

**A. General Information**

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A1	If you have a mailing address other	

**A2 Source of institutional control (Check only one):**

A2	Public	
A2	Private (nonprofit)	x
A2	Proprietary	

**A3 Classify your undergraduate institution:**

A3	Coeducational college	x
A3	Men's college	
A3	Women's college	

**A4 Academic year calendar:**

A4	Semester	x
A4	Quarter	
A4	Trimester	
A4	4-1-4	
A4	Continuous	
A4	Differs by program (describe):	
A4	Other (describe):	

**A5 Degrees offered by your institution:**

A5	Certificate	x
A5	Diploma	
A5	Associate	
A5	Transfer Associate	
A5	Terminal Associate	
A5	Bachelor's	x

A5	Postbachelor's certificate	x
A5	Master's	x
A5	Post-master's certificate	x
A5	Doctoral degree	x
A5	Doctoral degree –	x
A5	Doctoral degree -- other	

**B. ENROLLMENT AND PERSISTENCE**

B1

**Institutional Enrollment - Men and Women** Provide numbers of students for each of the following categories as of the institution's official fall reporting date or as of October 15, 2019. Note: Report students formerly designated as "first professional" in the graduate cells. Please see: [https://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/pdf/Reporting\\_Study\\_Abroad%20Students\\_5.31.17.pdf](https://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/pdf/Reporting_Study_Abroad%20Students_5.31.17.pdf)

	FULL-TIME		PART-TIME	
	Men	Women	Men	Women
<b>Undergraduates</b>				
Degree-seeking, first-time	239	449	2	2
Other first-year, degree-seeking	132	149	48	107
All other degree-seeking	1,170	2,264	164	402
<b>Total degree-seeking</b>	<b>1,541</b>	<b>2,862</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>511</b>
All other undergraduates enrolled	0	8	0	0
<b>Total undergraduates</b>	<b>1,541</b>	<b>2,870</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>511</b>
<b>Graduate</b>				
Degree-seeking, first-time	235	589	91	256
All other degree-seeking	447	1029	485	1291
All other graduates enrolled in				
<b>Total graduate</b>	<b>682</b>	<b>1618</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>1547</b>
Total all undergraduates				5,136
Total all graduate				4,423
<b>GRAND TOTAL ALL STUDENTS</b>				<b>9,559</b>

B2

**Enrollment by Racial/Ethnic Category.** Provide numbers of undergraduate students for each of the following categories as of the institution's official fall reporting date or as of October 15, 2019. Include international students only in the category "Nonresident aliens." Complete the "Total Undergraduates" column only if you cannot provide data for the first two columns. Report as your institution reports to IPEDS: persons who are Hispanic should be reported only on the Hispanic line, not under any race, and persons who are non-Hispanic multi-racial should be reported only under "Two or more races."

B2

	Degree-Seeking First-Time First Year	Degree-Seeking Undergraduates (include first-time first-year)	Total Undergraduates (both degree- and non-degree-seeking)
Nonresident aliens	26	166	174
Hispanic/Latino	209	1,745	1,745
Black or African American, non-Hispanic	39	315	315
White, non-Hispanic	267	1,830	1,830
American Indian or Alaska Native, non-Hispanic	2	19	19
Asian, non-Hispanic	72	513	513
Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander, non-	6	48	48
Two or more races, non-Hispanic	55	337	337
Race and/or ethnicity unknown	16	155	155
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>692</b>	<b>5,128</b>	<b>5,136</b>

**Persistence**

B3

**Number of degrees awarded**

Certificate/diploma	1
Associate degrees	0
Bachelor's degrees	1694
Postbachelor's certificates	132
Master's degrees	1229
Post-Master's certificates	112
Doctoral degrees –	86
Doctoral degrees – professional	51
Doctoral degrees – other	0

**Graduation Rates**

The items in this section correspond to data elements collected by the IPEDS Web-based Data

**For Bachelor's or Equivalent Institutions**

In the following section for bachelor's or equivalent programs, please disaggregate the Fall 2012 and Fall 2013 cohorts (formerly CDS B4-B11) into four groups:

- Students who received a Federal Pell Grant\*
- Recipients of a subsidized Stafford Loan who did not receive a Pell Grant
- Students who did not receive either a Pell Grant or a subsidized Stafford Loan
- Total (all students, regardless of Pell Grant or subsidized loan status)

\*Students who received both a Federal Pell Grant and a subsidized Stafford Loan should be reported in the "Recipients of a Federal Pell Grant" column.

For each graduation rate grid below, the numbers in the first three columns for Questions A-G should sum to the cohort total in the fourth column (formerly CDS B4-B11).

**Fall 2013 Cohort**

		Recipients of a Federal Pell Grant	Recipients of a Subsidized Stafford Loan who did not receive a Pell Grant	Students who did not receive either a Pell Grant or a subsidized Stafford Loan	Total (sum of 3 columns to the left)
Formerly B4	A- Initial 2013 cohort of first-time, full-time bachelor's (or equivalent) degree seeking undergraduate-students	302	486	426	1214
Formerly B5	B- Of the initial 2013 cohort, how many did not persist and did not graduate for the following reasons: deceased, permanently disabled, armed forces, foreign aid service of the federal government, or official church missions; total allowable exclusions	0	0	0	0
Formerly B6	C- Final 2013 cohort, after adjusting for allowable exclusions	302	486	426	1214
Formerly B7	D - Of the initial 2013 cohort, how many completed the program in four years or less (by Aug. 31, 2017)				579
Formerly B8	E - Of the initial 2013 cohort, how many completed the program in more than four years but in five years or less (after Aug. 31, 2017 and by Aug. 31, 2018)				209
Formerly B9	F - Of the initial 2013 cohort, how many completed the program in more than five years but in six years or less (after Aug. 31, 2018 and by Aug. 31, 2019)				37
Formerly B10	G - Total graduating within six years (sum of lines D, E, and F)	187	328	310	825
Formerly B11	H - Six-year graduation rate for 2013 cohort (G divided by C)	61.92%	67.49%	72.77%	67.96%

**Fall 2012 Cohort**

		Recipients of a Federal Pell Grant	Recipients of a Subsidized Stafford Loan who did not receive a Pell Grant	Students who did not receive either a Pell Grant or a subsidized Stafford Loan	Total (sum of 3 columns to the left)
Formerly B4	A- Initial 2012 cohort of first-time, full-time bachelor's (or equivalent) degree seeking undergraduate-students	319	397	531	1247
Formerly B5	B- Of the initial 2012 cohort, how many did not persist and did not graduate for the following reasons: deceased, permanently disabled, armed forces, foreign aid service of the federal government, or official church missions; total allowable exclusions	0	0	0	0

Formerly B6	C- Final 2012 cohort, after adjusting for allowable exclusions	319	397	531	1247
Formerly B7	D - Of the initial 2012 cohort, how many completed the program in four years or less (by Aug. 31, 2016)				565
Formerly B8	E - Of the initial 2012 cohort, how many completed the program in more than four years but in five years or less (after Aug. 31, 2016 and by Aug. 31, 2017)				179
Formerly B9	F - Of the initial 2012 cohort, how many completed the program in more than five years but in six years or less (after Aug. 31, 2017 and by Aug. 31, 2018)				37
Formerly B10	G - Total graduating within six years (sum of lines D, E, and F)	216	237	328	781
Formerly B11	H - Six-year graduation rate for 2012 cohort (G divided by C)	67.71%	59.70%	61.77%	62.63%

**For Two-Year Institutions**

Please provide data for the 2016 cohort if available. If 2015 cohort data are not

