

2014 & 2018 CAMPUS REPORT

Student Voting Rates for Texas Woman's University

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About This Report

Thank you for participating in the National Study of Learning, Voting, and Engagement (NSLVE). Since NSLVE's launch in 2013, more than 1,000 colleges and universities have signed up to receive their voting rates for the 2012, 2014, 2016 and 2018 federal elections. Along with others, your institution's participation in this study has helped us build a robust database for research on more than 10 million de-identified student records for each election year.

NSLVE is a signature initiative of the Institute for Democracy and Higher Education (IDHE) at Tufts University's Jonathan M. Tisch College of Civic Life. IDHE is an applied research center focused on college and university student political learning and participation in democracy. IDHE researchers study voting, campus conditions for political learning and discussion, closing equity gaps in participation, and increasing student agency and participation. We accomplish our goals through research, resource development, assisting institutions and the higher education community, and advocacy.

About the Data

The voter registration and voting rates in this report reflect the percentage of your institution's students who were eligible to vote and who voted in the 2014 and 2018 elections. These results are based on enrollment records your institution submitted to the National Student Clearinghouse and publicly available voting files collected by Catalist. We exclude FERPA-blocked records. (For exceptions for campuses with disproportionately high numbers of FERPA blocked students, see our Campus Reports FAQ.)

The institutional voting rates reported on page 3 are adjusted by deducting an estimated number of students identified by each institution as non-resident aliens and reported to the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS). For breakdowns by student characteristics in subsequent pages of the report, we cannot consistently adjust for students who are ineligible to vote: non-resident aliens (international students), resident aliens (undocumented students), and students who have been disenfranchised due to a felony conviction. As a result, your institution's actual voting rate may be higher than we report. If you have access to more complete data for students who are ineligible to vote, you may recalculate your rates by using the Recalculation Tool - <https://idhe.tufts.edu/nslve-recalculation-tool>.

To read more about NSLVE data, see our Campus Reports FAQ - <https://idhe.tufts.edu/nslve/frequently-asked-questions>.

Reviewing the Data

Use the following key to interpret the charts:

* = number of students is less than 10

n/a = no data was collected or calculated for this field.

What to do next?

❑ Review the data and identify your challenges and opportunities. This report provides comparisons between subgroups of your students and with similar institutions. For more comparisons or to see national voter registration and voting rates, read our national report, Democracy Counts 2018. To access our data portals - <https://idhe.tufts.edu/public-data-portal-visualizations>.

❑ Share the report widely and strategically by sharing it with institutional leaders, faculty across disciplines, student government leaders, and other student groups.

❑ Read and implement *Election Imperatives*, ten recommendations for improving your campus climate for student political learning, discourse, equity, and participation - <https://idhe.tufts.edu/electionimperatives>.

❑ Work with us. IDHE can help via virtual office hours, webinars, brown bag discussions, coaching, and in-person workshops.

For up-to-date news on NSLVE data, resources and upcoming opportunities visit our website: <https://idhe.tufts.edu>.

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We appreciate hearing from you! Please email us at NSLVE@tufts.edu.

Warm regards,

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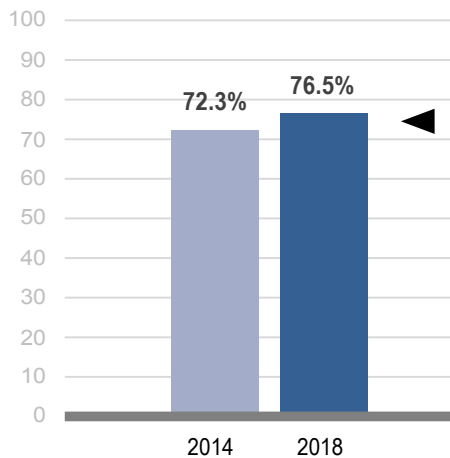
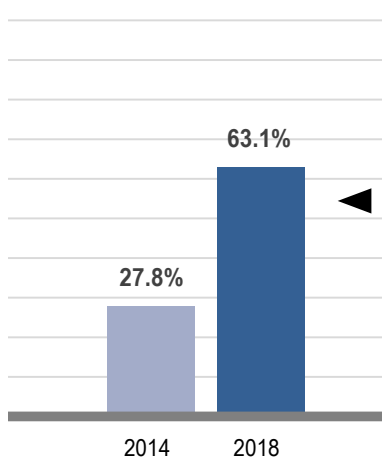
YOUR STUDENTS' VOTING DATA | MIDTERM ELECTIONS

