

WAD 2021 YEAR-END MEETINGS

Ag. Vice-Chancellor's Report

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2020/2021 Academic Year



**VALLEY VIEW
UNIVERSITY**

Outline

1. Academics Programmes
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Valley View University

- Vision
 - To be a center of excellence for value-based Christian education.
- Mission
 - To foster a harmonious development of the physical, intellectual, social, and spiritual faculties of the student, in a sound learning and research environment for meaningful service to God and humanity.
- Values
 - Excellence, Integrity, Service

Schools/Faculties

1. Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences
2. Faculty of Science
3. School of Business
4. School of Nursing & Midwifery
5. School of Education
6. School of Graduate Studies
7. School of Adult & Distance Education

Student Population 2016 – 2021 (Enrolments)

SCHOOLS/FACULTIES	16-17	17-18	18-19	19-20	20-21	%
Arts & Social Sciences	377	386	397	353	408	5
Science	524	501	393	375	447	6
Business	901	634	492	365	361	5
Nursing & Midwifery	928	971	1105	1133	1509	20
Education	5811	5214	5036	4106	3360	44
Sch. of Adult & Dist. Educ.	1006	958	978	833	828	11
Graduate Studies	525	704	627	535	660	9
Total	10072	9368	9028	7700	7573	100

2021 Enrolment by Gender & Religion

GENDER	TOTAL	%
Male	4,457	59.37
Female	3,116	40.63
TOTAL	7,573	100

DENOMINATION	TOTAL	%
Adventists	3,358	44.0
Others	4,215	56.0
TOTAL	7,573	100

Academic Programmes

- 50 academic programmes.
 - Two newly accredited programmes
 - BA Communication Studies
 - BSc Agric Science
- Collaboration with AUA
 - Master of Divinity in place of Post Graduate Diploma in Pastoral Ministry

COVID-19 & VVU

- Academic Schedule
 - Missed Semester I of 2020/21 year due to lockdown.
- Ongoing adjustments to regularize academic year
 - Running 3 semesters this year.
 - Blended teaching modes.
 - iSchool & VVU eLearning platform
 - Sandwich programme fully online since lockdown.
- December 2021 **Graduation** – Face-to-face
 - Graduating 2,300 students

COVID-19 & VVU

- *Enrollment & Recruitment*

- Inability to embark on face-to-face promotions.
- Difficulty recruiting qualified lecturers during pandemic – job insecurity.
 - Succession plan in place

- *Opportunities presented by covid-19*

- Fee collection rate increased up to 95% thru online exams.
- Appreciation for online education in Ghana
 - Preparing to seek accreditation for 100% online school.

COVID-19 & VVU

- *Infrastructure Expansion*
 - Searching for avenues to expand infrastructure to accommodate increasing demand for online education.
- *Covid-19 Cases*
 - Students were screened on campus.
 - Some tested positive, but doing well now.
 - One student was lost to the virus.

