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OKLAHOMA STATE REGENTS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION

Preliminary Enrollment Report for Oklahoma Higher Education Fall 2007

PURPOSE:

Since 1941, enrollment data have been collected and reported by the State Regents for Oklahoma higher education institutions. Beginning in 1981, the Unitized Data System (UDS) was used to collect enrollment and other data at the end of each semester and to report unduplicated official enrollments. The original enrollment survey continues to collect preliminary enrollment that can be reported near the beginning of each semester. The purpose of this report is to summarize the fall 2007 preliminary enrollments and to compare fall 2007 preliminary enrollments to the previous year.

METHODOLOGY:

Institutional staffs complete online preliminary enrollment surveys distributed at the beginning of each semester. The preliminary enrollment is defined as the number of students enrolled as of the end of the schedule adjustment period, approximately two weeks after the semester begins. The date varies among institutions and among some academic programs within an institution.

The semester full-time equivalent (FTE) enrollment is based on the definition of a full-time student. A full-time undergraduate student enrolls in 15 credit hours per semester, and a graduate or professional student enrolls in 12 credit hours per semester. Therefore, the semester FTE equals the number of semester credit hours taken by undergraduates divided by 15 plus the number of semester credit hours taken by graduates divided by 12.

The annualized FTE enrollment also is based on the definition of a full-time student. A full-time undergraduate student enrolls in 30 credit hours annually, and a graduate or professional student enrolls in 24 credit hours annually. Therefore, the annualized FTE equals the number of semester credit hours taken by undergraduates divided by 30 plus the number of semester credit hours taken by graduates divided by 24.

FINDINGS:

- The enrollment at Oklahoma public colleges and universities decreased by 0.2 percent from 178,678 in fall 2006 to 178,305 in fall 2007. The research universities decreased 0.1 percent from 54,333 to 54,258. The regional universities decreased 1.2 percent from 56,124 to 55,425. The community colleges increased 0.6 percent from 68,221 to 68,622 (Table 1).
- The semester FTE enrollment at public institutions decreased 1.3 percent from 131,530 in fall 2006 to 129,874 in fall 2007 (Table 2).

- The semester FTE enrollment at private institutions increased 2.0 percent from 19,187 to 19,571 (Table 2).
- The number of first-time freshmen increased 0.7 percent from 30,111 in fall 2006 to 30,317 in fall 2007 at Oklahoma public institutions. The research universities increased 7.8 percent from 6,578 to 7,092. The regional universities decreased 0.6 percent from 8,412 to 8,362. The community colleges decreased 1.7 percent from 15,121 to 14,863 (Table 3).
- The number of first-time freshmen increased 0.1 percent from 3,482 to 3,486 at the private institutions (Table 3).
- Fall 2007 headcount enrollment, student credit hours, and annualized FTE enrollment by division are reported in Table 4.

TABLE 1
SUMMARY OF TOTAL PUBLIC ENROLLMENT
COMPARATIVE HEADCOUNT ENROLLMENTS
FALL SEMESTER 2006 COMPARED WITH FALL SEMESTER 2007