**2016 Cohort**

B12	Initial 2016 cohort, total of first-time, full-time degree/certificate-seeking students:	
B13	Of the initial 2016 cohort, how many did not persist and did not graduate for the	
B14	Final 2016 cohort, after adjusting for allowable exclusions (Subtract question B13 from	0
B15	Completers of programs of less than two years duration (total):	
B16	Completers of programs of less than two years within 150 percent of normal time:	
B17	Completers of programs of at least two but less than four years (total):	
B18	Completers of programs of at least two but less than four-years within 150 percent of	
B19	Total transfers-out (within three years) to other institutions:	
B20	Total transfers to two-year institutions:	
B21	Total transfers to four-year institutions:	

**2015 Cohort**

B12	Initial 2015 cohort, total of first-time, full-time degree/certificate-seeking students:	
B13	Of the initial 2015 cohort, how many did not persist and did not graduate for the	
B14	Final 2015 cohort, after adjusting for allowable exclusions (Subtract question B13 from	0
B15	Completers of programs of less than two years duration (total):	
B16	Completers of programs of less than two years within 150 percent of normal time:	
B17	Completers of programs of at least two but less than four years (total):	
B18	Completers of programs of at least two but less than four-years within 150 percent of	
B19	Total transfers-out (within three years) to other institutions:	
B20	Total transfers to two-year institutions:	
B21	Total transfers to four-year institutions:	

**Retention Rates**

B22	Report for the cohort of all full-time, first-time bachelor's (or equivalent) degree-seeking undergraduate For the cohort of all full-time bachelor's (or equivalent) degree-seeking undergraduate	80.00%
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**C. FIRST-TIME, FIRST-YEAR (FRESHMAN) ADMISSION**

**Applications**

**C1 First-time, first-year, (freshmen) students: Provide the number of degree-seeking, first-time, first-year students who applied, were admitted, and enrolled (full- or part-time) in Fall 2019. Include**

C1	Total first-time, first-year (freshman) men who applied	2856
C1	Total first-time, first-year (freshman) women who applied	5334
C1	Total first-time, first-year (freshman) men who were admitted	1818
C1	Total first-time, first-year (freshman) women who were admitted	3710
C1	Total full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) men who enrolled	239
C1	Total part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) men who enrolled	2
C1	Total full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) women who enrolled	449
C1	Total part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) women who enrolled	2

**C2 Freshman wait-listed students (students who met admission requirements but whose final**

		Yes	No
C2	Do you have a policy of placing students on a waiting list?	x	
C2	If yes, please answer the questions below for Fall 2019 admissions:		
C2	Number of qualified applicants offered a place on waiting list		
C2	Number accepting a place on the waiting list		
C2	Number of wait-listed students admitted		
		Yes	No
C2	Is your waiting list ranked?		
C2	If yes, do you release that information to students?		
C2	Do you release that information to school counselors?		

**Admission Requirements**

**C3 High school completion requirement**

C3	High school diploma is required and GED is	x
C3	High school diploma is required and GED is not	
C3	High school diploma or equivalent is not required	

**C4 Does your institution require or recommend a general college-preparatory program for degree-**

C4	Require	
C4	Recommend	
C4	Neither require nor recommend	

**C5 Distribution of high school units required and/or recommended.** Specify the distribution of academic

	Units	Units
C5	Total academic units	
C5	English	4
C5	Mathematics	3
C5	Science	2
C5	Of these, units that must be	
C5	Foreign language	3
C5	Social studies	1
C5	History	2
C5	Academic electives	
C5	Computer Science	
C5	Visual/Performing Arts	
C5	Other (specify)	

**Basis for Selection**

**C6 Do you have an open admission policy, under which virtually all secondary school graduates or students**

C6	Open admission policy as described above for all students	
C6	Open admission policy as described above for most students, but--	
C6	selective admission for out-of-state students	
C6	selective admission to some programs	
C6	other (explain):	

**C7 Relative importance of each of the following academic and nonacademic factors in first-time, first-**

	Very Important	Important	Considered	Not Considered
C7	<b>Academic</b>			
C7	Rigor of secondary school		x	
C7	Class rank	x		
C7	Academic GPA	x		
C7	Standardized test scores	x		
C7	Application Essay	x		
C7	Recommendation(s)		x	

<b>C7</b>	<b>Nonacademic</b>			
C7	Interview			x
C7	Extracurricular activities			x
C7	Talent/ability			x
C7	Character/personal qualities	x		
C7	First generation			x
C7	Alumni/ae relation			x
C7	Geographical residence			x
C7	State residency			x
C7	Religious affiliation/commitment		x	
C7	Racial/ethnic status			x
C7	Volunteer work			x
C7	Work experience			x
C7	Level of applicant's interest			x

**SAT and ACT Policies**

<b>C8</b>	<b>Entrance exams</b>		
		Yes	No
<b>C8A</b>	Does your institution make use of SAT, ACT, or SAT Subject Test		

**C8A** If yes, place check marks in the appropriate boxes below to reflect your institution's policies for use in admission for Fall 2021.

C8A	ADMISSION				
	Require	Recommend	Require for Some	Consider if	Not
C8A	SAT or ACT	x			
C8A	ACT only				
C8A	SAT only				
C8A	SAT and SAT Subject Tests or				
C8A	SAT Subject Tests only				

**C8B** If your institution will make use of the ACT in admission decisions for first-time, first-year, degree-seeking  
**C8B** ACT with writing required 


  
**C8B** ACT with writing recommended 


  
**C8B** ACT with or without writing accepted 


**C8B** If your institution will make use of the SAT in admission decisions for first-time, first-year, degree-seeking for Fall 2021 please indicate which ONE of the following applies (regardless of whether the Essay score will be used in the admissions process):  
**C8B** SAT with Essay component required 


  
**C8B** SAT with Essay component recommended 


  
**C8B** SAT with or without Essay component accepted 

x

**C8C** Please indicate how your institution will use the SAT or ACT writing component; check all that apply:

C8C	SAT essay	ACT essay
C8C	For admission	
C8C	For placement	x
C8C	For advising	x
C8C	In place of an application essay	
C8C	As a validity check on the application essay	
C8C	No college policy as of now	
C8C	Not using essay component	

**C8D** In addition, does your institution use applicants' test scores for academic advising?

C8D	Yes	No
	x	

<b>C8E</b>	Latest date by which SAT or ACT scores must be received for fall-	
<b>C8E</b>	Latest date by which SAT Subject Test scores must be received for	

**C8F** If necessary, use this space to clarify your test policies (e.g., if tests are recommended for some  
**C8F**

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**C8G** Please indicate which tests your institution uses for placement (e.g., state tests):

C8G	SAT	x
C8G	ACT	x
C8G	SAT Subject Tests	
C8G	AP	x
C8G	CLEP	

<b>C8G</b>	Institutional Exam	
<b>C8G</b>	State Exam (specify):	

**Freshman Profile**

Provide information for ALL enrolled, degree-seeking, full-time and part-time, first-time, first-year

**C9 Percent and number of first-time, first-year (freshman) students enrolled in Fall 2019 who**

<b>C9</b>	Percent submitting SAT scores	86%	Number submitting SAT scores	595
<b>C9</b>	Percent submitting ACT scores	31%	Number submitting ACT scores	212

<b>C9</b>		25th Percentile	75th Percentile
	SAT Composite	1030	1240
<b>C9</b>	SAT Evidence-Based Reading	520	630
<b>C9</b>	SAT Math	510	630
<b>C9</b>	ACT Composite	20	26
<b>C9</b>	ACT Math	18	27
<b>C9</b>	ACT English	18	26
<b>C9</b>	ACT Writing		

