

**Fall 2021 Unduplicated IPEDS Undergraduate Headcount
Rural Status**

<i>Rural</i>	<i>Non-Rural</i>	<i>Not Applicable, Unavailable</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>% Rural</i>
4,589	9,932	657	15,178	31.6%

Data are not trended and appear exactly as submitted to Student Data Mart on Census.

†A rural student is one who resides in a county that the North Carolina Department of Commerce defined as a Tier 1 or Tier 2 county in 2016.

See 2016 county designations here: <https://www.nccommerce.com/research-publications/incentive-reports/2016-county-tierdesignations>.

'Not Applicable, Unavailable' values are omitted from the percent rural calculation.