



Winter Minimester 2025-2026 and Spring 2026 Preliminary Enrollment Report

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Winter Minimester 25-26 Comparison Enrollment Report

	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026
Headcount	1,894	2,197 +303 (+16.00%)	2,128 -69 (-3.14%)	2,152 +24 (+1.13%)	1,955 -197 (-9.15%)
Credit Hours	5,704	6,624 +920 (+16.13%)	6,437 -187 (-2.82%)	6,522 +85 (+1.32%)	5,944 -578 (-8.86%)

Note 1: Winter Minimester enrollment counts towards Spring 2026 enrollment numbers according to THECB rules.

Note 2: All course offerings were online.

Note 3: Classes began on December 15, 2025, and ended on January 7, 2026.

Winter Minimester 25-26 Enrollment Report– By Campus

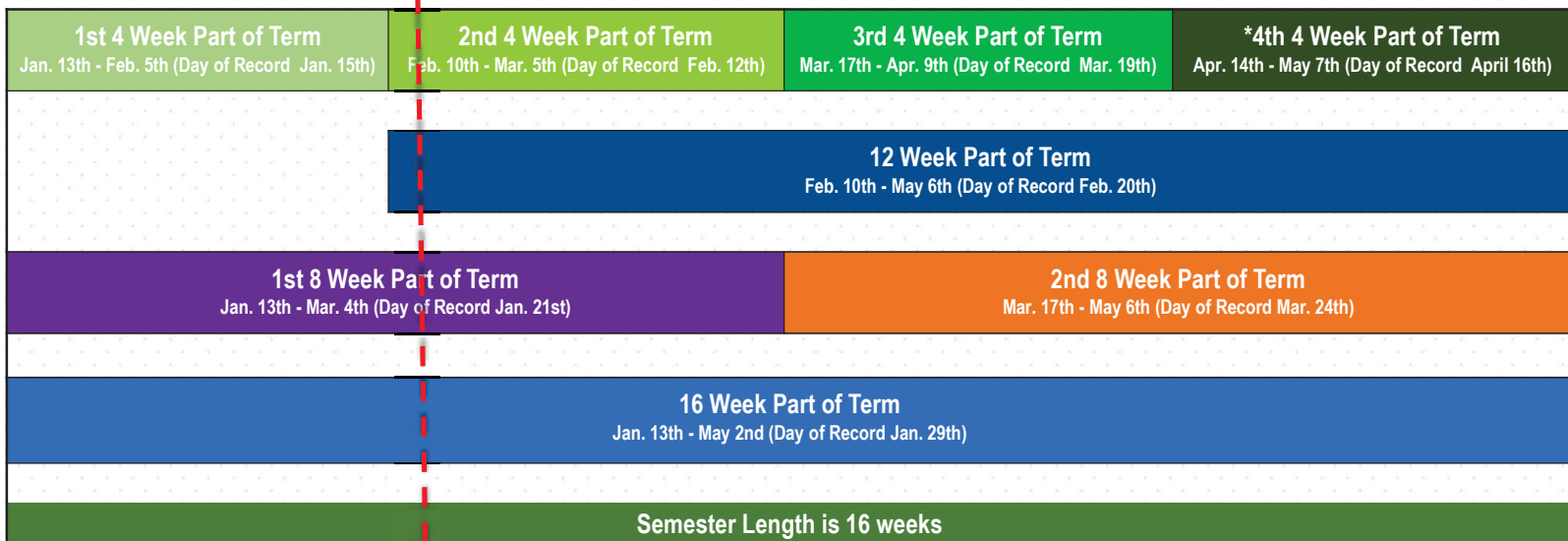
Campus	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026
Distance Education	1,887	2,190 +303 (+16.06%)	2,112 -78 (-3.56%)	2,133 +21 (+0.99%)	1,918 -215 (-10.08%)
High Schools	7	7 0 (0.00%)	16 +9 (+128.57%)	19 +3 (+18.75%)	37 +18 (+94.74%)
Head Count Total	1,894	2,197 +303 (+16.00%)	2,128 -69 (-3.14%)	2,152 +24 (+1.13%)	1,955 -197 (-9.15%)

Winter Minimester Enrollment Take-Aways

- Mini semester has only 11 class meeting days; one day for finals.
- Increase in Dual Credit enrollment is impressive.
- Calendar alignment with TAMU impacts this enrollment.

