

Virginia Western Student Enrollment Summary - Spring

The table below shows the past five years of enrollment and demographic data for VWCC students during the Spring term.

| | Spring 2025 | | Spring 2024 | | Spring 2023 | | Spring 2022 | | Spring 2021 | |
|---|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Headcount | 5,742 | - | 5,587 | - | 5,292 | - | 4,995 | - | 5,372 | - |
| Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs)* | 2,965 | - | 2,914 | - | 2,757 | - | 2,667 | - | 2,834 | - |
| Credit Hours | 44,475 | - | 43,714 | - | 41,358 | - | 39,998 | - | 42,513 | - |
| Average Student Load | 7.7 | - | 7.8 | - | 7.8 | - | 8.0 | - | 7.9 | - |
| Full-Time^ | 1,243 | 22% | 1,293 | 23% | 1,246 | 24% | 1,261 | 25% | 1,329 | 25% |
| Part-Time | 4,499 | 78% | 4,294 | 77% | 4,046 | 76% | 3,734 | 75% | 4,043 | 75% |
| Program Type~ | | | | | | | | | | |
| College Transfer Associate Degree (AA/AS) | 1,569 | 27% | 1,628 | 29% | 1,587 | 30% | 1,573 | 31% | 1,676 | 31% |
| Career Technical Associate Degree (AAS) | 1,105 | 19% | 1,080 | 19% | 1,046 | 20% | 1,014 | 20% | 1,082 | 20% |
| Career Studies Certificate (CSC) | 888 | 15% | 773 | 14% | 698 | 13% | 665 | 13% | 760 | 14% |
| Certification (CERT) | 2 | 0% | 44 | 1% | 43 | 1% | 40 | 1% | 52 | 1% |
| Dual Enrollment | 1,820 | 32% | 1,751 | 31% | 1,572 | 30% | 1,413 | 28% | 1,517 | 28% |
| Unclassified | 358 | 6% | 311 | 6% | 346 | 7% | 290 | 6% | 285 | 5% |
| Gender | | | | | | | | | | |
| Female | 3,209 | 56% | 3,177 | 57% | 3,036 | 57% | 2,946 | 59% | 3,152 | 59% |
| Male | 2,403 | 42% | 2,289 | 41% | 2,155 | 41% | 2,002 | 40% | 2,186 | 41% |
| Not specified | 130 | 2% | 121 | 2% | 101 | 2% | 47 | 1% | 34 | 1% |
| Residency | | | | | | | | | | |
| In-State | 5,630 | 98% | 5,504 | 99% | 5,210 | 98% | 4,943 | 99% | 5,326 | 99% |
| Out-of-State | 112 | 2% | 83 | 1% | 82 | 2% | 52 | 1% | 46 | 1% |
| Military | | | | | | | | | | |
| Active Military/Veteran | 141 | 2% | 151 | 3% | 181 | 3% | 183 | 4% | 225 | 4% |
| Military Family | 369 | 6% | 287 | 5% | 275 | 5% | 206 | 4% | 177 | 3% |
| No Military Affiliation | 5,232 | 91% | 5,149 | 92% | 4,836 | 91% | 4,606 | 92% | 4,970 | 93% |
| First-Generation^^ | | | | | | | | | | |
| No | 4,594 | 80% | 4,540 | 81% | 4,388 | 83% | 4,232 | 85% | 4,721 | 88% |
| Yes | 1,148 | 20% | 1,047 | 19% | 904 | 17% | 763 | 15% | 651 | 12% |

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| Age | | | | | | | | | | |
| <=17 | 1,595 | 28% | 1,546 | 28% | 1,417 | 27% | 1,255 | 25% | 1,320 | 26% |
| 18-19 | 1,379 | 24% | 1,388 | 25% | 1,370 | 26% | 1,294 | 26% | 1,340 | 27% |
| 20-21 | 847 | 15% | 784 | 14% | 775 | 15% | 699 | 14% | 788 | 16% |
| 22-24 | 556 | 10% | 558 | 10% | 495 | 9% | 495 | 10% | 498 | 10% |
| 25-29 | 480 | 8% | 488 | 9% | 420 | 8% | 409 | 8% | 477 | 10% |
| 30-34 | 341 | 6% | 321 | 6% | 273 | 5% | 316 | 6% | 359 | 7% |
| 35-39 | 199 | 3% | 180 | 3% | 191 | 4% | 191 | 4% | 222 | 4% |
| 40-49 | 219 | 4% | 204 | 4% | 224 | 4% | 206 | 4% | 231 | 5% |
| 50-64 | 115 | 2% | 103 | 2% | 109 | 2% | 112 | 2% | 118 | 2% |
| >=65 | 11 | 0% | 15 | 0% | 18 | 0% | 18 | 0% | 19 | 0% |
| Jurisdiction | | | | | | | | | | |
| Botetourt County | 496 | 9% | 519 | 9% | 479 | 9% | 467 | 9% | 543 | 11% |
| Craig County | 29 | 1% | 29 | 1% | 36 | 1% | 32 | 1% | 67 | 1% |
| Franklin County | 537 | 9% | 521 | 9% | 536 | 10% | 536 | 11% | 567 | 11% |
| Roanoke City | 1,481 | 26% | 1,448 | 26% | 1,323 | 25% | 1,231 | 25% | 1,307 | 26% |
| Roanoke County | 1,938 | 34% | 1,862 | 33% | 1,707 | 32% | 1,710 | 34% | 1,804 | 36% |
| Salem City | 456 | 8% | 461 | 8% | 462 | 9% | 370 | 7% | 406 | 8% |
| Other | 805 | 14% | 747 | 13% | 749 | 14% | 649 | 13% | 678 | 14% |

Source: VCCS UDT

* A full-time equivalent (FTE) equals total number of credit hours divided by 15.

^ Full-time students are those enrolled in at least 12 credits during the spring semester

~ Based on student's primary plan