**C9 Percent of first-time, first-year (freshman) students with scores in each range:**

<b>C9</b>		SAT Composite
<b>C9</b>	1400-1600	6.00%
<b>C9</b>	1200-1399	31.00%
<b>C9</b>	1000-1199	45.00%
<b>C9</b>	800-999	18.00%
<b>C9</b>	600-799	
<b>C9</b>	400-599	
	Totals should = 100%	100.00%

<b>C9</b>		SAT Evidence-	SAT Math
<b>C9</b>	700-800	6.00%	8.00%
<b>C9</b>	600-699	34.00%	30.00%
<b>C9</b>	500-599	43.00%	43.00%
<b>C9</b>	400-499	16.00%	17.00%
<b>C9</b>	300-399	1.00%	1.00%
<b>C9</b>	200-299		1.00%
	Totals should = 100%	100.00%	100.00%

<b>C9</b>		ACT Composite	ACT English	ACT Math
<b>C9</b>	30-36	9.00%	15.00%	8.00%
<b>C9</b>	24-29	35.00%	28.00%	38.00%
<b>C9</b>	18-23	42.00%	36.00%	37.00%
<b>C9</b>	12-17	13.00%	20.00%	17.00%
<b>C9</b>	6-11	1.00%	1.00%	
<b>C9</b>	Below 6			
	Totals should = 100%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

**C10 Percent of all degree-seeking, first-time, first-year (freshman) students who had high school class rank**

<b>C10</b>	Percent in top tenth of high school graduating class	
<b>C10</b>	Percent in top quarter of high school graduating class	
<b>C10</b>	Percent in top half of high school graduating class	
<b>C10</b>	Percent in bottom half of high school graduating class	
<b>C10</b>	Percent in bottom quarter of high school graduating class	
<b>C10</b>	Percent of total first-time, first-year (freshmen) students who submitted high school class rank:	

Top half +  
bottom half = 100%

**C11 Percentage of all enrolled, degree-seeking, first-time, first-year (freshman) students who had high school**

<b>C11</b>	Percent who had GPA of 4.0	29.89%
<b>C11</b>	Percent who had GPA between 3.75 and 3.99	18.04%
<b>C11</b>	Percent who had GPA between 3.50 and 3.74	14.05%
<b>C11</b>	Percent who had GPA between 3.25 and 3.49	14.19%
<b>C11</b>	Percent who had GPA between 3.00 and 3.24	13.77%
<b>C11</b>	Percent who had GPA between 2.50 and 2.99	8.40%
<b>C11</b>	Percent who had GPA between 2.0 and 2.49	1.38%
<b>C11</b>	Percent who had GPA between 1.0 and 1.99	0.28%
<b>C11</b>	Percent who had GPA below 1.0	
	Totals should = 100%	100.00%

<b>C12</b>	Average high school GPA of all degree-seeking, first-time, first-year	3.64
<b>C12</b>	Percent of total first-time, first-year (freshman) students who	81.00%

**Admission Policies**



**C13 Application Fee**

C13		Yes	No
C13	Does your institution have an	x	
C13	Amount of application fee:		
C13		Yes	No
C13	Can it be waived for applicants	x	

C13 If you have an application fee and an on-line application option,

C13	Same fee:	x
C13	Free:	
C13	Reduced:	

C13		Yes	No
C13	Can on-line application fee be	x	

**C14 Application closing date**

C14		Yes	No
C14	Does your institution have an	x	
C14	Application closing date (fall):	6/1	
C14	Priority date:	2/15	

C15		Yes	No
C15	Are first-time, first-year students accepted for terms other than		x

**C16 Notification to applicants of admission decision sent (fill in one only)**

C16	On a rolling basis beginning	1-Oct
C16	By (date):	1-Apr
C16	Other:	

**C17 Reply policy for admitted applicants (fill in one only)**

C17	Must reply by (date):	5/1
C17	No set date:	
C17	Must reply by May 1 or within	2
C17	Other:	
C17	Deadline for housing deposit (MM/DD):	
C17	Amount of housing deposit:	
C17	Refundable if student does not enroll?	
C17	Yes, in full	
C17	Yes, in part	
C17	No	

**C18 Deferred admission**

C18		Yes	No
C18	Does your institution allow students to postpone enrollment after		x
C18	If yes, maximum period of postponement:		

**C19 Early admission of high school students**

C19		Yes	No
C19	Does your institution allow high school students to enroll as full-time,		x

**C20 Common Application** Question removed from CDS. (Initiated during 2006-2007 cycle)

**Early Decision and Early Action Plans**

**C21 Early Decision**

C21		Yes	No
C21	Does your institution offer an early decision plan (an admission plan		x
C21	If "yes," please complete the following:		
C21	First or only early decision plan closing date		
C21	First or only early decision plan notification date		
C21	Other early decision plan closing date		
C21	Other early decision plan notification date		

**C21 For the Fall 2019 entering class:**

C21	Number of early decision applications received by your institution	
C21	Number of applicants admitted under early decision plan	
C21	Please provide significant details about your early decision plan:	

**C22 Early action**

C22		Yes	No
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C22 Do you have a nonbinding early action plan whereby students are

C22 If "yes," please complete the following:

C22 Early action closing date

C22 Early action notification date

C22 Is your early action plan a "restrictive" plan under which you limit students from applying to other early plans?

C22	Yes	No
C22		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**D. TRANSFER ADMISSION**

**Fall Applicants**

	Yes	No
D1 Does your institution enroll transfer students? (If no, please skip to Section E)	x	
D1 If yes, may transfer students earn advanced standing credit by transferring credits earned from course work completed at other colleges/universities?	x	

D2 Provide the number of students who applied, were admitted, and enrolled as degree-seeking transfer

	Applicants	Admitted	Enrolled
D2 Men	524	301	93
D2 Women	763	269	113
D2 Total	1,287	570	206

**Application for Admission**

D3 Indicate terms for which transfers may enroll:

D3 Fall	x
D3 Winter	
D3 Spring	x
D3 Summer	

	Yes	No
D4 Must a transfer applicant have a minimum number of credits completed or else must apply as an entering freshman?	x	
D4 If yes, what is the minimum number of credits and the unit	30	

D5 Indicate all items required of transfer students to apply for admission:

	Required of All	Recommended of All	Recommended of Some	Required of Some	Not Required
D5 High school transcript				x	
D5 College transcript(s)	x				
D5 Essay or personal	x				
D5 Interview				x	
D5 Standardized test scores				x	
D5 Statement of good				x	

D6 If a minimum high school grade point average is required of transfer applicants, specify (on a 4.0 scale):	3.00
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D7 If a minimum college grade point average is required of transfer applicants, specify (on a 4.0 scale):	2.20
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D8 List any other application requirements specific to transfer applicants:

D9 List application priority, closing, notification, and candidate reply dates for transfer students. If

	Priority Date	Closing Date	Notification Date	Reply Date	Rolling Admission
D9 Fall	2/15	6/1			x
D9 Winter					
D9 Spring	10/15	12/1			x
D9 Summer					

	Yes	No
D10 Does an open admission policy, if reported, apply to		

D11 Describe additional requirements for transfer admission, if applicable:

**Transfer Credit Policies**

D12 Report the lowest grade earned for any course that may be transferred for credit:	2.00
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	Number	Unit Type
D13 Maximum number of credits or courses that may be	70	Semester

D14		Number	Unit Type
D14	Maximum number of credits or courses that may be	90	Semester

D15	Minimum number of credits that transfers must complete	
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D16	Minimum number of credits that transfers must complete	30.00
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D17	Describe other transfer credit policies: All courses must be baccalaureate level and intended to transfer. Remedial courses and
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**Military Service Transfer Credit Policies**

D18 Does your institution accept the following military/veteran transfer credits:

	Yes	No
American Council on Education (ACE)		
College Level Examination Program (CLEP)		
DANTES Subject Standardized Tests (DSST)		

D19		Number	Unit Type
	Maximum number of credits or courses that may be transferred based on military education evaluated by the American Council on Education (ACE):		

D20		Number	Unit Type
	Maximum number of credits or courses that may be transferred based on Department of Defense supported prior learning assessments (College Level Examination Program (CLEP) or DANTES Subject Standardized Tests (DSST)):		

	Yes	No
D21	Are the military/veteran credit transfer policies on your website?	