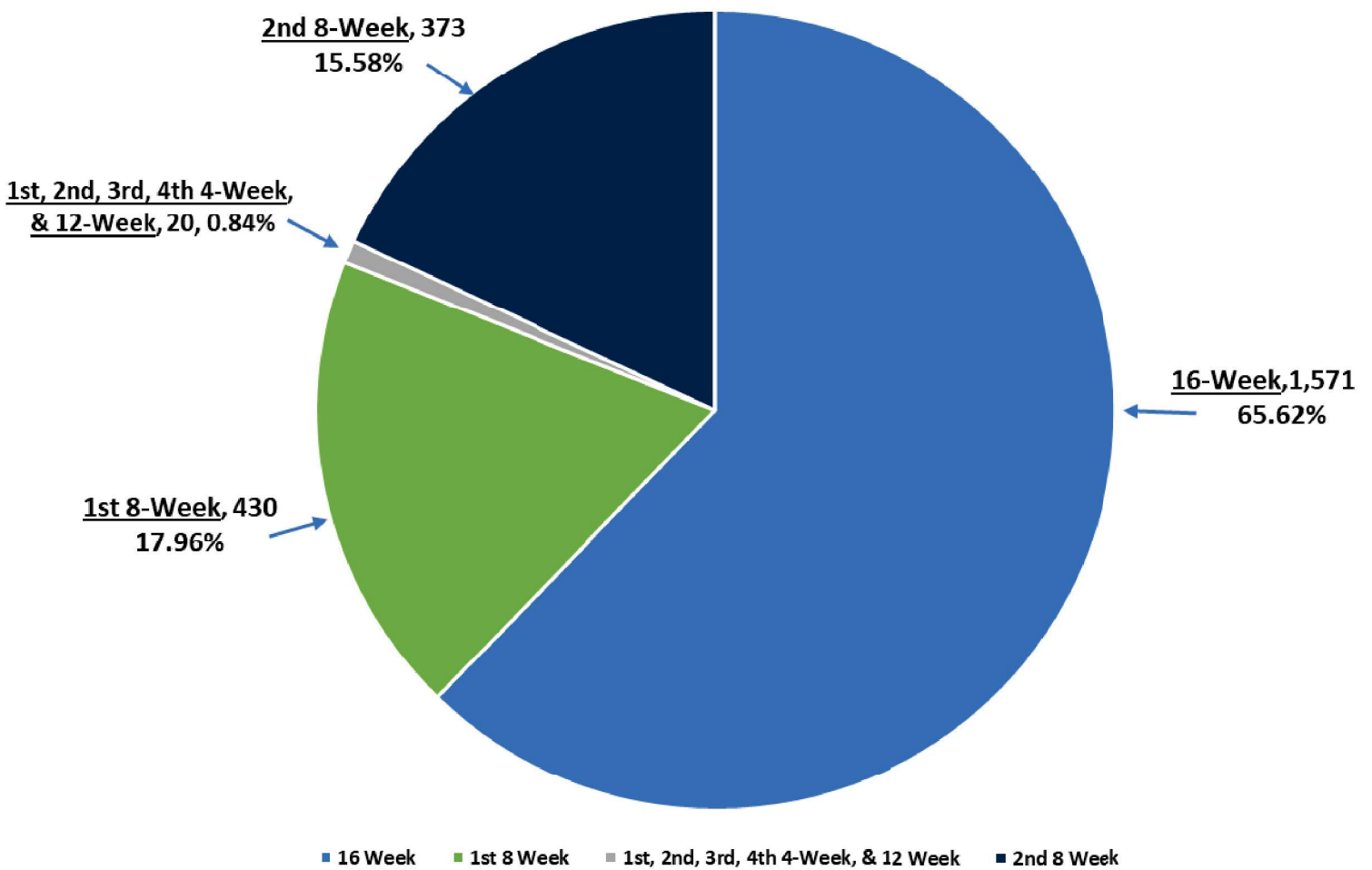
Reminder Parts of Term

Spring 2026 Semester Terms



*4th 4 Week part of term inclusion conditional upon THECB guidance

Spring 2026 Parts of Term Number of Class Sections & Percentages



THECB Non-Traditional Course Reporting (NTR)

Background on Proxy Program

- Fall 2020, the number of parts of terms were rising quickly at colleges around the state with a trend to rely less heavily on the traditional 16-week courses. This trend came about to offer more flexibility for students. During that time, THECB was trying to get a better understanding of how the rise in these different parts of terms was impacting not only the enrollment reporting from colleges, but also its impact on state appropriations through the contact hour funding model that was present at that time.
- THECB asked a small group of colleges to be a part of a pilot program that allowed a different enrollment reporting cycle with THECB than all other colleges. As Blinn is always on the forefront of educational trends in Texas, THECB asked us to be part of that pilot program, and we were more than happy to accept that invitation.
- Since that time, Blinn has engaged in this separate enrollment reporting timeline with THECB.
- However, with the new outcomes-based funding formula under HB 8, contact hour reporting has become less critical.

