

Table 268. College Enrollment by Sex and Attendance Status: 1983 to 2006

[As of fall. In thousands (12,465 represents 12,465,000)]

Sex and age	1983		1988		1993		1998 ¹		2006 ¹ , proj.	
	Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time
Total	12,465	5,204	13,055	5,619	14,305	6,177	14,507	5,944	17,672	6,689
Male	6,024	2,264	6,002	2,340	6,427	2,537	6,369	2,436	7,470	2,634
14 to 17 years old	102	16	55	5	83	10	45	5	80	38
18 to 19 years old	1,256	158	1,290	132	1,224	138	1,535	296	1,626	239
20 to 21 years old	1,241	205	1,243	216	1,294	209	1,374	245	1,792	319
22 to 24 years old	1,158	382	1,106	378	1,260	392	1,127	350	1,330	396
25 to 29 years old	1,115	624	875	485	950	564	908	485	989	544
30 to 34 years old	570	384	617	456	661	484	463	322	530	298
35 years old and over.	583	494	816	668	955	739	917	733	1,122	802
Female	6,441	2,940	7,053	3,278	7,877	3,640	8,138	3,508	10,202	4,056
14 to 17 years old	142	16	115	17	93	6	74	21	91	27
18 to 19 years old	1,496	179	1,536	195	1,416	172	1,847	292	2,084	344
20 to 21 years old	1,125	204	1,278	218	1,414	279	1,437	295	2,064	437
22 to 24 years old	884	378	932	403	1,263	493	1,250	463	1,730	566
25 to 29 years old	947	658	932	633	1,058	689	1,083	617	1,463	729
30 to 34 years old	721	553	698	499	811	575	732	506	801	489
35 years old and over.	1,126	953	1,563	1,313	1,824	1,427	1,715	1,315	1,970	1,462

¹ Data beginning in 1998 reflect the new classification of institutions. See footnote 1, Table 269.

Source: U.S. National Center for Education Statistics, *Digest of Education Statistics*, annual.