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Illinois Community College Board

FISCAL YEAR 2006 SPRING OPENING ENROLLMENT REPORT

Each Spring, community colleges report opening spring term enrollment figures to the Illinois Community College Board through a brief web-based survey. These figures reflect only those students enrolled in credit courses that were operational on the census date (last day of course registration for regular classes). Enrollment for classes beginning after the census date are reflected in the annual enrollment counts. The following paragraphs summarize survey results.

Background. This report contains information on student enrollments as of the end of registration (usually the 10th day of the term) for the Spring semester. Statewide results of the fiscal year 2006 Spring opening enrollment survey show that compared with the same term one year ago both headcount enrollments and full-time equivalent (FTE) enrollments decreased slightly. Statewide the spring semester headcount was 352,020 compared to 357,602 last year (a decrease of -5,582 or -1.6 percent). The FTE count was 191,820 compared with 196,054 a year ago (a decrease of -4,234 or -2.2 percent). Overall, statewide fewer students were taking fewer credits.

Table 1 contains statewide comparative Spring tenth-day enrollments for the last five years. Spring headcount enrollments decreased for the second year in a row but remain above the 2002 level. FTE enrollments decreased this year following four consecutive years of increases. Longer term, FTE enrollments remain above the 2002 level as well.

Table 1

SUMMARY OF OPENING SPRING ENROLLMENTS IN
ILLINOIS PUBLIC COMMUNITY COLLEGES FROM 2002 TO 2006

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Headcount	344,466	360,603*	367,547	357,602	352,020
Percent Change	4.8%	4.7%	1.9%	-2.7%	-1.6%
FTE	179,868	191,309*	195,702*	196,054	191,820
Percent Change	6.5%	6.4%	2.3%	0.2%	-2.2%

* Adjusted Total

Figure 1 on the next page illustrates a comparison of opening Spring headcount and FTE trends from 2002 - 2006.

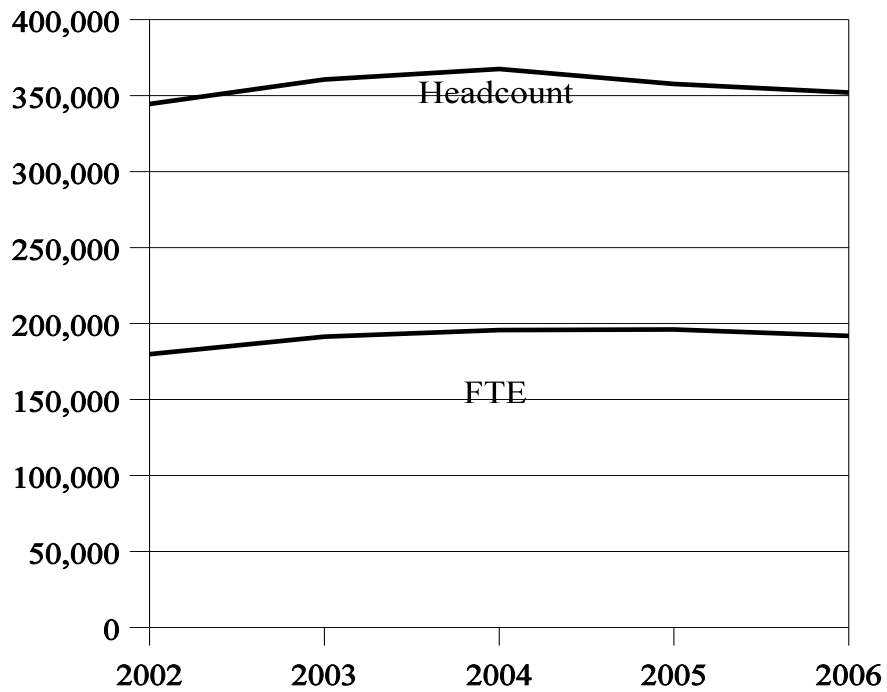


Figure.1. Spring Term Headcount and FTE Enrollment, 2002-2006

Table 2 provides a comparison of fiscal year 2002 through fiscal year 2006 Spring headcount enrollments for each community college. Looking at headcount enrollment changes over the last year among the 48 community colleges shows that 15 colleges experienced increases (1.0 percent or higher) in headcount, while 25 exhibited decreases (1.0 percent or higher) during the past year. Eight colleges reported little or no change (less than 1.0 percent) in headcount enrollments compared to last year.