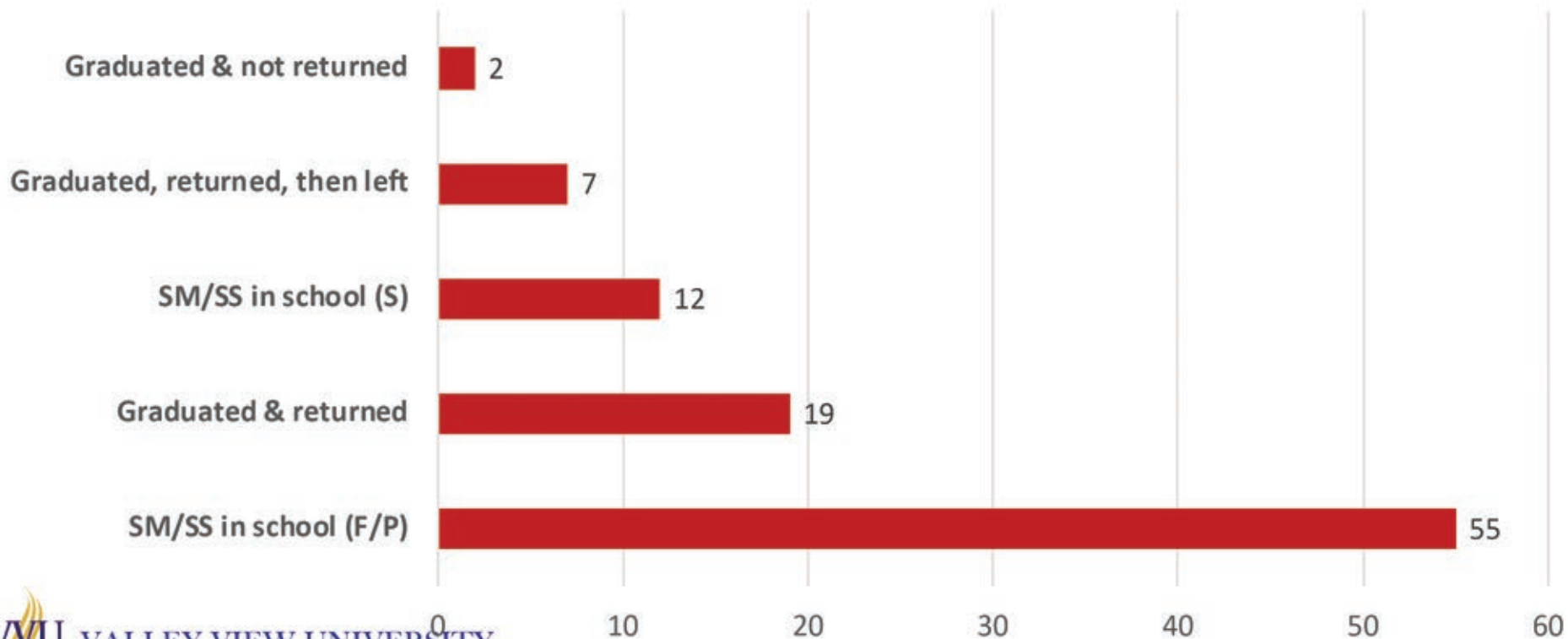
STAFF

Category	Males	Females	Total	S.D.A.s	Non-S.D.A.s
Senior Members	98	34	132	116	16
Staff	83	53	136	105	31
Total	181	87	268	221	47
%	68%	32%	100%	82%	18%

Training & Development: Jul 2014 – Oct 2021

SM/SS in School (F/P)	Graduated & Returned to VVU	SM/SS in School (Self-sponsored)	Graduated, Returned, then Left	Graduated & not Returned
55	19	12	7	2

STAFF TRAINING



Training & Development *cont'd*

Faculty **Orientation**

- Organized one each semester.
- Focused on grant proposal writing, and Integration of Faith and Learning.

Right-sizing

- Need for right-sizing became apparent in the wake of covid-19.

CHAPLAINCY

- **Devotions** and special prayer activities revived
 - Regular staff morning devotions
- **Worship Sessions**
 - Face-to-face worship resumed at 4 worship centres.
- **Bible studies** and revelation seminars.
- **VVU Media Center**
 - **FM Station** used for evangelism by staff/students.

CHAPLAINCY

- Blended Weeks of Spiritual Emphasis:
 - Streamed on Zoom, YouTube, HopeTV Ghana and VVU Radio
- Three (3) **Evangelistic Groups**
 - Divine Messengers Movement, ANNOUNCE, and THEMSEA
 - Evangelize during vacations; assisted by VVU
- **Baptisms** from Evangelistic activities – 406
 - Semester 1 – 241
 - Semester 2 – 165

CHAPLAINCY

THEMSA Church Building Project At Sanguli (Tatale District)

- Theology & Mission Students Association (THEMSA)
 - Constructed 100 seater church building with two offices in Northern Region for a new church opened.
- Total cost estimated at USD 11,400.

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Certificate in Ministry

- Proposed to train selected residents at Northern Region:
 - Certificate in Ministry
 - Diploma in Ministry
 - BA in Theology
- Training will take place at the Northern Region

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

- Student Leadership Training
 - Organized for all student leaders each semester.
- CAMFED Scholars (VVU Chapter)
 - Undertook Community Service Project Presbyterian pre-school.
 - Health talk, Sewing of buttons, patching of uniforms, songs, donations

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VENTURES

- The University Venture Areas:
 1. Bakery
 2. Water Factory
 3. Farming (crop and poultry)

- Ventures contributed **significant financial support** during the lockdown.

FINANCE

- Self-Support: **131%**
- Working Capital:
 - Percentage of Recommendation: **174.38%**
 - Current Ratio: **1.49%**
- Liquidity Statement:
 - Percentage Liquid Assets to Commitments: **49.06%**
- Paid \$100,000 of **VVU debt to WAD** and has a standing order plan to clear remaining debt.

FINANCE

- GHS2.55m is invested to **pay off Prudential Bank** Limited loan on Dec 31, 2021.
- **VVU loan with Ghana Adventist Heritage Fund** stands at GHS5,055,000. VVU has a savings of GHS2, 344,974.34.
- VVU has established a GHS30,000 monthly standing order to pay off the **debt of Advent Press** that stands at GHS340,000.

FINANCE

- **Capital Projects** on the Chapel and the School of Business have been put **on hold** due to a review of the contractor's work output against funds given to the contractor.
- Waiting for the outcome of the **Appointment of External Auditors**. It is hoped that WAD Executives shall approve the request.
- **Medical insurance** is restored. Package cost is GHS500,000 a year for a benefit package of GHS9,400,000.

Praise God

Thank You All For The Support