D21	If yes, please provide the URL where they can be located:
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D22	Describe other military/veteran transfer credit policies unique to your institution:
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**E. ACADEMIC OFFERINGS AND POLICIES**

**E1 Special study options:** Identify those programs available at your institution. Refer to the glossary for definitions.

E1	Accelerated program	X
E1	Cooperative education program	X
E1	Cross-registration	
E1	Distance learning	X
E1	Double major	X
E1	Dual enrollment	
E1	English as a Second Language (ESL)	X
E1	Exchange student program (domestic)	X
E1	External degree program	
E1	Honors Program	X
E1	Independent study	X
E1	Internships	X
E1	Liberal arts/career combination	
E1	Student-designed major	
E1	Study abroad	X
E1	Teacher certification program	X
E1	Weekend college	
E1	Other (specify):	

**E2 This question has been removed from the Common Data Set.**

**E3 Areas in which all or most students are required to complete some course work prior to graduation:**

E3	Arts/fine arts	X
E3	Computer literacy	
E3	English (including composition)	X
E3	Foreign languages	X
E3	History	X
E3	Humanities	X
E3	Mathematics	X
E3	Philosophy	X
E3	Sciences (biological or physical)	X
E3	Social science	X
E3	Other (describe):	

**F. STUDENT LIFE**

F1 Percentages of first-time, first-year (freshman) degree-seeking students and degree-seeking undergraduates enrolled in Fall 2019 who fit the following categories:

F1		First-time, first-year (freshman) students	Undergraduates
F1	Percent who are from out of state (exclude international/nonresident aliens from the numerator and denominator)	20%	22%
F1	Percent of men who join fraternities		
F1	Percent of women who join sororities		
F1	Percent who live in college-owned, -operated, or -affiliated housing	65%	56%
F1	Percent who live off campus or commute	35%	44%
F1	Percent of students age 25 and older	26%	18%
F1	Average age of full-time students	19	20
F1	Average age of all students (full- and part-time)	25	20

F2 **Activities offered** Identify those programs available at your institution.

F2	Campus Ministries	x
F2	Choral groups	x
F2	Concert band	x
F2	Dance	x
F2	Drama/theater	x
F2	International Student	x
F2	Jazz band	x
F2	Literary magazine	x
F2	Marching band	x
F2	Model UN	
F2	Music ensembles	x
F2	Musical theater	x
F2	Opera	x
F2	Pep band	x
F2	Radio station	x
F2	Student government	x
F2	Student newspaper	x
F2	Student-run film society	x
F2	Symphony orchestra	x
F2	Television station	x
F2	Yearbook	x

F3 **ROTC (program offered in cooperation with Reserve Officers' Training Corps)**

F3		On Campus	At Cooperating	Name of Cooperating
F3	Army ROTC is offered:	x		
F3	Naval ROTC is offered:			
F3	Air Force ROTC is offered:		X	USC

F4 **Housing:** Check all types of college-owned, -operated, or -affiliated housing available for undergraduates at your institution.

F4	Coed dorms	x
F4	Men's dorms	x
F4	Women's dorms	x
F4	Apartments for married students	
F4	Apartments for single students	x
F4	Special housing for disabled students	
F4	Special housing for international students	
F4	Fraternity/sorority housing	
F4	Cooperative housing	
F4	Theme housing	x
F4	Wellness housing	
F4	Other housing options (specify):	

**G. ANNUAL EXPENSES**

**G0** Please provide the URL of your institution's net price calculator:  
<https://www.apu.edu/undergraduate-admissions/cost/>  
**Provide 2020-2021 academic year costs of attendance for the following categories that are applicable to your institution.**

Check here if your institution's 2020-2021 academic year costs of attendance are not available at this time and provide an approximate date (i.e., month/day) when your institution's final 2020-2021 academic year costs of attendance will be available:  
 x \_\_\_\_\_

**G1 Undergraduate full-time tuition, required fees, room and board** List the typical tuition, required fees, and room and board for a full-time undergraduate student for the FULL 2020-2021 academic year (30 semester or 45 quarter hours for institutions that derive annual tuition by multiplying credit hour cost by number of credits). A full academic year refers to the period of time generally extending from September to June; usually equated to two semesters, two trimesters, three quarters, or the period covered by a four-one-four plan. Room and board is defined as double occupancy and 19 meals per week or the maximum meal plan. Required fees include only charges that all full-time students must pay that are not included in tuition (e.g., registration, health, or activity fees.) Do not include optional fees (e.g., parking, laboratory use).

	First-Year	Undergraduates
G1 PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS	\$40,830	\$40,830
G1 PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS		
G1 PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS		
G1 PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS		
G1 NONRESIDENT ALIENS	\$40,830	\$40,830
G1 REQUIRED FEES:	\$580	\$580
G1 ROOM AND BOARD:		
G1 ROOM ONLY:	\$5,162	\$5,162
G1 BOARD ONLY:	\$4,140	\$4,140

G1 Comprehensive tuition and room and board fee (if your college cannot provide separate tuition and room and board fees):

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G1 Other:

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	Minimum	Maximum
G2 Number of credits per term a student can take for the stated full-time tuition	12	17

	Yes	No
G3 Do tuition and fees vary by year of study (e.g., sophomore, junior, senior)?		x

	Yes	No
G4 Do tuition and fees vary by undergraduate instructional program?		x

	%
G4 If yes, what percentage of full-time undergraduates pay more than the tuition and fees reported in G1?	

**G5** Provide the estimated expenses for a typical full-time undergraduate student:

	Residents	Commuters (living at home)	Commuters (not living at home)
G5 Books and supplies	\$1,972	\$1,972	\$1,972
G5 Room only			\$10,306
G5 Board only		\$1,598	\$4,140
G5 Room and board total (if your			
G5 Transportation	\$864	\$1,134	\$1,278
G5 Other expenses	\$2,854	\$3,564	\$3,996

G6 Undergraduate per-credit-hour charges (tuition only) \_\_\_\_\_

G6	PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS:	\$1,702.00
G6	PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS	
G6	PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS	
G6	PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS	
G6	NONRESIDENT ALIENS:	\$1,702.00



## H. FINANCIAL AID

### Aid Awarded to Enrolled Undergraduates

Enter total dollar amounts awarded to enrolled full-time and less than full-time degree-seeking

H1		2019-2020	2018-2019
H1	Indicate the academic year for which data are reported for items H1,		x

H3 Which needs-analysis methodology does your institution use in awarding institutional aid?

