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# UT System Performance Compared to Peers

*Board of Trustees — June 30-July 1, 2025*





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# KNOXVILLE



## *UT Knoxville Peer Comparisons / June 2025*

### **Comparable Peers**

- Auburn University
- Clemson University
- Iowa State University
- University of Colorado
- University of Kentucky
- University of Missouri
- University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- University of Oklahoma
- University of South Carolina
- Virginia Tech University

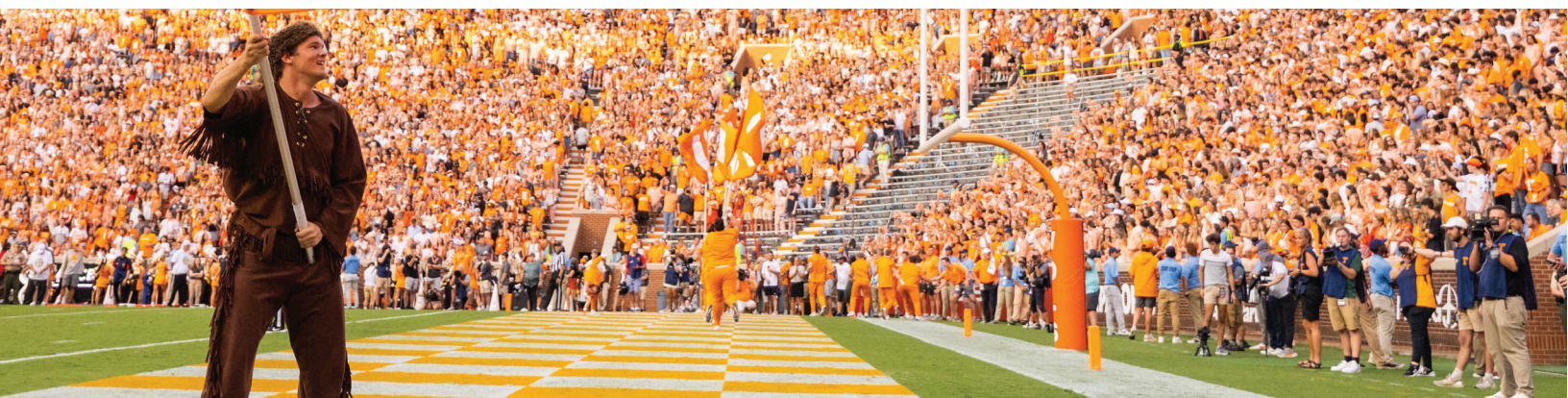
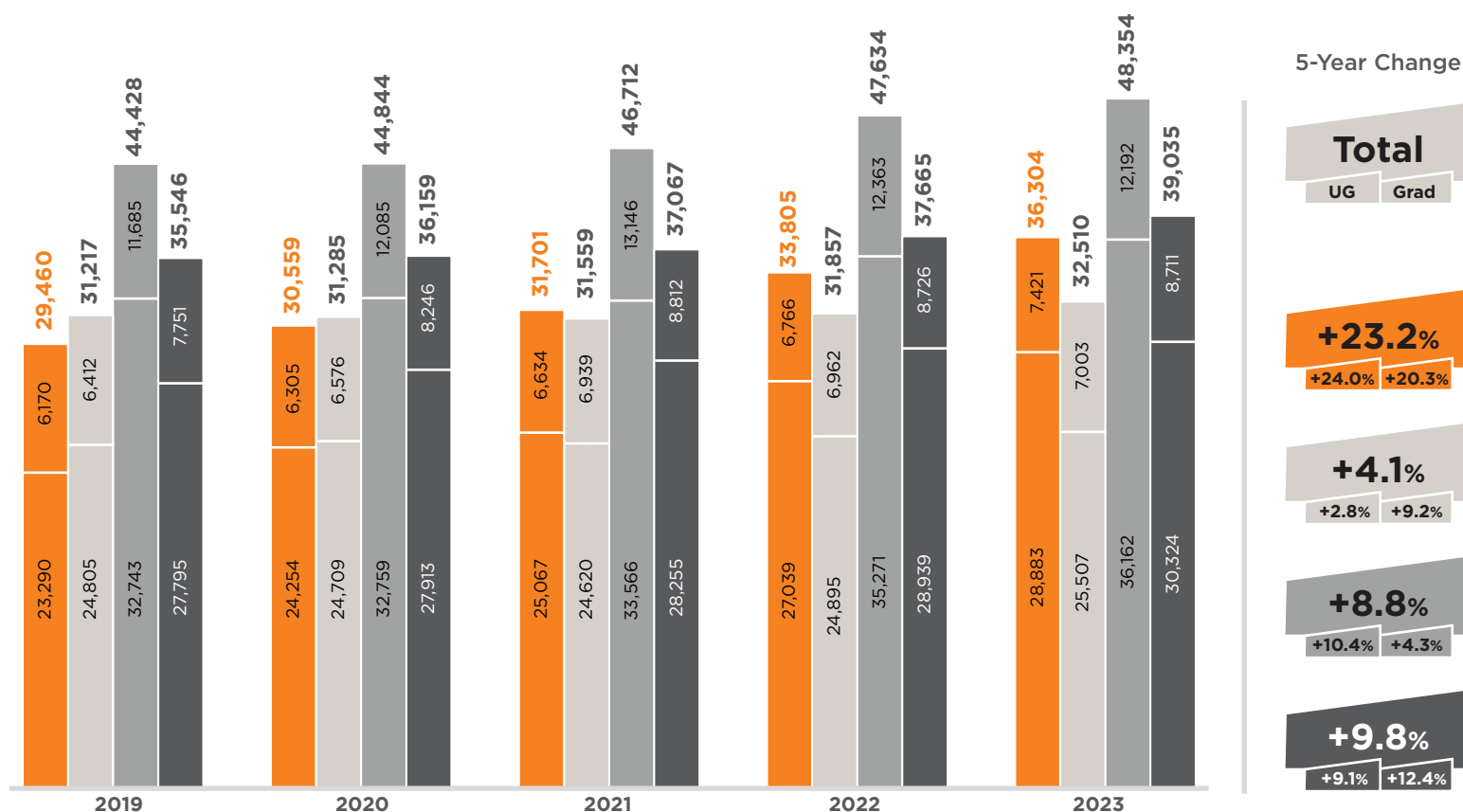
### **Aspirational Peers**

- Michigan State University
- North Carolina State University
- Penn State University
- Purdue University
- University of Georgia
- University of Illinois

## ENROLLMENT 2019-2023

● UTK    ● Comparable    ● Aspirational    ● SEC

**Undergraduate | Graduate | Total Enrollment**



## 2024 UTK Enrollment Snapshot

**38,728**  
Total Enrollment

**30,564** **8,164**  
*UNDERGRAD GRAD*

| Racial/Ethnic Minorities |           |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| 19.4%                    | 19.7%     |
| TOTAL                    | UNDERGRAD |

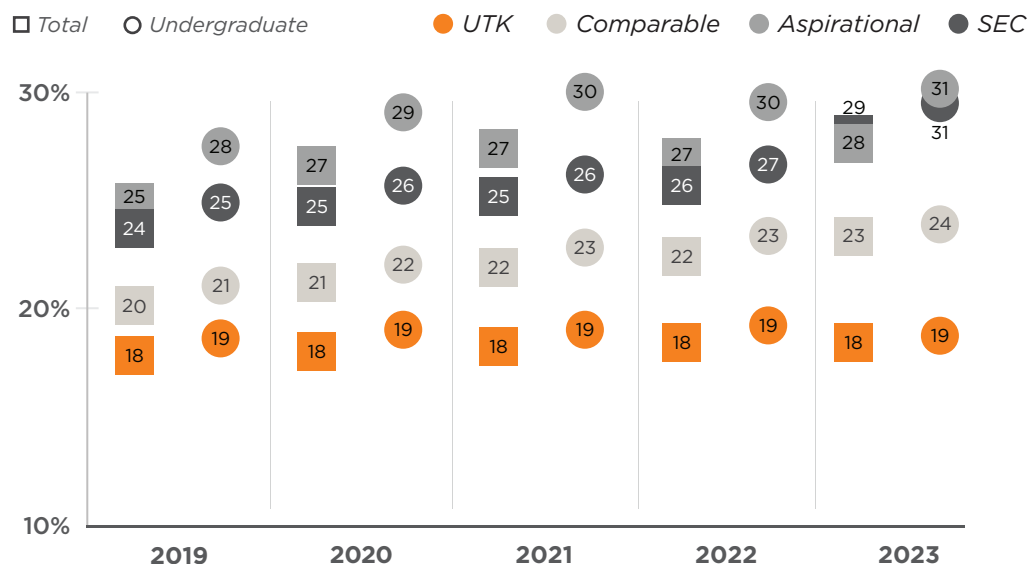
Adult Learners  
**4.1%**  
UNDERGRAD

Undergraduate Gender

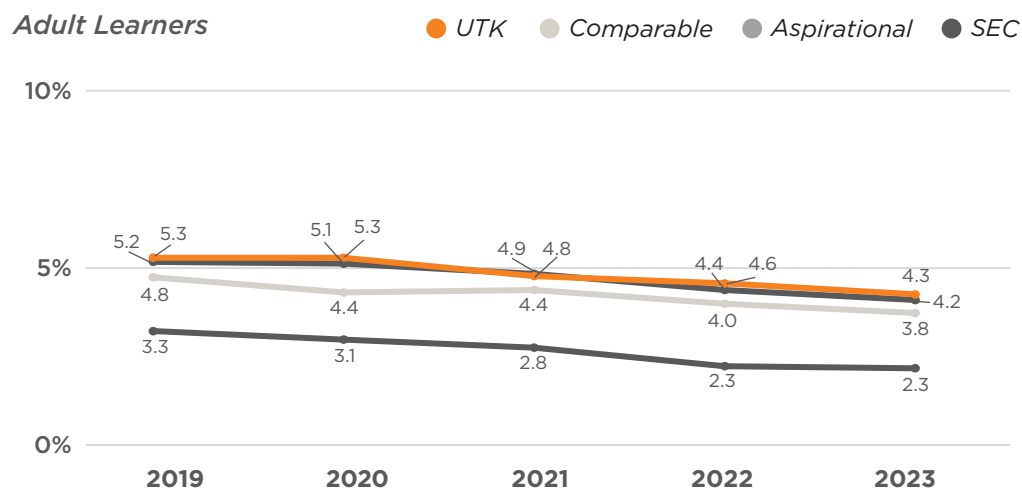
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|--------|-------|
| 53.5%  | 46.5% |
| FEMALE | MALE  |



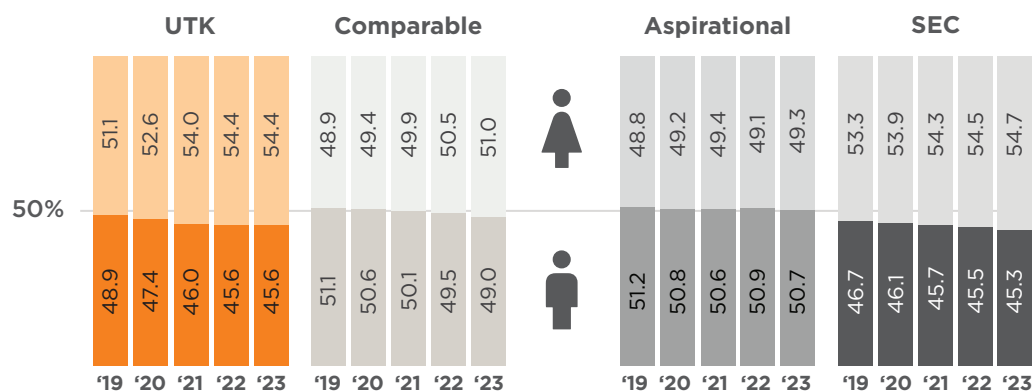
## % Enrollment of Racial/Ethnic Minorities



## Undergraduate Enrollment



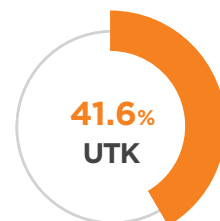
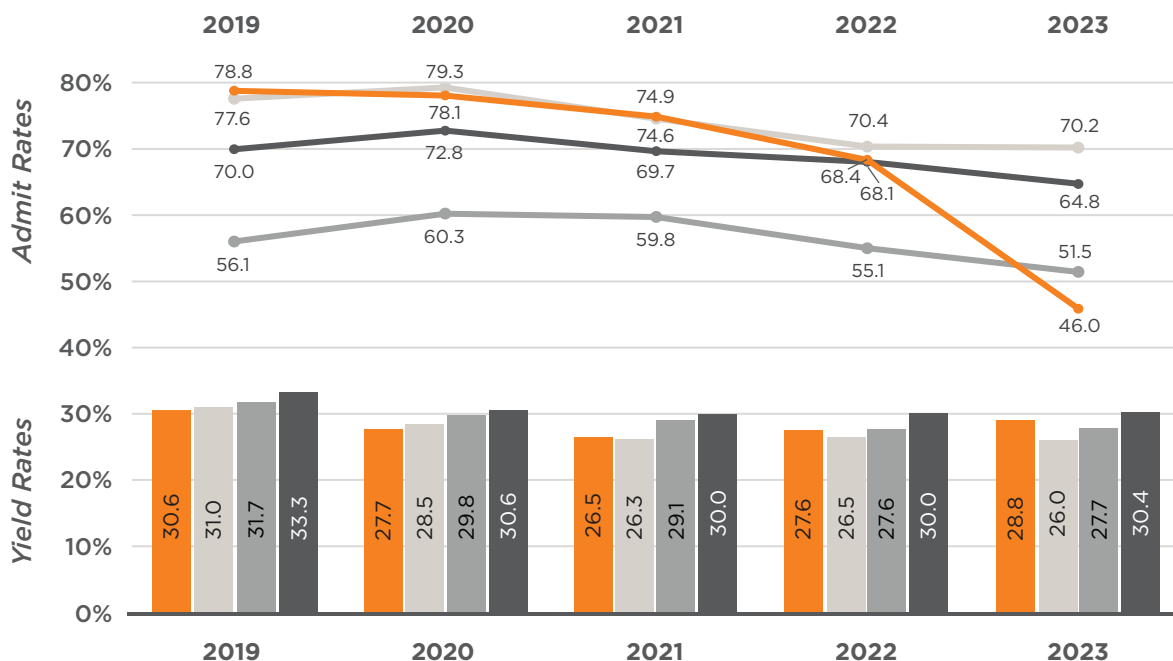
## Gender