Institution	Headcount		
	2006 Enrollment	2007 Enrollment	Percent Change ¹
University of Oklahoma	25,521	25,704	0.7%
OU Health Sciences Center ²	4,395	4,417	0.5%
OU College of Law	499	515	3.2%
Oklahoma State University	22,999	22,693	-1.3%
OSU College of Veterinary Medicine	308	312	1.3%
OSU Technical Branch, Okmulgee	2,788	2,855	2.4%
OSU-Oklahoma City	5,704	5,824	2.1%
OSU Center for Health Sciences ²	611	617	1.0%
University of Central Oklahoma	15,723	15,753	0.2%
East Central University	4,506	4,479	-0.6%
Northeastern State University	9,538	9,261	-2.9%
Northwestern Oklahoma State University	2,010	2,052	2.1%
Southeastern Oklahoma State University	3,872	4,002	3.4%
Southwestern Oklahoma State University	5,260	5,103	-3.0%
Cameron University	5,589	5,366	-4.0%
Langston University	2,944	2,975	1.1%
Oklahoma Panhandle State University	1,136	1,152	1.4%
University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma	1,507	1,268	-15.9%
Rogers State University	4,039	4,014	-0.6%
Carl Albert State College	2,637	2,450	-7.1%
Connors State College	2,259	2,561	13.4%
Eastern Oklahoma State College	2,134	1,786	-16.3%
Redlands Community College	2,420	2,474	2.2%
Murray State College	2,097	2,158	2.9%
Northeastern Oklahoma A&M College	1,976	1,899	-3.9%
Northern Oklahoma College	4,683	4,929	5.3%
Oklahoma City Community College	12,440	12,540	0.8%
Rose State College	8,757	8,750	-0.1%
Seminole State College	2,093	1,905	-9.0%
Tulsa Community College	16,664	16,967	1.8%
Western Oklahoma State College	1,569	1,524	-2.9%
Total Research Universities	54,333	54,258	-0.1%
Total Regional Universities	56,124	55,425	-1.2%
Total Community Colleges	68,221	68,622	0.6%
TOTAL PUBLIC	178,678	178,305	-0.2%

¹ Minus (-) indicates a loss from the previous year. Totals include duplication because some students enroll at more than one institution.

² Includes interns and residents.

TABLE 2
COMPARATIVE HEADCOUNT AND SEMESTER FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT ENROLLMENTS
IN OKLAHOMA PUBLIC AND PRIVATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES
FALL SEMESTER 2006 COMPARED WITH FALL SEMESTER 2007

Institution	Headcount			Semester Full-Time-Equivalent Enrollment ¹		
	2006 Enrollment	2007 Enrollment	Percent Change ²	2006 Enrollment	2007 Enrollment	Percent Change ²
University of Oklahoma	25,521	25,704	0.7%	20,588	20,700	0.5%
OU Health Sciences Center ³	3,742	3,757	0.4%	3,848	3,863	0.4%
OU College of Law	499	515	3.2%	602	633	5.2%
Oklahoma State University	22,999	22,693	-1.3%	19,192	18,860	-1.7%
OSU College of Veterinary Medicine	308	312	1.3%	496	506	2.0%
OSU Technical Branch, Okmulgee	2,788	2,855	2.4%	2,054	2,123	3.4%
OSU-Oklahoma City	5,704	5,824	2.1%	3,233	3,361	4.0%