Voting and Registration Rates

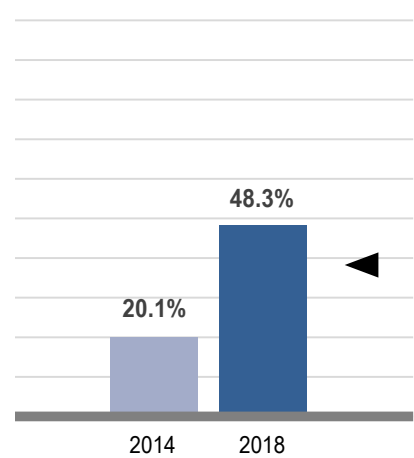
2018 Voting Rate

48.3%CHANGE
FROM 2014**+28.2**2018 VOTING RATE
FOR ALL INSTITUTIONS**39.1%**

Registration Rate

Voting Rate of
Registered Students

Voting Rate



All Institutions, 2018

	2014	2018	Change
Total student enrollment	14,806	15,234	↑ 428
Age under 18/Unknown	(324)	(947)	
IPEDS estimated non-resident aliens	(279)	(216)	
FERPA records blocked	(198)	(67)	
Total eligible voters	14,005	14,004	↓ -1
Number of students who registered	10,131	10,712	↑ 581
Number of students who voted	2,815	6,759	↑ 3,944
Registration rate	72.3%	76.5%	↑ 4.1
Voting rate of registered students	27.8%	63.1%	↑ 35.3
Voting rate	20.1%	48.3%	↑ 28.2
Difference from all institutions	+0.4	+9.2	

