



## Fall 2020 Degree Seeking Enrollment at UW-Whitewater Compared to Wisconsin and Counties in Southeast Wisconsin

### Wisconsin Population 20 - 24 Years of Age

	WTW UG Degree Seeking	WTW Total Degree Seeking	Wisconsin	Southeast Wisconsin
<b>Total Population (US Census 1 July 2019 estimates)</b>	<b>9,893</b>	<b>11,045</b>	<b>390,572</b>	<b>187,293</b>
Black or African American alone, percent (a)	4.2%	4.2%	7.9%	13.9%
Hispanic or Latino, percent (b)	8.4%	8.0%	8.9%	13.0%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, percent (a)	0.2%	0.2%	1.0%	0.4%
Asian alone, percent (a)	1.8%	2.0%	4.4%	5.7%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, percent (a)	<0.1%	<0.1%	<0.1%	<0.1%
Two or More Races, percent	3.0%	2.8%	2.6%	3.1%
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino, percent	81.7%	81.8%	75.2%	63.9%

Additional Demographic Information for Wisconsin	
Language other than English spoken at home, percent of persons age 5 years+, 2015-2019	8.7%
High school graduate or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2015-2019	92.2%
Bachelor's degree or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2015-2019	30.1%
Persons under 18 years, percent	21.8%

*Notes:* UW-Whitewater enrollment data includes both main and branch campus enrollment for Fall 2020. International students are not listed. Over the last six (6) academic years, 74.7% of new first-time first-year students at UW-W attended high school in the seven (7) counties adjacent or nearly adjacent to Walworth County (in which UW-Whitewater is located). These counties include: Dane, Jefferson Kenosha, Milwaukee, Racine, Rock, and Waukesha. All eight (8) counties are located in Southeast Wisconsin. In order to calculate the demographic percentages displayed here for Southeast Wisconsin, the population of persons between 20 - 24 years of age in these counties was totaled for each demographic category, and then divided by the total population of persons between 20 - 24 years in these counties. According to the US Census Bureau: "Hispanic origin is considered an ethnicity, not a race. Hispanics may be of any race." Therefore, in order for the demographic breakdown to total to 100%, the Non-Hispanic "alone" population was used for demographic groups (besides Hispanics).

*Wisconsin Population:* US Census Bureau (<https://www.census.gov/data/datasets/time-series/demo/popest/2010s-counties-detail.html>)  
2019 estimates (most recently available)