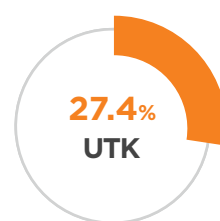
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● UTK ● Comparable ● Aspirational ● SEC

## Admit & Yield Rates

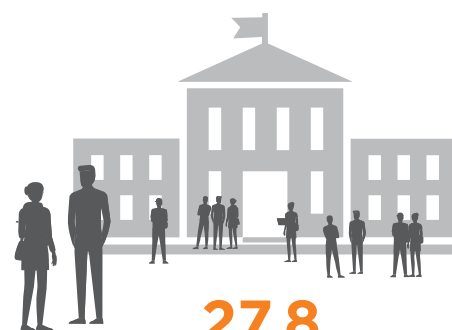
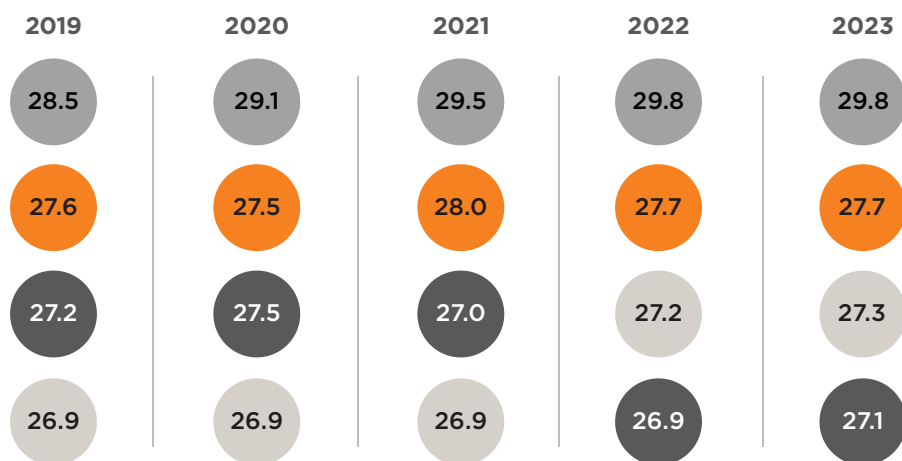


2024 Admit Rate



2024 Yield Rate

## Freshman Average ACT Scores



**27.8**

2024 UTK Freshman ACT Scores

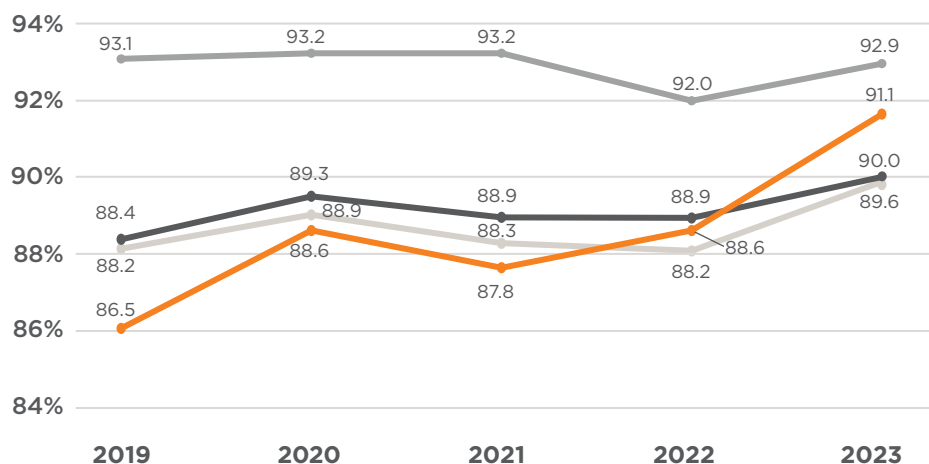




# RETENTION 2019-2023

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## First-Year Retention

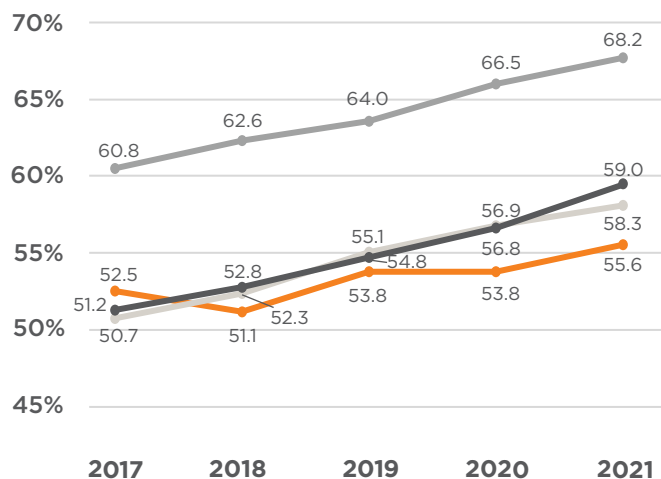


**2024 Retention**  
(Fall 2023 Cohort)

# GRADUATION RATES

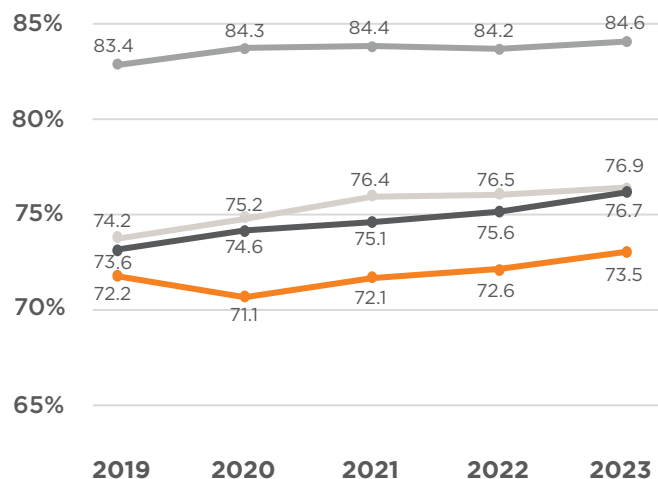
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## 4-Year (%)\*



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## 6-Year (%)



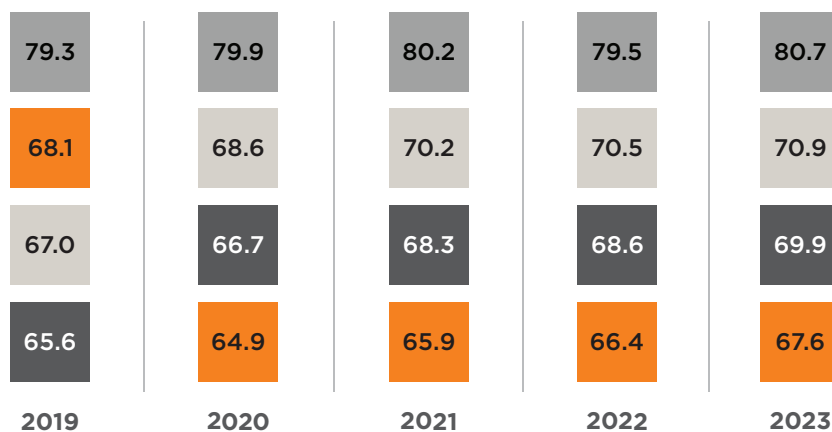
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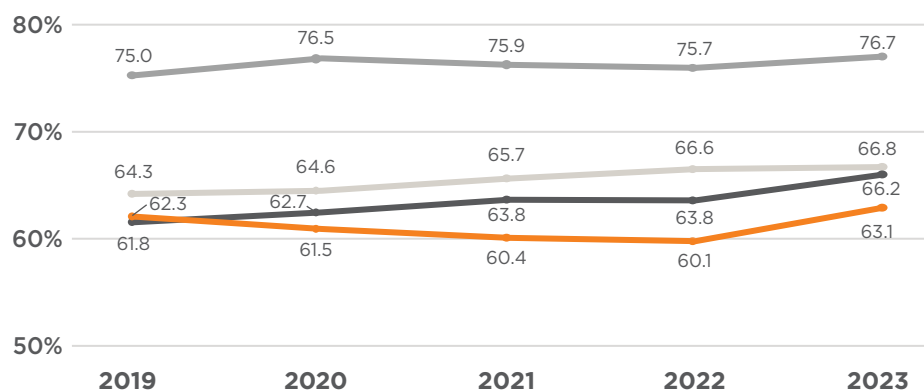
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● UTK ● Comparable ● Aspirational ● SEC

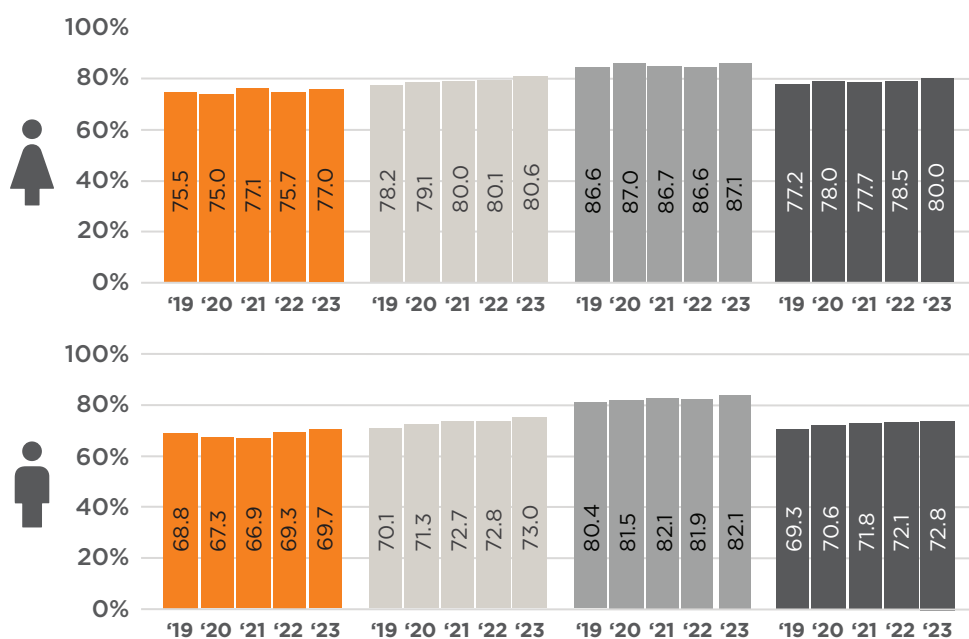
### Racial/Ethnic Minorities (%)



### Pell Recipients



### Gender





*University of Tennessee at*

# CHATTANOOGA



## *UT Chattanooga Peer Comparisons | June 2025*

### **Comparable Peers**

- Arkansas State University
- Louisiana State University-Shreveport
- Stephen F. Austin State University
- Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi
- University of Arkansas at Little Rock
- University of Central Arkansas
- University of Missouri-St Louis
- University of Texas at Tyler
- University of West Georgia
- Valdosta State University

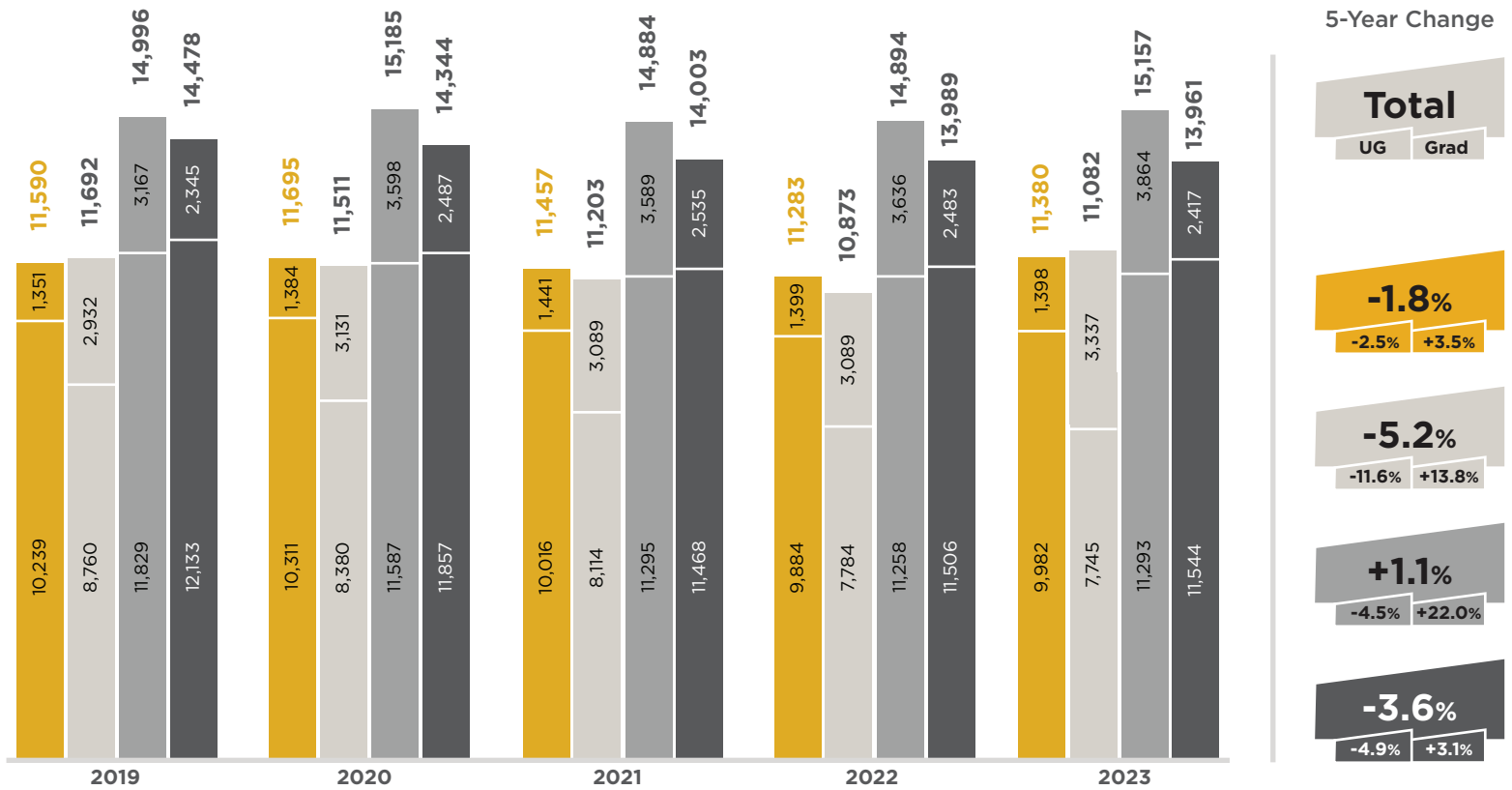
### **Aspirational Peers**

- College of Charleston
- Eastern Kentucky University
- Lamar University
- Northern Kentucky University
- University of Nebraska at Omaha
- Western Kentucky University

