

# Governors State University Student Facts at a Glance

## For Grant Writers

| Number of Full-Time and Part-Time Students: 5,489   |                 |                                    |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |   |                 |       |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |
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| Number of Undergraduate Students: 2,943   |                 | Number of Graduate Students: 2,546 |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |   |                 |       |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |
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| Percent Female:   | 68.7%           |                                    |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |   |                 |       |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |
| Percent Male:   | 31.3%           |                                    |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |   |                 |       |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |
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| Percent White:  | 46.3%           |                                    |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |   |                 |       |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |
| Percent Minority:   | 48.4%           |                                    |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |   |                 |       |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |
| Percent African-American:   | 37.0%           |                                    |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |   |                 |       |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |
| Percent Hispanic:   | 8.8%            |                                    |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |   |                 |       |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |
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| Percent Full-Time:  | 39.1%           |                                    |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |   |                 |       |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |
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| Percent Male:   | 25.7%           |                                    |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |   |                 |       |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |
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| Percent Hispanic:   | 6.0%            |                                    |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |   |                 |       |               |       |  |  |                |       |                   |       |                           |       |                   |      |  |  |              |        |                    |       |                                 |  |
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| Number of Full and Part-Time Students: 2000-2011 |                    |                    |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| <b>2000:</b> 6,105                               | <b>2004:</b> 5,652 | <b>2008:</b> 5,636 |
| <b>2001:</b> 5,860                               | <b>2005:</b> 5,405 | <b>2009:</b> 5,674 |
| <b>2002:</b> 5,897                               | <b>2006:</b> 5,382 | <b>2010:</b> 5,660 |
| <b>2003:</b> 5,627                               | <b>2007:</b> 5,692 | <b>2011:</b> 5,489 |