



## 2001-2002 Highlights

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Graduate student enrollment increased 8.2 percent over fall 2000, bringing the number to an all time high of 1,189 students.

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The university community comes together on the lawn of Bibb Graves Hall to mourn the victims of the September 11 attacks. Among those killed at the Pentagon was Major Dewayne Williams, son of JSU retiree Pearl Williams.

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In response to the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks, the JSU campus community rises to the occasion by raising money for the American Red Cross, holding candlelight vigils and also a day of prayer and remembrance.

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The Captioned Media Program, a federally funded project that makes captioned videos and DVDs available for the benefit of individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing, created its first Postsecondary Depository at JSU. There will be 3 other such regional depositories in the United States.

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The old Jacksonville High School gym has been refurbished to be used as a practice gym for the JSU athletics teams and intramural sports.

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JSU Gadsden Joe Ford Economic Development Center is complete. It houses JSU Gadsden administrative offices and some classrooms.

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Houston Cole Library began using the Docutek Electronic Reserve System, which is integrated with the Voyager web-based library catalog to make test files, class notes, journal articles and other reserve materials available through the Internet to JSU students and faculty.

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JSU and Gadsden State purchased building 3181 at Fort McClellan. JSU will use its portion of the building to house the continuing education department.

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ACHE approved JSU's proposal to offer a Bachelor of Science degree in emergency management. JSU's program is one of only 4 such programs in the United States and the only one to be offered completely online. JSU was already offering a MPA in emergency management.

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Houston Cole Library installed an image based online reserve reading system. This system will provide online access to reserve readings for distance learners.

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The university acquired the Jax Apartment complex to be utilized for more student housing.

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