University of Wisconsin-Whitewater
Historical Student Enrollment Totals and FTE
Whitewater and Rock County Campuses

by Academic Year and Term

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	Fall Term	Spring Term	Difference between Terms	Change from Prior Year (Fall)	Fall Term	Spring Term	Difference between Terms	Change from Prior Year (Fall)
2025-2026	12,267	11,127	-9.3%	4.4%	10,263.8	9,304.4	-9.3%	4.4%
2024-2025	11,752	10,846	-7.7%	2.0%	9,832.1	9,043.0	-8.0%	1.7%
2023-2024	11,522	10,735	-6.8%	3.9%	9,671.7	8,952.1	-7.4%	3.2%
2022-2023	11,087	10,322	-6.9%	-3.3%	9,371.1	8,575.1	-8.5%	-4.3%
2021-2022	11,460	10,397	-9.3%	-4.5%	9,788.9	8,705.6	-11.1%	-4.8%
2020-2021	11,995	10,689	-10.9%	-3.6%	10,284.3	9,092.6	-11.6%	-4.5%
2019-2020	12,448	11,361	-8.7%	-4.7%	10,766.3	9,763.9	-9.3%	-4.7%
2018-2019*	13,059	11,727	-10.2%	5.1%	11,297.4	10,115.1	-10.5%	3.8%
2017-2018	12,430	11,342	-8.8%	-1.6%	10,887.9	9,987.9	-8.3%	-2.0%
2016-2017	12,628	11,363	-10.0%	1.0%	11,115.3	10,041.9	-10.0%	1.0%
2015-2016	12,351	11,243	-9.0%	1.6%	10,927.2	9,991.3	-9.0%	1.6%
2014-2015	12,159	11,226	-7.7%	1.2%	10,886.6	9,933.5	-7.7%	1.2%
2013-2014	12,015	11,056	-8.0%	-0.1%	10,737.1	9,830.9	-8.0%	-0.1%
2012-2013	12,031	11,058	-8.1%	3.3%	10,806.9	9,919.3	-8.1%	3.3%
2011-2012	11,643	10,893	-6.4%	0.7%	10,513.9	9,707.1	-6.4%	0.7%
2010-2011	11,557	10,812	-6.4%	3.8%	10,396.5	9,610.8	-6.4%	3.8%
2009-2010	11,139	10,506	-5.7%	1.6%	9,995.1	9,365.5	-5.7%	1.6%
2008-2009	10,962	10,165	-7.3%	1.5%	9,791.4	9,017.5	-7.3%	1.5%
2007-2008	10,802	10,105	-6.5%	2.3%	9,483.7	8,609.3	-6.5%	2.3%
2006-2007	10,563	9,915	-6.1%	-2.6%	9,221.1	8,550.6	-6.1%	-2.6%
2005-2006	10,847	9,995	-7.9%	-1.5%	9,395.7	8,597.6	-7.9%	-1.5%
2004-2005	11,017	10,221	-7.2%	0.9%	9,532.1	8,747.2	-7.2%	0.9%
2003-2004	10,922	10,332	-5.4%	-0.8%	9,513.9	8,832.1	-5.4%	-0.8%
2002-2003	11,009	10,320	-6.3%	1.7%	9,440.4	8,722.4	-6.3%	1.7%
2001-2002	10,830	10,126	-6.5%	0.9%	9,087.8	8,353.8	-6.5%	0.9%
2000-2001	10,735	9,989	-6.9%	-1.2%	9,161.1	8,396.0	-6.9%	-1.2%
1999-2000	10,869	9,982	-8.2%	0.0%	9,244.1	8,392.7	-8.2%	0.0%
1998-1999	10,870	10,020	-7.8%	0.1%	9,259.6	8,399.3	-7.8%	0.1%
1997-1998	10,855	9,974	-8.1%	1.2%	9,138.9	8,308.8	-8.1%	1.2%
1996-1997	10,724	9,923	-7.5%	0.7%	9,013.7	8,251.2	-7.5%	0.7%
1995-1996	10,649	9,767	-8.3%	-2.6%	8,823.4	8,020.3	-8.3%	-2.6%
1994-1995	10,937	9,879	-9.7%	-0.1%	8,963.4	8,080.8	-9.7%	-0.1%
1993-1994	10,949	10,113	-7.6%	-1.3%	9,024.4	8,260.4	-7.6%	-1.3%
1992-1993	11,096	10,229	-7.8%	0.3%	9,038.9	8,274.6	-7.8%	0.3%
1991-1992	11,059	10,219	-7.6%	1.5%	8,895.6	8,252.8	-7.6%	1.5%
1990-1991	10,897	9,975	-8.5%	-1.7%	8,962.1	8,153.1	-8.5%	-1.7%
1989-1990	11,085	10,332	-6.8%	0.8%	9,306.4	8,590.0	-6.8%	0.8%
1988-1989	10,992	10,553	-4.0%	-1.8%	9,460.8	8,939.6	-4.0%	-1.8%
1987-1988	11,197	10,780	-3.7%	-1.4%	9,796.5	9,111.2	-3.7%	-1.4%
1986-1987	11,354	10,611	-6.5%	0.0%	9,722.0	9,022.4	-6.5%	0.0%
1985-1986	11,354	10,471	-7.8%	2.2%	9,888.0	9,070.1	-7.8%	2.2%
1984-1985	11,113	10,367	-6.7%	5.3%	9,616.9	8,964.3	-6.7%	5.3%
1983-1984	10,552	9,728	-7.8%	1.8%	9,170.5	8,578.7	-7.8%	1.8%
1982-1983	10,369	9,713	-6.3%	1.1%	9,019.2	8,481.0	-6.3%	1.1%
1981-1982	10,254	9,454	-7.8%	1.9%	8,806.4	8,183.7	-7.8%	1.9%
1980-1981	10,063	9,278	-7.8%	3.4%	8,453.1	7,843.2	-7.8%	3.4%
1979-1980	9,730	9,160	-5.9%	0.8%	8,061.5	7,530.1	-5.9%	0.8%
1978-1979	9,650	8,441	-12.5%	0.0%	7,909.9	7,129.6	-12.5%	0.0%
1977-1978	9,650	8,299	-14.0%	2.0%	8,044.3	7,249.6	-14.0%	2.0%
1976-1977	9,462	8,367	-11.6%	8.0%	7,921.4	7,318.2	-11.6%	8.0%
1975-1976	8,760	8,032	-8.3%	4.5%	7,292.7	6,838.1	-8.3%	4.5%
1974-1975	8,379	7,919	-5.5%	2.9%	6,830.6	6,476.8	-5.5%	2.9%
1973-1974	8,144	7,506	-7.8%		7,067.7	6,463.1	-7.8%	

