ALL IN Campus Democracy Challenge

Tennessee State Summary

With over 300,000 college students in Tennessee, college student voters in the state play an important role in local, state, and national elections.

23 participating campuses
13 public institutions
10 private institutions
18 4-year institutions
5 2-year institutions

These institutions represent:
2 Minority Serving Institutions
2 Historically Black Colleges & Universities

40% of Tennessee institutions are participating in the Challenge

83% of ALL IN campuses in Tennessee have authorized NSLVE
Compared to 88% of all campuses participating in the Challenge, 5 campuses currently receive voting data by race and ethnicity based on what the campus self-reports to the National Student Clearinghouse.

82.1% Average 2020 voter registration rate at ALL IN Tennessee campuses
Compared to the national student registration rate of 83%*

64% of students at Tennessee campuses are at a campus in the Challenge, representing

63.1% Average voting rate among ALL IN Tennessee campuses in 2020
Compared to the national student voting rate of 66%*

190,395 of 296,969 students at Tennessee campuses

19.9% Average 2020 campus voter turnout increase at Tennessee campuses compared to 2016
Compared to the a 13.7% increase across ALL IN campuses*

3 Tennessee campuses submitted 2022 action plans

11 2020 seals were awarded to Tennessee institutions for their voter turnout rates

Participating Campuses:
Austin Peay State University, Belmont University, Christian Brothers University, Cleveland State Community College, Columbia State Community College, Daymar College, Dyersburg State Community College, East Tennessee State University, LeMoyne-Owen College, Lipscomb University, Martin Methodist College, Maryville College, Middle Tennessee State University, Pellissippi State Community College, Sewanee: The University of the South, Tennessee State University, The University of Memphis, The University of Tennessee at Martin, The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga, and Vanderbilt University.

*as calculated by NSLVE reports received by the report updated date

As of July 20, 2022