HOW YOUR NUMBERS COMPARE | MIDTERM ELECTIONS

By Carnegie Classification

2014 Voting Rate
for All Institutions

19.7%

HIGH
54.0%

LOW
1.5%

2018 Voting Rate
for All Institutions

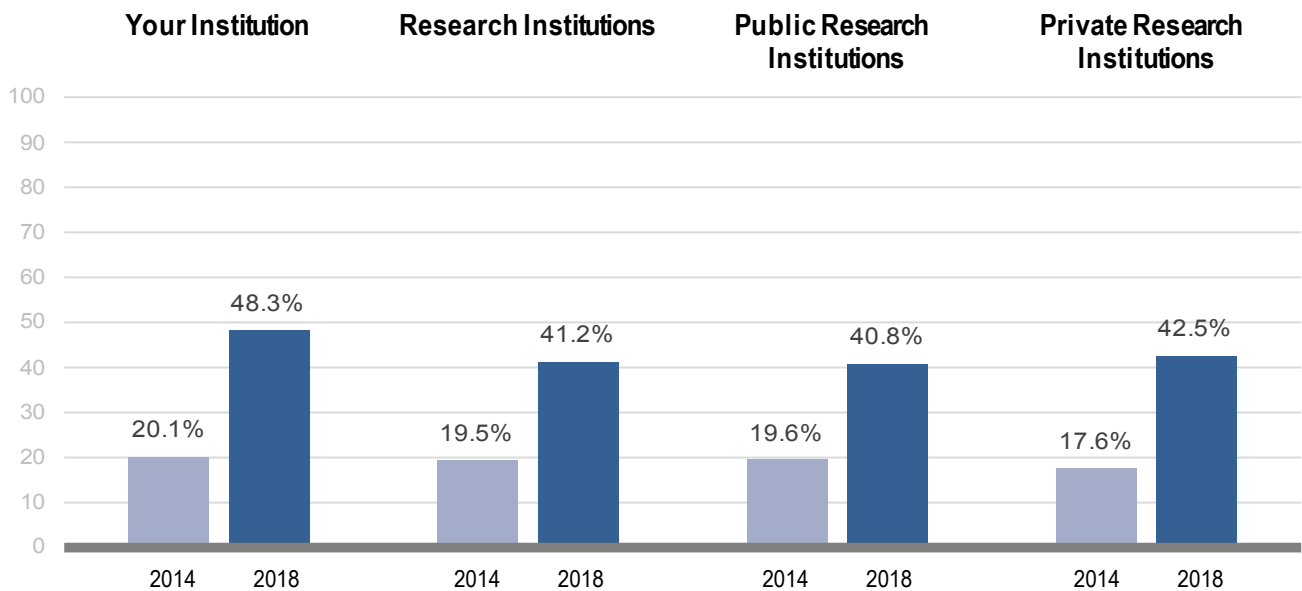
39.1%

HIGH
64.1%

LOW
11.5%

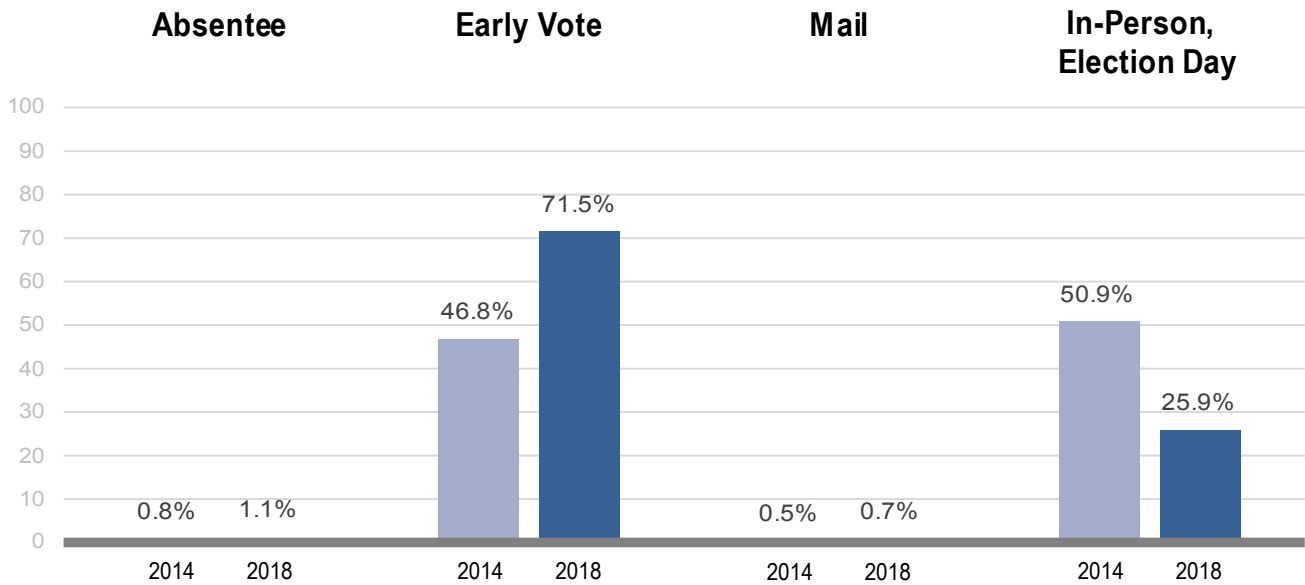
Difference from All Institutions **+0.4**

