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Odessa College sees record enrollment numbers for spring 2010

ODESSA (Feb. 11, 2010) – Odessa College’s spring 2010 enrollment numbers are 5,621 which is a 10 percent increase from spring 2009’s enrollment of 5,110 students. The spring 2010 enrollment number is the highest enrollment number in the college’s history. These enrollment numbers include the flex numbers.

Spring 2010 enrollment numbers also set another record as the third consecutive semester that Odessa College has enrolled more than 5,000 students. While OC enrollment has previously exceeded 5,000, it has not had three consecutive semesters in which enrollment exceeded 5,000 students until now.

OC President Dr. Gregory Williams said Odessa College is “pleased and proud” that the community continues to respond to OC’s efforts to increase and enhance educational opportunities for more people.

“The Odessa College Board of Trustees decided that we should be more active in our community and create more opportunities for access to higher education for our community members,” he said. “The faculty, staff and administration of OC have moved forward in an attempt to support those goals.”

Williams added, “While I am very proud of the enrollment records that we continue to establish, and the improved success of our students, I am committed to helping Odessa College become the very best. Becoming the best is a journey that has many twists and turns as well as ups and downs. Still, we hope that our community can see and believe that we are trending in a very positive direction. We know that we have posted enrollment numbers that are unprecedented in the long and glorious history of our college, and still we believe that we have much more to offer our community, as long as we remain on the path to improvement and excellence.”