OSU Center for Health Sciences ³	421	408	-3.1%	686	695	1.3%
University of Central Oklahoma	15,723	15,753	0.2%	12,021	11,956	-0.5%
East Central University	4,506	4,479	-0.6%	3,548	3,540	-0.2%
Northeastern State University	9,538	9,261	-2.9%	7,582	7,339	-3.2%
Northwestern Oklahoma State University	2,010	2,052	2.1%	1,590	1,624	2.1%
Southeastern Oklahoma State University	3,872	4,002	3.4%	3,108	3,168	1.9%
Southwestern Oklahoma State University	5,260	5,103	-3.0%	4,482	4,360	-2.7%
Cameron University	5,589	5,366	-4.0%	4,003	3,870	-3.3%
Langston University	2,944	2,975	1.1%	2,355	2,440	3.6%
Oklahoma Panhandle State University	1,136	1,152	1.4%	1,013	1,041	2.8%
University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma	1,507	1,268	-15.9%	1,068	995	-6.9%
Rogers State University	4,039	4,014	-0.6%	2,694	2,796	3.8%
Carl Albert State College	2,637	2,450	-7.1%	2,022	1,709	-15.5%
Connors State College	2,259	2,561	13.4%	1,563	1,647	5.4%
Eastern Oklahoma State College	2,134	1,786	-16.3%	1,432	1,243	-13.2%
Redlands Community College	2,420	2,474	2.2%	1,365	1,379	1.0%
Murray State College	2,097	2,158	2.9%	1,417	1,485	4.8%
Northeastern Oklahoma A&M College	1,976	1,899	-3.9%	1,630	1,596	-2.1%
Northern Oklahoma College	4,683	4,929	5.3%	3,086	3,217	4.3%
Oklahoma City Community College	12,440	12,540	0.8%	7,147	7,326	2.5%
Rose State College	8,757	8,750	-0.1%	4,610	4,617	0.2%
Seminole State College	2,093	1,905	-9.0%	1,394	1,283	-8.0%
Tulsa Community College	16,664	16,967	1.8%	9,235	9,534	3.2%
Western Oklahoma State College	1,569	1,524	-2.9%	978	968	-1.0%
Total Research Universities	53,490	53,389	-0.2%	46,900	45,257	-3.5%
Total Regional Universities	56,124	55,425	-1.2%	43,464	43,129	-0.8%
Total Community Colleges	68,221	68,622	0.6%	41,165	41,489	0.8%
TOTAL PUBLIC	177,835	177,436	-0.2%	131,530	129,874	-1.3%
University of Tulsa	4,125	4,165	1.0%	3,794	3,845	1.3%
Oklahoma Wesleyan University	986	1,048	6.3%	782	801	2.4%
Mid-America Christian University	760	877	15.4%	615	722	17.3%
Oklahoma Baptist University	1,617	1,607	-0.6%	1,482	1,413	-4.6%
Oklahoma Christian University	2,120	2,258	6.5%	2,013	2,143	6.5%
Oklahoma City University	3,713	3,865	4.1%	3,259	3,468	6.4%
Oral Roberts University	4,012	4,010	0.0%	3,347	3,377	0.9%
Phillips Theological Seminary	200	181	-9.5%	123	105	-15.0%
Southern Nazarene University	2,068	2,090	1.1%	1,879	1,882	0.2%
Bacone College	950	867	-8.7%	844	783	-7.2%
St. Gregory's University	777	785	1.0%	623	593	-4.8%
Hillsdale Free Will Baptist College	230	246	7.0%	208	230	10.5%
Southwestern Christian University	267	251	-6.0%	218	209	-4.3%
TOTAL PRIVATE	21,825	22,250	1.9%	19,187	19,571	2.0%
GRAND TOTAL	199,660	199,686	0.0%	150,716	149,445	-0.8%