Table 3 contains comparative information on Spring FTE enrollments for the five-year period between 2002 and 2006. Compared to last year, Spring FTE increases were reported by 18 colleges, decreases by 20, and 10 colleges indicated little or no change.

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Table 2
SUMMARY COMPARISON OF SPRING HEADCOUNT ENROLLMENTS
BY COLLEGE, FISCAL YEARS 2002 - 2006

Dist. No.	College Name	FY 2002 Headcount	FY 2003 Headcount	FY 2004 Headcount	FY 2005 Headcount	FY 2006 Headcount	% Change 2002-2006	% Change 2005-2006
	503 Black Hawk	7,576	7,406	7,138	7,309	7,068	-6.7 %	-3.3 %
	508 Chicago	(65,462)	(66,616)	(64,360)	(60,239)	(56,578)	(-13.6)	(-6.1)
06	Daley	10,246	10,637	10,594	10,136	9,694	-5.4	-4.4
01	Kennedy-King	5,532	5,974	6,127	5,377	5,369	-2.9	-0.1
03	Malcolm X	8,466	8,453	8,166	7,892	6,808	-19.6	-13.7
05	Olive-Harvey	6,086	6,196	6,023	4,866	4,435	-27.1	-8.9
04	Truman	15,588	15,199	14,087	12,736	11,606	-25.5	-8.9
02	Washington	7,693	7,715	7,750	7,909	7,885	2.5	-0.3
07	Wilbur-Wright	11,851	12,442	11,613	11,323	10,781	-9.0	-4.8
	507 Danville	2,722	2,626	2,680	2,554	2,837	4.2	11.1
	502 DuPage	27,012	27,480	30,954	26,747	26,290	-2.7	-1.7
	509 Elgin	9,772	9,722	10,436	10,916	9,933	1.6	-9.0
	512 Harper	14,027	14,118	14,786	14,964	14,769	5.3	-1.3
	540 Heartland	4,237	4,629	4,455	4,496	4,401	3.9	-2.1
	519 Highland	2,562	2,821	2,515	2,362	2,614	2.0	10.7
	514 Illinois Central	11,268	11,502	11,353	11,842	11,548	2.5	-2.5
	529 Illinois Eastern	(11,342) **	(12,886)	(13,041)	(12,377)	(12,389)	(9.2)	(0.0)
04	Frontier	2,038 **	2,648	2,500	2,892	2,806	37.7	-3.0
01	Lincoln Trail	1,208 **	1,485	1,620	1,640	1,696	40.4	3.4
02	Olney Central	1,758 **	2,094	2,171	2,168	2,259	28.5	4.2
03	Wabash Valley	6,338 **	6,659	6,750	5,677	5,628	-11.2	-0.9
	513 Illinois Valley	3,640	3,902	3,999	4,069	3,972	9.1	-2.4
	525 Joliet	11,102	12,102	12,640	12,582	12,568	13.2	-0.1
	520 Kankakee	3,059	3,363	3,213	2,998	3,105	1.5	3.6
	501 Kaskaskia	3,360	4,432	5,509	5,261	5,542	64.9	5.3
	523 Kishwaukee	3,629	3,818	3,911	4,377	4,053	11.7	-7.4
	532 Lake County	15,106	15,540	15,387	15,290	15,430	2.1	0.9
	517 Lake Land	6,542	7,109	7,712	7,453	7,781	18.9	4.4
	536 Lewis & Clark	7,373	7,451	7,569	7,814	7,893	7.1	1.0
	526 Lincoln Land	6,382	6,441	6,426	6,477	6,638	4.0 %	2.5 %

