



GRADUATE SCHOOL & RESEARCH

Meet Your Incoming Fall 2019 Graduate Students

Total Graduate School enrollment is 1717 students*

*As of first day of classes 08/19. Includes non-degree students. Official enrollment will be tallied on census date 08/30.

Applied, Admitted and Enrolled

All Graduate Level Students

Applications..... 1806
 Admissions Offered 1041
 Enrolled (unofficial/pre-census) 708

Degree-Seeking Students

Applications..... 1739
 Admissions Offered 981
 Enrolled (unofficial/pre-census) 686

Enrollment Status*

60% Full-Time
 40% Part-Time
43% are distance/online-only
 *all incoming graduate students

Undergraduate GPA and Standardized Test Scores*

Average Undergraduate GPA 3.40
 Average GRE Verbal 153
 Average GRE Quantitative 149
 Average GRE Writing..... 3.9

* incoming degree-seeking graduate students

Demographics*

Gender

66% Female
 34% Male

Age

Mean.....31
 Median.....29

Race/Ethnicity*

American Indian or Alaska Native 1.3%
 Asian 0.8%
 Black or African American 6.2%
 Hispanic of any race 6.1%
 Non-Resident Alien 5.4%
 Two or more races 3.1%
 White..... 77.0%
 Unknown..... 0.1%

Citizenship

US Citizen 94.4%
In-State..... 83.1%
Out-of-State 16.9%
 Resident Aliens..... 0.3%
 International/Non-Resident Students 5.4%

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** per IPEDS definitions of race/ethnicity

Highest Prior Degrees*

<u>Highest Prior Degree Types</u>	<u>Highest Prior Degree Institutions (6 or more new students)</u>
Bachelor of Science 286	Western Carolina University155
Bachelor of Arts..... 155	Appalachian State.....38
BS Nursing.....43	University of North Carolina Asheville.....26
Bachelor of Social Work.....29	University of North Carolina Chapel Hill.....24
BS or BA in Education18	Various Foreign Universities.....21
Bachelor of Fine Arts.....5	University of North Carolina Charlotte19
Bachelor of Business Admin.....3	East Carolina University15
Various Masters and Doctoral Degrees.....74	North Carolina State University15
<i>Unknown/waiting on transcript data79</i>	Mars Hill College13
	University of North Carolina Greensboro.....13
	Gardner-Webb University12
	University of North Carolina Wilmington.....8
	Clemson University6
	Lenoir-Rhyne University.....6

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Home Countries, States and Counties*

<u>Countries Represented</u>	<u>States Represented</u>	<u>N.C. Counties with 5 or more students</u>
U.S.A.....668	North Carolina..... 586	Buncombe.....147
Jamaica.....24	South Carolina 17	Jackson49
Bangladesh2	Georgia 14	Wake35
China.....2	Virginia..... 7	Haywood.....33
Nigeria2	Florida..... 4	Henderson29
Bahamas1	Illinois 4	Mecklenburg.....27
Bolivia1	New Jersey..... 4	Guilford20
Brazil.....1	Maryland..... 3	Durham15
Canada1	Pennsylvania..... 3	Catawba.....12
Costa Rica1	Texas 3	Macon.....12
Germany.....1	Connecticut..... 2	Caldwell.....11
Kenya1	Nevada 2	Forsyth10
Mexico1	New York..... 2	Rutherford10
Slovakia.....1	Oregon..... 2	Burke 8
	Tennessee 2	Cleveland..... 8
	Alabama 1	Iredell..... 8
	Alaska 1	Pitt.....6
	Arizona 1	Swain 6
	California 1	Transylvania.....6
	Colorado 1	Chatham..... 5
	Louisiana..... 1	Cherokee 5
	Maine..... 1	Gaston 5
	Massachusetts 1	Johnston.....5
	New Hampshire 1	Lincoln5
	Ohio 1	Randolph.....5
	West Virginia..... 1	Rowan.....5
	Wisconsin 1	Union.....5

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