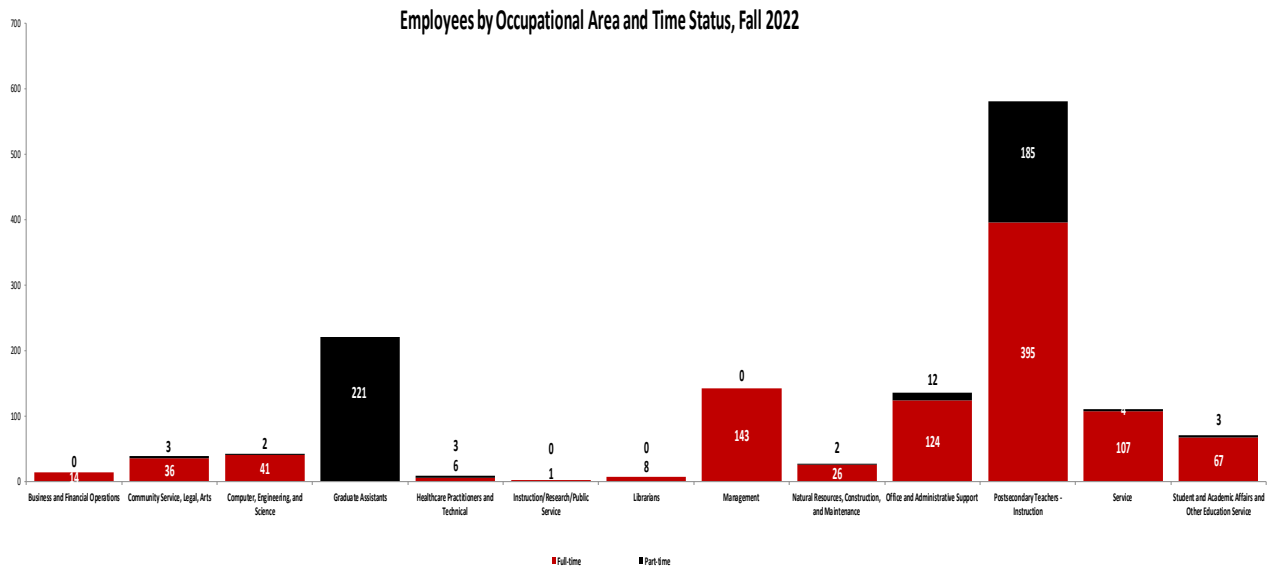
## Employees<sup>†</sup> by Occupational Area and Time Status, Fall 2022

Occupational Area	Full-time	% Full-time	Part-time	% Part-time	Total	% Total
Business and Financial Operations	14	100.0%	-	0.0%	14	1.0%
Community Service, Legal, Arts	36	92.3%	3	7.7%	39	2.8%
Computer, Engineering, and Science	41	95.3%	2	4.7%	43	3.1%
Graduate Assistants	-	0.0%	221	100.0%	221	15.8%
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	6	66.7%	3	33.3%	9	0.6%
Instruction/Research/Public Service	1	100.0%	-	0.0%	1	0.1%
Librarians	8	100.0%	-	0.0%	8	0.6%
Management	143	100.0%	-	0.0%	143	10.2%
Natural Resources, Construction, and Maintenance	26	92.9%	2	7.1%	28	2.0%
Office and Administrative Support	124	91.2%	12	8.8%	136	9.7%
Postsecondary Teachers - Instruction	395	68.1%	185	31.9%	580	41.3%
Service	107	96.4%	4	3.6%	111	7.9%
Student and Academic Affairs and Other Education Service	67	95.7%	3	4.3%	70	5.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>968</b>	<b>69.0%</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>31.0%</b>	<b>1,403</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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Source: VSU Human Resources, 2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

In Fall 2022, full-time employees accounted for 69.0% of the total



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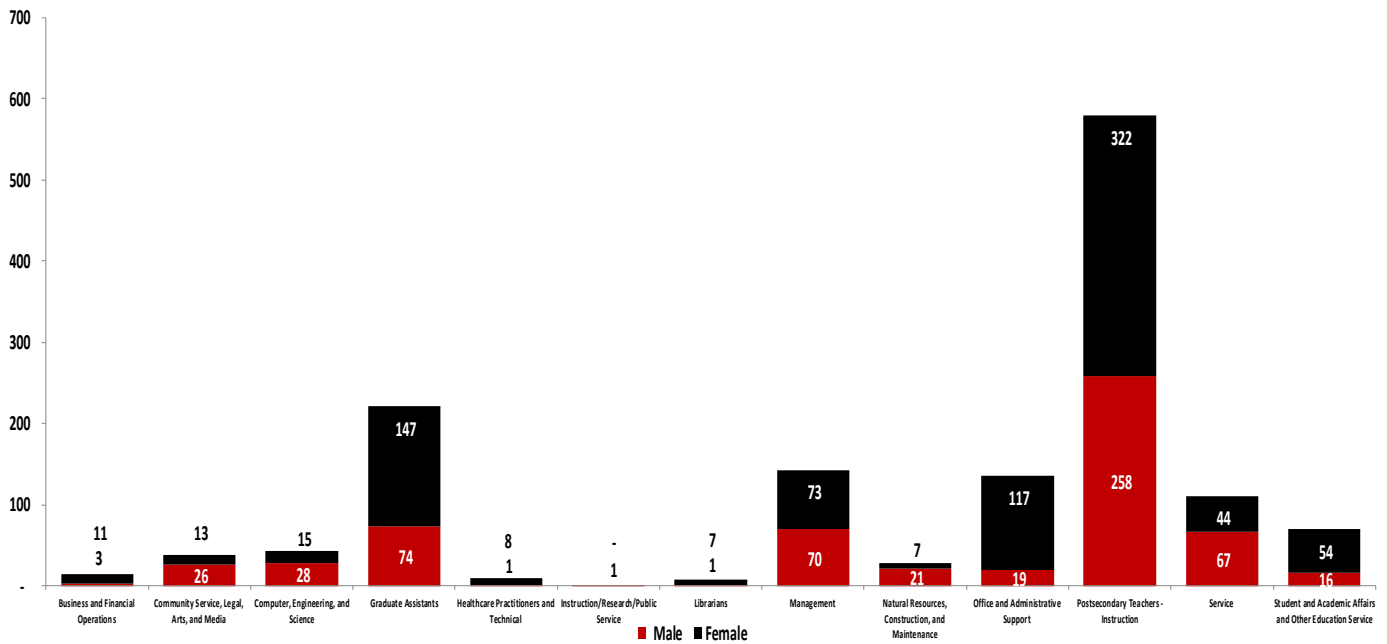
### Employees<sup>†</sup> by Occupational Area and Gender, Fall 2022

