

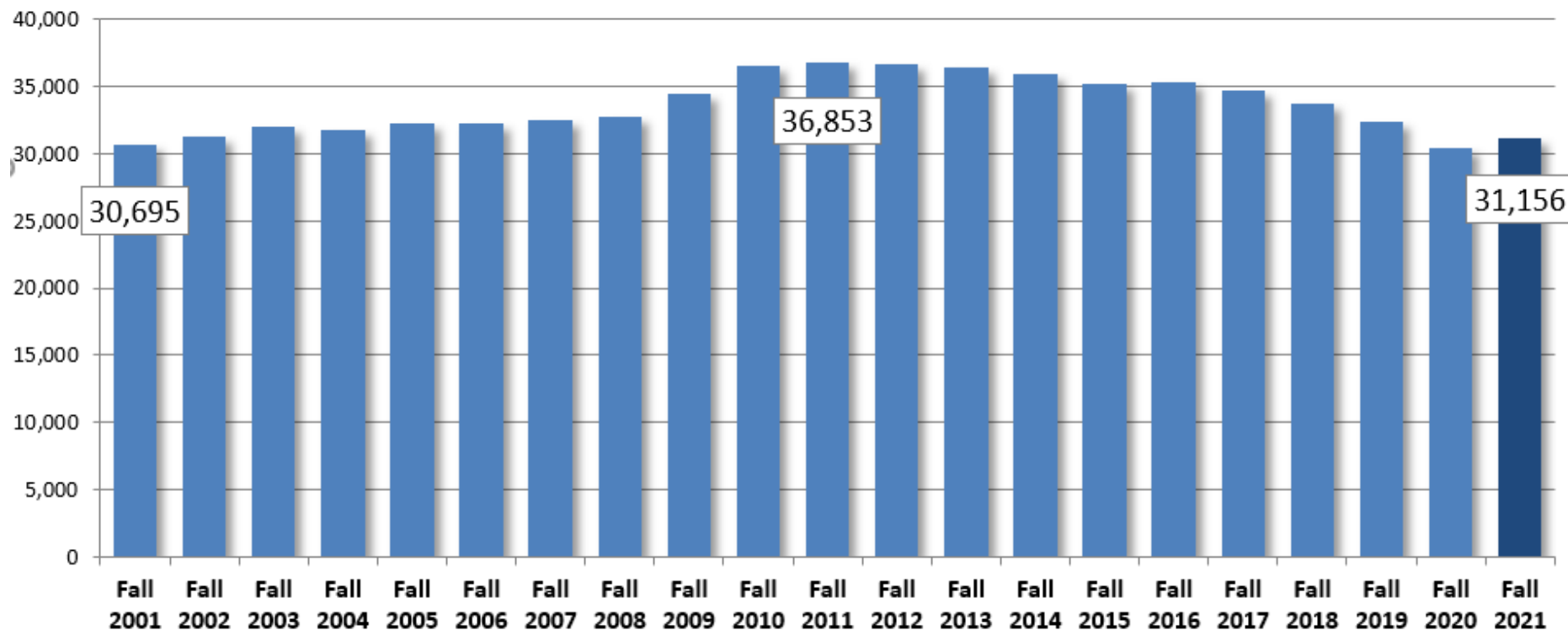


## Fall 2021 Census Enrollment Report – 15<sup>th</sup> Day (preliminary)

### Student FTE, 2001 to 2021

Fall Semesters, 15th Day Census (preliminary)

(does not include CC's)



End of Term	Census
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## STUDENT FTE by Residency & Level

(does not include CC's)

Residency & Level	15th Day Count		DIFF		
	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	#	%	
Resident Undergraduate	18,313	17,843	-470	-2.6%	↓
Resident Graduate	2,168	2,167	-0.3	0.0%	—
Non-resident Undergraduate	6,147	6,217	70	1.1%	↑
WUE	2,718	3,663	945	34.8%	↑
Non-resident Graduate	1,115	1,266	151	13.5%	↑
<b>Total</b>	<b>30,461</b>	<b>31,156</b>	<b>695</b>	<b>2.3%</b>	↑



## STUDENT FTE by Institution Type

(does not include CC's)

