

Highlights

- Students at UNLV come from every county in Nevada, every state in the U.S., and 84 foreign countries.
- Undergraduate headcount enrollment increased by 6.3% and undergraduate student FTE by 8.8% during the past year.
- Almost 25% of freshmen report that they are not native speakers of English.
- Nationally, about 80% of students work during college UNLV's students' work and debt expectations are similar to national norms.
- UNLV students, on average, take 5.3 years to complete a baccalaureate degree.
- 48.1% of UNLV newly admitted undergraduate students transfer credits from another institution.

Student Enrollment

Fall 2002 Enrollment

	Number	%
Freshmen	4,972	25.0%
Sophomores	3,901	19.6%
Juniors	3,935	19.8%
Seniors	5,826	29.2%
Non-Admitted	1,279	6.4%
TOTAL	19,913	100.0%

Enrollment by College of Major*

College	Number	%
Business	3,704	19.9%
Education	1,945	10.4%
Engineering	1,273	6.8%
Fine Arts	1,512	8.1%
Health Sciences	1,342	7.2%
Hotel Administration	1,875	10.1%
Liberal Arts	2,230	12.0%
Student Development Ctr Sciences	1,654	8.9%
	1,079	5.8%
Urban Affairs	1,886	10.1%
Certificate Programs	134	0.7%
TOTAL MAJORS	18,634	100.0%

*includes dual/multi majors

Student Characteristics

	Number	%
Gender		
Female	11,049	55.5%
Male	8,864	44.5%

Student Characteristics (cont.)

	Number/Avg	%
Ethnicity		
Native American	187	0.9%
Asian	2,630	13.2%
African American	1,521	7.6%
Latino	2,005	10.1%
Caucasian	11,379	57.1%
Foreign National	848	4.3%
Unknown	1,343	6.7%

	Number/Avg	%
Age		
19 & Under	4,407	22.1%
20 - 24	9,328	46.8%
25 - 29	2,941	14.8%
30 - 34	1,306	6.6%
35 - 59	1,694	8.5%
60 & Over	232	1.2%
Unknown	5	0.0%
Average	25	

	Number/Avg	%
Full/Part Time		
Full-Time	13,422	67.4%
Part-Time	6,491	32.6%

	Number/Avg	%
Residency		
Resident	15,019	75.4%
Non-Nevada, U.S.	4,128	20.7%
International	766	3.9%

Nevada counties sending the largest number of students to UNLV:

Clark	14,494	Nye	81
Washoe	186	Elko	54

States, other than Nevada, sending the largest number of students to UNLV:

California	1,415	Washington	242
Hawaii	723	Illinois	225
Colorado	269	New York	207

Foreign countries sending the largest number of students to UNLV:

S. Korea	272	Canada	40
Japan	197	Taiwan	28
China	51	Hong Kong	19

Avg. Credits Attempted

Full-Time Students	13.7
Part-Time Students	5.9

Retention

Fall 2001 - 2002

Full-Time Students	71.9%
Part-Time Students	44.1%

Graduation Rate (Fall 1996 entering freshmen)

4 Years or fewer	11.9%
6 Years	37.3%