¹ Semester FTE enrollment is calculated as follows: The total semester credit hours taken by undergraduate students is divided by 15; and the total semester credit hours taken by graduate and professional students is divided by 12. The sum of these two calculations is semester FTE enrollment.

² Minus (-) indicates a loss from the previous year. Totals include duplication because some students enroll at more than one institution.

³ Excludes interns and residents.

TABLE 3
SUMMARY OF FIRST-TIME FRESHMAN ENROLLMENT¹
IN OKLAHOMA PUBLIC AND PRIVATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES
FALL SEMESTER 2006 COMPARED WITH FALL SEMESTER 2007

Institution	Headcount		Change	
	2006 Enrollment	2007 Enrollment	Number	Percent ²
University of Oklahoma (Main Campus)	3,342	3,883	541	16.2%
Oklahoma State University	3,236	3,209	-27	-0.8%
OSU Technical Branch, Okmulgee	738	509	-229	-31.0%
OSU-Oklahoma City	819	875	56	6.8%
University of Central Oklahoma	2,129	2,112	-17	-0.8%
East Central University	639	541	-98	-15.3%
Northeastern State University	1,125	1,017	-108	-9.6%
Northwestern Oklahoma State University	242	338	96	39.7%
Southeastern Oklahoma State University	616	662	46	7.5%
Southwestern Oklahoma State University	848	909	61	7.2%
Cameron University	953	953	0	0.0%
Langston University	530	499	-31	-5.8%
Oklahoma Panhandle State University	255	275	20	7.8%
University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma	243	225	-18	-7.4%
Rogers State University	832	831	-1	-0.1%
Carl Albert State College	1,160	659	-501	-43.2%
Connors State College	621	631	10	1.6%
Eastern Oklahoma State College	546	388	-158	-28.9%
Redlands Community College	489	395	-94	-19.2%
Murray State College	449	463	14	3.1%
Northeastern Oklahoma A&M College	675	642	-33	-4.9%
Northern Oklahoma College	1,110	1,229	119	10.7%
Oklahoma City Community College	2,314	2,663	349	15.1%
Rose State College	2,638	2,689	51	1.9%
Seminole State College	378	416	38	10.1%
Tulsa Community College	2,768	2,919	151	5.5%
Western Oklahoma State College	416	385	-31	-7.5%
Total Research Universities	6,578	7,092	514	7.8%
Total Regional Universities	8,412	8,362	-50	-0.6%
Total Community Colleges	15,121	14,863	-258	-1.7%
TOTAL PUBLIC	30,111	30,317	206	0.7%
University of Tulsa	660	656	-4	-0.6%
Oklahoma Wesleyan University	132	108	-24	-18.2%
Mid-America Christian University	98	112	14	14.3%
Oklahoma Baptist University	361	315	-46	-12.7%
Oklahoma Christian University	522	544	22	4.2%
Oklahoma City University	360	400	40	11.1%
Oral Roberts University	578	595	17	2.9%
Southern Nazarene University	289	320	31	10.7%
Bacone College	278	224	-54	-19.4%
St. Gregory's University	95	91	-4	-4.2%
Hillsdale Free Will Baptist College	57	84	27	47.4%
Southwestern Christian University	52	37	-15	-28.8%
TOTAL PRIVATE	3,482	3,486	4	0.1%
GRAND TOTAL	33,593	33,803	210	0.6%

¹ Excludes concurrent high school students as per the federal definition.

² Minus (-) indicates a loss from the previous year.

TABLE 4
HEADCOUNT ENROLLMENT, STUDENT CREDIT HOURS, AND ANNUALIZED FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT ENROLLMENT¹
IN OKLAHOMA PUBLIC AND PRIVATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES, FALL 2007

