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Mitchellmatchbox

By email: fyi-request-28274-ae38d55a@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Mitchellmatchbox

Official Information Act OIA 24.142 UC Student Numbers by Faculty 2024

I refer to the Official Information Act (the Act) request dated 1 September 2024 for information relating to student numbers by Faculty in 2024 at the University of Canterbury (UC). You have specifically requested:

• I wish to request the number of students enrolled by faculty at the University for the year ended 31 December 2024. This is total students, which includes undergraduates, postgraduates and part-time students. The breakdown should be by faculty e.g., Faculty of Law, Faculty of Engineering, UC Business School etc

The Information and Records Management team asked for clarification regarding if you were requesting the headcount number of students for the Equivalent Full Time Student (EFTS) number. You confirmed that you were requesting the headcount number of students.

Please find **overleaf** the headcount number of students in each faculty by headcount. As the 2024 academic year has not yet ended, the latest figures from 31 August 2024 have been provided. Please note that students can be enrolled in courses across multiple faculties simultaneously so will be counted in each faculty they have at least one course they are enrolled in. Service Units in this context primarily means Te Kura Tāura (Graduate School) but may also include other research units. Please note that there are other students that are not identifiable by Faculty that are not included in these figures (e.g. UC Online.)

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely Information and Records Management

Data: 31st Aug 2024	
Headcount of students by Programme Owning Faculty	
Faculty	Headcount
Faculty of Arts	3877
Faculty of Education	5103
Faculty of Engineering	4534
Faculty of Health	1401
Faculty of Law	2102
Faculty of Science	4765
UC Business School	3376
Service Units	1930
Not stated	40
* Students can be/ are across multiple Faculties	