

Profile of New Degree-Seeking Transfer Students

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A total of 1,539 students entered Grand Valley State University during Fall 2009 as new undergraduate transfer students. This report delineates some of the characteristics of this group of students. The tables are divided into the following groups of students.

- Students transferring from 2-year institutions
- Students transferring from 4-year institutions

College from which the Students Transferred (2yr Transfers)

GRAND RAPIDS COMM COLLEGE	495
MUSKEGON COMM COLLEGE	145
NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE	67
LANSING COMM COLLEGE	38
OAKLAND COMM COLLEGE	32
KALAMAZOO VALLEY COMM COLLEGE	29
SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE	28
LAKE MICHIGAN COLLEGE	26
MACOMB COMM COLLEGE	23
DELTA COLLEGE	20
MONTCALM COMM COLLEGE	18
ST CLAIR COUNTY COMM COLLEGE	16
WEST SHORE COMM COLLEGE	14
ALPENA COMM COLLEGE	13
KELLOGG COMM COLLEGE	12
WASHTENAW COMM COLLEGE	11
CHARLES STEWART MOTT CC	11
NORTH CENTRAL MICHIGAN COLLEGE	10
BAY DE NOC COMM COLLEGE	10
HENRY FORD COMM COLLEGE	9
SOUTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE	9
JACKSON COMM COLLEGE	7

College from which the Students Transferred (4yr Transfers)

CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY	32
WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY	29
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY	27
FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY	22
DAVENPORT UNIV-GRAND RAPIDS	20
CORNERSTONE UNIVERSITY	18
CALVIN COLLEGE	17
BAKER COLLEGE - FLINT	15
KINGSTON UNIVERSITY	13
UNIV OF MICHIGAN-ANN ARBOR	12
OAKLAND UNIVERSITY	12
SAGINAW VALLEY STATE UNIV	12
AQUINAS COLLEGE-MI	11
HOPE COLLEGE	10
NORTHERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY	9
UNIV OF MICHIGAN-FLINT	8
EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY	7

Sex

	2-Year	4-Year	Total
FEMALE	562	256	818
MALE	528	191	719
NOT REPORTED	1	1	2
Total	1091	448	1539

Ethnic Background

	2-Year	4-Year	Total
BLACK	43	15	58
AMERICAN INDIAN/ALASKA NATIVE	10	1	11
ASIAN/HAWAIIAN/PACF ISLANDER	20	11	31
HISPANIC OR LATINO (ALL RACES)	41	11	52
WHITE (NON-HISPANIC)	911	353	1264
UNKNOWN/UNREPORTED	65	56	121
TWO OR MORE -DO NOT USE SYS	1	1	2
Total	1091	448	1539

Status

	2-Year	4-Year	Total
Full-time	919	382	1301
Part-time	172	66	238
Total	1091	448	1539

Major

	2-Year	4-Year	Total
ACCOUNTING	23	4	27
ADVERTISING & PUBLIC RELATIONS	12	7	19
ANTHROPOLOGY	8	1	9
ART AND DESIGN	8	4	12
ART HISTORY	2	1	3
ATHLETIC TRAINING	12	5	17
BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE	2	0	2
BIOLOGY	20	7	27
BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE	46	21	67
BIOPSYCHOLOGY	1	1	2
BROADCASTING	6	1	7
BUSINESS GENERAL	4	1	5
CELL & MOLECULAR BIOLOGY	0	1	1
CHEMISTRY	11	1	12
CHINESE STUDIES	1	0	1
CLASSICS	2	1	3
CLINICAL LAB SCIENCE	0	2	2
COMMUNICATION STUDIES	9	5	14
CRIMINAL JUSTICE	55	13	68
DIAGNOSTIC MEDICAL SONOGRAPHY	1	0	1
EARTH SCIENCE	2	1	3
ECONOMICS	1	0	1
ENGLISH	51	18	69
EXERCISE SCIENCE	22	10	32
FILM VIDEO	21	5	26
FINANCE	1	3	4
GEOGRAPHY	4	1	5
GEOLOGY	3	1	4
GEOLOGY-CHEMISTRY	1	0	1
GROUP SOCIAL STUDIES	30	10	40
HEALTH COMMUNICATION	5	2	7
HEALTH PROFESSIONS	24	9	33
HISTORY	20	5	25
HOSPITALITY TOURISM MGT	19	7	26

INTEGRATED SCIENCE	8	3	11
INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS	4	0	4
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	6	5	11
JOURNALISM	6	3	9
LEGAL STUDIES	5	1	6
LIBERAL STUDIES	5	2	7
MANAGEMENT	13	1	14
MARKETING	7	2	9
MATHEMATICS	21	7	28
MUSIC	2	2	4
NATURAL RESOURCES MGMT	11	2	13
NON DEGREE UNDERGRADUATE	10	21	31
NURSING	0	1	1
OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY/HEALTH MGT	1	0	1
PHILOSOPHY	3	0	3
PHOTOGRAPHY	6	2	8
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	16	4	20
PHYSICS	1	1	2
POLITICAL SCIENCE	11	3	14
PRE-BUSINESS	114	39	153
PRE-CLINICAL LAB SCIENCE	2	0	2
PRE-COMPUTER SCIENCE	4	4	8
PRE-ENGINEERING	29	11	40
PRE-HEALTH SCIENCE	1	0	1
PRE-INFORMATION SYSTEMS	13	1	14
PRE-MED IMG/RADIATION SCI	19	5	24
PRE-MED TECH	2	0	2
PRE-NURSING	54	27	81
PSYCHOLOGY	72	19	91
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	3	3	6
RADIATION THERAPY	0	1	1
SOCIAL WORK	41	4	45
SOCIOLOGY	4	3	7
SPANISH	5	3	8
STATISTICS	2	1	3
THEATRE	1	0	1
THERAPEUTIC RECREATION	8	1	9
UNDECLARED	146	116	262
WRITING	8	2	10
TOTAL	1091	448	1539