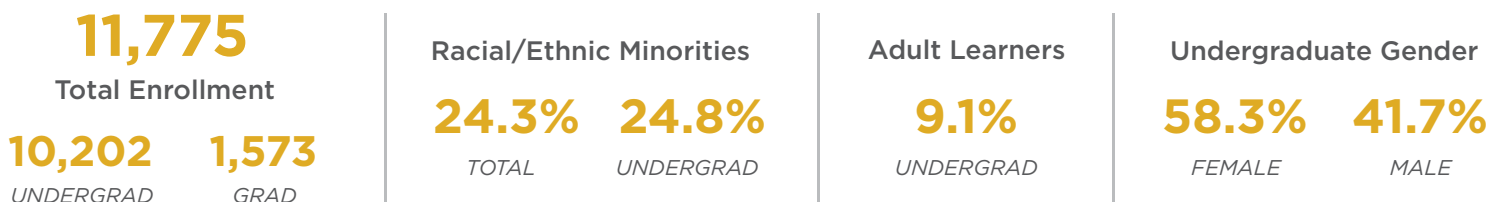
# ENROLLMENT 2019-2023

● UTC ● Comparable ● Aspirational ● LGI

## Undergraduate | Graduate | Total Enrollment

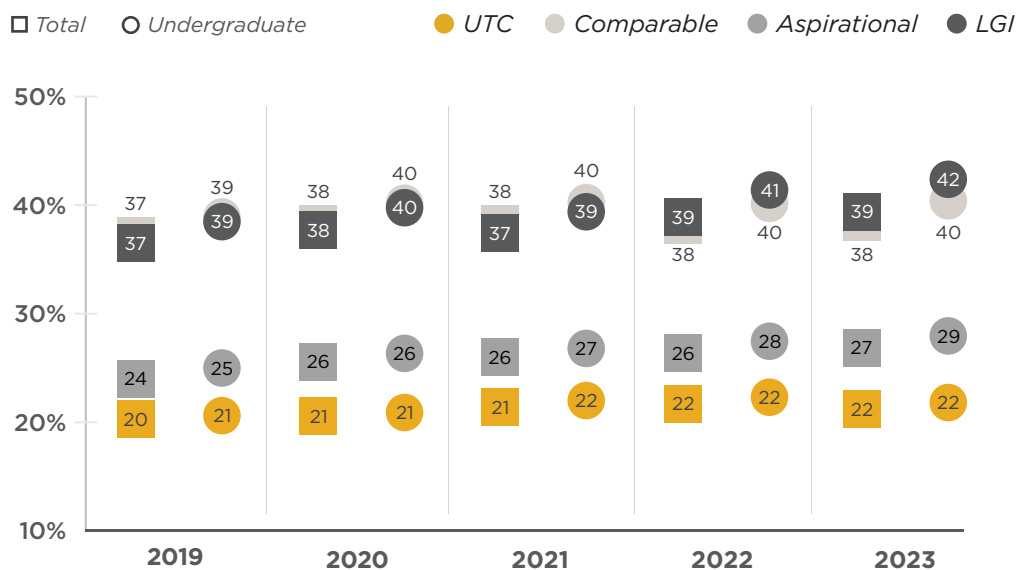


## 2024 UTC Enrollment Snapshot

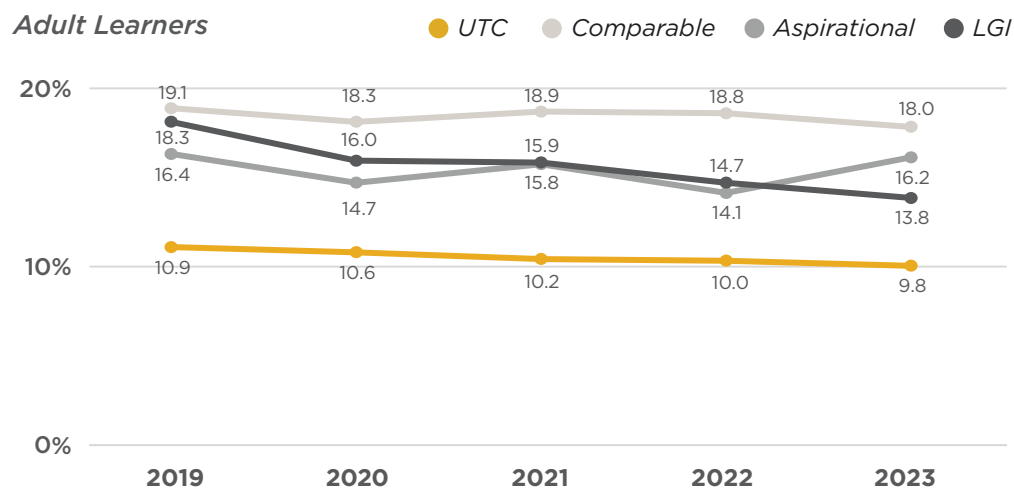




## % Enrollment of Racial/Ethnic Minorities

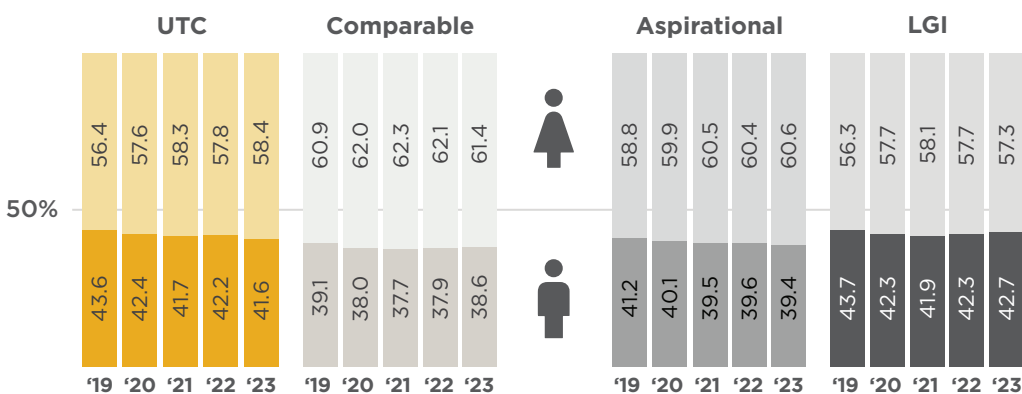


## Undergraduate Enrollment



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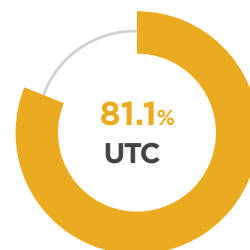
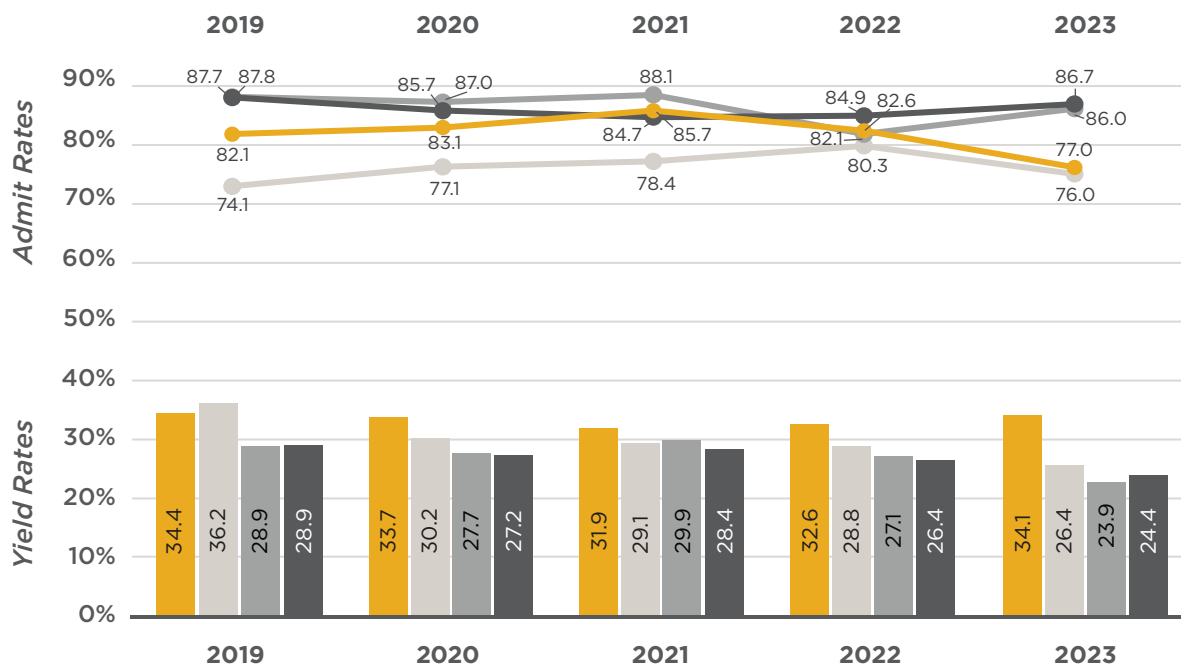
## Gender