Institution Type	15th Day Count		DIFF		
	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	#	%	
Flagship (UM & MSU)	21,057	21,473	416	2.0%	↑
4-year (UMW, Tech, MSUN, MSUB)	5,875	5,829	-45	-0.8%	↓
2-year Colleges (does not include CC's)	3,529	3,854	324	9.2%	↑
<b>Total</b>	<b>30,461</b>	<b>31,156</b>	<b>695</b>	<b>2.3%</b>	↑



## STUDENT FTE by Campus

CAMPUS	15th Day Count		DIFF		
	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	#	%	
MSU Bozeman	14,052	14,355	303	2.2%	↑
Gallatin College MSU	604	658	54	9.0%	↑
MSU Billings	2,184	2,166	-18	-0.8%	—
City College at MSUB	584	594	10	1.7%	↑
MSU Northern	851	821	-30	-3.6%	↓
Great Falls College MSU	730	709	-21	-2.9%	↓
<b>MSU Total</b>	<b>19,005</b>	<b>19,303</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>1.6%</b>	↑



## STUDENT FTE by Campus

CAMPUS	15th Day Count		DIFF		
	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	#	%	
UM Missoula	7,005	7,119	114	1.6%	↑
Missoula College UM	812	891	79	9.7%	↑
Montana Tech	1,670	1,680	11	0.6%	▬
Highlands College of MTech	292	297	4	1.5%	↑
UM Western	1,170	1,162	-7	-0.6%	▬
Helena College UM	508	705	198	38.9%	↑
<b>UM Total</b>	<b>11,456</b>	<b>11,854</b>	<b>398</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	↑



## STUDENT FTE by Campus

CAMPUS	15th Day Count		DIFF		
	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	#	%	
Dawson CC	295	332	37	12.6%	↑
Flathead Valley CC	1,169	1,090	-79	-6.7%	↓
Miles CC	408	368	-39	-9.6%	↓
<b>CC Total</b>	<b>1,871</b>	<b>1,790</b>	<b>-81</b>	<b>-4.3%</b>	↓



## STUDENT PROFILE

15th Day Census (**HEADCOUNT**) (does not include CC's)

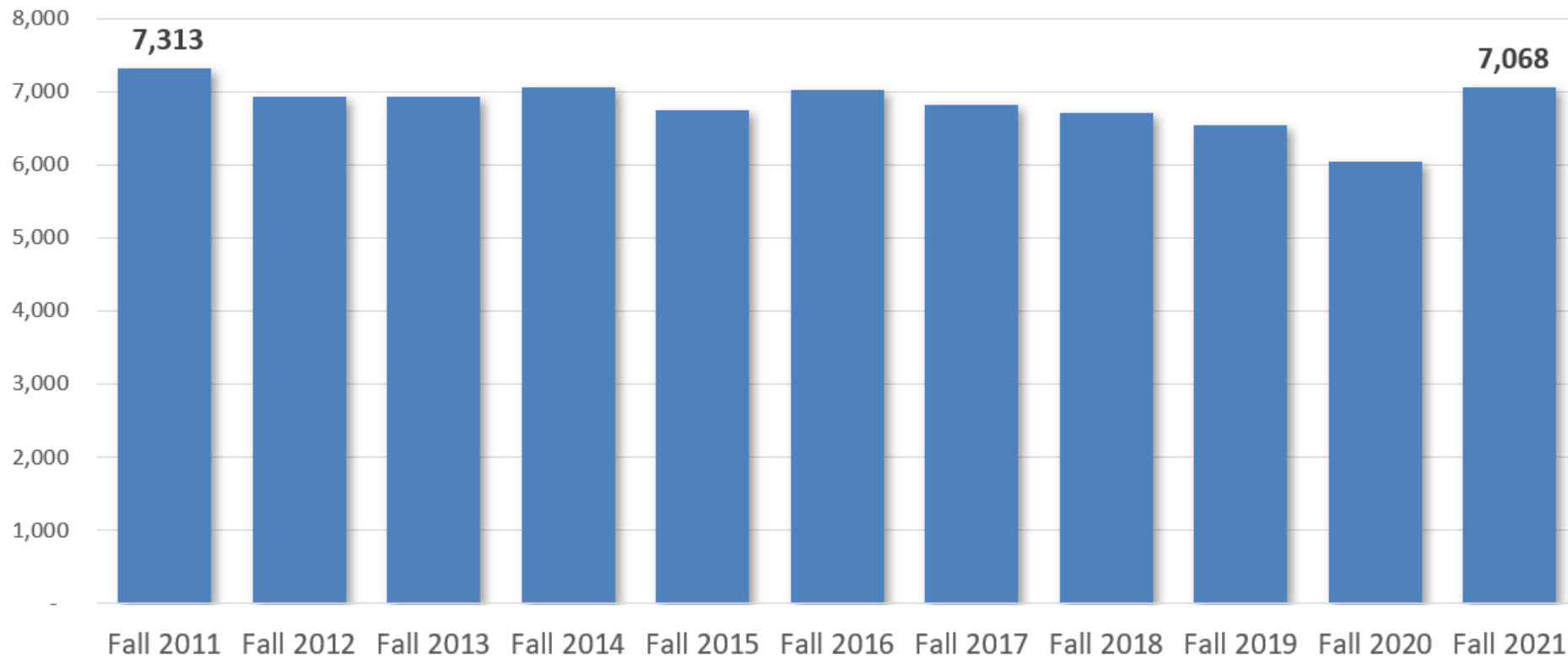
Demographics	15th Day Count		DIFF	
	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	#	%
Total Headcount <small>(unduplicated)</small>	36,588	38,367	1,779	4.9%
1st-time Freshmen <small>(does not include early college students)</small>	6,049	7,068	1,019	16.8%
1st-time Freshmen, Residents Only	3,585	3,670	85	2.4%
< 18 years	1,550	2,635	1,085	70.0%
18-24 years	24,743	25,433	690	2.8%
25-49 years	9,575	9,614	39	0.4%
50+ years	720	675	-45	-6.3%