THECB Non-Traditional Course Reporting (NTR)

Background on Proxy Program Cont.

- Due to HB 8, THECB has ended the pilot program for this alternate enrollment reporting. This was communicated to the college on January 26th and was effective immediately for this spring 2026 semester.
- Now that the pilot program no longer exists, all colleges will report on the same timelines to THECB.
- Because of this, our enrollment reports will need to change. The enrollment reports since fall 2020 have included parts of terms in certain semesters that will no longer count in those semesters under these new reporting rules.
- This will result in the enrollment for late start terms to be counted in the subsequent semester's enrollment numbers and not in the semester when the students actually attended those classes.

THECB Non-Traditional Course Reporting (NTPCR)

Proxy Program for Headcount/Credit Hour/Contact Hour Reporting (Fall Semester 2020-Fall Semester 2025)

- 16-Week, 1st 8-Week, 12-Week, and 2nd 8-Week were included
- Reporting Dates: Fall, November 15 and Spring, April 15

Memo-Discontinuation of NTPCR for Community Colleges (January 26, 2026)

- Reporting Dates: Fall, October 15 and Spring, March 15
- No impact on offering non-traditional course offerings
- Parts of term started on or before the 16 week census (12th class day)
- 2nd 8-Week & 12-Week courses reported as flex entry for following term: Spring and Summer I
- Effective for Spring 2026 reporting and the future

Schools in the “Pilot Program”

- Amarillo College
- Blinn College District
- Kilgore College
- Laredo College
- Odessa College
- San Jacinto College District

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Spring 2026 Comparison Enrollment Report

	2022* Enrollment as of 02/02/22	2023* Enrollment as of 02/02/23	2024* Enrollment as of 02/02/24	2025* Enrollment as of 02/02/25	2026* Enrollment as of 02/02/26
Headcount	14,850	15,360 +510 (+3.43%)	15,637 +277 (+1.80%)	15,741 +104 (+0.67%)	16,264 +523 (+3.32%)
Credit Hours	143,792	147,646 +3,854 (+2.68%)	147,931 +285 (+0.19%)	147,898 -33 (-0.02%)	150,192 +2,294 (+1.55%)

* Excludes Winter Minimester totals

Note: These numbers reflect the enrollment reporting under the pilot program.

Spring 25 Comparison to Spring 26

	2025 Certified	2026* Enrollment as of 02/02/26
Headcount	16,076	15,660
Credit Hours	150,177	120,502

*Parts of term started on or before the 16 Week census (12th class day)

Note: These numbers reflect the enrollment reporting under the new THECB rules.

Spring 2026 Enrollment Report– By Campus

Campus	2022*	2023*	2024*	2025*	2026*
Brenham	1,456	1,582 (+8.65%)	1,559 (-1.45%)	1,505 (-3.46%)	1,672 (+11.10%)
Bryan	5,338	5,409 (+1.33%)	4,708 (-12.96%)	3,978 (-15.51%)	3,748 (-5.78%)
Distance Education	3,797	3,725 (-1.90%)	3,844 (+3.19%)	3,885 (+1.07%)	4,035 (+3.86%)
High Schools	1,654	1,892 (+14.39%)	2,198 (+16.17%)	2,629 (+19.61%)	3,201 (+21.76%)
RELLIS	2,415	2,505 (+3.73%)	3,153 (+25.86%)	3,543 (+12.37%)	3,409 (-3.78%)
Schulenburg	50	43 (-14%)	48 (+11.63%)	52 (+8.33%)	34 (-34.62%)
Sealy	33	22 (-35.33%)	24 (+9.09%)	22 (-8.33%)	19 (-13.64%)
Waller	-	-	2	1 (-50.00%)	1 (0%)
Other (Vet Tech, TEEX-Fire & Police)	107	182 (+70.09%)	101 (-44.51%)	126 (+24.75%)	145 (+15.08%)
Headcount Total * Excludes Winter Minimester totals ** Enrollment as of 02/02/2026	14,850	15,360 (+3.43%)	15,637 (+1.80%)	15,741 (+0.67%)	16,264 (+3.32%)

Spring 2026 Enrollment Take-Aways

- Spring 2026 headcount has exceeded the Spring 2022, 2023, 2024, and 2025 headcount.
- Headcount will continue to increase as students enroll in the remaining parts of term that have not yet started.
- Ongoing correspondence with students using the CRM with texting and email campaigns.
- Modification in non-traditional course reporting requires a 30 day ahead of schedule notice when compared to the past five years.
- Will continue to update these enrollment reports in line with new THECB reporting rules.