

Enrollment Highest In YU History

Dr. Howard W. Jones, President of Youngstown University, reported the highest enrollment in the history of the school with a total of 5,638 students enrolled this fall as compared with 5,269 last fall, or an increase of 369 students. The figures are from the official count taken at the end of the third week of the fall semester which is customary in universities.

Dr. Jones said the heaviest enrollment is in the William Rayen School of Engineering with a total of 1,542. Following closely is the School of Business Administration with 1,536, The College of Arts and Sciences with 1,209 and the department of education with 1,168. The Dana School of Music has an enrollment of 130 and the School of Law, a total of 53 students.

The greatest increase in enrollment is in the department of education with 168 more students than last year and the next in the School of Business Administration with an increase of 142.

Freshman Enrollment Rises

The total freshman enrollment for

this fall is 2,239 as compared with 2,207 for the fall of 1956.

In addition to the heavy enrollment in the university proper, Dr. Jones said that nine firms are participating this year in the Youngstown Technical Institute program of the University with a total of 232 men from these industries enrolled for special courses in seven fields related to their jobs at the plants.

Enrollment figures point up the fact that the expected gradual drop in veteran enrollment is taking place with 1,463 veterans enrolled this year compared with 1,629 for the fall of 1956.

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Youngstown University over the past ten years shows the following:
1947, 4,242; 1948, 4,359; 1949, 4,279; 1950, 3,741; 1951, 3,487; 1952, 3,142; 1953, 3,356; 1954, 3,846; 1955, 4,597; 1956, 5,269; 1957, 5,638.