* Formerly Belleville Area College

** Colleges Provided Corrected Figure

SOURCE OF DATA: Winter Quarter/Spring Semester Enrollment Surveys

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SUMMARY COMPARISON OF SPRING HEADCOUNT ENROLLMENTS
BY COLLEGE, FISCAL YEARS 2002 - 2006

Dist. No.	College Name	FY 2002 Headcount	FY 2003 Headcount	FY 2004 Headcount	FY 2005 Headcount	FY2006 Headcount	% Change 2002-2006	% Change 2005-2006
530	Logan	5,152	5,216	5501	5,869	5,926	15.0 %	1.0 %
528	McHenry	5,646	5,701	5,877	5,807	5,838	3.4	0.5
524	Moraine Valley	14,131	14,750	15,853	15,979	15,715	11.2	-1.7
527	Morton	4,694	5,018	4,784	4,680	5,091	8.5	8.8
535	Oakton	11,452	12,664 **	12,684	12,028	12,175	6.3	1.2
505	Parkland	9,110	9,796	9,416	9,286	9,037	-0.8	-2.7
515	Prairie State	4,739	5,481	5,516	5,565	5,510	16.3	-1.0
521	Rend Lake	2,821	3,605	3,756	4,071	3,895	38.1	-4.3
537	Richland	3,203	3,432	3,425	3,136	3,403	6.2	8.5
511	Rock Valley	7,931	8,819	8,346	7,688	7,574	-4.5	-1.5
518	Sandburg	2,812	3,904	3,873	3,719	3,477	23.6	-6.5
506	Sauk Valley	2,580	2,632	2,562	2,500	2,686	4.1	7.4
531	Shawnee	1,998	2,005	2,184	1,883	1,871	-6.4	-0.6
510	South Suburban	8,252	8,698	9,620	8,831	8,370	1.4	-5.2
533	Southeastern	2,497	2,447	2,671	2,744	2,705	8.3	-1.4
522	Southwestern*	13,770	13,645	14,435	14,286	14,279	3.7	0.0
534	Spoon River	2,062	2,039	2,369	2,442	2,137	3.6	-12.5
504	Triton	15,007	15,939	15,643	15,309	15,154	1.0	-1.0
516	Waubensee	8,098	8,489	8,510	8,950	9,128	12.7	2.0
539	Wood	2,338	2,359	2,438	2,702	2,640	12.9 %	-2.3 %
TOTALS/AVERAGES		344,466 **	360,603 **	367,547	357,602	352,020	2.2 %	-1.6 %

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Table 3
SUMMARY COMPARISON OF SPRING FTE ENROLLMENTS
BY COLLEGE, FISCAL YEARS 2002 - 2006