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2024-2025	11,042	10,194	-7.7%	2.0%	9,309.3	8,587.4	-7.8%	1.9%
2023-2024	10,826	10,070	-7.0%	3.2%	9,138.6	8,473.6	-7.3%	2.6%
2022-2023	10,494	9,769	-6.9%	-3.0%	8,906.4	8,168.4	-8.3%	-4.0%
2021-2022	10,816	9,874	-8.7%	-3.6%	9,277.9	8,309.9	-10.4%	-4.1%
2020-2021	11,224	10,091	-10.1%	-3.1%	9,670.0	8,632.1	-10.7%	-4.2%
2019-2020	11,586	10,552	-8.9%	-4.1%	10,091.4	9,160.2	-9.2%	-4.7%
2018-2019	12,084	10,867	-10.1%	-2.8%	10,586.6	9,495.0	-10.3%	-2.8%
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2024-2025	710	652	-8.2%	2.0%	522.8	455.6	-12.9%	-1.9%
2023-2024	696	665	-4.5%	17.4%	533.1	478.5	-10.2%	14.7%
2022-2023	593	553	-6.7%	-7.9%	464.7	406.7	-12.5%	-9.1%
2021-2022	644	523	-18.8%	-16.5%	511.0	395.7	-22.6%	-16.8%
2020-2021	771	598	-22.4%	-10.6%	614.3	460.5	-25.0%	-9.0%
2019-2020	862	809	-6.1%	-11.6%	674.9	603.7	-10.5%	-5.1%
2018-2019*	975	860	-11.8%	n/a	710.9	620.1	-12.8%	

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