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YOUR STUDENTS' VOTING DATA | MIDTERM ELECTIONS

By Voting Method*

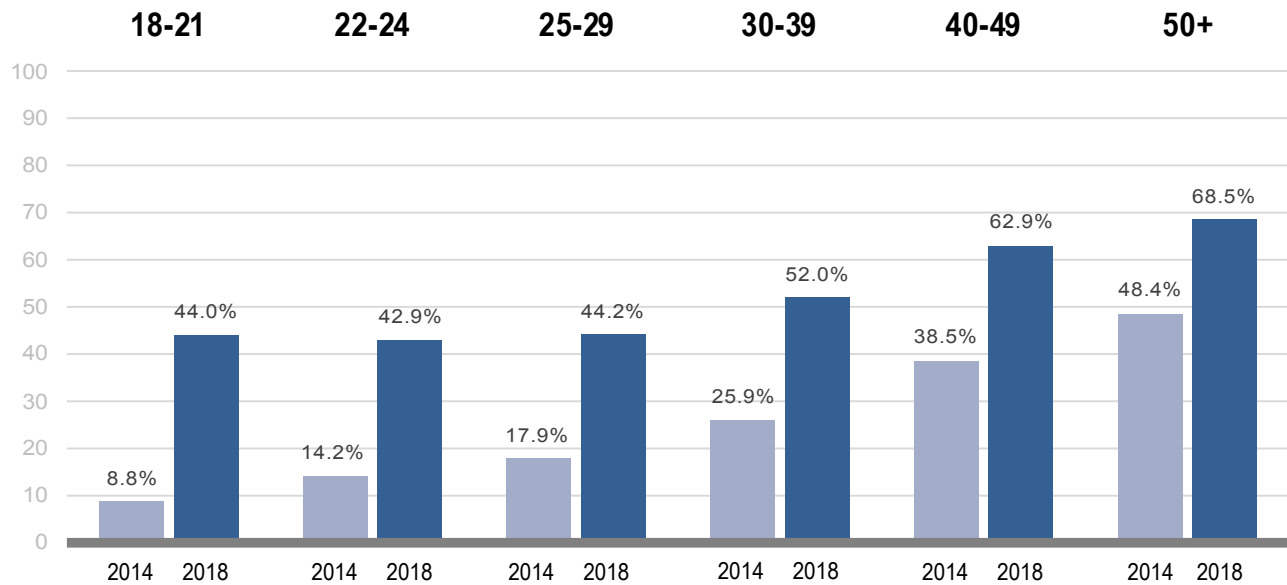


	2014		2018			
	Voted	Rate	Voted	Rate	Change	
Absentee	22	0.8%	77	1.1%	↑	0.4
Early Vote	1,317	46.8%	4,835	71.5%	↑	24.7
Mail	15	0.5%	45	0.7%	↑	0.1
In-Person, Election Day	1,432	50.9%	1,752	25.9%	↓	-25.0
Unknown	29	1.0%	50	0.7%		
Total	2,815		6,759			

* Your students' data broken down by voting method. If your campus has a high number of voting method "Unknown", it means that this information was not reported by local officials where your students voted.

YOUR STUDENTS' VOTING DATA | MIDTERM ELECTIONS

By Age Group*

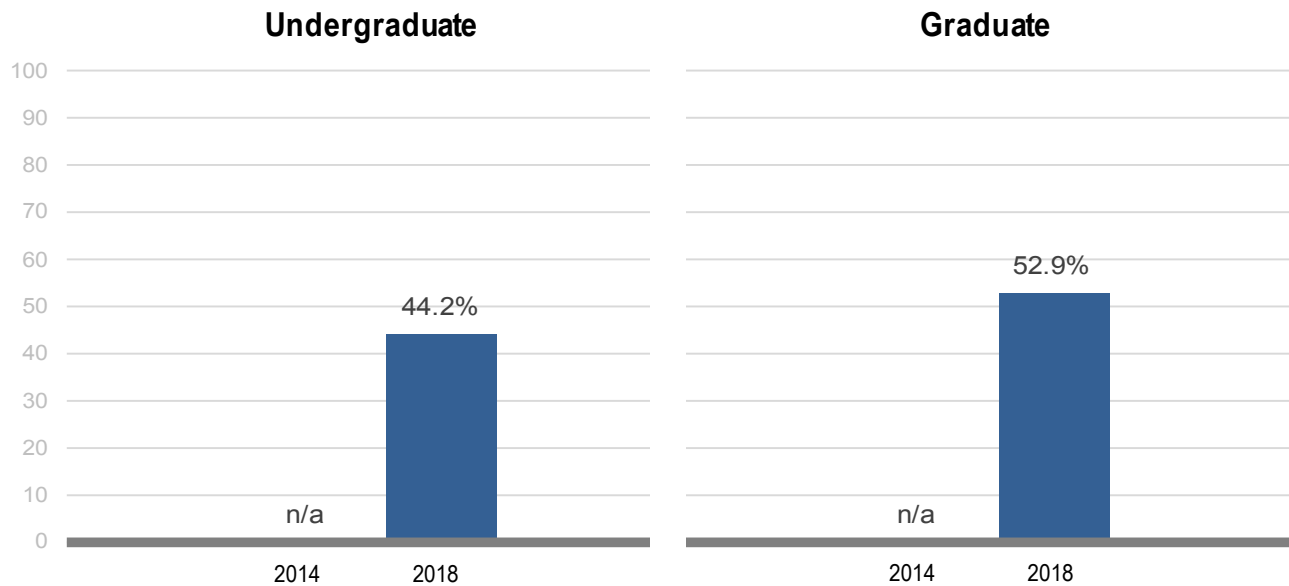


	2014			2018			Change
	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	
18-21	3,953	349	8.8%	4,511	1,984	44.0%	↑ 35.2
22-24	2,781	394	14.2%	3,037	1,304	42.9%	↑ 28.8
25-29	2,692	482	17.9%	2,617	1,157	44.2%	↑ 26.3
30-39	2,752	714	25.9%	2,427	1,263	52.0%	↑ 26.1
40-49	1,449	558	38.5%	1,136	714	62.9%	↑ 24.3
50+	657	318	48.4%	492	337	68.5%	↑ 20.1
Unknown	0			0			

