

Did you know that

1. Seven hundred and fourteen of the 5,418 students enrolled in the university the first semester were from states other than Oklahoma and ten were from foreign countries.

2. Most of these students came to the university to take advantage of the graduate standards of the university made possible by the faculty research, limited as it is.

3. The total enrollment for the entire academic year this year may be 10,000 students.

4. William Bennett Bizzell, president of the university, is entering his sixth year as chief executive of the university, that he is one of the outstanding state university presidents of America and that he is an administrator of the Nelson Art foundation of Kansas City.

5. Students are enrolled in the university from every county in Oklahoma and from thirty-seven other states.

6. Texas leads in the number of out-of-state students, having 338 enrolled.

7. There are only sixty-nine full professors on the university teaching faculty, nine deans, forty-nine associate professors, sixty-seven assistant professors, sixty-six instructors and twenty-four assistants.

8. Fifty per cent of the teaching staff of the university is below the rank of associate professor.

9. The University of Oklahoma has the highest teaching load out of thirty-six state universities reporting in a recent survey.

10. The average teaching load for the three universities showing the worst records are: Oklahoma, 15.4 teaching hours to the teacher; University of North Dakota, 14.2 teaching hours; University of Mississippi, 14.4.

11. The average teaching load among these state universities is eleven hours to the teacher.

12. The universities reporting showed as the lightest teaching load: University of Virginia, 7.4 teaching hours to the teacher; University of Minnesota, 8.7; University of Wisconsin, 8.8. The Uni-

versity of Pennsylvania, not represented in this particular survey, has an average load of slightly more than five.

13. The teaching load the week is distributed at the university as follows: professors 14.4 hours; associate professors 15.3 hours; assistant professors 15.4 hours; instructors 16.4 hours. It must be remembered that in addition, the average teacher works from seven to ten hours a day on school work—recitations, grading papers, preparation, consultation and advice with students, etc.

14. A university's functions are to encourage research and so contribute to the advancement of humanity, and to give instruction; a college's functions are to give instruction. Research makes the university.

15. Out of fourteen state universities reporting, Oklahoma has the next to the lowest per capita cost per student. It costs the state \$251.01 to give one student university training. In Nebraska it costs \$434.46, in Idaho \$539.98, in Maine \$557.75.

16. The University of Oklahoma ranks third from the bottom in maintenance student per capita cost among these same universities, it costing for university maintenance only \$62.85 per capita. Texas and Oregon have lower costs than Oklahoma. Wisconsin spends \$316.49 per capita.

17. The University of Oklahoma, in a list of thirty-six state universities, stands fifth from the bottom in the student per capita cost, considering combined salaries and maintenance. Below Oklahoma are Maryland, Alabama, Mississippi and Utah.

18. Minnesota, with a little more than twice the students of the University of Oklahoma, has more than three times the money Oklahoma appropriates for its university. Louisiana, with less than half the number of students at Oklahoma, has an appropriation of only \$100,000 less than Oklahoma's. Nebraska, with a thousand more students, has twice the resources of the university.

19. Oklahoma, in the same list of state universities in the foregoing survey,

stands third from the top in the list of students per instructor, there being 19.07 students per instructor, as compared to Colorado's 23.11, and Alabama's 21.13. The ranking below Oklahoma is Kansas, with 17.08 students per instructor.

20. That Oklahoma has one of the poorest paid teaching staffs at any state university.

21. Last year, the university spent only \$7,293 on travel.

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Salaries of presidents

What are the salaries of university presidents in the larger American universities? There has been some discussion in Oklahoma relative to the salaries paid the presidents of the state university and of the state college. A survey recently made reveals that the president of the state university ranks fifteenth among the state universities in the salary he receives, although his school is the eighth largest in that group of state universities and colleges.

Wisconsin leads, with a salary of \$20,400 per annum. Wyoming, Missouri and Oklahoma each pay \$12,500 per annum to the president of the state university. In these three universities, Oklahoma has the largest enrollment, and the rating in the table below is based on enrollment totals, the school with the smallest enrollment being placed first and the school with the highest, last, in each group of the same salaries.

The second table reveals the enrollments in the first fifteen schools.

The table of salaries follows:

SALARIES	
Wisconsin	\$20,400
Illinois	20,000
University of Iowa	18,000
Minnesota	18,000
Virginia	15,000
West Virginia	15,000
Rutgers	15,000
Maryland	15,000
Iowa State	15,000
Purdue	15,000
Ohio State	15,000
Oregon	12,600
Wyoming	12,500
Missouri	12,500
OKLAHOMA	12,500
ENROLLMENT	
Illinois	12,709
Minnesota	12,334
Ohio State	10,829
Wisconsin	9,401
University of Washington	7,358
Nebraska	6,327
University of Iowa	5,720
OKLAHOMA	5,418
Purdue	4,544
Iowa State	4,284
Indiana	4,202
Missouri	3,986
Alabama	3,804
Oklahoma Aggie	3,344
Oregon	3,344