

## Tuition & Fees/Room & Board

Fall 2003

*\*Nonresident tuition waivers exist for students residing in contiguous states and for alumni. The Student Financial Aid/Scholarships Office can provide additional information. All occupants of residence halls are required to participate in a university meal plan. Meal plans are optional for Apartment residents and for commuter students.*

Tuition*	Resident	Nonresident*
Undergraduate (Based on 15 Hours) .....	\$1,875 .....	\$4,830
Graduate (Based on 9 Hours) .....	\$1,422 .....	\$3,600

### Mandatory Fees

Undergraduate (Based on 15 Hours) .....	\$530 .....	\$530
Graduate (Based on 9 Hours) .....	\$322 .....	\$322

Residence Halls*	Arkansas	Delta	Kays	University	Twin
Double Room	Hall	Hall	Hall	Hall	Towers
(Per Semester)					
10 Meal Plan .....	\$1,730 .....	\$1,685 .....	\$1,775 .....	\$1,795 .....	\$1,710
15 Meal Plan .....	1,740 .....	1,695 .....	1,785 .....	1,805 .....	1,720
19 Meal Plan .....	1,755 .....	1,710 .....	1,800 .....	1,820 .....	1,735
Flex Meal Plan .....	1,750 .....	1,750 .....	1,795 .....	1,815 .....	1,730

### Single Room

(Per Semester)					
10 Meal Plan .....	\$2,110 .....	\$1,890 .....	\$2,155 .....	\$2,175 .....	\$2,010
15 Meal Plan .....	2,120 .....	1,900 .....	2,165 .....	2,185 .....	2,020
19 Meal Plan .....	2,135 .....	1,915 .....	2,180 .....	2,200 .....	2,035
Flex Meal Plan .....	2,130 .....	1,910 .....	2,175 .....	2,195 .....	2,030

## Residence Life

### Residence Halls (Fall 2003)

- **Women's Halls:** 3 Facilities Housing 844 (Arkansas, Kays, & University)
- **Men's Halls:** 2 Facilities Housing 771 (Delta & Twin Towers)
- **Sorority Suites/Chapter Rooms:** in University Hall

### Collegiate Park Apartments (334 Bedrooms)

4 Bed/2 Bath Flat, 4 Bed/2 Bath Townhouse,  
2 Bed/1 Bath, or 2 Bed/2 Bath

**For Upperclassmen Only**

### Village Apartments (100 Apartments)

1, 2, & 3 Bedrooms

**For Families, Non-Traditional-Aged Undergraduates, & Graduates**

### University Housing Occupancy (Fall 2002)

#### Residence Halls

First-Time Freshmen .....	815	(7.8%)
Other Undergraduates .....	794	(7.6%)
Graduates .....	6	(0.1%)
<b>Other University Housing</b> .....	<b>413</b>	<b>(4.0%)</b>
<b>Students Not Living On-Campus</b> .....	<b>8,407</b>	<b>(80.6%)</b>

## Facilities

Fiscal Year 2003

### Jonesboro Campus

Number of Acres .....	942
Number of Buildings .....	83
Total Square Footage .....	3,221,206
E & G Square Footage .....	1,991,740
Auxiliary Square Footage .....	1,229,466

## Athletics

- **Colors:** Scarlet & Black
- **Mascot:** Indian Family
- **Affiliation:** NCAA Division I for All Sports;  
NCAA Division IA for Football Program
- **Conference:** Sun Belt Conference
- **Men's Sports:** Baseball, Basketball,  
Cross Country, Football, Golf, Indoor Track,  
Outdoor Track
- **Women's Sports:** Basketball, Cross  
Country, Golf, Indoor Track, Outdoor Track,  
Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball

## Enrollment Contacts

### Undergraduate Admissions

Chickasaw Building, Room 205  
P.O. Box 1630  
State University, AR 72467  
Telephone: (870)972-3024  
Email: [admissions@astate.edu](mailto:admissions@astate.edu)

### Graduate Admissions

Dean B. Ellis Library, Room 143  
P.O. Box 60  
State University, AR 72467  
Telephone: (870)972-3029