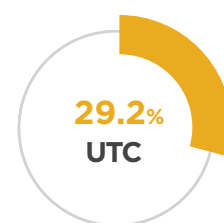
# ADMISSIONS 2019-2023

UTC Comparable Aspirational LGI

## Admit & Yield Rates

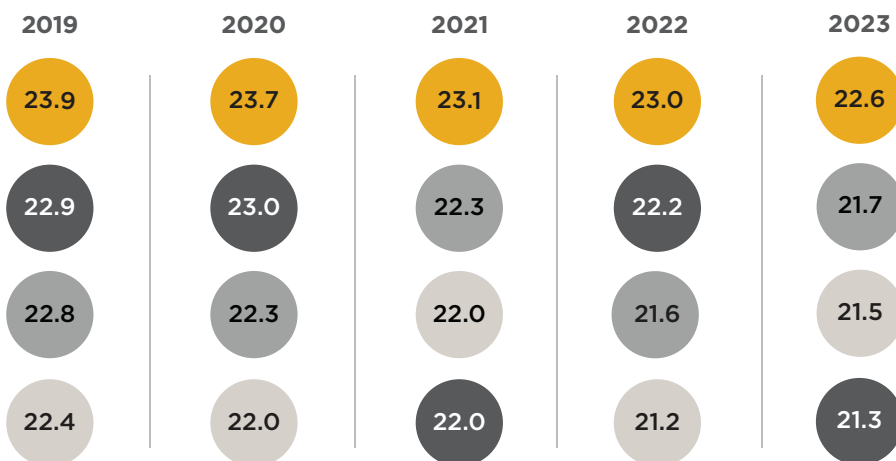


2024 Admit Rate



2024 Yield Rate

## Freshman Average ACT Scores



**23.1**

2024 UTC Freshman ACT Scores

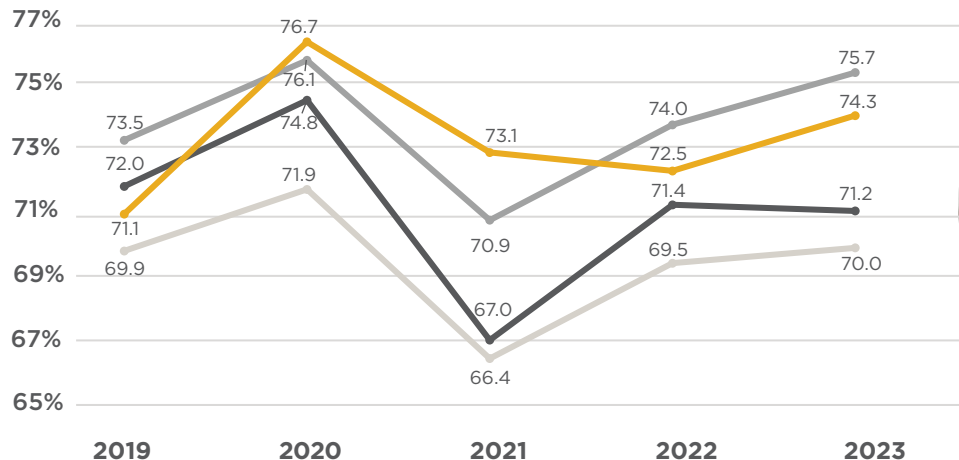




# RETENTION 2019-2023

● UTC ● Comparable ● Aspirational ● LGI

## First-Year Retention

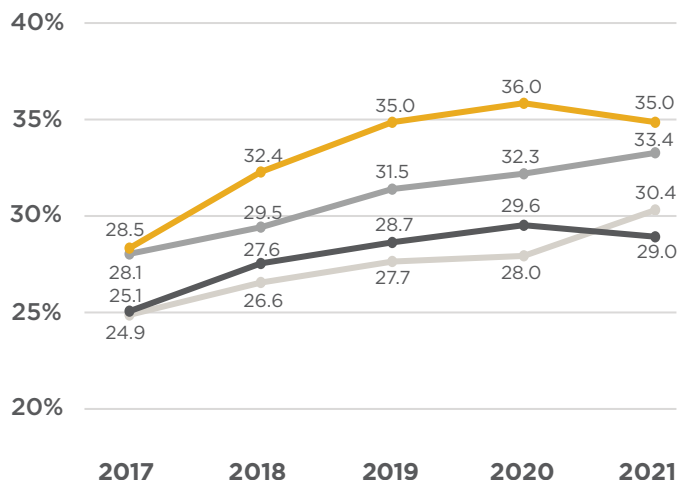


**2024 Retention**  
(Fall 2023 Cohort)

# GRADUATION RATES

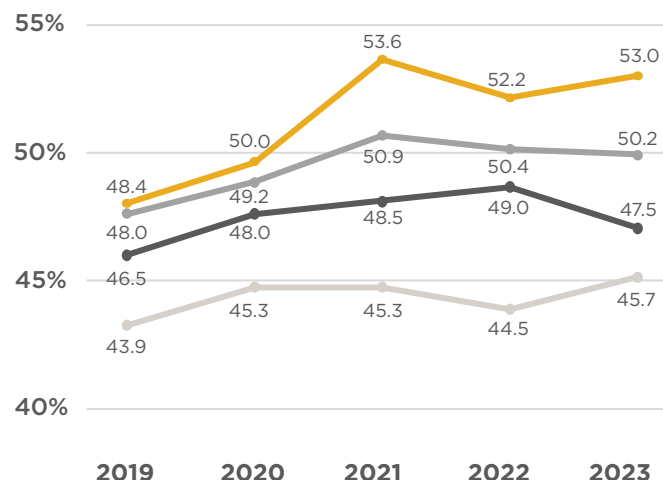
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## 4-Year (%)\*



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## 6-Year (%)



## 2024 UTC Graduation Rates Snapshot

4-Year

**37.8%**

6-Year

**50.7%**

6-Year Racial/Ethnic  
Minorities

**43.8%**

6-Year Pell  
Recipients

**42.3%**

6-Year Gender

**54.6%** **44.7%**

FEMALE

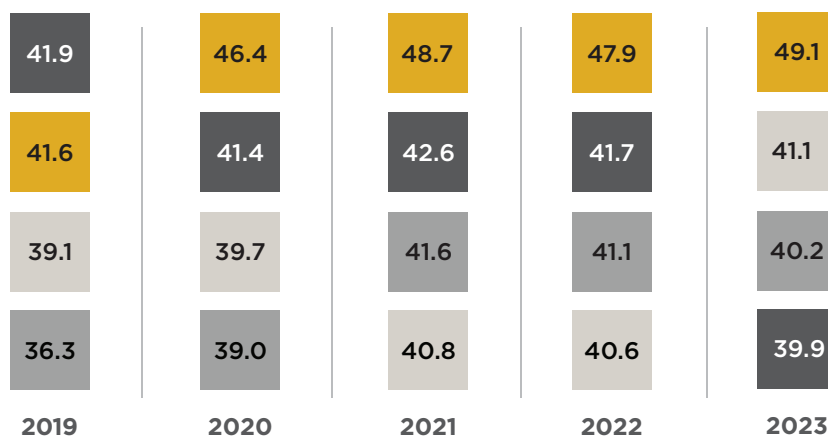
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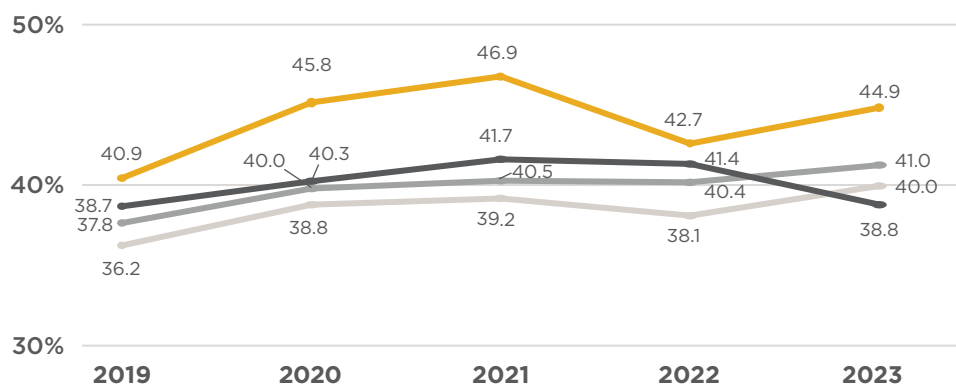
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● UTC ● Comparable ● Aspirational ● LGI

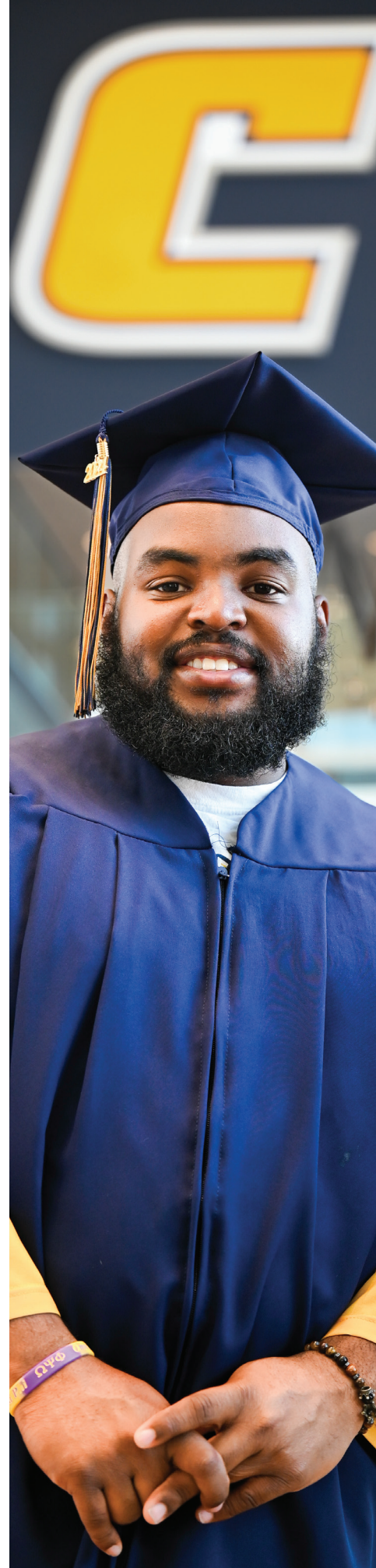
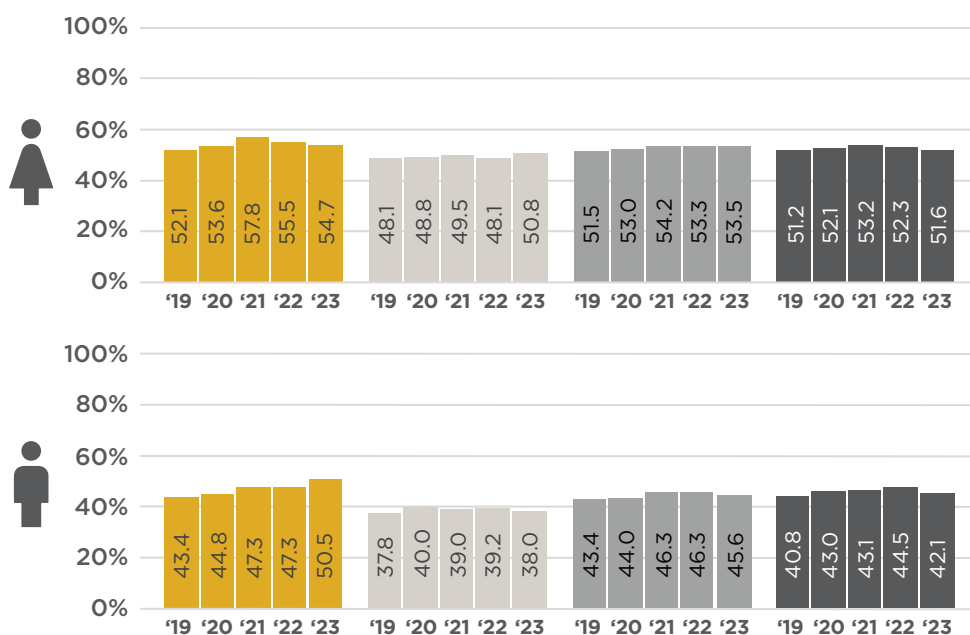
### Racial/Ethnic Minorities (%)



### Pell Recipients



### Gender





# *University of Tennessee* **SOUTHERN**



## *UT Southern Peer Comparisons / June 2025*

### **Comparable Peers**

- Dickinson State University
- Glenville State University
- Mayville State University
- Montana State University-Northern
- Ohio State University-Marion Campus
- Oklahoma Panhandle State University
- Peru State College
- University of Maine at Fort Kent
- University of New Hampshire at Manchester
- University of Science & Arts of Oklahoma

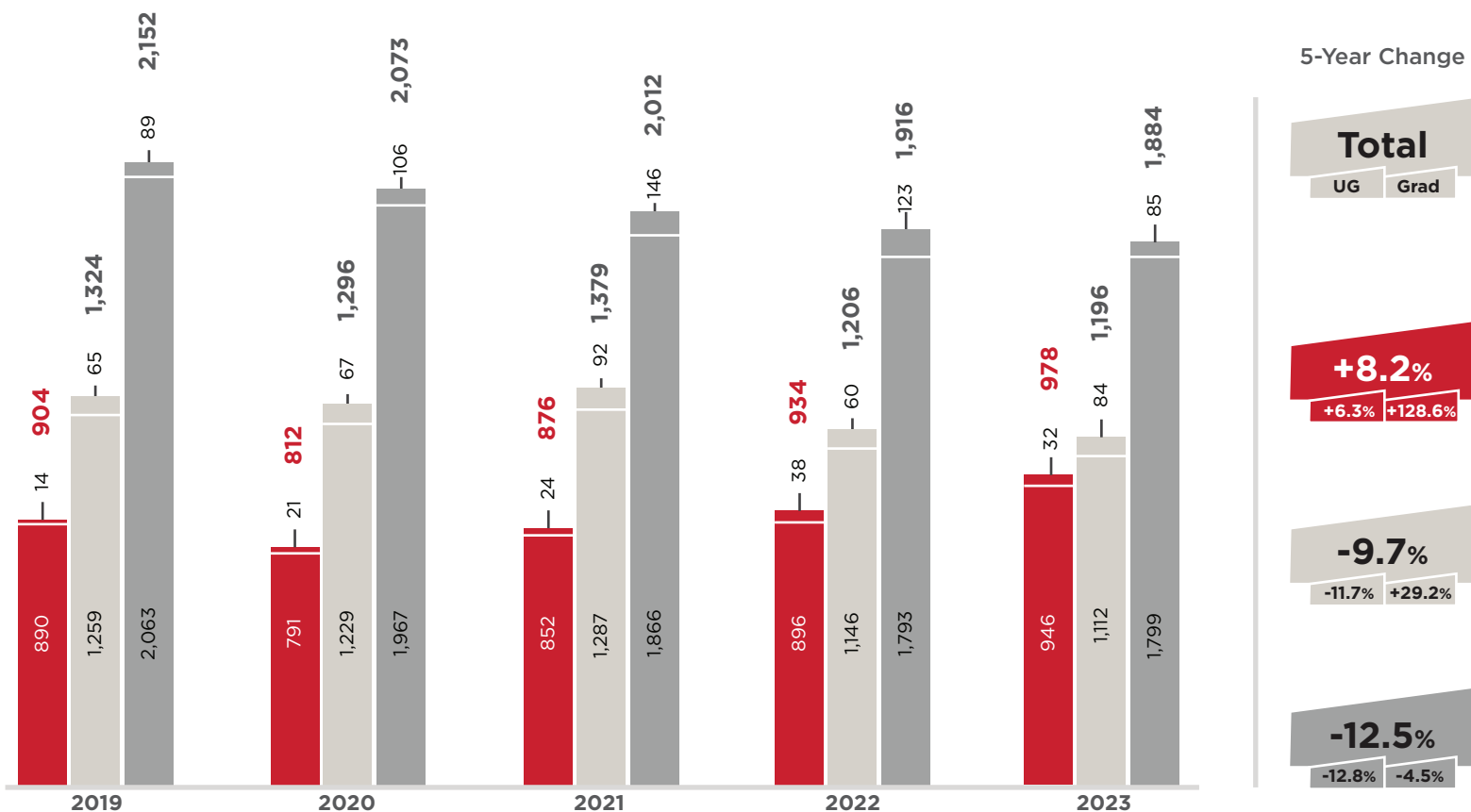
### **Aspirational Peers**

- Lake Superior State University
- Rogers State University
- University of Minnesota-Morris
- University of Montana-Western
- University of Pittsburgh-Johnstown
- Valley City State University

# ENROLLMENT 2019-2023

● UTS ● Comparable ● Aspirational

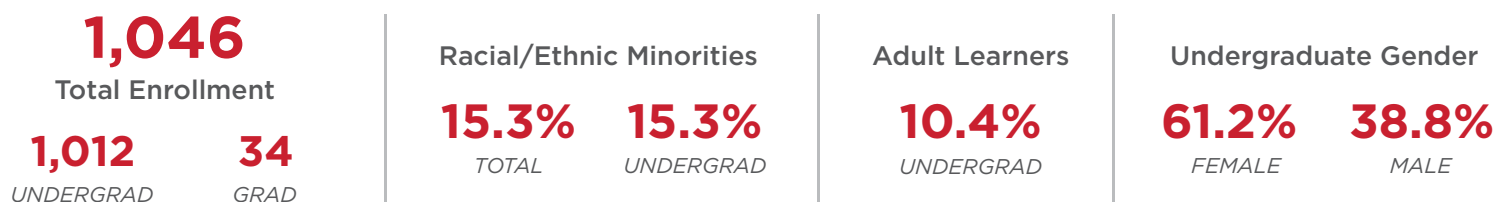
## Undergraduate | Graduate | Total Enrollment



Note: UT Southern peer undergraduate and graduate enrollment averages do not sum to equal the peer total enrollment average as some of the peer schools do not have any graduate student enrollment.