## First-time Freshmen

Fall Census, 10-year History



**Highest number of entering freshmen in the MUS since Fall 2011**





# MONTANA UNIVERSITY SYSTEM

## First-time Freshmen

Fall Census, 2019- 2021

Campus	# Enrolled			1-yr Diff		2-yr Diff	
	Fall	Fall	Fall	2020 to 2021		2019 to 2021	
	2019	2020	2021	#	%	#	%
MSU-Bozeman	3,193	3,100	3,680	580	19%	487	15%
UM-Missoula	1,141	982	1,276	294	30%	135	12%
MSU-Billings	363	290	304	14	5%	-59	-16%
Missoula College	289	218	252	34	16%	-37	-13%
MT-Tech	275	273	324	51	19%	49	18%
UM-Western	268	240	227	-13	-5%	-41	-15%
City College	230	199	233	34	17%	3	1%
Helena College	198	130	171	41	32%	-27	-14%
MSU-Northern	174	169	184	15	9%	10	6%
Great Falls College	145	170	128	-42	-25%	-17	-12%
Highlands College	136	133	108	-25	-19%	-28	-21%
Gallatin College	130	145	181	36	25%	51	39%
<b>MUS Total</b>	<b>6,542</b>	<b>6,049</b>	<b>7,068</b>	<b>1,019</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>8%</b>
Flathead CC	188	167	157	-10	-6%	-31	-16%
Miles CC	147	135	125	-10	-7%	-22	-15%
Dawson CC	105	130	122	-8	-6%	17	16%



## National Trends – Fall 2021 Enrollment

Fall 2021 enrollment numbers show no signs of recovery from last year's declines.

- Undergraduate enrollment is ***down 3.2 percent*** from a year ago.
- Undergraduate student numbers have now ***fallen by 6.5 percent*** as a total from two years ago.
- Graduate enrollment ***continued to grow, reaching 2.1 percent*** above last fall's level, for a total growth of 5.3 percent over two years.
- First-year student numbers ***declined by 3.1 percent*** overall and 3.9 percent among traditional-age students (18-20).