### Center for Regional Programs

Continuing Education  
P.O. Box 2260  
State University, AR 72467  
Telephone: (870)972-3052

### Registrar's Office

Chickasaw Building, Room 201  
P.O. Box 1570  
State University, AR 72467  
Telephone: (870)972-2031  
Email: [registrar@astate.edu](mailto:registrar@astate.edu)

### Student Financial Aid/ Scholarships Office

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State University, AR 72467  
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## ASU

### Mission:

We pursue and share knowledge within a caring community that prepares students in challenging and diverse ways to become more productive global citizens.

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# Campus Information

## Arkansas State University

### Jonesboro Campus

[www.astate.edu](http://www.astate.edu)

## Carnegie & SREB Classifications

*Carnegie Classification* ..... Master's I

*Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) Classification* ..... Four-Year III

## Officers of the University

### Board Members, With Term Ending

John Paul Hammerschmidt, Chair; Harrison, 2004  
Mike Medlock, Vice Chair; Jonesboro, 2005  
Florine Tousant Bingham, Secretary; Forrest City, 2006  
Lt. Col. Dallas Wood, Paragould; 2003  
Richard Bell, Chair; Stuttgart, 2007

### Chancellor

Dr. Leslie Wyatt

### Vice Chancellors

Mr. Jennus Burton, Finance & Administration  
Dr. Susan Davis Allen, Research & Academic Affairs  
Mr. Steve Owens, University Advancement  
Dr. Rick Stripling, Student Affairs

# Students

Fall 2003

## Headcount Enrollment (Including Degree & University Centers)

	Undergraduate	Graduate	Total
Jonesboro	8,243	1,013	9,256
All Other Instructional Sites	1,032	147	1,179
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,275</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>10,435</b>

## FTE Enrollment (Including Degree & University Centers)

	Undergraduate	Graduate	Total
Jonesboro	7,254.3	488.4	7,742.7
All Other Instructional Sites	715.5	58.7	774.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,969.8</b>	<b>547.1</b>	<b>8,516.9</b>

## Student Load

Full-Time	7,851	<b>(75.2%)</b>
Part-Time	2,584	<b>(24.8%)</b>

## Gender

Male	4,296	<b>(41.2%)</b>
Female	6,139	<b>(58.8%)</b>

## Minority (non-Caucasian)

All Minority Students	1,762	<b>(16.9%)</b>
African-American Students	1,369	<b>(13.1%)</b>

## Age

	Undergraduate	Graduate
Average Age of Students	23.4	33.5
Under 18	155	<b>(1.7%)</b>
18-24	6,972	<b>(75.2%)</b>
Nontraditional Age (25 & Over)	2,148	<b>(23.2%)</b>

## New Student Enrollment

First-Time Freshman	1,632	<b>(15.6%)</b>
Undergraduate Transfer	827	<b>(7.9%)</b>
First-Time Graduate	351	<b>(3.4%)</b>
Graduate Transfer	25	<b>(0.2%)</b>

## First-Time Freshmen Parents' Educational Level

8th Grade or Less	91	<b>(5.6%)</b>
High School	327	<b>(20.0%)</b>
Some College, No Degree	471	<b>(28.9%)</b>
At Least One Parent with a College Degree	668	<b>(40.9%)</b>
Unknown	75	<b>(4.6%)</b>

## Alumni

Total (as of September 15, 2003)	53,526
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## Student Origin

From Arkansas	9,195	<b>(88.1%)</b>
From Out-Of-State	1,064	<b>(10.2%)</b>
From Foreign Countries	176	<b>(1.7%)</b>

## Top 10 Arkansas Counties Contributing to Total Enrollment

(75 Counties Represented)

Craighead	2,485
Greene	871
Mississippi	523
Poinsett	510
Pulaski	411
Crittenden	312
Cross	273
White	266
Lawrence	241
Independence	232

## Top 3 States Contributing to Total Enrollment (Excluding AR\*)

(46 Other States/Territories Represented)

Missouri	517
Tennessee	203
Texas	72

\*176 students from 51 foreign countries were also enrolled Fall 2002.