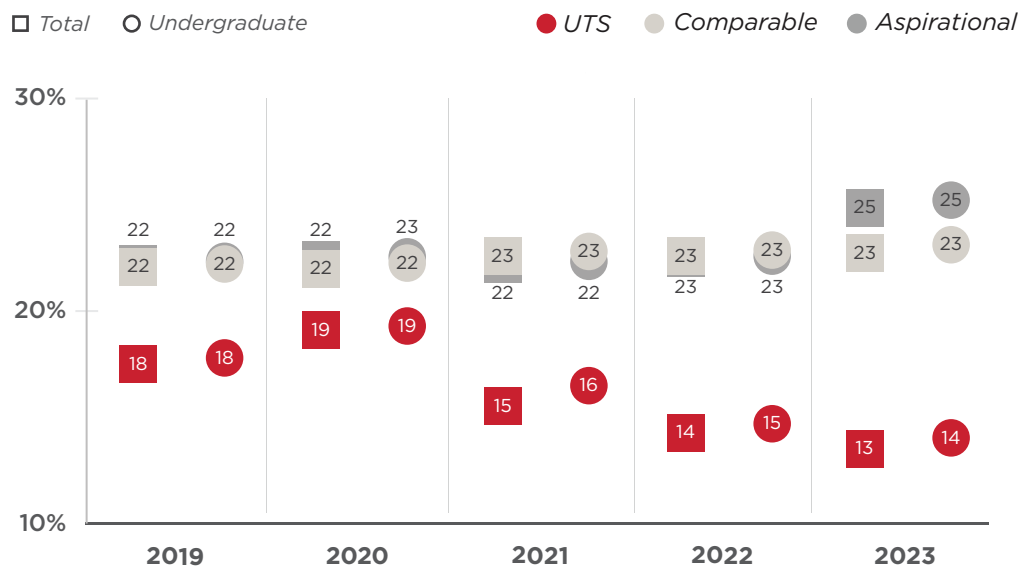


## 2024 UTS Enrollment Snapshot

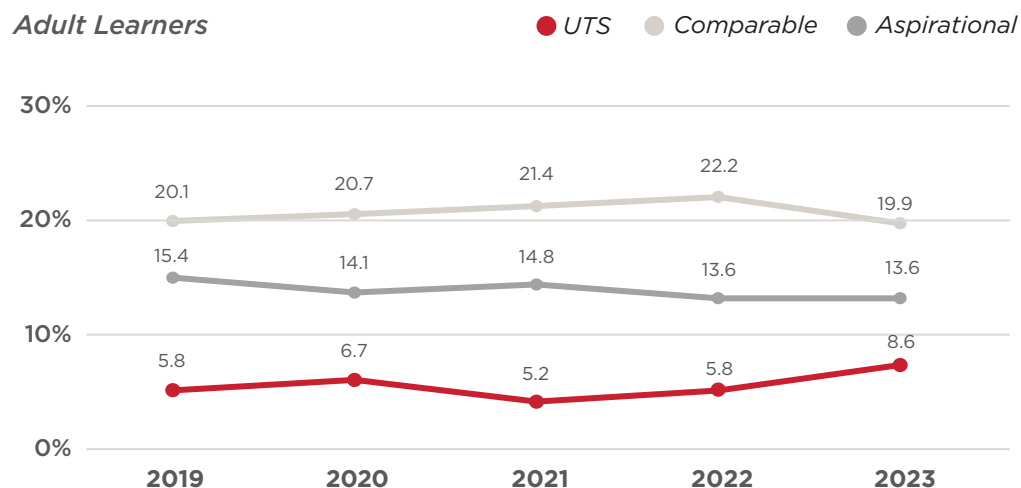




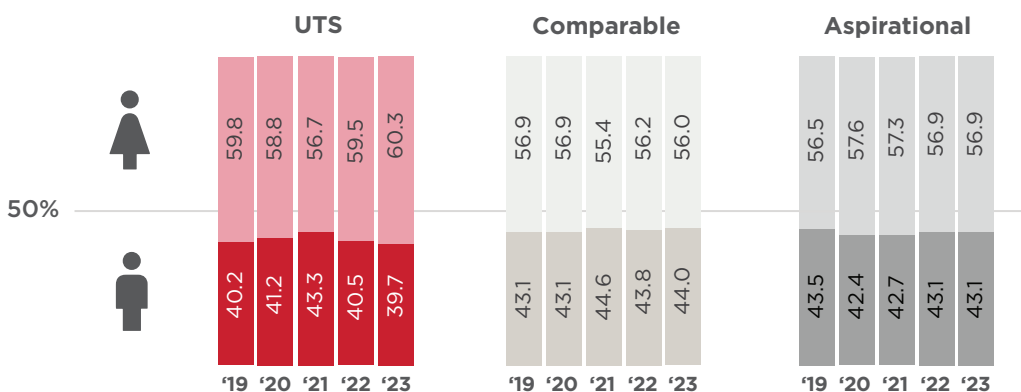
## % Enrollment of Racial/Ethnic Minorities



## Undergraduate Enrollment



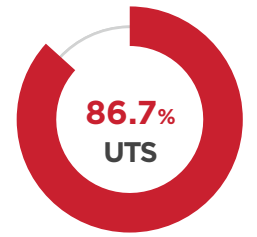
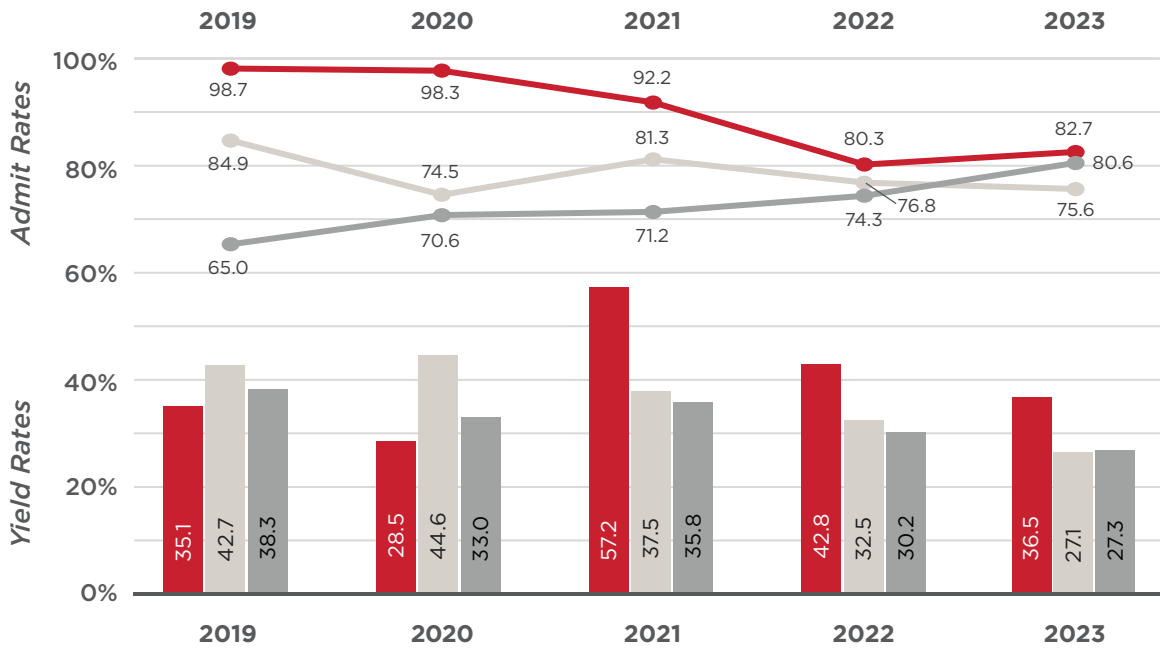
## Gender



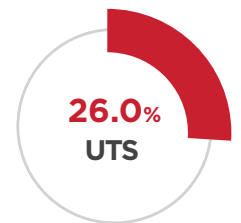
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● UTS ● Comparable ● Aspirational

## Admit & Yield Rates

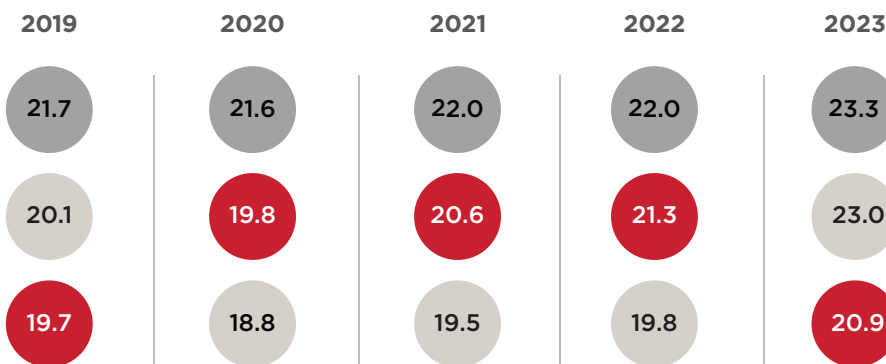


2024 Admit Rate



2024 Yield Rate

## Freshman Average ACT Scores



2024 UTS Freshman ACT Scores

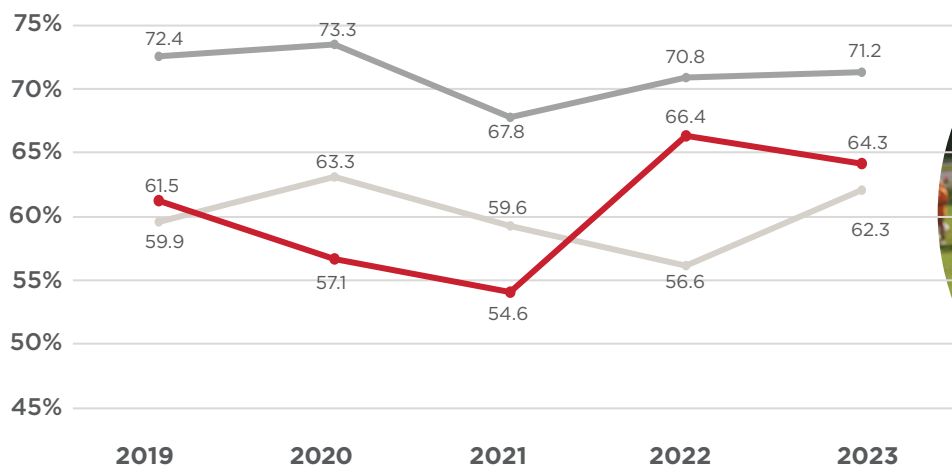




## RETENTION 2019-2023

● UTS ● Comparable ● Aspirational

## First-Year Retention

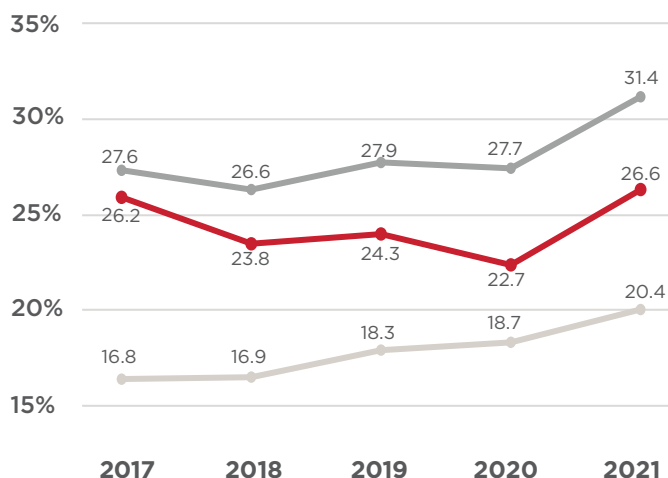


**2024 Retention**  
(Fall 2023 Cohort)

## GRADUATION RATES

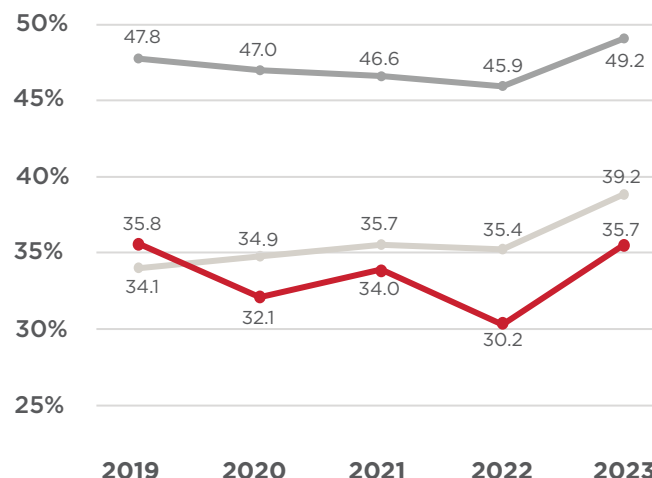
● UTS ● Comparable ● Aspirational

## 4-Year (%)\*



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## 6-Year (%)



