C1-C2: Applications

Total first-time, first-year (freshman) men who applied	7,325
Total first-time, first-year (freshman) women who applied	8,360
Total first-time, first-year (freshman) men who were admitted	3,695
Total first-time, first-year (freshman) women who were admitted	4,638
Total full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) men who enrolled	740
Total part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) men who enrolled	1
	828
	3
	15,685
	8,333
	1,572

WAITING LIST

Number of qualified applicants offered a place on waiting list:
Number accepting a place on the waiting list:

C3 **High school completion requirement**

X

C4

X

C5

	Units Required	Units Recommended
Total academic units	15	20+
English	4	4
Mathematics	3	4
Science	3	3
Of these, units that must be lab	2	2
Foreign language	2	3
Social studies	3	
History		3
Academic electives		3
Computer Science		
Visual/Performing Arts		
Other *(specify)*		

C6-C7: Basis for Selection

C6

other (explain):

C7

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C8A If yes, place check marks in the appropriate boxes below to reflect your institution's policies for use in admission for **Fall 2023.**

	ADMISSION				
	Require	**Recommend**	**Require for Some**	**Consider if Submitted**	**Not Used**
SAT or ACT				X	
ACT Only					
SAT Only					
SAT and SAT Subject Tests or ACT					
SAT Subject Tests					

C8B If your institution will make use of the ACT in admission decisions for first-time, first-year, degree-seeking applicants for **Fall 2023** please indicate which ONE of the following applies (regardless of whether the writing score will be used in the admissions process):

	ACT with writing required
	ACT with writing recommended
X	ACT with or without writing accepted

C8B If your institution will make use of the SAT in admission decisions for first-time, first-year, degree-seeking applicants for **Fall 2023** please indicate which ONE of the following applies (regardless of whether the Essay score will be used in the admissions process):

	SAT with Essay component required
	SAT with Essay component recommended
X	SAT with or without Essay component accepted

C8C Please indicate how your institution will use the SAT or ACT essay component; check all that apply.

	SAT essay	**ACT essay**
For admission		
For placement		
For advising	X	X
In place of an application essay		
As a validity check on the application process	X	X
No college policy as of now		
Not using essay component		

C8D In addition, does your institution use applicants' test scores for academic advising?

X	Yes
	No

C8E Latest date by which SAT or ACT scores must be received for fall-term admission — March 15th
Latest date by which SAT Subject Test scores must be received for fall-term admission —

C8F If necessary, use this space to clarify your test policies (e.g., if tests are recommended for some students, or if tests are not required of some students):

The SAT or ACT is not required for non-US citizen applicants attending high school outside of the U.S. nor for BFA programs for which an audition/portfolio is required. Scores will be used in admission and scholarship decisions if submitted. Visit smu.edu/apply for current testing policy.

C8G Please indicate which tests your institution uses for **placement (e.g., state tests):**

x	SAT
x	ACT
	SAT Subject Tests
x	AP
x	CLEP
x	Institutional Exam
	State Exam (specify):

C9-C12: Freshman Profile

Provide information for **ALL enrolled, degree-seeking, full-time and part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) students** enrolled in **Fall 2021**, including students who began studies during summer, international students/nonresident aliens, and students admitted under special arrangements.

C10

	Percent
	52%
	81%
	94% Top half +
	6% bottom half = 100%
	1%
	26%

C11

	Percent
	20.93%
	31.93%
	21.76%
	13.93%
	7.82%
	3.50%
	0.13%
	100.00%

C12

3.68

100.00%

C13-C20: Admission Policies

C13

		Yes	No
C15	**Are first-time, first-year students accepted for terms other than the fall?**	X	

C16 **Notification to applicants of admission decision sent** *(fill in one only)*

	On a rolling basis beginning (date):	
X	By (date):	1-Apr
	Other:	

C17 **Reply policy for admitted applicants** *(fill in one only)*

	Must reply by (date):	
	No set date	
X	Must reply by May 1st or within	2	weeks if notified thereafter
	Other:	

Deadline for housing deposit (MMDD): _____ 1-May _____
Amount of housing deposit: _____ $100 _____

Refundable if student does not enroll?

	Yes, in full
	Yes, in part
X	No

C18 **Deferred admission**

	Yes	No
Does your institution allow students to postpone enrollment after admission?	X	

If yes, maximum period of postponement: _____ 1 YEAR _____

C19 **Early admission of high school students**

	Yes	No
Does your institution allow high school students to enroll as full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) students one year or more before high school graduation?		X

C20 **Common Application:** Question removed from CDS. (Initiated during 2006-2007 cycle)

C21-C22: Early Decision and Early Action Plans

C21 **Early Decision**

	Yes	No
Does your institution offer an early decision plan (an admission plan that permits students to apply and be notified of an admission decision well in advance of the regular notification date and that asks students to commit to attending if accepted) for first-time, first-year (freshman) applicants for fall enrollment?	X	

If "yes," please complete the following:

First or only early decision plan closing date	11/1
First or only early decision plan notification date	12/31
Other early decision plan closing date	1/15
Other early decision plan notification date	4/1

For the Fall 2021 entering class:

Number of early decision applications received by your institution	637
Number of applicants admitted under early decision plan	350

Please provide significant details about your early decision plan:

SMU has two early decision deadlines, Early Decision 1 has November 1st deadline, Early 2 has January 15th deadline