Occupational Area	Male	% Male	Female	% Female	Total	% Total
Business and Financial Operations	3	21.4%	11	78.6%	14	1.0%
Community Service, Legal, Arts, and Media	26	66.7%	13	33.3%	39	2.8%
Computer, Engineering, and Science	28	65.1%	15	34.9%	43	3.1%
Graduate Assistants	74	33.5%	147	66.5%	221	15.8%
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	1	11.1%	8	88.9%	9	0.6%
Instruction/Research/Public Service	1	100.0%	-	0.0%	1	0.1%
Librarians	1	12.5%	7	87.5%	8	0.6%
Management	70	49.0%	73	51.0%	143	10.2%
Natural Resources, Construction, and Maintenance	21	75.0%	7	25.0%	28	2.0%
Office and Administrative Support	19	14.0%	117	86.0%	136	9.7%
Postsecondary Teachers - Instruction	258	44.5%	322	55.5%	580	41.3%
Service	67	60.4%	44	39.6%	111	7.9%
Student and Academic Affairs and Other Education Service	16	22.9%	54	77.1%	70	5.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>41.7%</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>58.3%</b>	<b>1,403</b>	<b>95.0%</b>

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### Employees by Occupational Area and Gender, Fall 2022



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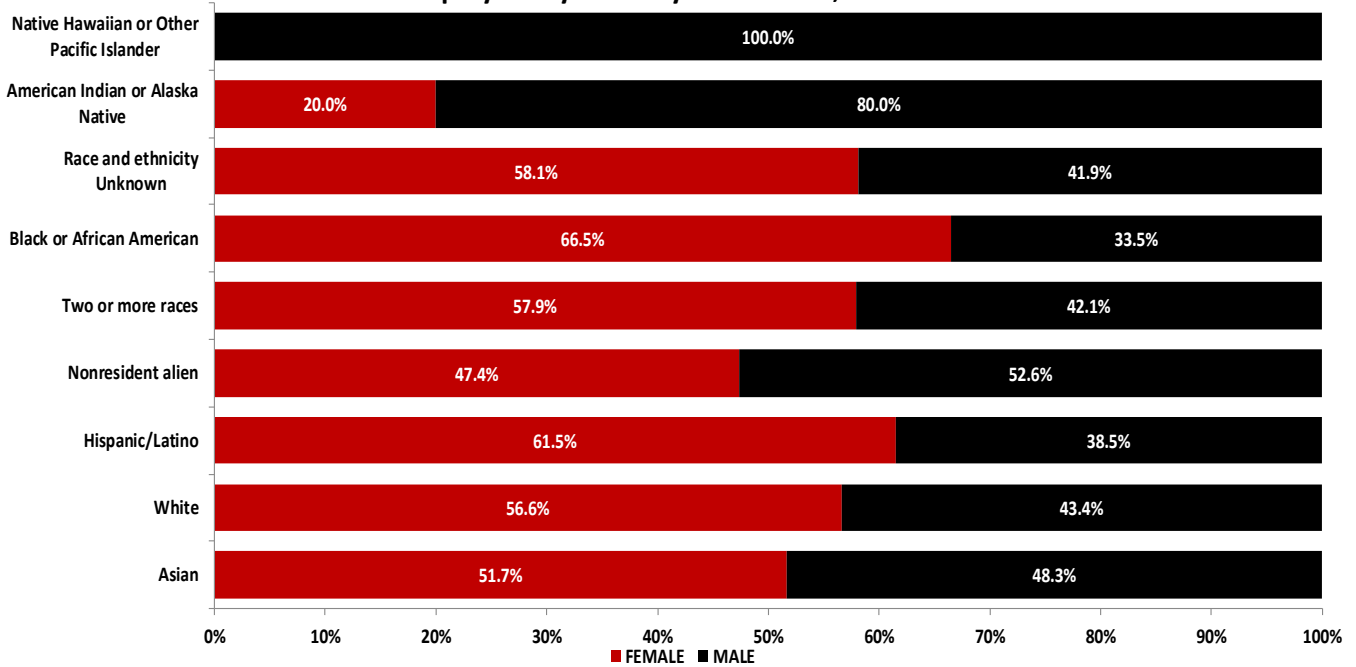
### Employees<sup>†</sup> by Gender and Ethnicity

Gender/Ethnicity	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	Fall 2022	% Change from 2018-2022
Gender						
Male	744	687	633	615	585	-21.4%
Female	1,008	922	880	846	818	-18.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,752</b>	<b>1,609</b>	<b>1,513</b>	<b>1,461</b>	<b>1,403</b>	<b>-19.9%</b>
Ethnicity and Gender						
Black or African American Male	108	115	104	88	91	-15.7%
Black or African American Female	201	233	214	188	181	-10.0%
White or Caucasian Male	484	529	435	418	386	-20.2%
White or Caucasian Female	565	635	554	527	503	-11.0%
All Other Male	152	43	94	109	108	-28.9%
All Other Female	242	54	112	131	134	-44.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,752</b>	<b>1,609</b>	<b>1,513</b>	<b>1,461</b>	<b>1,403</b>	<b>-19.9%</b>

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### Employees by Ethnicity and Gender, Fall 2022



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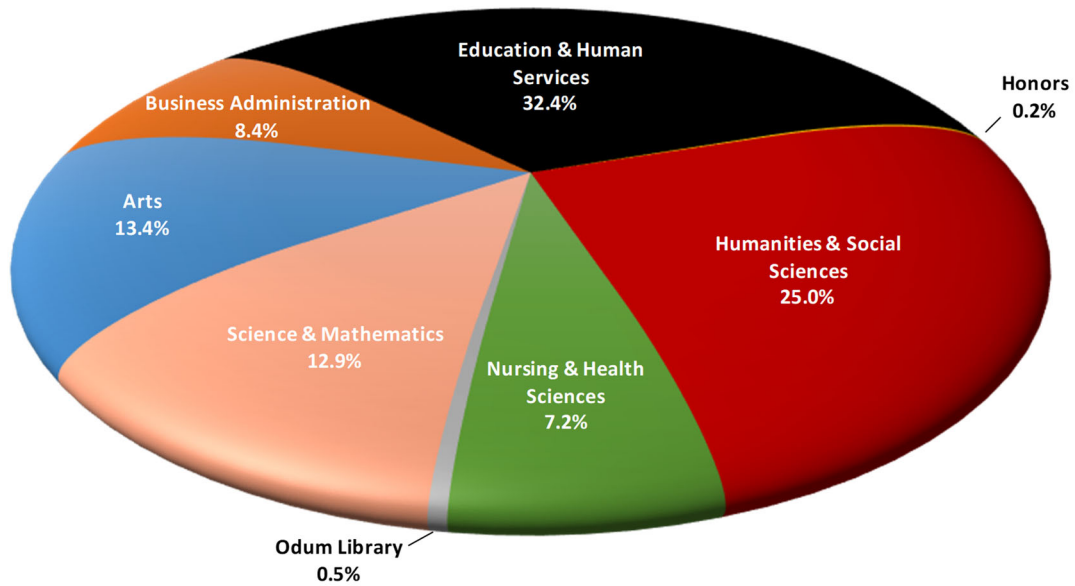
### Instructional Faculty<sup>†</sup> by College and Time Status, Fall 2022