County of Residence

	2-Year	4-Year	Total
ALLEGAN	25	12	37
ALPENA	10	2	12
ANTRIM	4	1	5
BAY	6	2	8
BENZIE	4	1	5
BERRIEN	27	5	32
BRANCH	2	0	2
BARRY	12	2	14
CALHOUN	7	0	7
CASS	4	1	5
CHARLEVOIX	3	1	4
CHEBOYGAN	3	0	3
CHIPPEWA	1	1	2
CLARE	0	1	1
CLINTON	10	1	11
CRAWFORD	0	1	1
DELTA	8	4	12
DICKINSON	0	1	1
EATON	2	1	3
EMMET	6	4	10
GENESEE	7	11	18
GLADWIN	0	1	1
GRAND TRAVERSE	46	3	49
HURON	1	0	1
INGHAM	10	2	12
IONIA	14	3	17
ISABELLA	1	3	4
JACKSON	7	2	9
KENT	376	113	489
KALKASKA	2	0	2
KALAMAZOO	19	8	27
LAPEER	3	3	6
LEELANAU	6	0	6
LENAWEE	5	4	9
LIVINGSTON	8	7	15
MANISTEE	2	4	6
MARQUETTE	1	2	3
MASON	14	0	14
MACOMB	21	17	38
MACKINAC	1	1	2

MECOSTA	2	4	6
MIDLAND	4	1	5
MISSAUKEE	1	0	1
MONTMORENCY	1	1	2
MONROE	2	1	3
MONTCALM	13	3	16
MUSKEGON	104	18	122
NEWAYGO	7	4	11
OAKLAND	39	22	61
OCEANA	5	2	7
OGEMAW	1	0	1
OSCODA	1	0	1
OTSEGO	1	3	4
OTTAWA	121	64	185
PRESQUE ISLE	3	0	3
SAGINAW	8	3	11
SANILAC	0	1	1
SCHOOLCRAFT	1	0	1
SHIAWASSEE	1	1	2
ST CLAIR	20	5	25
ST JOSEPH	4	0	4
TUSCOLA	0	2	2
VANBUREN	11	1	12
WASHTENAW	4	4	8
WAYNE	31	12	43
WEXFORD	5	2	7
NON-MICHIGAN	23	69	92
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Other States & Countries

	2-Year	4-Year	Total
COLORADO	0	1	1
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	0	1	1
FLORIDA	1	1	2
GEORGIA	0	1	1
IOWA	0	1	1
IDAHO	1	0	1
ILLINOIS	8	4	12
INDIANA	0	5	5
MARYLAND	0	1	1
MICHIGAN	1069	379	1448
NORTH DAKOTA	0	1	1

NEW HAMPSHIRE	0	1	1
NEW YORK	1	1	2
OHIO	1	4	5
TEXAS	2	0	2
VIRGINIA	1	0	1
WASHINGTON	0	1	1
WISCONSIN	1	1	2
UNKNOWN	6	45	51
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	2-Year	4-Year	Total
BRAZIL	1	1	2
CANADA	1	0	1
CHINA	0	1	1
CZECH REPUBLIC	0	1	1
FRANCE	0	6	6
GHANA	0	1	1
GERMANY	0	3	3
HONG KONG	0	1	1
HUNGARY	0	3	3
ITALY	0	1	1
JAPAN	0	4	4
SOUTH KOREA	0	3	3
MALI	1	0	1
NIGERIA	0	1	1
NORWAY	0	1	1
POLAND	0	2	2
SOUTH AFRICA	1	0	1
SPAIN	0	1	1
UNITED KINGDOM	0	11	11
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	1085	403	1488
VENEZUELA	1	0	1
VIETNAM	1	0	1
SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO	0	3	3
ZIMBABWE	0	1	1
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Where Living

	2-Year	4-Year	Total
Off-campus	959	360	1319
On-campus	132	88	220
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Admission Grade Point Average

	2-Year	4-Year	Total
Not available	7	65	72
1 - 1.9	5	4	9
2 - 2.4	38	17	55
2.5 - 2.9	364	127	491
3 - 3.4	421	140	561
3.5 And Higher	256	95	351
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	2-Year	4-Year
Mean	3.15	3.14
Median	3.12	3.15
75th percentile	3.48	3.50
25th percentile	2.84	2.81

Credits Transferred

	2-Year	4-Year	Total
Not available	18	65	83
15 or Lower	29	23	52
16 - 30	150	104	254
31 - 45	232	66	298
46 - 60	338	66	404
61 - 75	229	49	278
76 - 90	63	21	84
Over 90	32	54	86
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	2-Year	4-Year
Mean	51.24	52.09
Median	52	45
75th percentile	62.5	69
25th percentile	35	28