## 2024 UTS Graduation Rates Snapshot

4-Year

**26.5%**

6-Year

**36.0%**6-Year Racial/Ethnic  
Minorities**24.4%**6-Year Pell  
Recipients**31.0%**

6-Year Gender

**36.6%** **35.2%**

FEMALE

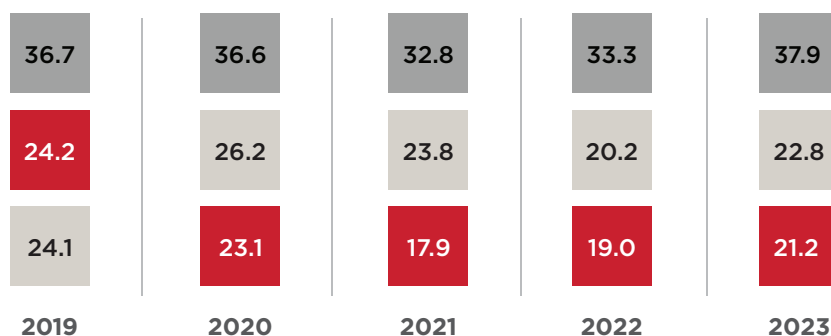
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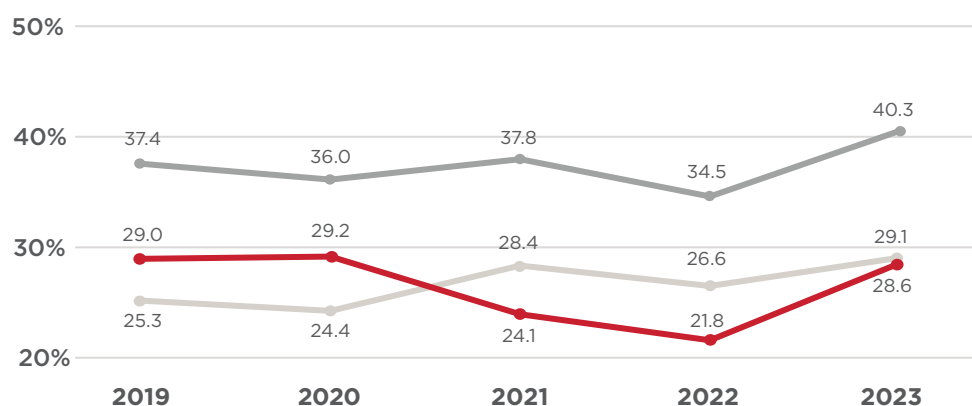
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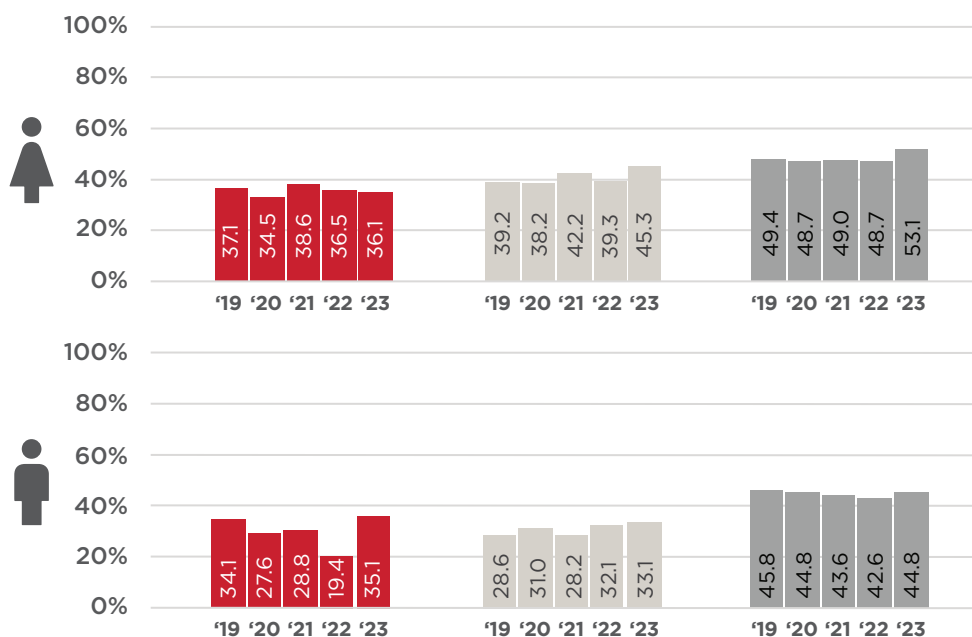
### Racial/Ethnic Minorities (%)



### Pell Recipients



### Gender





# University of Tennessee at **MARTIN**



## *UT Martin Peer Comparisons / June 2025*

### **Comparable Peers**

- Auburn University at Montgomery
- Austin Peay State University
- Coastal Carolina University
- Frostburg State University
- McNeese State University
- Morehead State University
- Northwest Missouri State University
- Southeast Missouri State University
- Truman State University
- University of North Alabama

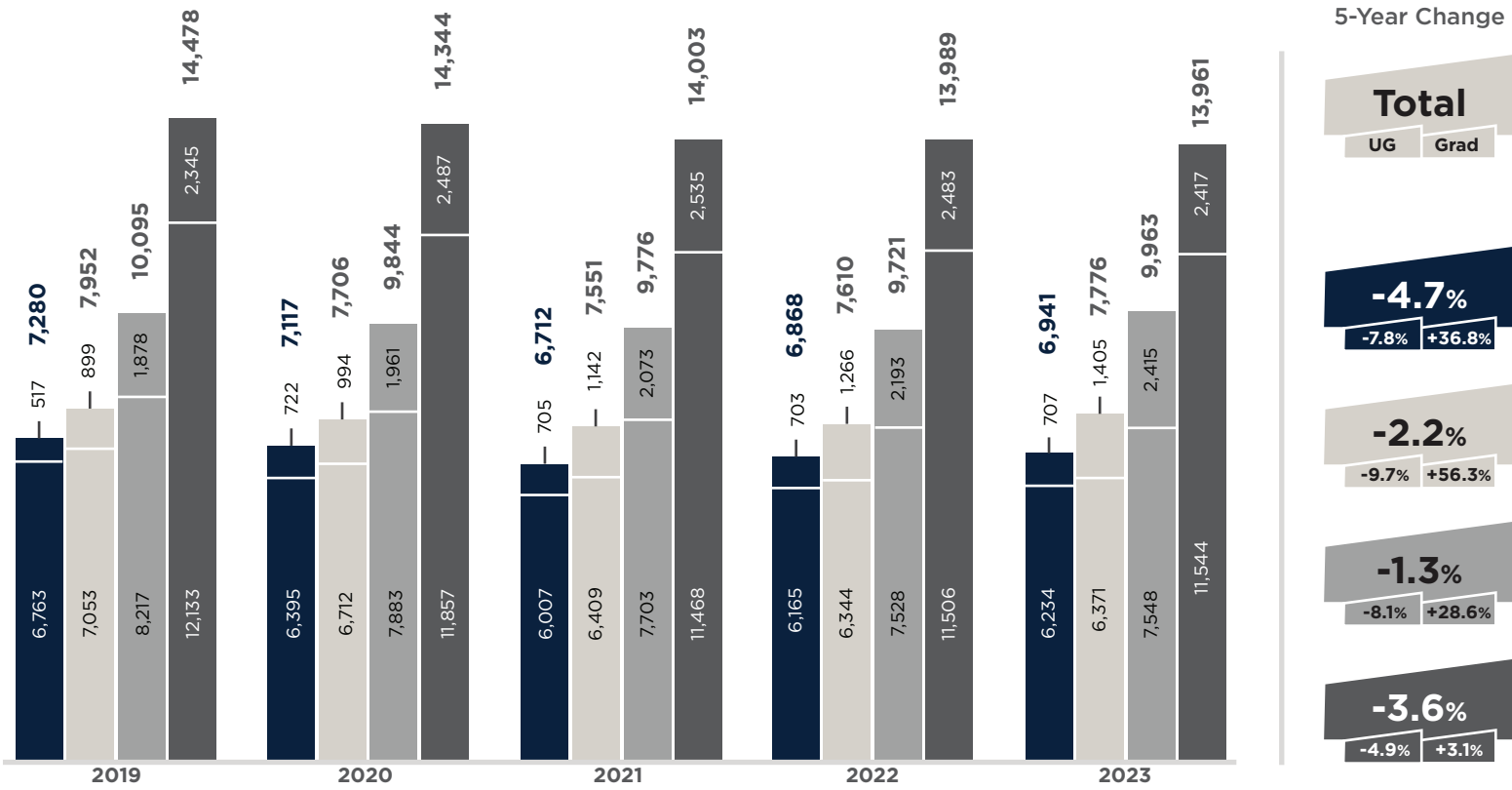
### **Aspirational Peers**

- Angelo State University
- Murray State University
- Stephen F. Austin State University
- University of Central Missouri
- University of Nebraska at Kearney
- West Texas A&M

ENROLLMENT 2019-2023

● UTM ● Comparable ● Aspirational ● LGI

Undergraduate | Graduate | Total Enrollment

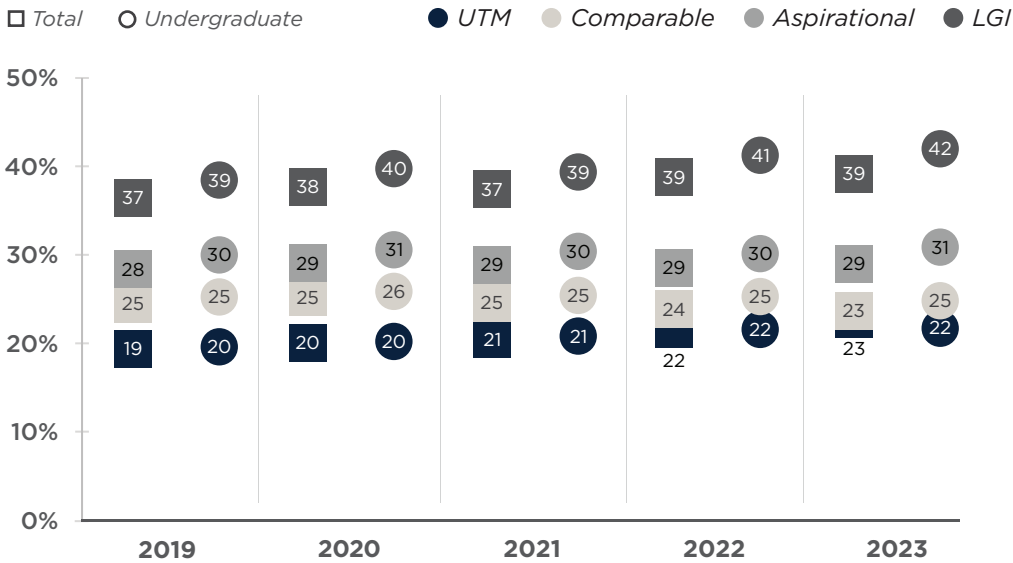


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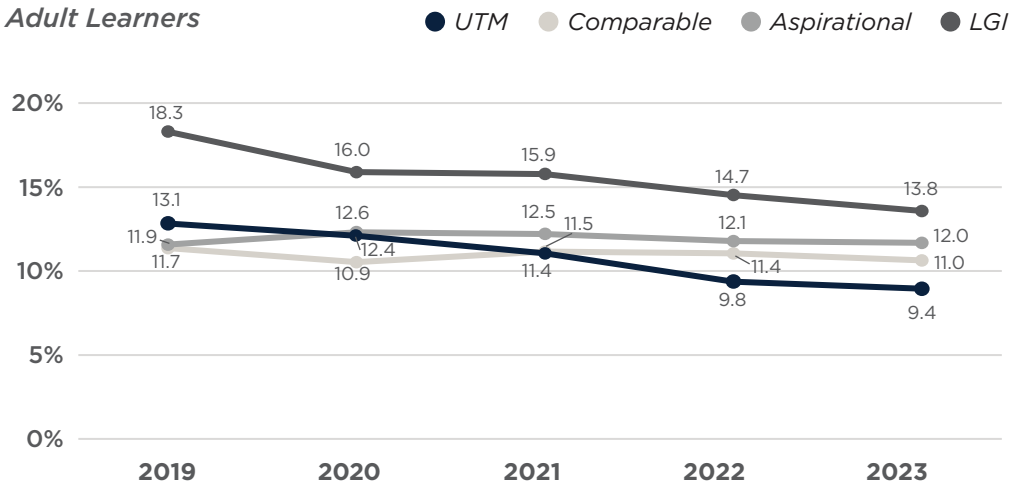
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|---------------------------|------|--------------------------|-----------|----------------|--|----------------------|-------|
| 7,498<br>Total Enrollment |      | Racial/Ethnic Minorities |           | Adult Learners |  | Undergraduate Gender |       |
| 6,808                     | 690  | 24.0%                    | 24.0%     | 9.0%           |  | 62.4%                | 37.6% |
| UNDERGRAD                 | GRAD | TOTAL                    | UNDERGRAD | UNDERGRAD      |  | FEMALE               | MALE  |



