

# Freshmen Cohort Profile Fall 2024

PROFILE  
2024

**Total Freshmen Cohort** 1,727

**Ethnicity**

American Indian or Alaskan Native	4	(0.2%)
Asian	43	(2.5%)
Black or African American	271	(15.7%)
Hispanic or Latino	116	(6.7%)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	(0.0%)
White	1,223	(70.8%)
Two or More Races	63	(3.6%)
Not Reported	7	(0.4%)

**Gender**

Female	1,073	(62.1%)
Male	654	(37.9%)

**TOPS Scholarship**

Received TOPS	1,247	(72.2%)
Did Not Receive TOPS	480	(27.8%)

**Age**

Younger Than 25 Years	1,722	(99.7%)
25 Years of Age and Older	5	(0.3%)
Average Age		18.1

**Living Arrangements**

On-Campus	816	(47.2%)
Off-Campus	911	(52.8%)

**Average ACT Composite Score** 22.6

**Average High School GPA** 3.46

**Average Number of Hours Enrolled** 14.9

Source: IR Extract Files

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## **Top 5 Majors**

Nursing	301	(17.4%)
Biology	123	(7.1%)
Kinesiology	119	(6.9%)
Business Administration	112	(6.5%)
Psychology	94	(5.4%)
(106 students have not decided on a major)		

## **Where Students are From**

In-State	1,648	(95.4%)
Out-of State	35	(2.1%)
International	44	(2.5%)

## **Top 5 Parishes**

St. Tammany	372	(21.5%)
Livingston	294	(17.0%)
Tangipahoa	273	(15.8%)
Ascension	156	(9.0%)
East Baton Rouge	123	(7.1%)

## **Top States (Not Including Louisiana)**

Texas	12
Mississippi	7
Florida	5

## **Top Countries**

Nepal	25
Nigeria	10
Sweden	2

Note: The Freshmen cohort includes all full-time, first-time, degree-seeking students who started in Fall 2024, including those who started in Summer 2024 and continued in the Fall.

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