

FY21 Q1 Admissions Funnel Summary for Advertising

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Brief Description:

The following report provides 2 summaries. First, I show a succinct version of the Weekly Admission's Reports put together by John Tabor, Associate Director of Communications & Analytics at the University of Southern Maine. This report is condensed to include only the number of inquiries and applications Admissions has seen to date for the FA21 and FA20 cycles. The second table is a summary of the number of completed inquiry forms as an initial referral source. Forms are completed by digital ad viewers who have navigated to **request more information**.

Findings

Admissions Funnel Summary to September 21, 2020 (most current)

Audience	Inquiries		Applicants		YoY Change	
	Inq.FA21	Inq.FA20	App.FA21	App_FA20	Chg.Inq	Chg.App
HS_IS	1,184	3,420	36	44	-65%	-18%
HS_OOS	4,214	7,717	81	65	-45%	25%
TR	4,989	11,558	66	64	-57%	3%
WA	386	697	120	98	-45%	22%
GR_WA	102	362	96	81	-72%	19%
GR_CU	119	277	36	42	-57%	-14%
Online	-	-	7	1		600%

Marketing Forms as an Initial Inquiry Source (July 1 to September 30)

Audience	Inquiries		Change
	FY21	FY20	
HS-IS	32	22	45.45%
HS-OOS	13	30	-56.67%
HS-UNKN	7	39	-82.05%
TR	14	54	-74.07%
WA	2	3	-33.33%
GR	13	94	-86.17%
OL	24	22	9.09%

Conclusions

- Overall, inquiries for Fall 2021 are down.
- Marketing inquiries are also down as a whole, however they are up for both in-state HS students seeking an Undergraduate degree and students interested in an Online program. Aside from the marketing inquiry forms for online programs, SF is currently not set up to track online degree inquiries in the weekly admissions funnel report. We see applications for online programs are up a lot, indicating a positive trend.
- Applications are slightly up for most audiences.

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