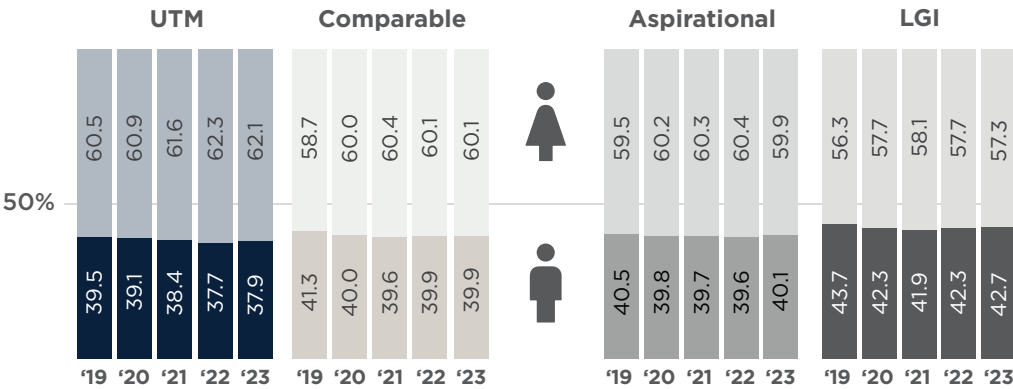
% Enrollment of Racial/Ethnic Minorities



Undergraduate Enrollment



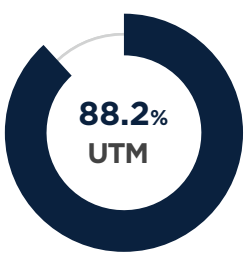
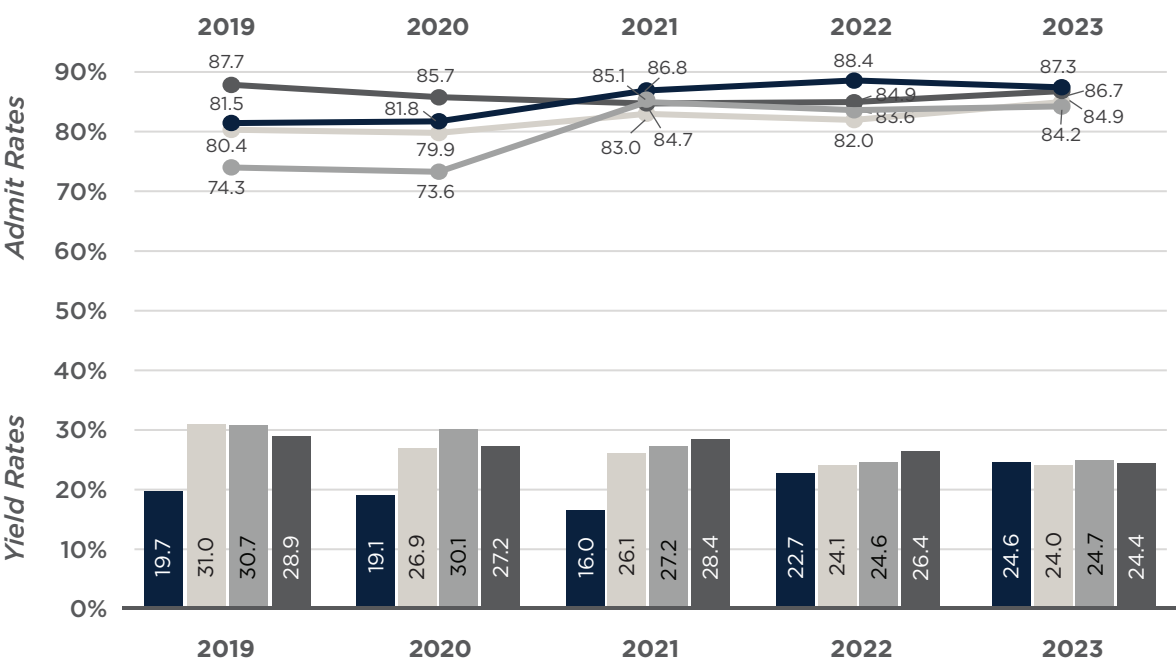
Gender



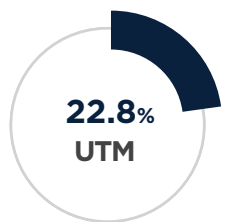
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Admit & Yield Rates

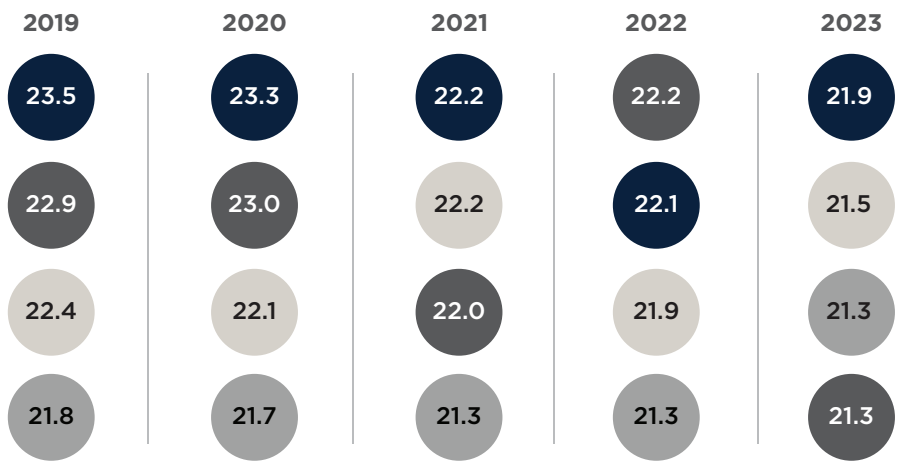


2024 Admit Rate



2024 Yield Rate

Freshman Average ACT Scores



**22.2**

2024 UTM Freshman ACT Scores

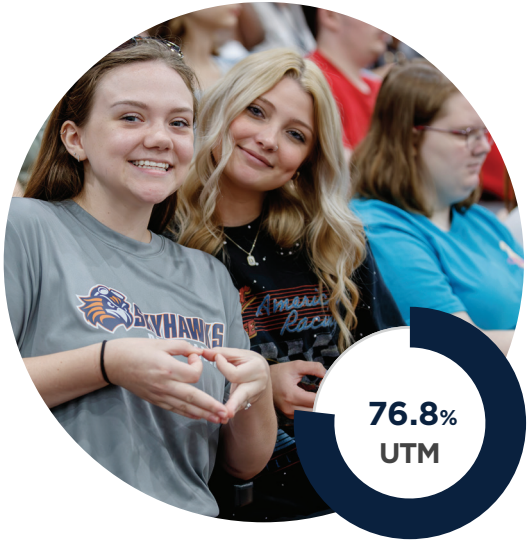
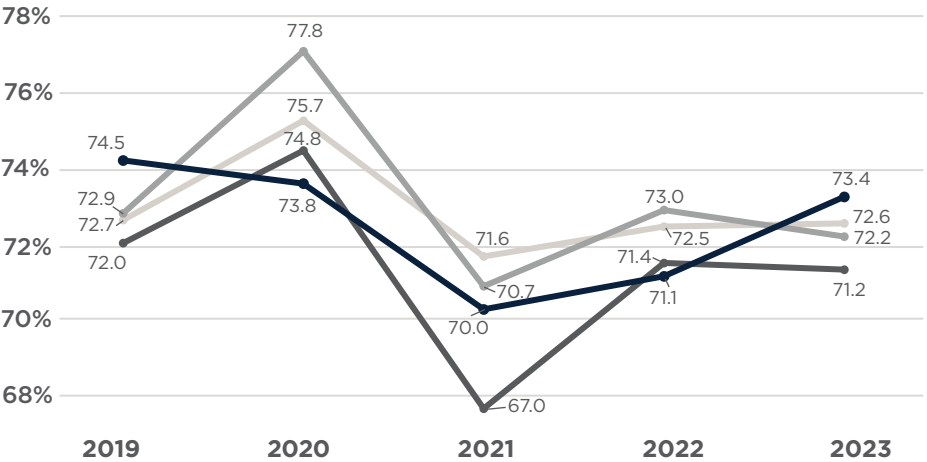




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## First-Year Retention

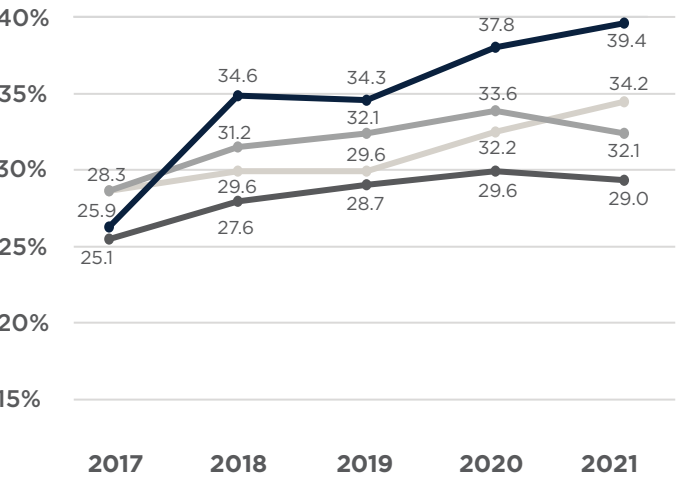


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(Fall 2023 Cohort)

# GRADUATION RATES

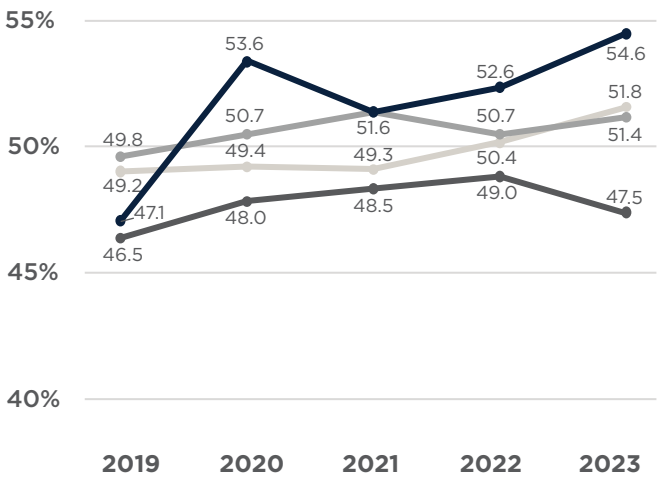
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## 6-Year (%)



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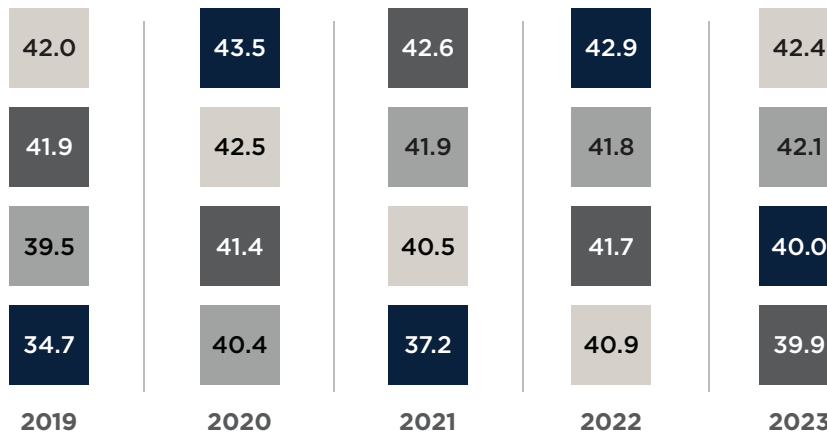
|                        |   |  |  |
|------------------------|---|--|--|
| 4-Year<br><b>36.7%</b> | 6-Year Racial/Ethnic Minorities<br><b>38.6%</b> | 6-Year Pell Recipients<br><b>45.6%</b> | 6-Year Gender<br><b>55.7%</b> FEMALE <b>47.7%</b> MALE |
| 6-Year<br><b>52.5%</b> |   |  |  |



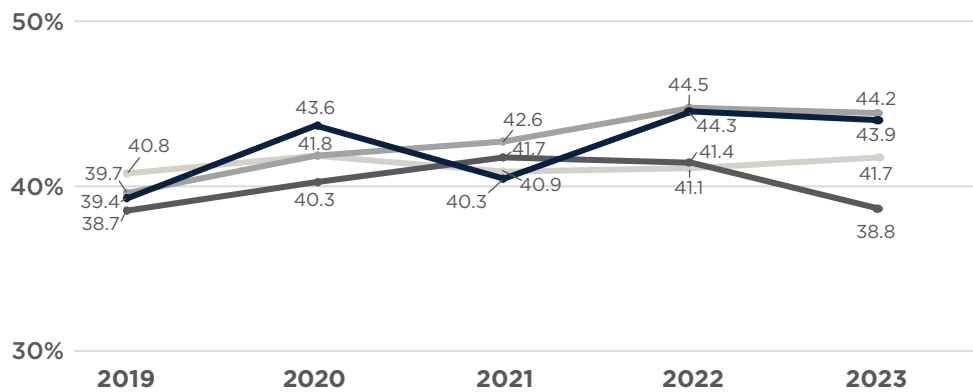
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● UTM ● Comparable ● Aspirational ● LGI