H3	Federal methodology (FM)	x
H3	Institutional methodology (IM)	
H3	Both FM and IM	

H1		Need-based \$ (Include non-need-based aid used to meet need.)	Non-need-based \$ (Exclude non-need-based aid used to meet need.)
H1	<b>Scholarships/Grants</b>		
H1	Federal	\$10,421,868	\$0
H1	State (i.e., all states, not only the state in which your institution is located)	\$11,226,405	\$0
H1	Institutional: Endowed scholarships, annual gifts and tuition funded grants, awarded by the college, excluding athletic aid and tuition waivers (which are reported below).	\$59,579,026	\$16,838,679
H1	Scholarships/grants from external sources (e.g., Kiwanis, National Merit) not awarded by the college	\$197,044	\$147,484
H1	<b>Total Scholarships/Grants</b>	<b>\$81,424,343</b>	<b>\$16,986,163</b>
H1	<b>Self-Help</b>		
H1	Student loans from all sources (excluding parent loans)	\$31,997,695	\$4,489,330
H1	Federal Work-Study	\$1,627,284	0
H1	State and other (e.g., institutional) work-study/employment (Note: Excludes Federal Work-Study captured above.)	\$0	\$0
H1	<b>Total Self-Help</b>	<b>\$33,624,979</b>	<b>\$4,489,330</b>
H1	<b>Other</b>		
H1	Parent Loans	\$16,478,232	\$1,956,785
H1	Tuition Waivers	\$2,313,179	\$1,571,668
H1	Athletic Awards	\$3,438,098	\$2,509,576

H2 **Number of Enrolled Students Awarded Aid:** List the number of degree-seeking full-time and less-than-

H2		First-time Full-time Freshmen	Full-time Undergraduate (Incl. Fresh.)	Less Than Full-time Undergraduate
H2	a) Number of degree-seeking undergraduate students (CDS Item B1 if reporting on Fall 2018 cohort)	1089	4891	581
H2	b) Number of students in line a who applied for need-based financial aid	1011	4114	490
H2	c) Number of students in line b who were determined to have financial need	873	3726	472
H2	d) Number of students in line c who were awarded any financial aid	873	3725	468
H2	e) Number of students in line d who were awarded any need-based scholarship or grant aid	715	3114	314
H2	f) Number of students in line d who were awarded any need-based self-help aid	584	2782	366
H2	g) Number of students in line d who were awarded any non-need-based scholarship or grant aid	743	3011	229
H2	h) Number of students in line d whose need was fully met (exclude PLUS loans, unsubsidized loans, and private alternative loans)	174	657	11

H2	i) On average, the percentage of need that was met of students who were awarded any need-based aid. Exclude any aid that was awarded in excess of need as well as any resources that were awarded to replace EFC (PLUS loans, unsubsidized loans, and private alternative loans)	34.9%	43.4%	29.2%
H2	j) The average financial aid package of those in line d. Exclude any resources that were awarded to replace EFC (PLUS loans, unsubsidized loans, and private alternative loans)	\$ 32,579	\$ 33,411	\$ 11,344
H2	k) Average need-based scholarship and grant award of those in line e	\$ 13,122	\$ 13,923	\$ 6,721
H2	l) Average need-based self-help award (excluding PLUS loans, unsubsidized loans, and private alternative loans) of those in line f	\$ 15,431	\$ 17,396	\$ 8,698
H2	m) Average need-based loan (excluding PLUS loans, unsubsidized loans, and private alternative loans) of those in line f who were awarded a need-based loan	\$ 3,692	\$ 5,273	\$ 4,732

**H2A Number of Enrolled Students Awarded Non-need-based Scholarships and Grants:** List the number of degree-seeking full-time and less-than-full-time undergraduates who had no financial need and who were awarded institutional non-need-based scholarship or grant aid. Numbers should reflect the cohort awarded the dollars reported in H1. Note: In the chart below, students may be counted in more than one row, and full-time freshmen should also be counted as full-time undergraduates.

H2A		First-time Full-time Freshmen	Full-time Undergrad (Incl. Fresh.)	Less Than Full-time Undergrad
H2A	n) Number of students in line a who had no financial need and who were awarded institutional non-need-based scholarship or grant aid (exclude those who were awarded athletic awards and tuition benefits)	214	1125	86
H2A	o) Average dollar amount of institutional non-need-based scholarship and grant aid awarded to students in line n	\$ 10,302	\$ 9,958	\$ 3,646
H2A	p) Number of students in line a who were awarded an institutional non-need-based athletic scholarship or grant	76	286	5
H2A	q) Average dollar amount of institutional non-need-based athletic scholarships and grants awarded to students in line p	\$ 17,556	\$ 19,351	\$ 14,327

H3 Incorporated into H1 above.

**Note:** These are the graduates and loan types to include and exclude in order to fill out CDS H4 and  
 Include: \* 2019 undergraduate class: all  
 Exclude: \* students who transferred in.  
 \* money borrowed at other institutions.  
 \* parent loans  
 \* students who did not graduate or who graduated with another degree or certificate (but no bachelor's degree)

H4	Provide the number of students in the 2019 undergraduate class who started at your institution as first-time students and received a bachelor's degree between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019. Exclude students who transferred into your institution	
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H5 Number and percent of students in class (defined in H4 above) borrowing from federal, non-federal, and any loan sources, and the average (or mean) amount borrowed. **NOTE:** The "Average per-undergraduate-borrower cumulative principal borrowed," is designed to provide better information about student borrowing from federal and nonfederal (institutional, state, commercial) sources. The numbers, percentages, and averages for each row should be based only on the loan source specified for the particular row. For example, the federal loans average (row b) should only be the cumulative average of federal loans and the private loans average (row e) should only be the cumulative average of private loans.

H5	Source/Type of Loan	Number in the class (defined in H4 above) who borrowed from the types of loans specified in the first column	Percent of the class (defined above) who borrowed from the types of loans specified in the first column (nearest 1%)	Average per-undergraduate-borrower cumulative principal borrowed from the types of loans specified in the first column (nearest \$1)
	a) Any loan program: Federal Perkins, Federal Stafford Stafford Subsidized and Unsubsidized. Include both	559	70%%	\$31,277
	c) Institutional loan programs.	593	70%%	\$24,662
	d) State loan programs.	0	0.00%	\$0
	e) Private student loans made by a bank or	127	15.00%	\$32,361

**Aid to Undergraduate Degree-seeking Nonresident Aliens** (Note: Report numbers and

H6 Indicate your institution's policy regarding institutional scholarship and grant aid for undergraduate degree-seeking nonresident aliens:

H6	Institutional need-based scholarship or grant aid is available	
H6	Institutional non-need-based scholarship or grant aid is available	
H6	Institutional scholarship or grant aid is not available	

H6 If institutional financial aid is available for undergraduate degree-seeking nonresident

H6 Average dollar amount of institutional financial aid awarded to undergraduate degree-

H6 Total dollar amount of institutional financial aid awarded to undergraduate degree-

H7 Check off all financial aid forms nonresident alien first-year financial aid applicants must submit:

H7	Institution's own financial aid form	
H7	CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE	
H7	International Student's Financial Aid Application	
H7	International Student's Certification of Finances	
H7	Other (specify):	

**Process for First-Year/Freshman Students**

H8 Check off all financial aid forms domestic first-year (freshman) financial aid applicants must submit:

H8	FAFSA	
H8	Institution's own financial aid form	
H8	CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE	
H8	State aid form	
H8	Noncustodial PROFILE	
H8	Business/Farm Supplement	
H8	Other (specify):	

H9 Indicate filing dates for first-year (freshman) students:

H9	Priority date for filing required financial aid forms:	
H9	Deadline for filing required financial aid forms:	
H9	No deadline for filing required forms (applications processed on a	

H10 Indicate notification dates for first-year (freshman) students (answer a or b):

H10	a) Students notified on or about (date):		
H10		Yes	No
H10	b) Students notified on a rolling basis:		
H10	If yes, starting date:		

H11 Indicate reply dates:

H11	Students must reply by (date):	
H11	or within _____ weeks of notification.	