* Your students' data broken down by age at the time of the election. To provide more accurate voting rates, students ineligible to vote because they were too young, students whose age data was not reported to the Clearinghouse, as well as records that were FERPA blocked are removed from this table. Please note that we are not able to adjust these voting rates by removing non-resident aliens, resident aliens or undocumented students.

YOUR STUDENTS' VOTING DATA | MIDTERM ELECTIONS

By Education Level*

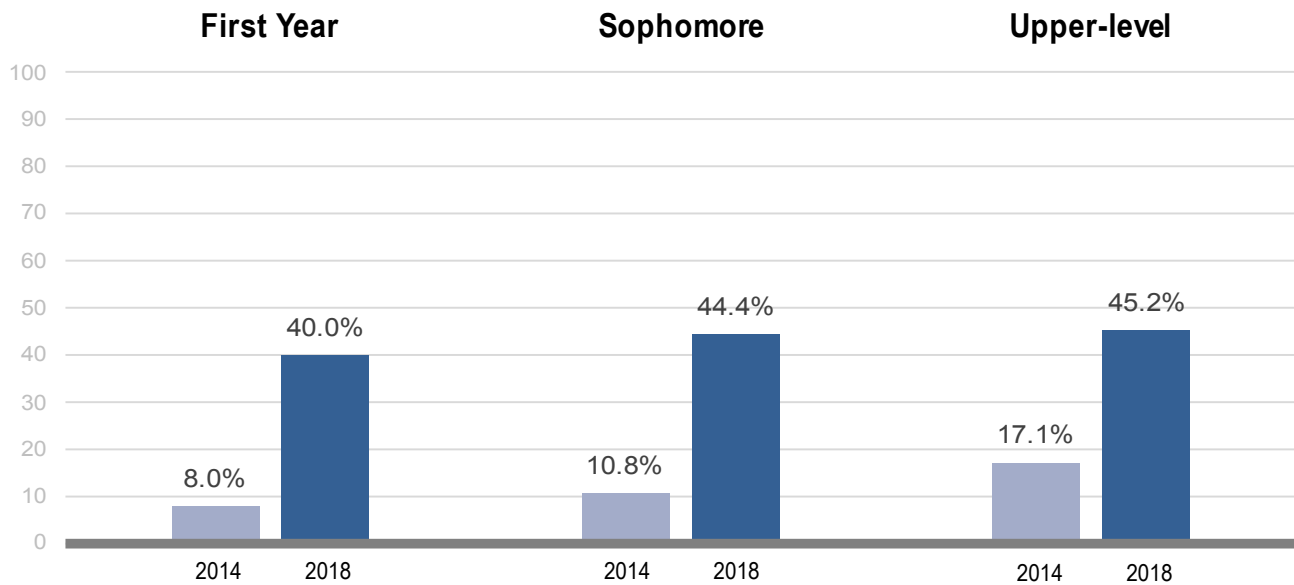


	2014			2018			Change
	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	
Undergraduate	0	0	n/a	8,987	3,975	44.2%	n/a
Graduate	0	0	n/a	4,933	2,608	52.9%	n/a
Unknown	14,284			300			

* Your students' data broken down by undergraduate and graduate students. To provide more accurate voting rates, students ineligible to vote because they were too young, students whose age data was not reported to the Clearinghouse, as well as records that were FERPA blocked are removed from this table. Please note that we are not able to adjust these voting rates by removing non-resident aliens, resident aliens or undocumented students.