College	Full-time	% Full-time	Part-time	% Part-time	Total	% Total
Arts	68	87.2%	10	12.8%	78	13.4%
Business Administration	41	83.7%	8	16.3%	49	8.4%
Education & Human Services	84	44.7%	104	55.3%	188	32.4%
Honors	1	100.0%	-	0.0%	1	0.2%
Humanities & Social Sciences	96	66.2%	49	33.8%	145	25.0%
Nursing & Health Sciences	30	71.4%	12	28.6%	42	7.2%
Odum Library	3	100.0%	-	0.0%	3	0.5%
Science & Mathematics	73	97.3%	2	2.7%	75	12.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>68.2%</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>31.8%</b>	<b>581</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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Instructional Faculty by College, Fall 2022



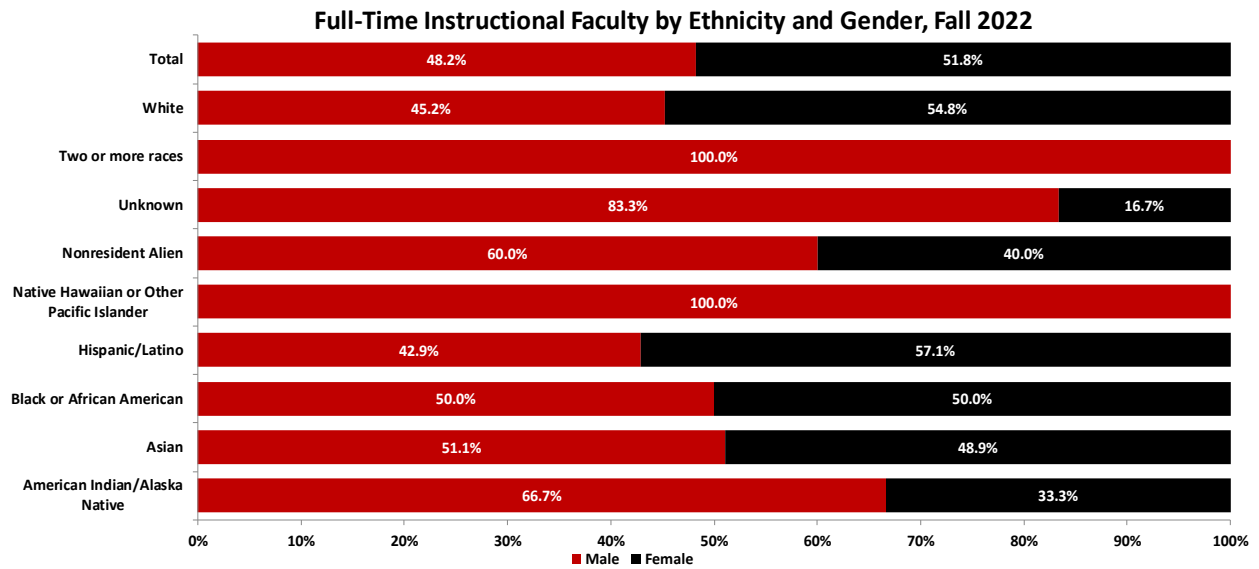
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## Full-Time Instructional Faculty<sup>†</sup> by Gender and Ethnicity, Fall 2022

Ethnicity	Men		Women		Total
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
American Indian/Alaska Native	2	66.7%	1	33.3%	3
Asian	23	51.1%	22	48.9%	45
Black or African American	13	50.0%	13	50.0%	26
Hispanic/Latino	6	42.9%	8	57.1%	14
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	1
Nonresident Alien	9	60.0%	6	40.0%	15
Unknown	5	83.3%	1	16.7%	6
Two or more races	5	100.0%	0	0.0%	5
White	127	45.2%	154	54.8%	281
<b>Total</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>48.2%</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>51.8%</b>	<b>396</b>

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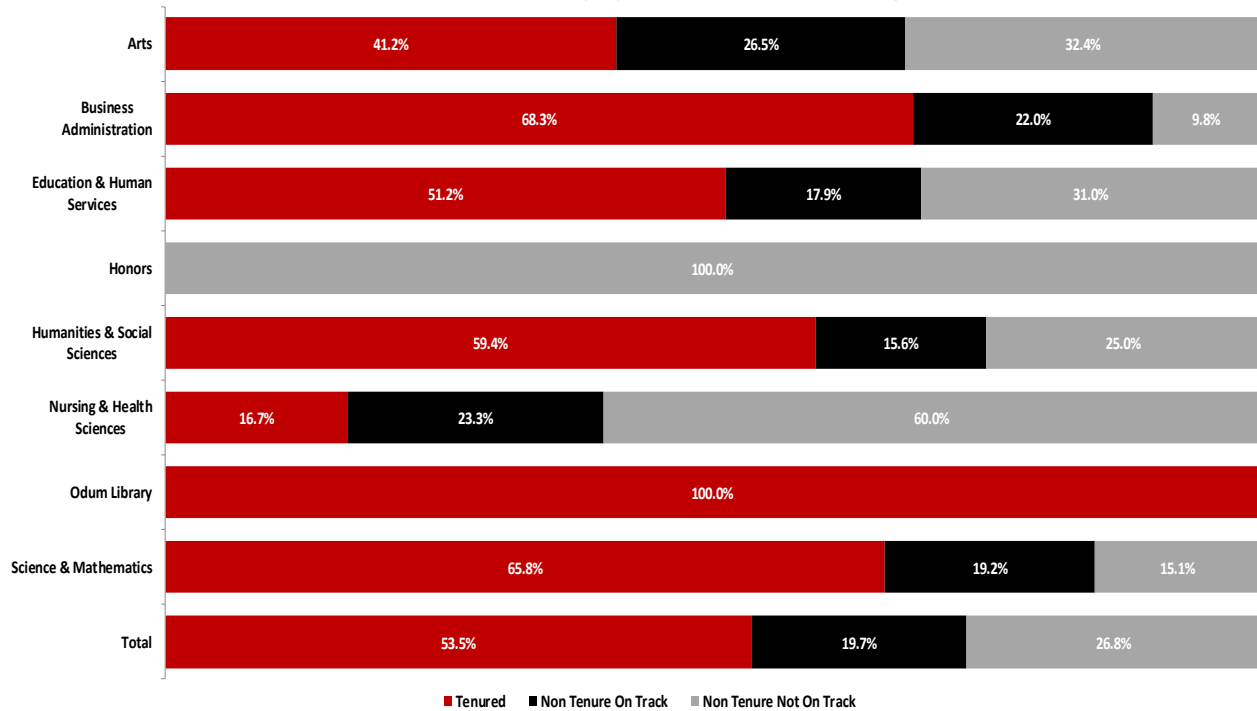
### Full-Time Instructional Faculty<sup>†</sup> by Tenure Status

