

HIGHLIGHTS

In spring 2011, 236 students applied for admission to Montclair State University as new freshmen. Montclair State University accepted 35 percent (82) of these applicants. Sixty-five percent (53) of those accepted enrolled in classes.

Full-time, First-time Freshmen

In spring 2011, the SAT score was 1006 for accepted full-time, first-time freshmen, regardless of admission type, and 997 for those who enrolled.

The average age of first-time, full-time freshmen who enrolled at Montclair State University in spring 2011 was 22 years old.

The average class rank was 61 for accepted student and 60 for enrolled students.

Twenty-seven percent of enrolled full-time, first-time freshmen were female. Of those who disclosed their race/ethnicity information, 32 percent were White, 22 percent were Hispanic, almost 15 percent were Black/African-American and 2 percent were Asian. Almost 10 percent indicated they were two or more races. Additionally, 7 percent were international students.

Ninety percent of MSU's full-time, first-time freshmen reside in NJ. More than two-thirds of all full-time, first-time enrolled freshmen came from four counties: Passaic (12 percent), Essex (22 percent), Bergen, and Morris (17 percent each). Almost ten percent were from out of state.

First-time Transfers

In spring 2011, 1,928 first-time, full- and part-time transfer students applied to MSU, which is about the same as the number of students who applied last spring. Nearly 53 percent of those applying were accepted. Of the 1,015 who were accepted, over almost 63 percent (637) enrolled in classes.

Sixty-two percent of enrolled first-time, full- and part-time transfer students were female. Of those who disclosed their race/ethnicity information, 45 percent were White; 22 percent were Hispanic; nearly 10 percent were Black/African-American; and 5 percent were Asian/Pacific Islander. Additionally, over 4 percent were international students.

Over 62 percent of newly enrolled transfer students transferred from New Jersey public community colleges. Sixty percent of the New Jersey community college students came from three community colleges in particular: Bergen Community College (31%), Essex County College (13%), and Passaic County College (11%).

In total, 690 new undergraduate students started MSU in spring 2011. New transfer students made up 92 percent of all new students, followed by new freshmen at 8 percent.