

HIGHLIGHTS

In the fall of 2010, Montclair State University yielded 3,227 applicants for its graduate degree, certification, certificate, and non-certificate programs. This figure (3,227) refers to completed and incomplete applications. Seventy-one percent (2,596) actually completed the application process. Those with completed application make up the application base from which the numbers and percents in the accompanying tables were drawn.

The percentage of completed applications for degree seeking students was 65%; 23% applied as non-degree students; 6% applied for certification programs and another almost 6% applied for certificate programs.

This fall, the University accepted 61% of its applicants. Of those accepted, 70% (1,105 students) enrolled in classes for the semester.

The average verbal and math Graduate Record Exam (GRE) test scores for enrolled degree-seeking graduate students in a Masters program were 463.4 and 533.2, respectively. The average score for the Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT) was 511.7. The average undergraduate GPA for enrolled Masters-seeking graduate students was 3.3. The average verbal and math Graduate Record Exam (GRE) test scores for enrolled degree-seeking graduate students in a Doctoral program were 462.6 and 552.2, respectively.

Almost 74 percent of first-time enrolled graduate students were female. This fall, 8% did not supply information about their race/ethnicity. Of the enrolled students were supplied this information, almost 67% were white; 8.2% were Black/African American; 13% were Hispanic; 6% were Asian/Pacific Islander; and 0.5% indicated they were of two or more races. Additionally, 3.2% were non-resident aliens.

Two-thirds (66%) of the first-time enrolled graduate students came from four counties: Essex, 21%; Bergen, 21%; Passaic, 13%; Morris, 10%. Seven percent of these students came from outside New Jersey (other states or countries).