Term	Tenured		Non-tenured, On Tenure Track		Non-tenure Track		Total
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number
Fall 2018	240	58.0%	67	16.2%	107	25.8%	414
Fall 2019	238	57.2%	64	15.4%	114	27.4%	416
Fall 2020	226	55.0%	67	16.3%	118	28.7%	411
Fall 2021	222	53.5%	78	18.8%	115	27.7%	415
Fall 2022	212	53.5%	78	19.7%	106	26.8%	396

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### Full-time Instructional Faculty by Tenure Status and College, Fall 2022



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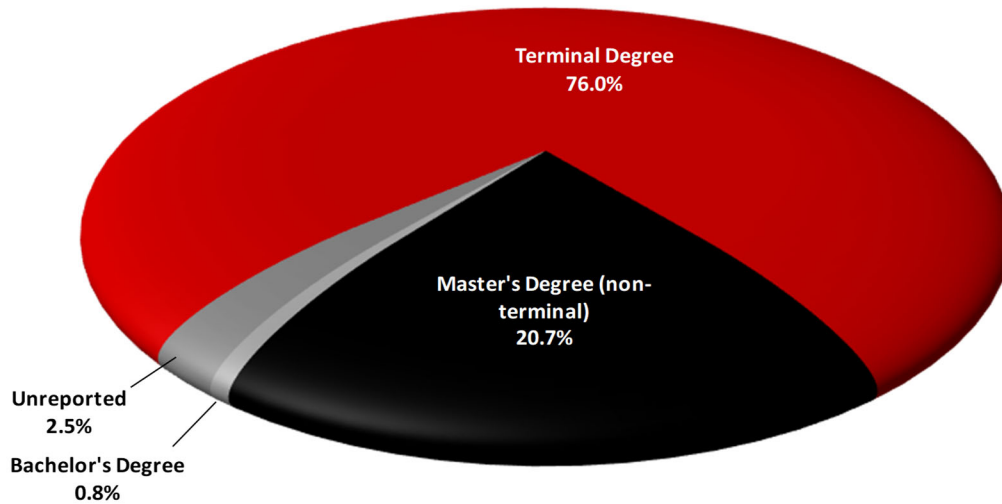
### Full-time Instructional Faculty<sup>†</sup> by Highest Degree

Highest Degree	Fall 2017	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Fall 2021
Terminal Degree	327	324	307	320	301
Master's Degree (non-terminal)	79	87	95	88	82
Bachelor's Degree	3	3	4	3	3
Unreported	3	2	5	4	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>411</b>	<b>415</b>	<b>396</b>

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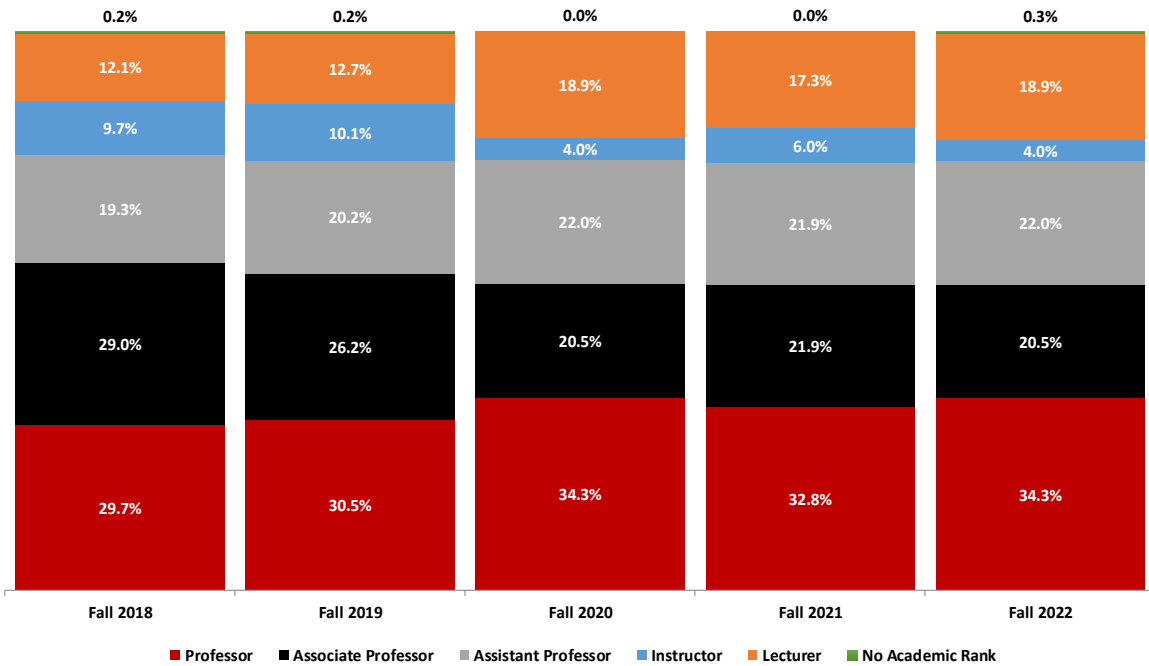
### Full-time Instructional Faculty<sup>†</sup> by Gender and Academic Rank, Fall 2022

Faculty Rank	Men		Women		Total
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Professor	84	61.8%	52	38.2%	136
Associate Professor	40	49.4%	41	50.6%	81
Assistant Professor	38	43.7%	49	56.3%	87
Instructor	3	18.8%	13	81.3%	16
Lecturer	26	34.7%	49	65.3%	75
No Rank	-	0.0%	1	0.0%	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>48.2%</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>51.8%</b>	<b>396</b>

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### Full-time Instructional Faculty by Academic Rank, Fall 2018-2022



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### Graduate Assistants<sup>†</sup> by Gender