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By Undergraduate Class Year*

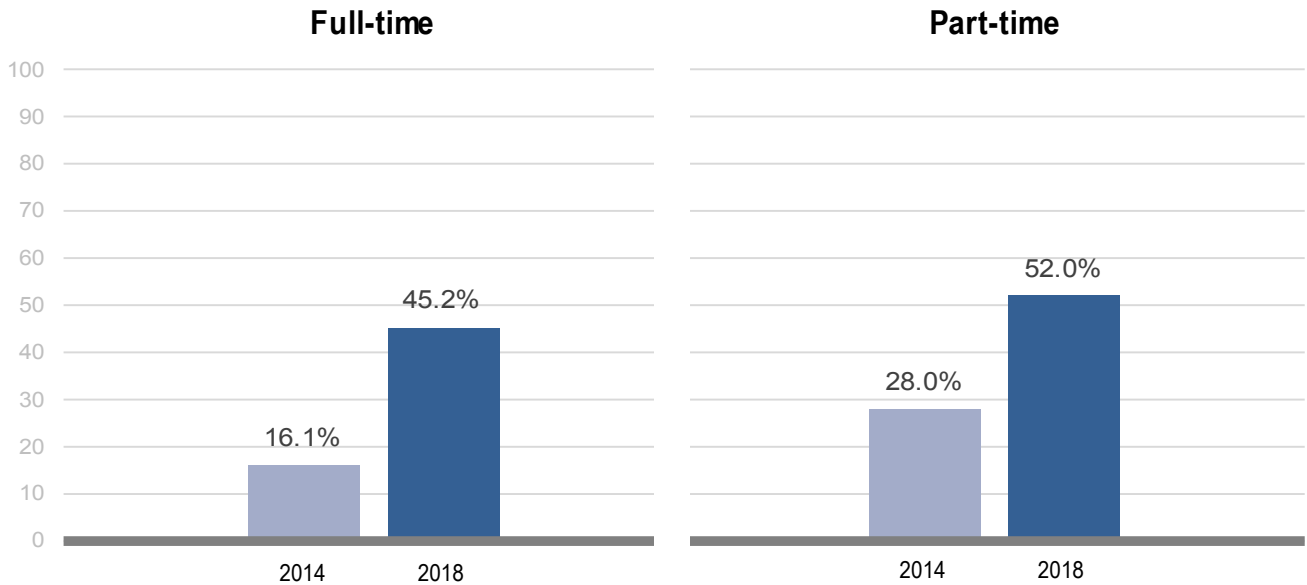


	2014			2018			Change	
	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	Enrolled	Voted	Rate		
First Year	1,655	132	8.0%	1,605	642	40.0%	↑	32.0
Sophomore	1,502	162	10.8%	1,578	701	44.4%	↑	33.6
Upper-level	5,306	908	17.1%	5,371	2,428	45.2%	↑	28.1

* Your students' data broken down by undergraduate students' class level. To provide more accurate voting rates, students ineligible to vote because they were too young, students whose age data was not reported to the Clearinghouse, as well as records that were FERPA blocked are removed from this table. Please note that we are not able to adjust these voting rates by removing non-resident aliens, resident aliens or undocumented students.

