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BOARD OF REGENTS ANNOUNCES 2008 FALL SEMESTER ENROLLMENT

All Six State Universities Experience Enrollment Increases

(TOPEKA) – Enrollment figures released today by the Kansas Board of Regents show an increase of 1,809 students at the state’s six universities. This represents a 2% increase for the 2008 fall semester over the 2007 fall semester. The state’s six universities reported a combined enrollment of 91,872 students as of the 20th day of classes (*please see data tables on page 2 for individual university enrollment figures*).

Fall semester 20th day enrollment data for the state’s six universities for the past five years is displayed in the following chart:

Semester	Headcount	Increase From Previous Year	% Increase From Previous Year
Fall 2008	91,872	1,809	2.0%
Fall 2007	90,063	557	0.6%
Fall 2006	89,506	689	0.8%
Fall 2005	88,817	547	0.6%
Fall 2004	88,270	670	0.8%
Total 5-Year Increase:		4,272	4.1%

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About the Kansas Board of Regents:

The nine-member Kansas Board of Regents is the governing board of the state’s six universities and the statewide coordinating board for the state’s 32 public higher education institutions (six state universities, a municipal university, nineteen community colleges, and six technical colleges). In addition, the Board administers the state’s student financial aid, adult education, GED, and career and technical education programs. The Board also authorizes private proprietary schools and out-of-state institutions to operate in Kansas, and administers the Kan-ed network, a statewide network that provides broadband Internet access and distance learning capabilities for schools, hospitals, and libraries.

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Enrollment Headcount at State Universities
Fall 2008 Academic Semester

University	Headcount, Fall 2008	Change from Fall 2007	Percentage Change from Fall 2007
Emporia State University	6,404	50	0.8%
Fort Hays State University	10,107	519	5.4%
Kansas State University	23,520	188	0.8%
Pittsburg State University	7,127	40	0.6%
University of Kansas Total	30,102	842	2.9%
University of Kansas	26,999	657	2.5%
University of Kansas - Medical Center	3,103	185	6.3%
Wichita State University	14,612	170	1.2%
GRAND TOTAL	91,872	1,809	2.0%

Detail of 20th Day Enrollment Totals - Fall 2008 Compared to Fall 2007

University	Resident Fall 08	Change in Residents Fall 08 to Fall 07	Non-Resident Fall 08	Change in Non-residents Fall 08 to Fall 07	On-Campus Fall 08	Change in On-Campus Fall 08 to Fall 07	Off-Campus Fall 08	Change in Off-Campus Fall 08 to Fall 07
ESU	5,145	-140	1,259	190	4,765	-96	1,639	146
FHSU	5,504	-45	4,603	564	4,303	-130	5,804	649
KSU	17,957	-296	5,563	484	20,652	73	2,868	115
PSU	5,126	10	2,001	30	6,535	23	592	17
KU-total	20,999	703	9,103	139	28,106	767	1,996	75
KU	18,890	599	8,109	58	25,490	671	1,509	-14
KUMC	2,109	104	994	81	2,616	96	487	89
WSU	12,569	23	2,043	147	14,297	130	315	40
TOTAL	67,300	255	24,572	1,554	78,658	767	13,214	1,042