Institution	Lower Division			Upper Division			Graduate Division			Professional Division			Total		
	No of Students	No of Sem Hrs	FTE Enroll	No of Students	No of Sem Hrs	FTE Enroll	No of Students	No of Sem Hrs	FTE Enroll	No of Students	No of Sem Hrs	FTE Enroll	No of Students	No of Sem Hrs	FTE Enroll
OU	8,690	119,657	3,989	11,017	141,962	4,732	5,997	39,100	1,629	0	0	0	25,704	300,719	10,350
OU-HSC ²	0	0	0	1,016	13,729	458	788	6,406	267	1,953	28,965	1,207	3,757	49,100	1,931
OU-LAW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	515	7,598	317	515	7,598	317
OSU	8,316	114,777	3,826	10,052	132,319	4,411	4,325	28,643	1,193	0	0	0	22,693	275,739	9,430
OSU-VET MED	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	312	6,072	253	312	6,072	253
OSU-TB, OKM	2,789	31,058	1,035	66	789	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,855	31,847	1,062
OSU-OKC	5,810	50,287	1,676	14	131	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,824	50,418	1,681
OSU-CHS ²	0	0	0	0	0	0	66	415	17	342	7,926	330	408	8,341	348
UCO	6,895	81,145	2,705	7,444	86,179	2,873	1,414	9,612	401	0	0	0	15,753	176,936	5,978
ECU	1,955	25,525	851	1,726	21,138	705	798	5,152	215	0	0	0	4,479	51,815	1,770
NSU	3,357	43,204	1,440	4,888	56,605	1,887	967	6,188	258	103	2,028	85	9,315	108,025	3,669
NWOSU	924	11,571	386	903	10,929	364	225	1,488	62	0	0	0	2,052	23,988	812
SEOSU	1,894	23,351	778	1,732	21,096	703	376	2,457	102	0	0	0	4,002	46,904	1,584
SWOSU	2,699	33,736	1,125	1,668	22,105	737	423	2,884	120	313	4,765	199	5,103	63,490	2,180
Cameron	3,170	34,215	1,141	1,799	20,653	688	397	2,546	106	0	0	0	5,366	57,414	1,935
Langston	1,195	16,195	540	1,393	16,618	554	354	2,461	103	33	568	24	2,975	35,842	1,220
Panhandle	717	9,632	321	435	5,983	199	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,152	15,615	521
USAO	793	8,693	290	475	6,228	208	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,268	14,921	497
RSU	2,937	31,329	1,044	1,077	10,614	354	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,014	41,943	1,398
CASC	2,450	25,631	854	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,450	25,631	854
Connors	2,563	24,703	823	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,563	24,703	823
Eastern	1,786	18,645	622	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,786	18,645	622
Redlands	2,474	20,683	689	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,474	20,683	689
Murray	2,158	22,275	743	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,158	22,275	743
NEOAMC	1,899	23,942	798	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,899	23,942	798
NOC	4,929	48,256	1,609	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,929	48,256	1,609
OCCC	12,540	109,888	3,663	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12,540	109,888	3,663
Rose	8,750	69,259	2,309	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8,750	69,259	2,309
Seminole	1,905	19,245	642	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,905	19,245	642
TCC	16,967	143,016	4,767	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16,967	143,016	4,767
Western	1,524	14,522	484	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,524	14,522	484
Total Research Universities	17,006	234,434	7,814	22,085	288,010	9,600	11,176	74,564	3,107	3,122	50,561	2,107	53,389	647,569	22,628
Total Regional Universities	26,536	318,596	10,620	23,540	278,148	9,272	4,954	32,788	1,366	449	7,361	307	55,479	636,893	21,564
Total Community Colleges	68,544	621,410	20,714	80	920	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	68,624	622,330	20,744
TOTAL PUBLIC	112,086	1,174,440	39,148	45,705	567,078	18,903	16,130	107,352	4,473	3,571	57,922	2,413	177,492	1,906,792	64,937
TU	1,615	22,715	757	1,372	19,715	657	638	4,708	196	540	7,489	312	4,165	54,627	1,923
OWU	390	5,084	169	600	6,536	218	58	310	13	0	0	0	1,048	11,930	400
MACU	390	5,010	167	360	4,353	145	120	1,171	49	0	0	0	870	10,534	361
OBU	935	11,452	382	648	9,478	316	24	216	9	0	0	0	1,607	21,146	707
OC	1,158	17,076	569	840	12,094	403	260	2,385	99	0	0	0	2,258	31,555	1,072
OCU	1,259	17,811	594	887	12,065	402	1,117	9,569	399	602	8,149	340	3,865	47,594	1,734
ORU	1,711	23,115	770	1,495	20,717	691	594	3,492	145	210	1,968	82	4,010	49,291	1,689
Phillips Theological Sem	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	34	1	173	1,224	51	181	1,258	52
SNU	648	9,463	315	1,017	13,769	459	425	3,995	166	0	0	0	2,090	27,227	941
Bacone	563	7,890	263	304	3,853	128	0	0	0	0	0	0	867	11,743	391
St. Gregory's	450	4,995	167	287	3,482	116	48	335	14	0	0	0	785	8,812	297
Hillsdale	166	2,379	79	70	980	33	10	75	3	0	0	0	246	3,434	115
SWCU	90	1,198	40	80	1,116	37	81	651	27	0	0	0	251	2,965	104
TOTAL PRIVATE	9,375	128,188	4,273	7,960	108,158	3,605	3,383	26,940	1,123	1,525	18,830	785	22,243	282,115	9,785
GRAND TOTAL	121,461	1,302,628	43,421	53,665	675,236	22,508	19,513	134,292	5,596	5,096	76,752	3,198	199,735	2,188,907	74,722

¹ The total semester credit hours taken by undergraduate students is divided by 30; and the total semester credit hours taken by graduate and professional students is divided by 24. The sum of these two calculations is annualized FTE enrollment.

² Excludes interns and residents.