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By Enrollment Status*

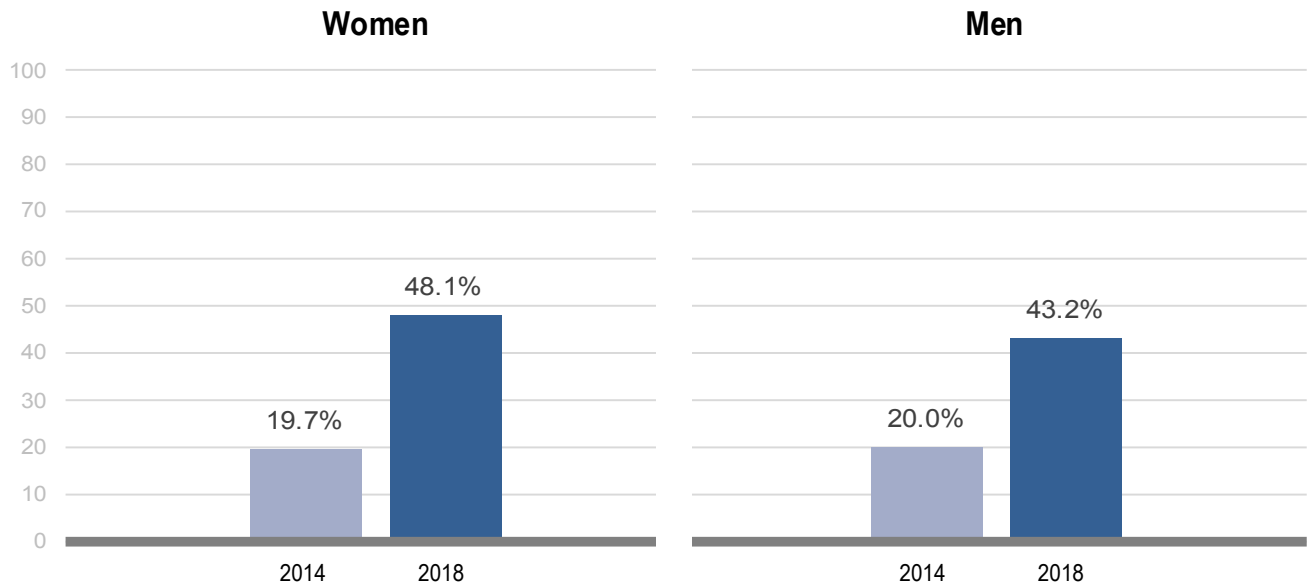


	2014			2018			Change	
	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	Enrolled	Voted	Rate		
Full-time	9,978	1,609	16.1%	9,294	4,197	45.2%	↑	29.0
Part-time	4,306	1,206	28.0%	4,926	2,562	52.0%	↑	24.0
Unknown	0	0	n/a	0	0	n/a		

* Your students' data broken down by part-time and full-time students. To provide more accurate voting rates, students ineligible to vote because they were too young, students whose age data was not reported to the Clearinghouse, as well as records that were FERPA blocked are removed from this table. Please note that we are not able to adjust these voting rates by removing non-resident aliens, resident aliens or undocumented students.

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By Gender*

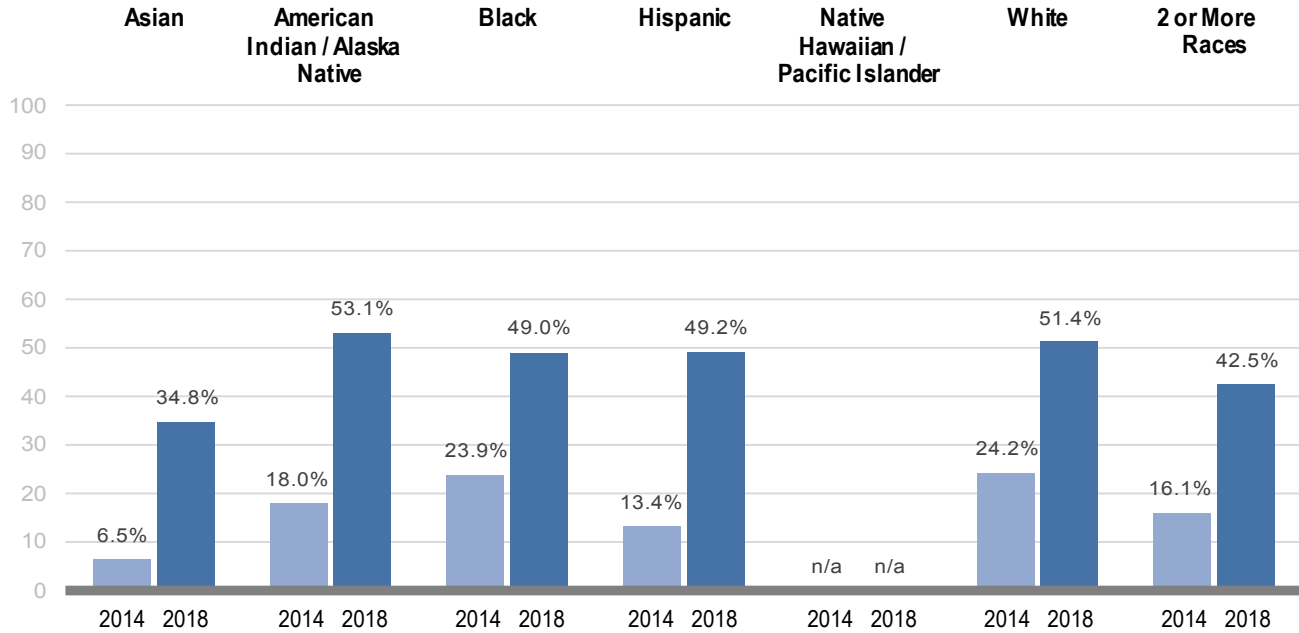


	2014			2018			Change	
	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	Enrolled	Voted	Rate		
Women	12,700	2,498	19.7%	12,716	6,110	48.1%	↑	28.4
Men	1,584	317	20.0%	1,504	649	43.2%	↑	23.1
Unknown	0			0				

* Your students' data broken down by gender. To provide more accurate voting rates, students ineligible to vote because they were too young, students whose age data was not reported to the Clearinghouse, as well as records that were FERPA blocked are removed from this table. Please note that we are not able to adjust these voting rates by removing non-resident aliens, resident aliens or undocumented students.