Dist. No.	College Name	FY 2002 FTE	FY 2003 FTE	FY 2004 FTE	FY 2005 FTE	FY 2006 FTE	% Change 2002-2006	% Change 2005-2006
	503 Black Hawk	3,900	3,940	3,895	3,840	3,743	-4.0 %	-2.5 %
	508 Chicago	(36,689)	(38,096)	(37,223)	(35,797)	(33,989)	(-7.4)	(-5.1)
06	Daley	6,194	6,303	6,392	6,324	6,015	-2.9	-4.9
01	Kennedy-King	4,016	4,264	4,105	3,558	3,302	-17.8	-7.2
03	Malcolm X	5,939	5,930	5,432	5,067	4,482	-24.5	-11.5
05	Olive-Harvey	4,114	4,398	4,221	3,498	3,198	-22.3	-8.6
04	Truman	6,022	6,030	6,368	6,365	6,288	4.4	-1.2
02	Washington	4,157	4,577	4,464	4,780	4,676	12.5	-2.2
07	Wilbur-Wright	6,244	6,594	6,241	6,205	6,028	-3.5	-2.9
	507 Danville	1,522	1,582	1,588	1,571	1,596	4.9	1.6
	502 DuPage	14,712	15,340	15,501	15,657	13,939	-5.3	-11.0
	509 Elgin	4,714	4,729	5,146	5,406	5,042	6.9	-6.7
	512 Harper	7,150	7,493	7,968	8,293	8,316	16.3	0.3
	540 Heartland	2,136	2,470	2,580	2,633	2,549	19.3	-3.2
	519 Highland	1,377	1,505	1,485	1,463	1,429	3.8	-2.3
	514 Illinois Central	5,842	6,164	6,542	6,790	6,627	13.4	-2.4
	529 Illinois Eastern	(3,701) **	(4,049)	(4,177)	(4,130)	(4,229)	(14.3)	(2.4)
04	Frontier	549 **	737	713	740	743	35.3	0.4
01	Lincoln Trail	747 **	726	722	755	817	9.4	8.2
02	Olney Central	1,074 **	1,172	1,252	1,223	1,231	14.6	0.7
03	Wabash Valley	1,331 **	1,414	1,490	1,411	1,438	8.0	1.9
	513 Illinois Valley	2,046	2,221	2,294	2,373	2,371	15.9	-0.1
	525 Joliet	5,909	6,516	6,713	6,873	7,003	18.5	1.9
	520 Kankakee	1,563	1,716	1,785	1,736	1,796	14.9	3.5
	501 Kaskaskia	2,127	2,801	3,328	3,131	3,168	48.9	1.2
	523 Kishwaukee	2,134	2,268	2,320	2,433	2,411	13.0	-0.9
	532 Lake County	6,803	7,050	7,516	7,725	7,851	15.4	1.6
	517 Lake Land	3,703	4,132	4,425	4,290	4,339	17.2	1.1
	536 Lewis & Clark	3,310	3,439	3,607	3,732	3,814	15.2	2.2
	526 Lincoln Land	3,555	3,604	3,698	3,785	3,876	9.0 %	2.4 %

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SUMMARY COMPARISON OF SPRING FTE ENROLLMENTS
BY COLLEGE, FISCAL YEARS 2002 - 2006

Dist. No.	College Name	FY 2002 FTE	FY 2003 FTE	FY 2004 FTE	FY 2005 FTE	FY 2006 FTE	% Change 2002-2006	% Change 2005-2006
530	Logan	3,224	3,311	3,371	3,601	3,637	12.8 %	1.0 %
528	McHenry	2,698	2,863	2,976	2,948	3,008	11.5	2.0
524	Moraine Valley	7,545	8,151	8,858	9,238	8,999	19.3	-2.6
527	Morton	2,007	2,187	2,210	2,161	2,308	15.0	6.8
535	Oakton	5,506	6,160 **	6,299 **	6,015	6,122	11.2	1.8
505	Parkland	5,178	5,751	5,673	5,586	5,402	4.3	-3.3
515	Prairie State	2,474	2,748	2,780	2,870	2,904	17.4	1.2
521	Rend Lake	1,790	2,074	2,235	2,168	2,119	18.4	-2.3
537	Richland	1,772	1,952	1,866	1,702	1,757	-0.8	3.2
511	Rock Valley	4,297	4,833	4,702	4,668	4,563	6.2	-2.2
518	Sandburg	1,668	1,784	1,792	1,879	1,872	12.2	-0.4
506	Sauk Valley	1,458	1,489	1,413	1,396	1,442	-1.1	3.3
531	Shawnee	1,375	1,361	1,334	1,333	1,274	-7.4	-4.4
510	South Suburban	4,012	4,382	4,787	4,721	4,281	6.7	-9.3
533	Southeastern	1,385	1,416	1,337	1,329	1,286	-7.1	-3.2
522	Southwestern*	7,040	7,197	7,495	7,674	7,681	9.1	0.1
534	Spoon River	1,160	1,177	1,294	1,368	1,222	5.3	-10.7
504	Triton	7,514	8,183	8,063	8,006	7,994	6.4	-0.1
516	Waubonsee	3,536	3,760	3,930	4,156	4,287	21.2	3.2
539	Wood	1,339	1,417	1,496	1,578	1,574	17.6 %	-0.3 %
TOTALS/AVERAGES		179,868	191,309 **	195,702 **	196,054	191,820	6.6 %	-2.2 %

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