**Types of Aid Available**

Please check off all types of aid available to undergraduates at your institution:

H12 Loans

H12 FEDERAL DIRECT STUDENT LOAN PROGRAM (DIRECT LOAN)

H12	Direct Subsidized Stafford Loans	
H12	Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loans	
H12	Direct PLUS Loans	

H12	Federal Perkins Loans	
H12	Federal Nursing Loans	
H12	State Loans	
H12	College/university loans from institutional funds	
H12	Other (specify):	

H13 Scholarships and Grants

H13 NEED-BASED:

H13	Federal Pell	
H13	SEOG	
H13	State scholarships/grants	
H13	Private scholarships	
H13	College/university scholarship or grant aid from institutional funds	
H13	United Negro College Fund	
H13	Federal Nursing Scholarship	
H13	Other (specify):	

H14 Check off criteria used in awarding institutional aid. Check all that apply.

H14		Non-Need Based	Need-Based
H14	Academics		
H14	Alumni affiliation		
H14	Art		
H14	Athletics		
H14	Job skills		
H14	ROTC		
H14	Leadership		
H14	Minority status		
H14	Music/drama		
H14	Religious affiliation		
H14	State/district residency		

H15 If your institution has recently implemented any major financial aid policy, program, or

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**I. INSTRUCTIONAL FACULTY AND CLASS SIZE**

Please report the number of instructional faculty members in each category for Fall 2019. Include faculty who are on your institution's payroll on the census date your institution uses for

**11 IPEDS/AAUP.**

The following definition of full-time instructional faculty is used by the American Association of University Professors (AAUP) in its annual Faculty Compensation Survey (the part time definitions are not used by AAUP). Instructional Faculty is defined as those members of the instructional-research staff whose major regular assignment is instruction, including those with released time for research. Use the chart below to determine inclusions and exclusions:

	Full-time	Part-time
(a) instructional faculty in preclinical and clinical medicine, faculty who are not paid (e.g., those who donate their services or are in the military), or research-only faculty, post-doctoral fellows, or pre-doctoral fellows	Exclude	Include only if they teach one or more non-clinical credit courses
(b) administrative officers with titles such as dean of students, librarian, registrar, coach, and the like, even though they may devote part of their time to classroom instruction and may have faculty status	Exclude	Include if they teach one or more non-clinical credit courses
(c) other administrators/staff who teach one or more non-clinical credit courses even though they do not have faculty status	Exclude	Include
(d) undergraduate or graduate students who assist in the instruction of courses, but have titles such as teaching assistant, teaching fellow, and the like	Exclude	Exclude
(e) faculty on sabbatical or leave with pay	Include	Exclude
(f) faculty on leave without pay	Exclude	Exclude
(g) replacement faculty for faculty on sabbatical leave or leave with pay	Exclude	Include

*Full-time instructional faculty:* faculty employed on a full-time basis for instruction (including those with released time for research)

*Part-time instructional faculty:* Adjuncts and other instructors being paid solely for part-time classroom instruction. Also includes full-time faculty teaching less than two semesters, three quarters, two trimesters, or two four-month sessions. Employees who are not considered full-time instructional faculty but who teach one or more non-clinical credit courses may be counted as part-time faculty.

*Minority faculty:* includes faculty who designate themselves as Black, non-Hispanic; American Indian or Alaska Native; Asian, Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander, or Hispanic.

*Doctorate:* includes such degrees as Doctor of Philosophy, Doctor of Education, Doctor of Juridical Science, and Doctor of Public Health in any field such as arts, sciences, education, engineering, business, and public administration. Also includes terminal degrees formerly designated as "first professional," including dentistry (DDS or DMD), medicine (MD), optometry (OD), osteopathic medicine (DO), pharmacy (DPharm or BPharm), podiatric medicine (DPM), veterinary medicine (DVM), chiropractic (DC or DCM), or law (JD).

*Terminal degree:* the highest degree in a field: example, M. Arch (architecture) and MFA (master of fine arts).

	Full-Time	Part-Time	Total
11 a) Total number of instructional faculty	449	714	1163
11 b) Total number who are members of minority groups	160	324	484
11 c) Total number who are women	255	455	710
11 d) Total number who are men	194	259	453
11 e) Total number who are nonresident aliens (international)	0	0	0
11 f) Total number with doctorate, or other terminal degree	385		385
11 g) Total number whose highest degree is a master's but not a terminal master's	61		61
11 h) Total number whose highest degree is a bachelor's	3		3
11 i) Total number whose highest degree is unknown or other (Note: Items f, g, h, and i must sum up to item a.)			0
11 j) Total number in stand-alone graduate/ professional programs in which faculty teach virtually only graduate-level students			

**12 Student to Faculty Ratio**

Report the Fall 2019 ratio of full-time equivalent students (full-time plus 1/3 part time) to full-time equivalent instructional faculty (full time plus 1/3 part time). In the ratio calculations, exclude both faculty and students in stand-alone graduate or professional programs such as medicine, law, veterinary, dentistry, social work, business, or public health in which faculty teach virtually only graduate-level students. Do not count undergraduate or graduate student teaching assistants as faculty.

12 Fall 2019 Student to Faculty ratio	11	to 1	(based on 8161 students and 744 faculty).
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**13 Undergraduate Class Size**

In the table below, please use the following definitions to report information about the size of classes and class sections offered in the Fall 2019 term.

**Class Sections:** A class section is an organized course offered for credit, identified by discipline and number, meeting at a stated time or times in a classroom or similar setting, and not a subsection such as a laboratory or discussion session. Undergraduate class sections are defined as any sections in which at least one degree-seeking undergraduate student is enrolled for credit. Exclude distance learning classes and noncredit classes and individual instruction such as dissertation or thesis research, music instruction, or one-to-one readings. Exclude students in independent study, co-operative programs, internships, foreign language taped tutor sessions, practicums, and all students in one-on-one classes. Each class section should be counted only once and should not be duplicated because of course catalog cross-listings.

**Class Subsections:** A class subsection includes any subsection of a course, such as laboratory, recitation, and discussion subsections that are supplementary in nature and are scheduled to meet separately from the lecture portion of the course. Undergraduate subsections are defined as any subsections of courses in which degree-seeking undergraduate students enrolled for credit. As above, exclude noncredit classes and individual instruction such as dissertation or thesis research, music instruction, or one-to-one readings. Each class subsection should be counted only once and should not be duplicated because of cross-listings.

Using the above definitions, please report for each of the following class-size intervals the number of class sections and class subsections offered in Fall 2019. For example, a lecture class with 800 students who met at another time in 40 separate labs with 20 students should be counted once in the "100+" column in the class section column and 40 times under the "20-29" column of the class subsections table.

