

UTRGV's Fall 2016 FTE Enrollment in Perspective

Data from THECB's online accountability system at <http://www.txhigheredaccountability.org/acctpublic/> was used to look at UTRGV's total FTE enrollment as compared to other 4-yr public universities in Texas and within the UT System.

- UTRGV's FTE enrollment of 21,631 students in Fall 2016 makes it the 10th largest 4-year public university in Texas and 5th largest within the UT System (see Tables 1 and 2 below).
- Table 3 presents the FTE ranking for all 4-yr public universities in Texas.

Table 1: UTRGV ranked 10th in terms of total FTE enrollment among all Texas 4-year public universities

Rank	Institution	Total FTE
1	Texas A&M University	51,734
2	The University of Texas at Austin	46,349
3	University of Houston	35,630
4	Texas State University	31,812
5	Texas Tech University	31,431
6	University of North Texas	30,461
7	The University of Texas at Arlington	26,119
8	The University of Texas at San Antonio	23,404
9	The University of Texas at Dallas	21,885
10	The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley	21,631

Source: Fall 2016, Online Accountability System, Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, Austin, TX.

Table 2: Within UT System, UTRGV ranked 5th in terms of FTE enrollment

Rank	Institution	Total FTE
1	The University of Texas at Austin	46,349
2	The University of Texas at Arlington	26,119
3	The University of Texas at San Antonio	23,404
4	The University of Texas at Dallas	21,885
5	The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley	21,631
6	The University of Texas at El Paso	17,280
7	The University of Texas at Tyler	6,573
8	The University of Texas of the Permian Basin	3,885

Source: Fall 2016, Online Accountability System, Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, Austin, TX.

Table 3: Total FTE Enrollment for all 4-yr public institutions of higher education in Texas - Fall 2016

Institution	Total FTE Enrollment	Rank
Texas A&M University	51,734	1
The University of Texas at Austin	46,349	2
University of Houston	35,630	3
Texas State University	31,812	4
Texas Tech University	31,431	5
University of North Texas	30,461	6
The University of Texas at Arlington	26,119	7
The University of Texas at San Antonio	23,404	8
The University of Texas at Dallas	21,885	9
The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley	21,631	10
The University of Texas at El Paso	17,280	11
Sam Houston State University	16,496	12
Texas Woman's University	10,999	13
Stephen F. Austin State University	10,504	14
Tarleton State University	10,250	15
Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi	9,563	16
University of Houston-Downtown	9,117	17
Lamar University	8,791	18
Texas A&M University-Commerce	8,729	19
Texas Southern University	8,121	20
Prairie View A&M University	7,660	21
West Texas A&M University	7,447	22
Texas A&M University-Kingsville	7,197	23
Angelo State University	6,710	24
The University of Texas at Tyler	6,573	25
University of Houston-Clear Lake	5,673	26
Texas A&M International University	5,599	27
Midwestern State University	4,465	28
The University of Texas of the Permian Basin	3,885	29
Texas A&M University-San Antonio	3,563	30
University of Houston-Victoria	2,694	31
University of North Texas at Dallas	2,287	32
Texas A&M University at Galveston	2,170	33
Sul Ross State University	1,496	34
Texas A&M University-Central Texas	1,423	35
Texas A&M University-Texarkana	1,358	36
Sul Ross State University Rio Grande College	519	37
Statewide	501,024	

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