YOUR STUDENTS' VOTING DATA | MIDTERM ELECTIONS

By Race/Ethnicity*



	2014			2018			Change	
	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	Enrolled	Voted	Rate		
Asian	1,235	80	6.5%	1,300	452	34.8%	↑	28.3
American Indian/ Alaska Native	61	11	18.0%	49	26	53.1%	↑	35.0
Black	2,792	666	23.9%	2,380	1,167	49.0%	↑	25.2
Hispanic	2,939	393	13.4%	3,767	1,853	49.2%	↑	35.8
Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander	19	*	n/a	28	*	n/a		n/a
White	6,409	1,553	24.2%	5,410	2,781	51.4%	↑	27.2
2 or More Races	448	72	16.1%	447	190	42.5%	↑	26.4
Unknown	381			839				

* Your students' data broken down by race. To provide more accurate voting rates, students ineligible to vote because they were too young, students whose age data was not reported to the Clearinghouse, as well as records that were FERPA blocked are removed from this table. Please note that we are not able to adjust these voting rates by removing non-resident aliens, resident aliens or undocumented students. For this page, we consider international students of unknown race/ethnicity.

YOUR STUDENTS' VOTING DATA | MIDTERM ELECTIONS

By Field of Study*

* Your students' data broken down by field of study. To provide more accurate voting rates, students ineligible to vote because they were too young, students whose age data was not reported to the Clearinghouse, as well as records that were FERPA blocked are removed from this table. Please note that we are not able to adjust these voting rates by removing non-resident aliens, resident aliens or undocumented students. The green and red highlighted values below represent your campus's top three and bottom three voting rates by field of study.

	2014			2018			Change
	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	Enrolled	Voted	Rate	
Area, Ethnic, Cultural, Gender, and Group Studies	40	17	42.5%	42	32	76.2% ↑	33.7
Biological and Biomedical Sciences	539	42	7.8%	553	202	36.5% ↑	28.7
Business, Management, and Marketing	1,678	401	23.9%	1,561	744	47.7% ↑	23.8
Computer and Information Sciences	71	*	n/a	149	63	42.3%	n/a
Education	463	150	32.4%	386	230	59.6% ↑	27.2
English Language and Literature	161	48	29.8%	180	122	67.8% ↑	38.0
Family and Consumer/Human Sciences	636	131	20.6%	660	304	46.1% ↑	25.5
Health Professions	5,342	913	17.1%	5,594	2,573	46.0% ↑	28.9
History	83	28	33.7%	93	64	68.8% ↑	35.1
Law Enforcement, Firefighting, and Protective Services	186	36	19.4%	123	57	46.3% ↑	27.0
Legal Professions and Studies	82	14	17.1%	11	*	n/a	n/a
Liberal Arts and Sciences, and Humanities	711	177	24.9%	644	351	54.5% ↑	29.6
Library Science	409	194	47.4%	540	368	68.2% ↑	20.7
Mathematics and Statistics	125	22	17.6%	99	47	47.5% ↑	29.9
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies	1,286	202	15.7%	1,072	458	42.7% ↑	27.0
Parks, Recreation, Leisure, and Fitness Studies	790	81	10.3%	747	282	37.8% ↑	27.5
Personal and Culinary Services	16	*	n/a	22	*	n/a	n/a
Physical Sciences	58	*	n/a	31	12	38.7%	n/a
Psychology	468	75	16.0%	526	251	47.7% ↑	31.7
Public Administration and Social Service Professions	184	34	18.5%	189	93	49.2% ↑	30.7
Social Sciences	152	43	28.3%	301	169	56.2% ↑	27.9
Visual and Performing Arts	648	121	18.7%	617	275	44.6% ↑	25.9
Unknown	156	67	43.0%	80	50	62.5% ↑	19.6

Thank you for the work you do to improve your students' political learning and engagement. We hope that you find your NSLVE report useful. For up-to-date news on NSLVE data, resources, and to sign up for our newsletter visit: <https://idhe.tufts.edu>.

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