Founded: 1928  
Location: San Angelo  
Enrollment: 11,250  
Facilities: 276-acre main campus valued at $1.2 billion*  
Off-Campus Facilities:  
1. Management, Instruction and Research Center, which sits on 6,000 acres of research farm and ranch land and houses the Food Safety and Product Development Lab and Mayer-Rousselot Agricultural Education and Training Center;  
2. Small Business Development Center, which is housed in the downtown Business Resource Center and offers no-cost business advising services and a variety of business training events;  
3. ASU Lake House on the bank of nearby Lake Nasworthy, which hosts various campus and student organization events and offers a variety of recreational activities for students, faculty and staff.  
Degree Programs: 49 undergraduate and 34 graduate, including four doctoral  
Student/Faculty Ratio: 18:1  
Budget: $145,566,479  
Athletics: Six men's and nine women's teams  
Athletic Affiliations: NCAA Division II, Lone Star Conference  
Athletic Mascots: Rams and Rambelles  
School Colors: Blue and Gold  
President: Ronnie D. Hawkins Jr.  
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Scholarships at ASU  
ASU offers more than 600 scholarship programs for eligible students, who can earn up to $52,000 over four years. In 2022-23, ASU awarded $12.7 million in scholarship funds to students. Over 52% of ASU students receive funds from ASU’s endowed scholarship programs.

HUB Expenditures  
Since 2017, Angelo State’s expenditures with historically underutilized businesses (HUBs) have increased by almost 30%. ASU’s HUB expenditures for FY22 totaled $7.27 million, compared to $4.26 million in 2018. HUB purchases as a percentage of total ASU expenditures have risen from 8.6% in 2018 to 23.05% in 2022.  

Hispanic Serving Institution  
ASU has been designated a Hispanic Serving Institution by the U.S. Department of Education since 2010. ASU also earned its initial Seal of Excelencia certification from the national Excelencia in Education organization in October 2023. For the 2023-24 academic year, ASU’s Hispanic enrollment sits at 40.5%. Additionally, a large percentage of ASU’s student body and of each graduating class is made up of first-generation students. Specific programs aimed at promoting the success of first-generation and former foster care students are administered by various offices across the ASU campus.

National Recognition  
ASU has consistently been recognized by major national publications for its academic programs and services for students, as well as its work environment. The Princeton Review has named ASU one of the nation’s “Best Colleges” for undergraduate education since 2010. Other national designations include “Military Friendly School” by GI Jobs magazine, “First-gen Forward Institution” by the Center for First-generation Student Success, and “Great College to Work For” by ModernThink and The Chronical of Higher Education.

Faculty Workload  
Full-time Angelo State faculty teach 12 hours of undergraduate courses, nine hours of graduate courses or a combination of both. Some exceptions come in programs where accreditation requires a lesser workload.

ASU Alumni  
As of May 1, ASU has 50,437 living alumni, including 43,994 undergraduate alumni and 4,458 graduate alumni.
Students

Trey Hughes of Christoval, a team roper on the ASU Rodeo Team, has qualified to compete in the 2024 College National Finals Rodeo (CNFR) June 9-15 in Casper, Wyoming. Only the top three individuals from each NIRA region in each event qualify for the CNFR. Hughes, an interdisciplinary studies major, finished third overall in the Team Roping Header standings for the NIRA Southwest Region to book his spot in the finals.

Daysha Johnson of San Angelo, a graduate student in the Master of Business Administration (MBA) program, was named the 2024 South Central Province Collegian of the Year by the Delta Sigma Pi (DSP) national professional business fraternity. The Collegian of the Year Award for each of the five DSP provinces is one of the highest honors for its collegiate members. Johnson was selected for the award over nominees representing the 34 other collegiate chapters in the South Central Province, which includes Texas, Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, Missouri and Oklahoma.

Selah Rose Kjar of San Angelo, a senior music major, has earned a 2023-24 Presser Undergraduate Scholar Award from the Presser Foundation in Philadelphia that includes a $3,000 scholarship and the title of Presser Scholar. The award annually celebrates students, selected by their music faculty during their final year of study, “who have achieved a high level of music and academic excellence, demonstrated leadership and contributed to an inclusive community.” It is the most prestigious undergraduate honor in music at Angelo State.

Hannah Jones of Fort Worth, a junior art major, won Best in Show and the Donna Swartz Family Visual Arts Scholarship following the judging of the 2024 Art Student Scholarship Exhibit. Her winning entry was an oil painting titled “Self Portrait,” which was displayed along with all the other entries for several weeks in ASU’s Gallery 193.

Letizia Corsini of Porto Sant’Elpidio, Italy, was named the 2024 Lone Star Conference Women’s Tennis Player of the Year. She went 19-0 in singles play and 18-2 in doubles play with her partner, Ayda Guler of Sydney Australia. Corsini, a mechanical engineering major, was also named to the All-LSC first team, while she and Guler, an exercise science major, also earned All-LSC honorable mention for doubles.

Trey Farrer of St. George, Utah, a graduate student forward on the Rams basketball team, was named to the 2023-24 Academic All-District Team by the College Sports Communicators organization. Farrer, an interdisciplinary studies major, finished third overall in the Team Roping Header standings for the NIRA Southwest Region to book his spot in the finals.

To be eligible, a student-athlete must be at least a sophomore, have at least a 3.50 GPA and have completed in 90% of the team’s games for the season. Farrer graduates this month with his master’s degree in business data science and analytics after averaging 11.3 points and 6.1 rebounds per game for the Rams in his final season.

Sawyer Lloyd of Wall, a senior guard on the Rambelles basketball team, was named to the Non-Division I All-Texas Women’s Basketball Team by Dave Campbell’s Texas Football. She averaged 14.7 points, 6.8 rebounds and five assists per game as she helped lead the Belles to a 20-12 record and spot in the LSC Tournament. She finishes her ASU career first all-time in steals (292) and third all-time in points scored (1,743).

Cheyenne Floyd of Liberty Hill, a junior pitcher on the Rambelles softball team, has been named to the Tucci/NFCA Player of the Year Watch List. Voted on by the NFCA's Division II All-American Committee, the 2024 Tucci/NFCA Player and Pitcher of the Year winners will be announced on May 27 following the conclusion of the NCAA Division II National Championships. Floyd is among the nation's leaders in wins (20) and strikeouts (148).

Faculty/Staff

Dr. Russell “Rusty” Calk, an ASU alumnus and member of the accounting faculty, has been selected as the inaugural holder of the Low Family Endowed Chair in Accounting in ASU’s Norris-Vincent College of Business (NVCOB). The Low Family Chair was established through a $1 million gift from ASU alum Mark Low, CEO of Juno Energy in Plano. An endowed chair is the most prestigious academic appointment available for university faculty and includes funding to supplement the holder’s scholarly research and public service activities, as well as support student professional development.

Dr. Scarlet Clouse, dean of the College of Education, announced that ASU has received a commendation from the Texas Education Agency’s State Board for Educator Certification (SBEC) for graduating a high percentage of new teachers who go to work in rural Texas school districts. ASU was one of only four institutions recognized in the “Preparing the Educators Texas Needs” category. For 2022-23, 17% of ASU’s first-year teacher education graduates were working in designated rural school districts.