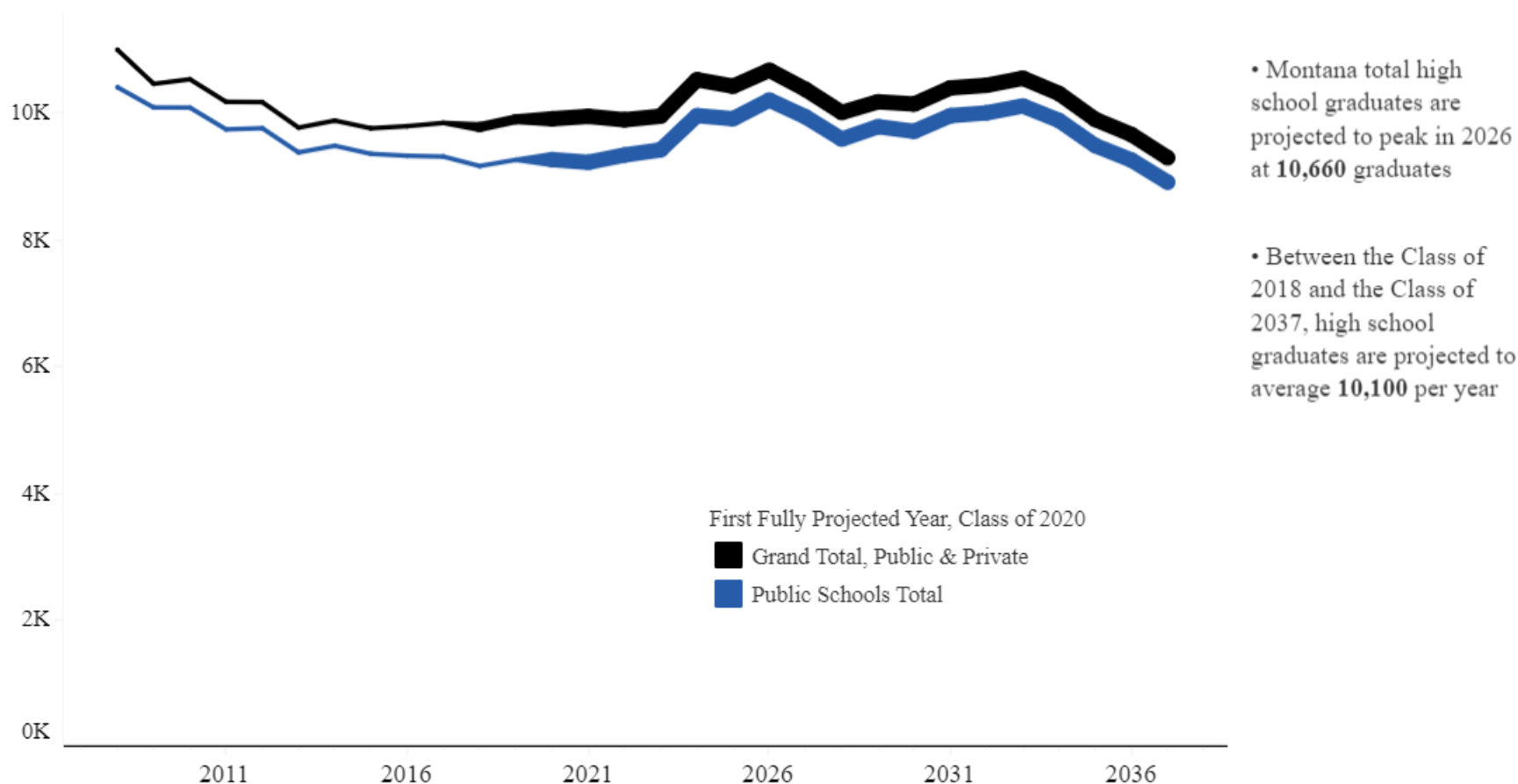
Source: National Student Clearinghouse



## Montana High School Graduate Projections



Total & Public High School Graduates, Class of 2008 to 2037





## Capture Rate - Recent MT High School Graduates

MT High School Graduates Entering the MUS in the Fall Semester Immediately Following Graduation

source: OCHE Data Warehouse, WICHE Projections (includes public & private high schools); CC's not included

First-time Freshmen Cohorts	Fall 2013	Fall 2014	Fall 2015	Fall 2016	Fall 2017	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Fall 2021	Difference 2013 to 2021	
										#	%
HS Graduating Class, MT Public/Private Schools	9,759	9,871	9,749	9,783	9,833	9,770	9,890	9,900	9,940	181	2%
Recent MT High School Grads Enrolling in MUS	3,523	3,621	3,392	3,391	3,301	3,301	3,152	2,879	2,773	-750	-21%
MUS Capture Rate (% of recent MT HS grad attending MUS)	36%	37%	35%	35%	34%	34%	32%	29%	28%		-8%

[First-time Freshmen Dashboard](#)



## College-Going Rates of Montana High School Graduates

MT Public & Private High School Graduates Entering College in the Fall Semester Immediately Following Graduation; NCES, IPEDS Enrollment Survey, Knocking at College Door; Projections of High School Grads

