

# First-Year Student Profile - FALL 2025



## KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY FAST FACTS



Enrollment Headcount	Fall 2024	Fall 2025	% Change		
First-Year Student	9,117	9,537	↑	4.6%	
FTE	8,997	9,409	↑	4.6%	
% of Total		% of Total		% Change	
Full-time/Part-time	Fall 2024	Fall 2024	Fall 2025		
Full-time	8,635	94.7%	9,026	94.6%	↑ 4.5%
Part-time	482	5.3%	511	5.4%	↑ 6.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,117</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>9,537</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>↑ 4.6%</b>
% of Total		% of Total		% Change	
Gender	Fall 2024	Fall 2024	Fall 2025		Fall 2025
<b>Full-time</b>					
Female	4,391	50.9%	4,646	51.5%	↑ 5.8%
Male	4,244	49.1%	4,380	48.5%	↑ 3.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,635</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>9,026</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>↑ 4.5%</b>
<b>Part-time</b>					
Female	215	44.6%	252	49.3%	↑ 17.2%
Male	267	55.4%	259	50.7%	↓ -3.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>↑ 6.0%</b>
<b>Total First Year Students</b>					
Female	4,606	50.5%	4,898	51.4%	↑ 6.3%
Male	4,511	49.5%	4,639	48.6%	↑ 2.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,117</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>9,537</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>↑ 4.6%</b>
% of Total		% of Total		% Change	
Race/Ethnicity	Fall 2024	Fall 2024	Fall 2025		Fall 2025
<b>Full-time</b>					
Am. Indian/Alaska	16	0.2%	13	0.1%	↓ -18.8%
Asian	573	6.6%	621	6.9%	↑ 8.4%
Black/African Amer	2,808	32.5%	3,074	34.1%	↑ 9.5%
Hispanic	1,594	18.5%	1,664	18.4%	↑ 4.4%
International	101	1.2%	164	1.8%	↑ 62.4%
Native Haw. Pacific	4	0.0%	5	0.1%	↑ 25.0%
Two or More Races	448	5.2%	503	5.6%	↑ 12.3%
Undeclared	187	2.2%	185	2.0%	↓ -1.1%
White	2,904	33.6%	2,797	31.0%	↓ -3.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,635</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>9,026</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>↑ 4.5%</b>
<b>Part-time</b>					
Am. Indian/Alaska	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	→ 0.0%
Asian	32	6.6%	28	5.5%	↓ -12.5%
Black/African Amer	140	29.0%	184	36.0%	↑ 31.4%
Hispanic	98	20.3%	92	18.0%	↓ -6.1%
International	16	3.3%	17	3.3%	↑ 6.3%
Native Haw. Pacific	1	0.2%	0	0.0%	→ 0.0%
Two or More Races	25	5.2%	20	3.9%	↓ -20.0%
Undeclared	13	2.7%	17	3.3%	↑ 30.8%
White	157	32.6%	153	29.9%	↓ -2.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>↑ 6.0%</b>
<b>Total First Year Students</b>					
Am. Indian/Alaska	16	0.2%	13	0.1%	↓ -18.8%
Asian	605	6.6%	649	6.8%	↑ 7.3%
Black/African Amer	2,948	32.3%	3,258	34.2%	↑ 10.5%
Hispanic	1,692	18.6%	1,756	18.4%	↑ 3.8%
International	117	1.3%	181	1.9%	↑ 54.7%
Native Haw. Pacific	5	0.1%	5	0.1%	→ 0.0%
Two or More Races	473	5.2%	523	5.5%	↑ 10.6%
Undeclared	200	2.2%	202	2.1%	↑ 1.0%
White	3,061	33.6%	2,950	30.9%	↓ -3.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,117</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>9,537</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>↑ 4.6%</b>

	Fall 2024	% Submit	Fall 2025	% Submit		
Average HS GPA	3.48		3.49			
Number Submitted	8,989	98.6%	9,393	98.5%		
Average SAT Total	1111.11		1111.35			
Number Submitted	3,498	38.4%	3,937	41.3%		
Average ACT Composite	22.27		22.38			
Number Submitted	1,465	16.1%	1,192	12.5%		
% of Total		% of Total		% Change		
Student Classification	Fall 2024	Fall 2024	Fall 2025		Fall 2025	
<b>Full-time</b>						
Freshman	8,210	95.1%	8,456	93.7%	↑ 3.0%	
Sophomore	414	4.8%	550	6.1%	↑ 32.9%	
Junior	11	0.1%	20	0.2%	↑ 81.8%	
Senior	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	→ 0.0%	
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,635</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>9,026</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>↑ 4.5%</b>	
<b>Part-time</b>						
Freshman	462	95.9%	472	92.4%	↑ 2.2%	
Sophomore	18	3.7%	38	7.4%	↑ 111.1%	
Junior	2	0.4%	1	0.2%	→ 0.0%	
Senior	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	→ 0.0%	
<b>Total</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>↑ 6.0%</b>	
<b>Total First Year Students</b>						
Freshman	8,672	95.1%	8,928	93.6%	↑ 3.0%	
Sophomore	432	4.7%	588	6.2%	↑ 36.1%	
Junior	13	0.1%	21	0.2%	↑ 61.5%	
Senior	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	→ 0.0%	
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,117</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>9,537</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>↑ 4.6%</b>	
% of Total		% of Total		% Change		
Age Range	Fall 2024	Fall 2024	Fall 2025		Fall 2025	
18 or Younger	7,312	80.2%	7,601	79.7%	↑ 4.0%	
19	1,606	17.6%	1,689	17.7%	↑ 5.2%	
20	104	1.1%	126	1.3%	↑ 21.2%	
21 or Older	95	1.0%	121	1.3%	↑ 27.4%	
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Age of First-Year Students		Fall 2023	Fall 2024			
Average Age		18.00	18.27			
Median Age		18	18			
First-Generation Student		% of Total		% of Total		
Status:	Fall 2024	Fall 2024	Fall 2025	Fall 2025	% Change	
First Generation	3,638	39.9%	4,062	42.6%	↑ 11.7%	
Not First Generation	5,479	60.1%	5,475	57.4%	→ -0.1%	
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,117</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>9,537</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>↑ 4.6%</b>	
% of Total		% of Total		% Change		
Residency (Tuition)	Fall 2024	Fall 2024	Fall 2025		Fall 2025	
In-State	8,832	96.9%	9,142	95.9%	↑ 3.5%	
Out-of-State	253	2.8%	362	3.8%		
Out-of-Country	32	0.4%	33	0.3%		
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Fall 2024		Fall 2025				
<b>Georgia Counties Represented</b>						
131		139				
<b>Top 5 Counties of Enrollment</b>						
Cobb		Cobb				
Gwinnett		Gwinnett				
Fulton		Fulton				
Cherokee		Cherokee				
DeKalb		DeKalb				

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<sup>1</sup>First-time Students are included if they began at KSU during the Summer or Fall of the Fall term indicated.

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