ST. OLAF COLLEGE

A Report to the Faculty
Enrollment Summary & Profile
New Students, Fall 2021

First-Year Class Summary	**2021**	**2020**	**2019**	**2018**	**2017**
First-year enrollment	755	729	806	809	786
% Female / % Male	58/42	56/44	58/42	57/43	61/39
Total Applications	6,494	5,244	5,700	5,497	5,948
Acceptances offered	3,080	2,658	2,705	2,743	2,571
First-year admit rate	47.4%	50.7%	47.5%	49.9%	43.2%
First-year yield rate	24.5%	27.4%	29.8%	29.5%	30.6%
Deferred to next year	20	70	23	30	29
Other Enrollment					
Transfer students	38	23	22	29	25
International transfer students	6	4	3	3	7
International exchange students	3	0	8	9	7
Total New Students					
All new students	796	752	836	847	818
First- Year Academic Profile					
Academic GPA	3.68	3.68	3.69	3.67	3.64
Buntrock Scholars	45	38	50	55	38
ACT Composite score - median	31	28	29	29	29
SAT Combined Score - median	1360	1260	1320	1320	1270
	2021	**2020**	**2019**	**2018**	**2017**
States represented	**47**	**44**	**43**	42	41
Minnesota	43%	43%	44%	42%	42%
Illinois	6%	10%	9%	11%	11%
Wisconsin	7%	5%	6%	7%	7%
California	4%	4%	3%	4%	3%
Colorado	3%	4%	3%	3%	2%
Iowa	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%
Washington	3%	3%	4%	2%	2%
Multicultural enrollment (domestic first-year students)					
% who reported ethnicity	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%
% Multicultural	23%	24%	21%	22%	20%
# of multicultural students	173	178	173	181	158
International representation (first-year students)					
% International, Permanent Resident, or Dual Citizen	15%	12%	15%	16%	15%
# of International students	77	49	88	75	92
# of permanent residents	4	7	7	13	11
# of dual citizens	29	31	28	38	19
Foreign countries represented	*63*	*54*	*57*	*51*	*51*
Religious affiliation					
Lutheran	18%	18%	20%	20%	23%
Catholic	11%	16%	14%	14%	16%
Other Christian	22%	22%	21%	21%	20%
Non-Christian	6%	5%	8%	6%	8%
No Preference/Unknown	43%	39%	36%	39%	33%
St. Olaf legacy					
Parents, Siblings, or other Relatives	25%	25%	27%	25%	27%
Parents or Siblings	16%	17%	19%	16%	18%
Parents	11%	11%	13%	10%	11%
First generation					
% First generation	18%	20%	18%	18%	18%