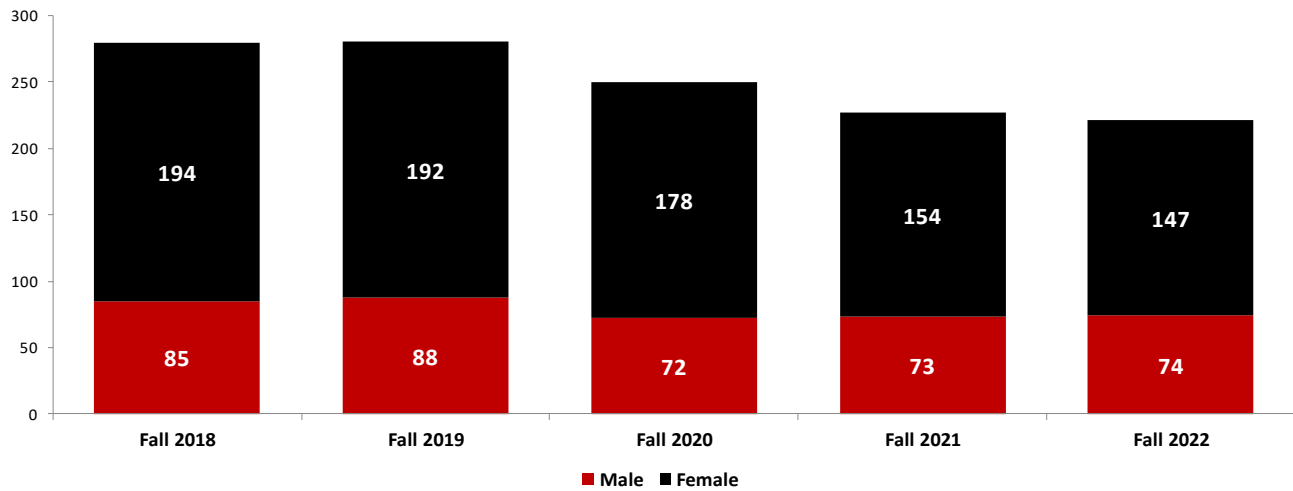
Gender	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	Fall 2022
Male	85	88	72	73	74
Female	194	192	178	154	147
<b>Total</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>221</b>

<sup>†</sup>Employee data as of November 1, 2022.

Source: VSU Human Resources, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.

**In Fall 2022,  
66.5% of the graduate assistants  
employed at VSU were female.**

### Graduate Assistants by Gender, Fall 2018-2022



Source: VSU Human Resources, 2018-2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2023.

# Financial Information



**Financial Information**

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**Quick Facts about VSU's Finances:**

- VSU earned 29.2% of its income from tuition and 25.1% from state appropriations in FY2022.
- Grants and contracts revenue was approximately \$3.05 million.
- Education and general expenditures per FTE student was \$11,657.

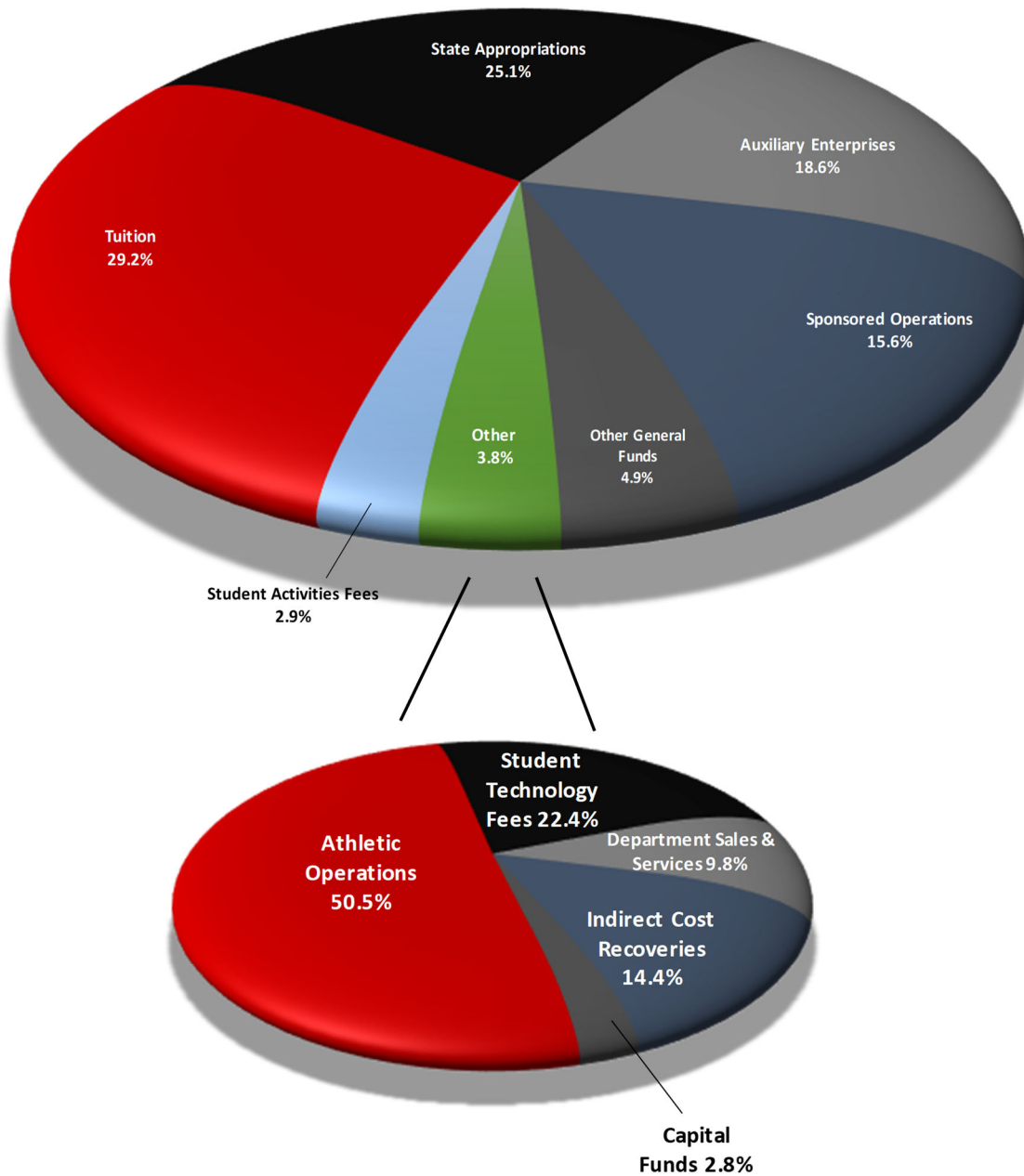
*Note: Cover photo courtesy of Valdosta State Instagram.*

**VSU's Total Sources of Funding, FY2022**

Type	Amount	Type	Amount
Tuition	\$ 56,217,851	Athletic Operations	\$ 3,673,337
State Appropriations	\$ 48,210,713	Capital Funds	\$ 204,000
Auxiliary Enterprises	\$ 35,710,510	Student Technology Fees	\$ 1,627,860
Sponsored Operations	\$ 30,000,000	Indirect Cost Recoveries	\$ 1,050,000
Other General Funds	\$ 9,366,418	Department Sales & Service	\$ 711,886
Student Activities Fees	\$ 5,494,216	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 192,266,791</b>

Source: VSU Financial Services, FY2022.