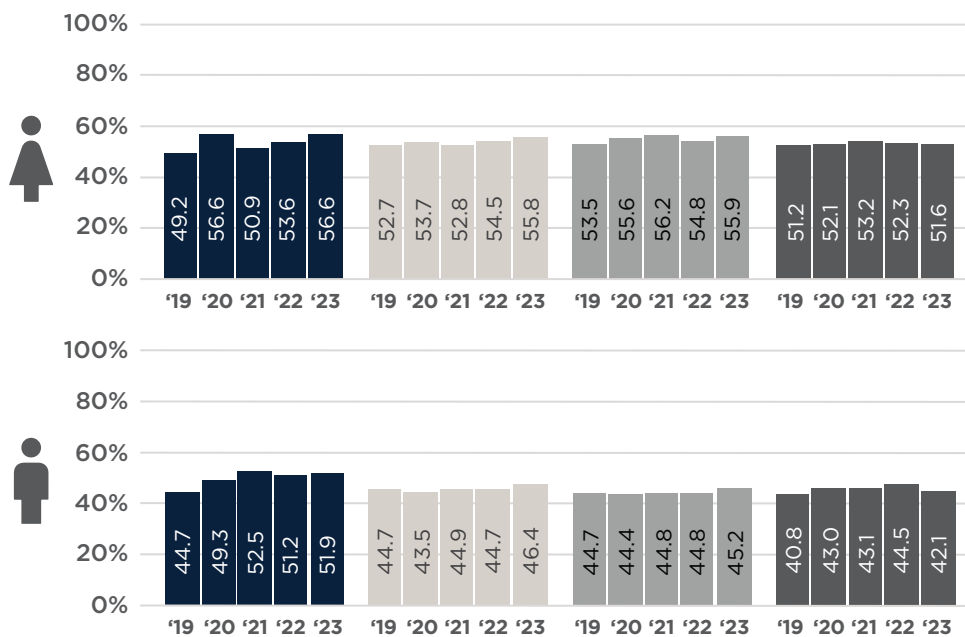
### Racial/Ethnic Minorities (%)



### Pell Recipients



### Gender





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# HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER



## *UT Health Science Center Peer Comparisons | June 2025*

### Comparable Peers

- Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center-New Orleans
- Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center
- University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences
- University of Nebraska Medical Center
- University of Oklahoma-Health Sciences Center
- University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio

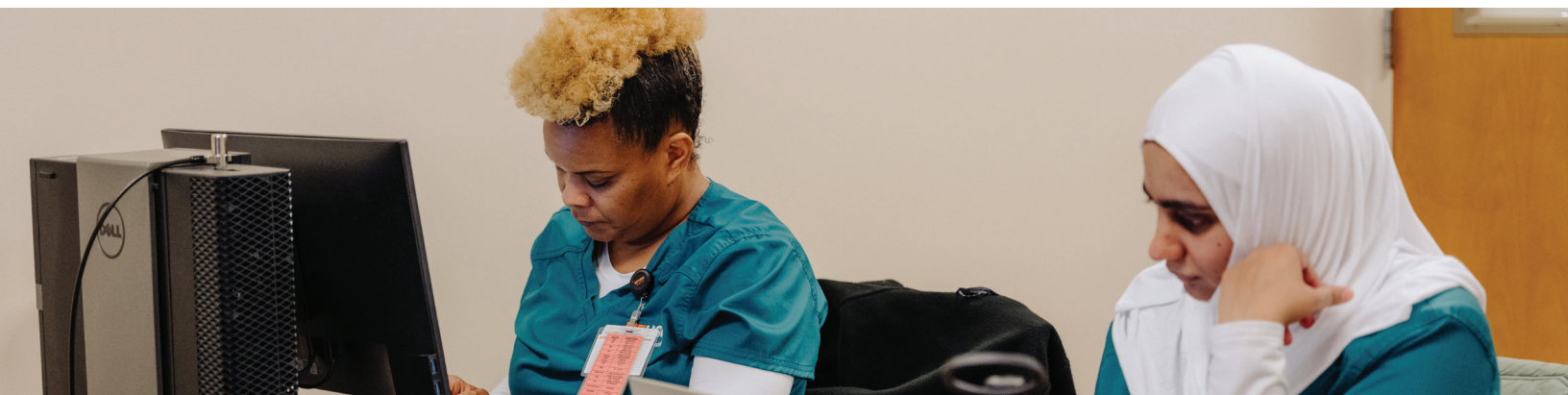
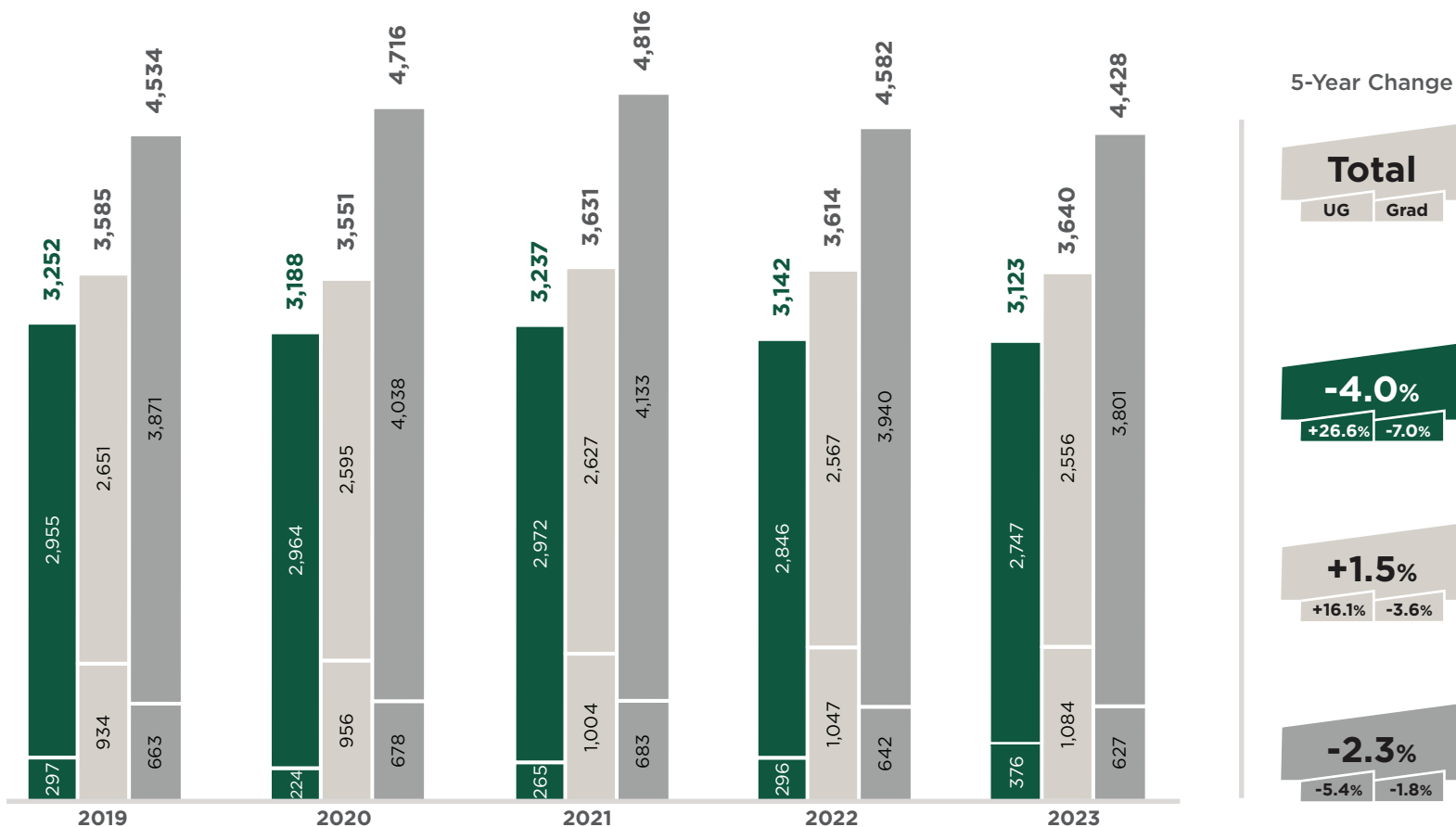
### Aspirational Peers

- Medical University of South Carolina
- Oregon Health & Science University
- University of Maryland, Baltimore
- University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston

# ENROLLMENT 2019-2023

● UTHSC ● Comparable ● Aspirational

## Undergraduate | Graduate | Total Enrollment



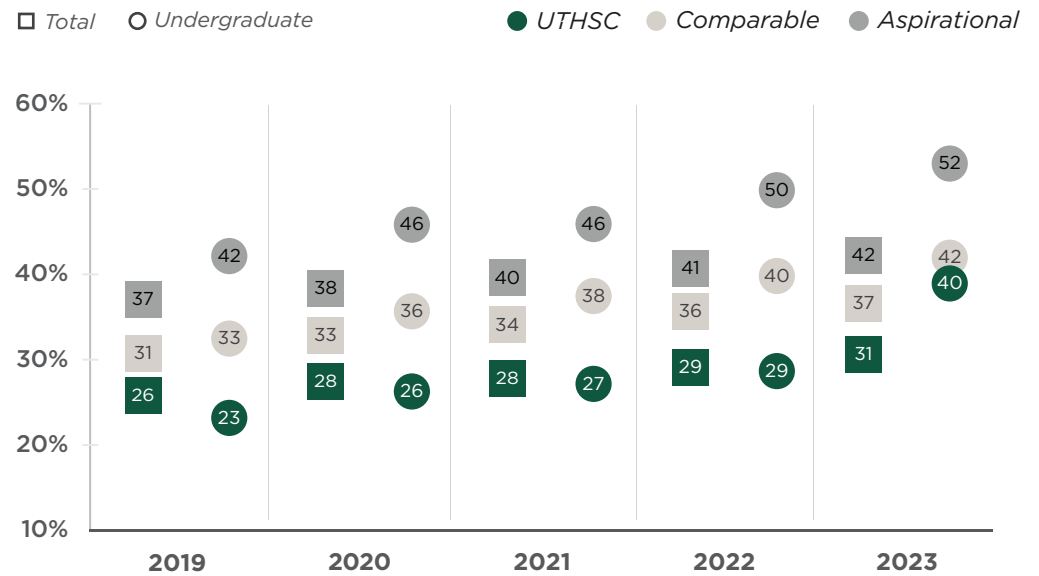
## 2024 UTHSC Enrollment Snapshot

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|--|---|--|--|
| <p><b>3,101</b></p> <p>Total Enrollment</p> <p><b>394</b> <b>2,707</b></p> <p>UNDERGRAD GRAD</p> | <p>Racial/Ethnic Minorities</p> <p><b>32.2%</b> <b>44.4%</b></p> <p>TOTAL UNDERGRAD</p> | <p>Adult Learners</p> <p><b>37.6%</b></p> <p>UNDERGRAD</p> | <p>Undergraduate Gender</p> <p><b>91.0%</b> <b>9.0%</b></p> <p>FEMALE MALE</p> |
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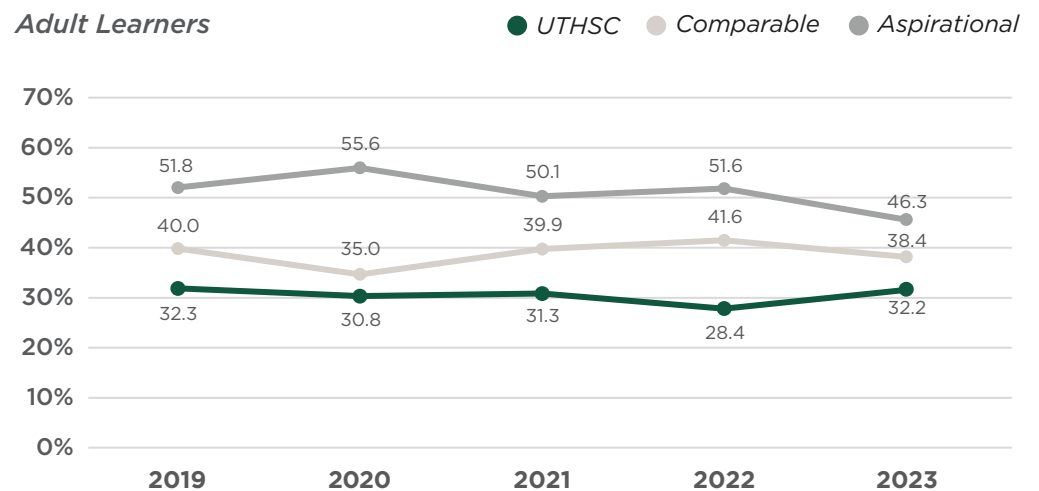




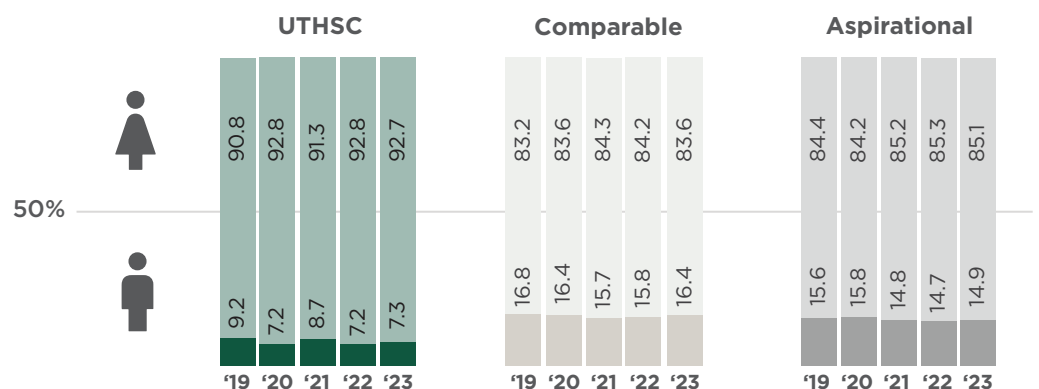
## % Enrollment of Racial/Ethnic Minorities



## Undergraduate Enrollment



## Gender





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