

Table 268. College Enrollment by Sex and Attendance Status: 2004 to 2008

[As of fall. In thousands (17,272 represents 17,272,000). Includes enrollment at branch campuses, some additional (primarily 2-year) colleges and excludes a few institutions that did not award degrees. Includes enrollment at institutions that were eligible to participate in Title IV federal financial aid programs. Includes unclassified students. (Students taking courses for credit, but are not candidates for degrees.)]

Sex and age	2004		2005		2006		2007		2008, proj.	
	Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time	Total	Part-time
Total	17,272	6,662	17,487	6,690	17,759	6,802	18,248	6,979	18,200	6,937
Male	7,387	2,648	7,456	2,653	7,575	2,696	7,816	2,787	7,822	2,767
14 to 17 years old	78	15	78	41	82	16	75	17	82	18
18 to 19 years old	1,551	239	1,592	235	1,705	297	1,805	273	1,799	313
20 to 21 years old	1,743	358	1,778	318	1,673	341	1,633	288	1,705	347
22 to 24 years old	1,380	419	1,355	405	1,470	466	1,551	544	1,512	478
25 to 29 years old	1,045	536	978	539	1,051	488	1,020	435	1,117	518
30 to 34 years old	518	317	545	306	557	325	659	430	572	333
35 years old and over.	1,073	764	1,130	809	1,037	762	1,074	799	1,035	761
Female	9,885	4,014	10,032	4,038	10,184	4,106	10,432	4,192	10,378	4,170
14 to 17 years old	122	19	121	27	149	48	104	9	109	42
18 to 19 years old	2,027	311	2,018	338	2,064	318	2,173	327	2,154	336
20 to 21 years old	1,908	382	2,000	430	1,975	363	2,129	452	2,018	369
22 to 24 years old	1,657	543	1,717	571	1,724	634	1,811	685	1,777	649
25 to 29 years old	1,341	720	1,406	709	1,350	696	1,502	824	1,413	733
30 to 34 years old	812	523	809	499	852	480	770	449	862	488
35 years old and over.	2,018	1,516	1,960	1,464	2,070	1,567	1,943	1,446	2,044	1,552

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