**VSU's Total Sources of Funding, FY2022**



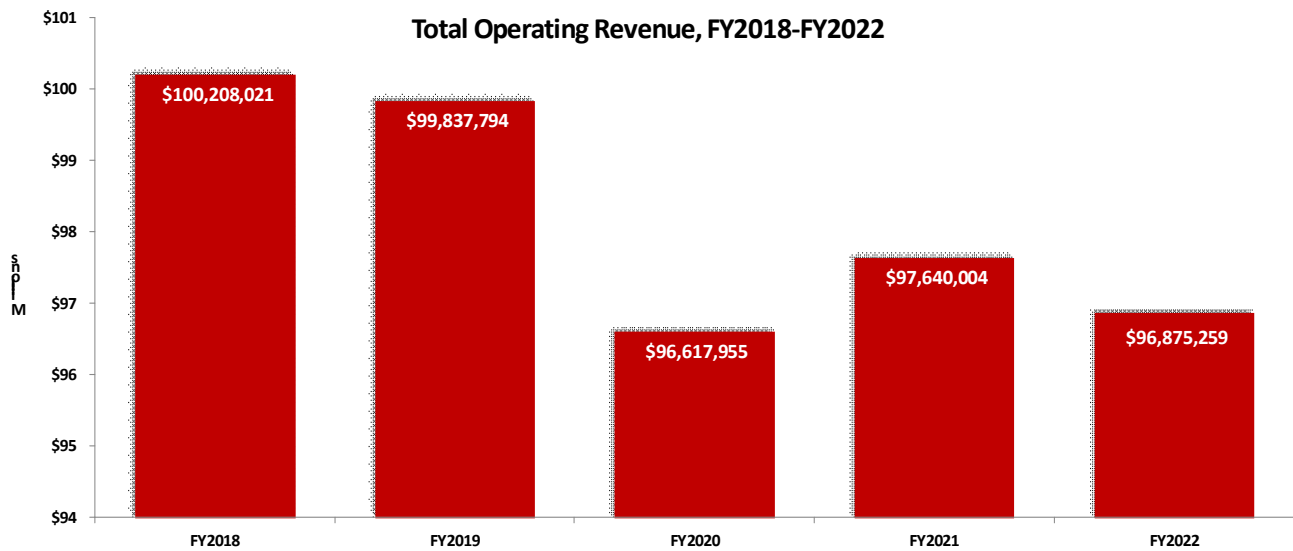
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### Operating Revenue by Source

Source	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022
Student Tuition and Fees	\$ 60,277,840	\$ 58,091,162	\$ 60,696,891	\$ 58,420,641	\$ 57,819,889
Less: Scholarship Allowances	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Grants and Contracts Total	\$ 3,103,485	\$ 3,341,438	\$ 3,259,808	\$ 2,760,571	\$ 3,048,312
Federal	\$ 1,718,227	\$ 1,463,134	\$ 1,281,780	\$ 1,015,944	\$ 1,468,173
Federal Stimulus	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
State	\$ 42,985	\$ 66,008	\$ 161,496	\$ 115,964	\$ 93,555
Other	\$ 1,342,273	\$ 1,812,296	\$ 1,816,532	\$ 1,628,663	\$ 1,486,584
Sales and Services of Educational Departments	\$ 901,723	\$ 1,095,966	\$ 704,308	\$ 315,477	\$ 848,060
Rents and Royalties	\$ 934,656	\$ 938,395	\$ 665,161	\$ 647,847	\$ 696,760
Auxiliary Enterprises Total	\$ 34,493,743	\$ 35,594,577	\$ 30,582,737	\$ 35,101,790	\$ 34,203,522
Residence Halls	\$ 13,177,060	\$ 13,976,886	\$ 10,975,371	\$ 13,861,704	\$ 13,087,652
Bookstore	\$ 1,131,572	\$ 1,072,176	\$ 1,320,794	\$ 2,041,361	\$ 2,242,576
Food Services	\$ 9,668,150	\$ 9,876,492	\$ 8,023,194	\$ 9,202,871	\$ 8,533,277
Parking/Transportation	\$ 4,062,798	\$ 4,034,701	\$ 4,238,523	\$ 4,016,209	\$ 3,920,530
Health Services	\$ 2,885,888	\$ 2,884,967	\$ 2,653,098	\$ 2,713,656	\$ 2,604,841
Intercollegiate Athletics	\$ 3,105,816	\$ 3,218,567	\$ 2,923,538	\$ 2,902,642	\$ 3,252,048
Other Organizations	\$ 462,459	\$ 530,788	\$ 448,219	\$ 363,347	\$ 562,598
Other Operating Revenue	\$ 496,574	\$ 776,256	\$ 709,050	\$ 393,678	\$ 258,716
<b>Total Operating Revenue</b>	<b>\$ 100,208,021</b>	<b>\$ 99,837,794</b>	<b>\$ 96,617,955</b>	<b>\$ 97,640,004</b>	<b>\$ 96,875,259</b>

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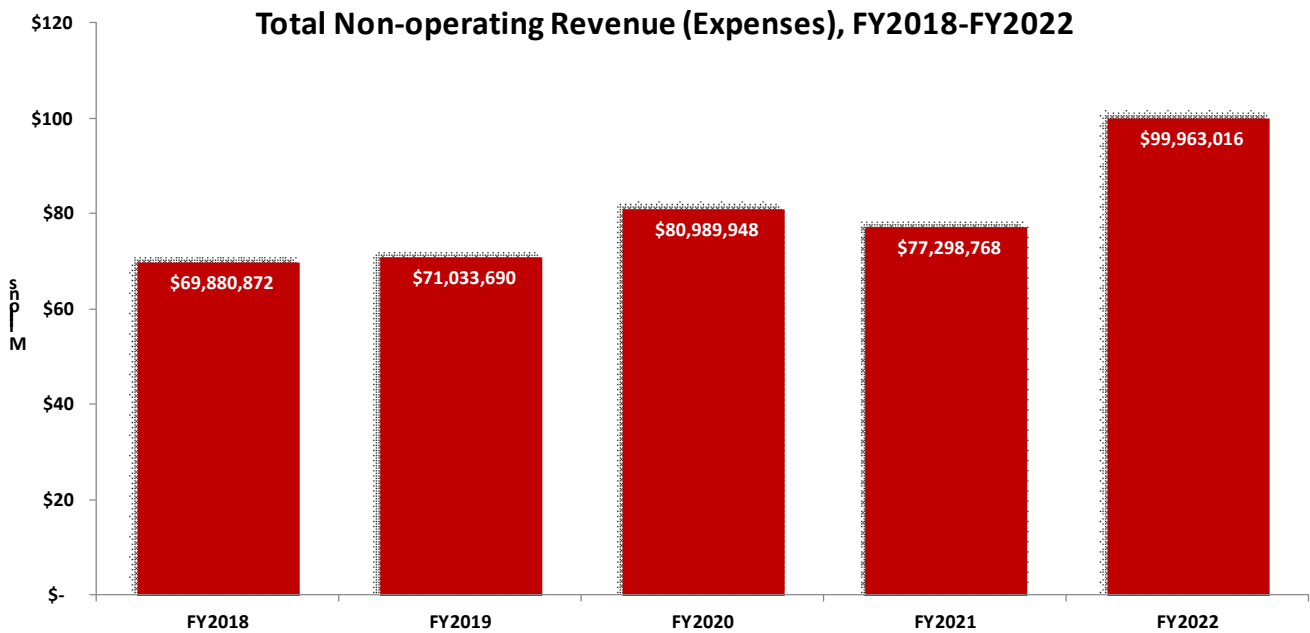
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### Non-operating Revenues (Expenses) by Source