**I3 Number of Class Sections with Undergraduates Enrolled**

**I3 Undergraduate Class Size (provide numbers)**

<b>I3 CLASS SECTIONS</b>	<b>2-9</b>	<b>10-19</b>	<b>20-29</b>	<b>30-39</b>	<b>40-49</b>	<b>50-99</b>	<b>100+</b>	<b>Total</b>
	309	522	418	137	39	26	2	1453

<b>I3 CLASS SUB-SECTIONS</b>	<b>2-9</b>	<b>10-19</b>	<b>20-29</b>	<b>30-39</b>	<b>40-49</b>	<b>50-99</b>	<b>100+</b>	<b>Total</b>
	18	8	4	3	0	0	0	33

**J. DEGREES CONFERRED****J1 Degrees conferred between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019**

J1 For each of the following discipline areas, provide the percentage of diplomas/certificates, associate, and bachelor's degrees awarded. To determine the percentage, use majors, not headcount (e.g., students with one degree but a double major will be represented twice). Calculate the percentage from your institution's IPEDS Completions by using the sum of 1st and 2nd majors for each CIP code as the numerator and the sum of the Grand Total by 1st Majors and the Grand Total by 2nd major as the denominator. If you prefer, you can compute the percentages using 1st majors only.

J1	Category	Diploma/Certificates	Associate	Bachelor's	CIP 2010 Categories
J1	Agriculture			0.00%	1
J1	Natural resources and conservation			0.00%	3
J1	Architecture			0.00%	4
J1	Area, ethnic, and gender studies			0.75%	5
J1	Communication/journalism			0.94%	9
J1	Communication technologies			0.00%	10
J1	Computer and information sciences			1.87%	11
J1	Personal and culinary services			0.00%	12
J1	Education			3.74%	13
J1	Engineering			0.37%	14
J1	Engineering technologies			0.00%	15
J1	Foreign languages, literatures, and linguistics			0.06%	16
J1	Family and consumer sciences			0.00%	19
J1	Law/legal studies			0.00%	22
J1	English			1.93%	23
J1	Liberal arts/general studies			5.80%	24
J1	Library science			0.00%	25
J1	Biological/life sciences			2.37%	26
J1	Mathematics and statistics			0.56%	27
J1	Military science and military technologies			0.00%	28 & 29
J1	Interdisciplinary studies			0.00%	30
J1	Parks and recreation			2.12%	31
J1	Philosophy and religious studies			0.19%	38
J1	Theology and religious vocations			2.99%	39
J1	Physical sciences			0.69%	40
J1	Science technologies			0.00%	41
J1	Psychology			11.66%	42
J1	Homeland Security, law enforcement, firefighting,			2.00%	43
J1	Public administration and social services			2.43%	44
J1	Social sciences			4.68%	45
J1	Construction trades			0.00%	46
J1	Mechanic and repair technologies			0.00%	47
J1	Precision production			0.00%	48
J1	Transportation and materials moving			0.00%	49
J1	Visual and performing arts			7.61%	50
J1	Health professions and related programs			33.17%	51
J1	Business/marketing			13.40%	52
J1	History			0.69%	54
J1	Other				
J1	<b>TOTAL (should = 100%)</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	

<b>Common Data Set Definitions</b>
<b>All definitions related to the financial aid section appear at the end of the Definitions document.</b>
Items preceded by an asterisk (*) represent definitions agreed to among publishers which do not appear on
* <b>Academic advisement:</b> Plan under which each student is assigned to a faculty member or a trained
<b>Accelerated program:</b> Completion of a college program of study in fewer than the usual number of years.
<b>Admitted student:</b> Applicant who is offered admission to a degree-granting program at your institution.
* <b>Adult student services:</b> Admission assistance, support, orientation, and other services expressly for
<b>American Indian or Alaska Native:</b> A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America) and maintaining tribal affiliation or community attachment.
<b>Applicant (first-time, first year):</b> An individual who has fulfilled the institution's requirements to be
<b>Application fee:</b> That amount of money that an institution charges for processing a student's application for
<b>Asian:</b> A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian
<b>Associate degree:</b> An award that normally requires at least two but less than four years of full-time
<b>Bachelor's degree:</b> An award (baccalaureate or equivalent degree, as determined by the Secretary of the
<b>Black or African American:</b> A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.
<b>Board (charges):</b> Assume average cost for 19 meals per week or the maximum meal plan.
<b>Books and supplies (costs):</b> Average cost of books and supplies. Do not include unusual costs for special
<b>Calendar system:</b> The method by which an institution structures most of its courses for the academic year.
<b>Campus Ministry:</b> Religious student organizations (denominational or nondenominational) devoted to
* <b>Career and placement services:</b> A range of services, including (often) the following: coordination of visits
<b>Carnegie units:</b> One year of study or the equivalent in a secondary school subject.
<b>Certificate:</b> See <b>Postsecondary award, certificate, or diploma.</b>
<b>Class rank:</b> The relative numerical position of a student in his or her graduating class, calculated by the
<b>College-preparatory program:</b> Courses in academic subjects (English, history and social studies, foreign
<b>Common Application:</b> The standard application form distributed by the National Association of Secondary
* <b>Community service program:</b> Referral center for students wishing to perform volunteer work in the
<b>Commuter:</b> A student who lives off campus in housing that is not owned by, operated by, or affiliated with
<b>Clock hour:</b> A unit of measure that represents an hour of scheduled instruction given to students. Also
<b>Continuous basis (for program enrollment):</b> A calendar system classification that is used by institutions
<b>Cooperative education program:</b> A program that provides for alternate class attendance and employment
<b>Cooperative housing:</b> College-owned, -operated, or -affiliated housing in which students share room and
* <b>Counseling service:</b> Activities designed to assist students in making plans and decisions related to their
<b>Credit:</b> Recognition of attendance or performance in an instructional activity (course or program) that can be
<b>Credit course:</b> A course that, if successfully completed, can be applied toward the number of courses
<b>Credit hour:</b> A unit of measure representing an hour (50 minutes) of instruction over a 15-week period in a
<b>Cross-registration:</b> A system whereby students enrolled at one institution may take courses at another
<b>Deferred admission:</b> The practice of permitting admitted students to postpone enrollment, usually for a
<b>Degree:</b> An award conferred by a college, university, or other postsecondary education institution as official
<b>Degree-seeking students:</b> Students enrolled in courses for credit who are recognized by the institution as
<b>Differs by program (calendar system):</b> A calendar system classification that is used by institutions that
<b>Diploma:</b> See <b>Postsecondary award, certificate, or diploma.</b>
<b>Distance learning:</b> An option for earning course credit at off-campus locations via cable television, internet,
<b>Doctor's degree-research/scholarship:</b> A Ph.D. or other doctor's degree that requires advanced work beyond the master's level, including the preparation and defense of a dissertation based on original research, or the planning and execution of an original project demonstrating substantial artistic or scholarly achievement. Some examples of this type of degree may include Ed.D., D.M.A., D.B.A., D.Sc., D.A., or D.M., and others, as designated by the awarding institution.
<b>Doctor's degree-professional practice:</b> A doctor's degree that is conferred upon completion of a program providing the knowledge and skills for the recognition, credential, or license required for professional practice. The degree is awarded after a period of study such that the total time to the degree, including both pre-professional and professional preparation, equals at least six full-time equivalent academic years. Some of these degrees were formerly classified as "first-professional" and may include: Chiropractic (D.C. or D.C.M.); Dentistry (D.D.S. or D.M.D.); Law (L.L.B. or J.D.); Medicine (M.D.); Optometry (O.D.); Osteopathic Medicine (D.O.); Pharmacy (Pharm.D.); Podiatry (D.P.M., Pod.D., D.P.); or, Veterinary Medicine (D.V.M.), and others, as designated by the awarding institution.
<b>Doctor's degree-other:</b> A doctor's degree that does not meet the definition of a doctor's degree - research/scholarship or a doctor's degree - professional practice.
<b>Double major:</b> Program in which students may complete two undergraduate programs of study
<b>Dual enrollment:</b> A program through which high school students may enroll in college courses while still
<b>Early action plan:</b> An admission plan that allows students to apply and be notified of an admission decision
<b>Early admission:</b> A policy under which students who have not completed high school are admitted and
<b>Early decision plan:</b> A plan that permits students to apply and be notified of an admission decision (and
<b>English as a Second Language (ESL):</b> A course of study designed specifically for students whose native
<b>Exchange student program-domestic:</b> Any arrangement between a student and a college that permits
<b>External degree program:</b> A program of study in which students earn credits toward a degree through
<b>Extracurricular activities (as admission factor):</b> Special consideration in the admissions process given
<b>First-time student:</b> A student attending any institution for the first time at the level enrolled. Includes