## High Schools

Contributing to Enrollment	First-Time Freshmen	Grand Total Undergraduate
Jonesboro High School	119	695
Nettleton High School	73	327
Greene County Tech High School	62	321
Paragould High School	47	238
Valley View High School	46	204
Westside High School	34	179
Trumann High School	31	155
Wynne High School	27	178

## Average ACT Scores for First-Time Freshmen

Composite	22.0
English	22.7
Math	20.8
Reading	23.5
National Composite	20.8
Arkansas Composite	20.2

## Retention & Graduation Rates for Full-Time Students (Average)

First-Time Freshman Retention Rate (1-Year)	67.1%
First-Time Freshman Graduation Rate (6-Year)	32.9%
Undergraduate Transfer Graduation Rate (5-Year)	47.6%

## Average Class Size (Undergraduate Lecture)

Financial Aid	All First-Time Freshmen	All Undergraduates
(Fall 2003 Only)		
Includes Student Loans		
\$1,000 & Below	109	<b>(6.7%)</b>
\$1,001 - \$2,000	287	<b>(17.6%)</b>
\$2,001 - \$3,000	319	<b>(19.5%)</b>
\$3,001 - Above	666	<b>(40.8%)</b>
# Who Receive Some Form of Financial Aid (unduplicated)	1,381	<b>(84.6%)</b>
	6,298	<b>(67.9%)</b>

## Scholarships, All Students (2002/2003)

Dollars Awarded (State, Institutional, and Private Funds)	\$12,581,891
Unduplicated # of Recipients	3,134

# Employees

Fall 2003

Employees	Full-Time	Part-Time
Faculty	432	147
Staff	875	241
<b>All Employees</b>	<b>1,307</b>	<b>388</b>

## Faculty Statistics (Full-time)

Percent Tenure-Track	70.1%
Percent With Doctoral Degrees (Tenure-Track)	82.3%
Percent With Terminal Degrees (Tenure-Track)	87.1%
FTE Student-to-Faculty Ratio	19:1

## Payroll

Annual Payroll (2002/2003)	\$59,514,479
Gross Semi-Monthly Payroll (09/xx/2003)	\$2,588,492

# Degree Programs

2002/2003

## Academic Degrees Offered

Associate Degree Programs	4 Degrees in 16 Fields
AAS, AGS, AS, AASN	
Bachelor's Degree Programs	11 Degrees in 77 Fields
BA, BFA, BM, BME, BS, BSA, BSE, BSEN, BSN, BSRS, BSW	
Master's Degree Programs	15 Degrees in 51 Fields
EMBA, MA, MAcc, MBA, MCD, MM, MME, MPA, MRC, MS, MSA, MSE, MSMC, MSN, MPT	
Specialist Degree Programs	2 Degrees in 3 Fields
EDS, SCCT	
Doctoral Degree Programs	2 Degrees in 3 Fields
EDD, PHD	

## Top 5 Degree Programs by Undergraduate Enrollment (Fall 2003)

BSE Early Childhood	647
BSN Nursing	549
BS Biological Sciences	438
BS Business Administration	386
BSEN Engineering	319

## Top 5 Degree Programs by Number of Bachelor Degrees Conferred

BSE Early Childhood Education	171
BS Business Administration	114
BS Management Information Systems	84
BS Accounting	83
BSN Nursing	70

## Total Degrees Awarded

Associate	142
Bachelor's	1,604
Master's	283
Specialist	17
Doctoral	9

## Colleges & Departments

Academic Colleges	10
Academic Departments	29

# Unique Programs

- **Center for Learning Technology**  
Integrating New Technologies into Teaching
- **Equine Center**  
Targeting Equestrian Instruction and Opportunities
- **Hemingway-Pfeiffer Museum/ Education Center**  
Located in a Home of Ernest Hemingway, Serves as a Visitor Center for the Crowley's Ridge Parkway and an Educational Center for ASU