Source	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022
State Appropriations	\$ 49,104,734	\$ 51,327,479	\$ 51,584,515	\$ 42,541,194	\$ 53,757,666
Federal Stimulus-Stabilization Funds	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Grants and Contracts Total	\$ 23,244,229	\$ 24,112,558	\$ 34,015,403	\$ 37,215,373	\$ 52,022,413
Federal	\$ 22,931,388	\$ 23,929,975	\$ 33,805,242	\$ 36,955,487	\$ 51,948,502
Federal Stimulus	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
State	\$ 177,778	\$ 33,026	\$ 76,313	\$ 138,290	\$ 73,911
Other	\$ 135,063	\$ 149,557	\$ 133,848	\$ 121,596	\$ 140,337
Gifts	\$ 1,026,448	\$ 1,055,240	\$ 1,014,655	\$ 359,619	\$ 739,463
Interest and Other Investment Income	\$ 939,128	\$ 833,788	\$ 447,851	\$ 2,762,986	\$ (1,395,905)
Interest Expense	\$ (4,400,624)	\$ (6,257,638)	\$ (6,076,461)	\$ (5,577,932)	\$ (5,321,211)
Other Non-operating Revenues/Expenses	\$ (33,043)	\$ (37,737)	\$ 3,985	\$ (2,472)	\$ 160,590
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 69,880,872</b>	<b>\$ 71,033,690</b>	<b>\$ 80,989,948</b>	<b>\$ 77,298,768</b>	<b>\$ 99,963,016</b>

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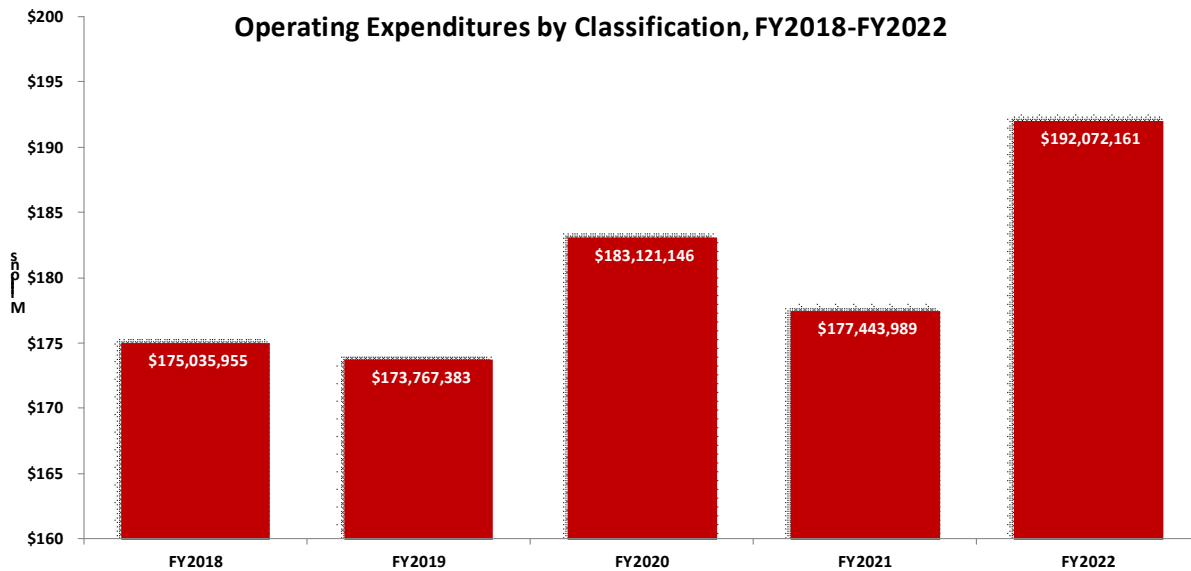


### Operating Expenditures by Classification

Area	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022
Salaries	\$ 72,517,599	\$ 72,526,372	\$ 72,897,143	\$ 73,031,856	\$ 74,799,551
Faculty	\$ 37,115,392	\$ 37,133,391	\$ 37,810,510	\$ 38,292,400	\$ 39,992,741
Staff	\$ 35,402,207	\$ 35,392,981	\$ 35,086,633	\$ 34,739,456	\$ 34,806,810
Employee Benefits	\$ 27,254,293	\$ 27,766,334	\$ 33,012,977	\$ 31,421,318	\$ 20,189,958
Other Personal Services	\$ 2,094,196	\$ 2,008,226	\$ 2,225,653	\$ 1,763,295	\$ 390,044
Travel	\$ 1,313,642	\$ 1,386,219	\$ 851,965	\$ 123,195	\$ 689,454
Scholarships and Fellowships	\$ 15,069,692	\$ 15,768,491	\$ 23,436,435	\$ 19,931,742	\$ 36,125,166
Utilities	\$ 6,059,710	\$ 5,383,928	\$ 4,872,958	\$ 4,800,943	\$ 5,346,179
Supplies and Other Services	\$ 33,692,458	\$ 32,090,658	\$ 29,267,241	\$ 29,629,415	\$ 37,520,700
Depreciation	\$ 17,034,365	\$ 16,837,155	\$ 16,556,774	\$ 16,742,225	\$ 17,011,109
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 175,035,955</b>	<b>\$173,767,383</b>	<b>\$ 183,121,146</b>	<b>\$ 177,443,989</b>	<b>\$ 192,072,161</b>

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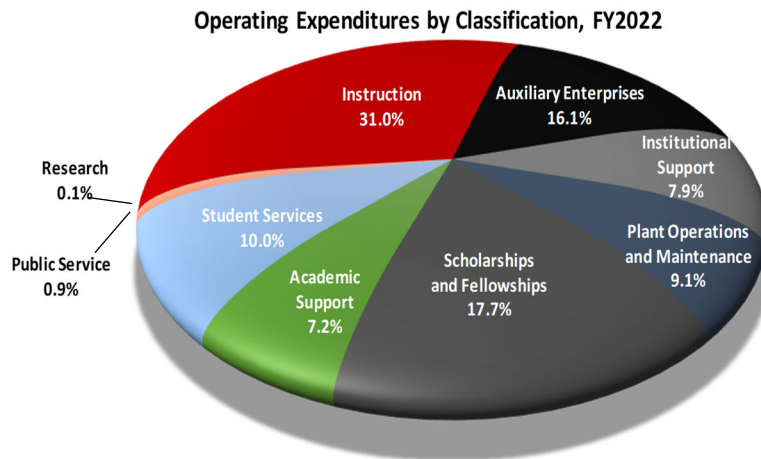
## Operating Expenditures by Functional and Natural Classification, FY2022

Area	Instruction	Research	Public Service	Academic Support	Student Services
Salaries	\$ 42,146,900	\$ 85,370	\$ 857,765	\$ 7,580,526	\$ 8,191,705
Faculty	\$ 38,175,223	\$ 38,392	\$ 72,850	\$ 1,671,905	\$ -
Staff	\$ 3,971,677	\$ 46,978	\$ 784,915	\$ 5,908,621	\$ 8,191,705
Employee Benefits	\$ 11,690,186	\$ 4,125	\$ 260,559	\$ 2,323,463	\$ 2,783,283
Other Personal Services	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 46,000	\$ 3,500
Travel	\$ 176,749	\$ 8,029	\$ 20,121	\$ 133,699	\$ 116,388
Scholarships and Fellowships	\$ 240,778	\$ 9,600	\$ 196,500	\$ 750	\$ -
Utilities	\$ 106,343	\$ -	\$ 4,588	\$ 27,727	\$ 129,855
Supplies and Other Services	\$ 4,794,556	\$ 44,558	\$ 322,245	\$ 2,402,650	\$ 5,761,189
Depreciation	\$ 438,514	\$ 15,825	\$ 2,518	\$ 1,353,290	\$ 2,248,294
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 59,594,026</b>	<b>\$ 167,507</b>	<b>\$ 1,664,296</b>	<b>\$ 13,868,105</b>	<b>\$ 19,234,214</b>

Area	Institutional Support	Plant Operations and Maintenance	Scholarships and Fellowships	Auxiliary Enterprises	Total Operating Expenses
Salaries	\$ 6,742,468	\$ 5,122,146	\$ -	\$ 4,072,671	\$ 74,799,551
Faculty	\$ 32,724	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,647	\$ 39,992,741
Staff	\$ 6,709,744	\$ 5,122,146	\$ -	\$ 4,071,024	\$ 34,806,810
Employee Benefits	\$ 25,525	\$ 2,023,727	\$ -	\$ 1,079,090	\$ 20,189,958
Other Personal Services	\$ 337,544	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,000	\$ 390,044
Travel	\$ 92,658	\$ 13,593	\$ -	\$ 128,217	\$ 689,454
Scholarships and Fellowships	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 34,043,649	\$ 1,633,889	\$ 36,125,166
Utilities	\$ 174,247	\$ 3,500,717	\$ -	\$ 1,402,702	\$ 5,346,179
Supplies and Other Services	\$ 6,427,773	\$ 1,365,572	\$ -	\$ 16,402,157	\$ 37,520,700
Depreciation	\$ 1,432,901	\$ 5,390,369	\$ -	\$ 6,129,398	\$ 17,011,109
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 15,233,116</b>	<b>\$ 17,416,124</b>	<b>\$ 34,043,649</b>	<b>\$ 30,851,124</b>	<b>\$ 192,072,161</b>

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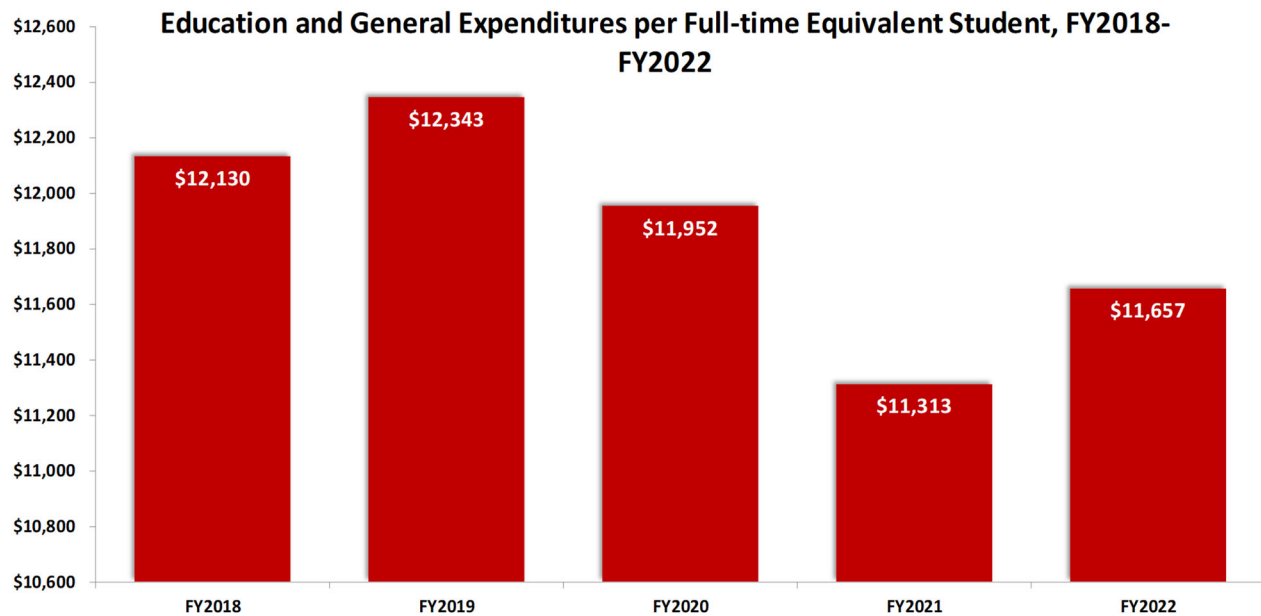
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### Operating Expenditures per FTE

Fiscal Year	Educational & General Expenditures	Fall Term Equivalent FTE <sup>†</sup>	Total Educational & General Expenditure per FTE Student
FY2018	\$118,393,041	9,760	\$12,130
FY2019	\$119,422,587	9,675	\$12,343
FY2020	\$115,514,656	9,665	\$11,952
FY2021	\$116,887,717	10,332	\$11,313
FY2022	\$113,784,479	9,761	\$11,657

<sup>†</sup>FTE calculation is derived by total student credit hours earned divided by 30 for undergraduate students and 24 for graduate students.

Source: VSU Finance & Administration, USG Statistics Annual Expenditures FY2018-FY2022, USG Credit Hour Reports FY2018-FY2022. Analysis by VSU SRA, 2022.



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