<b>First-time, first-year (freshman) student:</b> A student attending any institution for the first time at the
<b>First-year student:</b> A student who has completed less than the equivalent of 1 full year of undergraduate
<b>Freshman:</b> A first-year undergraduate student.
<b>*Freshman/new student orientation:</b> Orientation addressing the academic, social, emotional, and
<b>Full-time student (undergraduate):</b> A student enrolled for 12 or more semester credits, 12 or more quarter
<b>Geographical residence (as admission factor):</b> Special consideration in the admission process given to
<b>Grade-point average (academic high school GPA):</b> The sum of grade points a student has earned in
<b>Graduate student:</b> A student who holds a bachelor's or equivalent, and is taking courses at the post-
<b>* Health services:</b> Free or low cost on-campus primary and preventive health care available to students.
<b>High school diploma or recognized equivalent:</b> A document certifying the successful completion of a
<b>Hispanic or Latino:</b> A person of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, South or Central American, or other
<b>Honors program:</b> Any special program for very able students offering the opportunity for educational
<b>Independent study:</b> Academic work chosen or designed by the student with the approval of the department
<b>In-state tuition:</b> The tuition charged by institutions to those students who meet the state's or institution's
<b>International student:</b> See <b>Nonresident alien.</b>
<b>International student group:</b> Student groups that facilitate cultural dialogue, support a diverse campus,
<b>Internship:</b> Any short-term, supervised work experience usually related to a student's major field, for which
<b>* Learning center:</b> Center offering assistance through tutors, workshops, computer programs, or
<b>* Legal services:</b> Free or low cost legal advice for a range of issues (personal and other).
<b>Liberal arts/career combination:</b> Program in which a student earns undergraduate degrees in two
<b>Master's degree:</b> An award that requires the successful completion of a program of study of generally one
or two full-time equivalent academic years of work beyond the bachelor's degree. Some of these degrees,
such as those in Theology (M.Div., M.H.L./Rav) that were formerly classified as "first-professional", may
require more than two full-time equivalent academic years of work.
<b>Minority affiliation (as admission factor):</b> Special consideration in the admission process for members of
<b>* Minority student center:</b> Center with programs, activities, and/or services intended to enhance the
<b>Model United Nations:</b> A simulation activity focusing on conflict resolution, globalization, and diplomacy.
<b>Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander:</b> A person having origins in any of the original peoples of
<b>Nonresident alien:</b> A person who is not a citizen or national of the United States and who is in this country
<b>* On-campus day care:</b> Licensed day care for students' children (usually age 3 and up); usually for a fee.
<b>Open admission:</b> Admission policy under which virtually all secondary school graduates or students with
<b>Other expenses (costs):</b> Include average costs for clothing, laundry, entertainment, medical (if not a
<b>Out-of-state tuition:</b> The tuition charged by institutions to those students who do not meet the institution's
<b>Part-time student (undergraduate):</b> A student enrolled for fewer than 12 credits per semester or quarter, or
<b>* Personal counseling:</b> One-on-one or group counseling with trained professionals for students who want to
<b>Post-baccalaureate certificate:</b> An award that requires completion of an organized program of study
<b>Post-master's certificate:</b> An award that requires completion of an organized program of study of 24 credit
<b>Postsecondary award, certificate, or diploma:</b> Includes the following three IPEDS definitions for
<i>Less Than 1 Academic Year:</i> Requires completion of an organized program of study at the postsecondary
<i>At Least 1 But Less Than 2 Academic Years:</i> Requires completion of an organized program of study at the
<i>At Least 2 But Less Than 4 Academic Years:</i> Requires completion of an organized program of study at the
<b>Private institution:</b> An educational institution controlled by a private individual(s) or by a nongovernmental
<b>Private for-profit institution:</b> A private institution in which the individual(s) or agency in control receives
<b>Private nonprofit institution:</b> A private institution in which the individual(s) or agency in control receives no
<b>Proprietary institution:</b> See <b>Private for-profit institution.</b>
<b>Public institution:</b> An educational institution whose programs and activities are operated by publicly elected
<b>Quarter calendar system:</b> A calendar system in which the academic year consists of three sessions called
<b>Race/ethnicity:</b> Category used to describe groups to which individuals belong, identify with, or belong in the
<b>Race/ethnicity unknown:</b> Category used to classify students or employees whose race/ethnicity is not
<b>Recognized Postsecondary Credential:</b> Includes both Title IV eligible degrees, certificates, and other
<b>Religious affiliation/commitment (as admission factor):</b> Special consideration given in the admission
<b>* Religious counseling:</b> One-on-one or group counseling with trained professionals for students who want
<b>* Remedial services:</b> Instructional courses designed for students deficient in the general competencies
<b>Required fees:</b> Fixed sum charged to students for items not covered by tuition and required of such a large
<b>Resident alien or other eligible non-citizen:</b> A person who is not a citizen or national of the United States
<b>Room and board (charges)—on campus:</b> Assume double occupancy in institutional housing and 19 meals
<b>Secondary school record (as admission factor):</b> Information maintained by the secondary school that
<b>Semester calendar system:</b> A calendar system that consists of two semesters during the academic year
<b>Student-designed major:</b> A program of study based on individual interests, designed with the assistance of
<b>Study abroad:</b> Any arrangement by which a student completes part of the college program studying in
<b>* Summer session:</b> A summer session is shorter than a regular semester and not considered part of the
<b>Talent/ability (as admission factor):</b> Special consideration given to students with demonstrated
<b>Teacher certification program:</b> Program designed to prepare students to meet the requirements for
<b>Transfer applicant:</b> An individual who has fulfilled the institution's requirements to be considered for
<b>Transfer student:</b> A student entering the institution for the first time but known to have previously attended
<b>Transportation (costs):</b> Assume two round trips to student's hometown per year for students in institutional
<b>Trimester calendar system:</b> An academic year consisting of 3 terms of about 15 weeks each.
<b>Tuition:</b> Amount of money charged to students for instructional services. Tuition may be charged per term,
<b>* Tutoring:</b> May range from one-on-one tutoring in specific subjects to tutoring in an area such as math,
<b>Unit:</b> a standard of measurement representing hours of academic instruction (e.g., semester credit, quarter
<b>Undergraduate:</b> A student enrolled in a four- or five-year bachelor's degree program, an associate degree
<b>* Veteran's counseling:</b> Helps veterans and their dependents obtain benefits for their selected program

* <b>Visually impaired:</b> Any person whose sight loss is not correctable and is sufficiently severe as to
<b>Volunteer work (as admission factor):</b> Special consideration given to students for activity done on a
<b>Wait list:</b> List of students who meet the admission requirements but will only be offered a place in the class
<b>Weekend college:</b> A program that allows students to take a complete course of study and attend classes
<b>White:</b> A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.
* <b>Women's center:</b> Center with programs, academic activities, and/or services intended to promote an
<b>Work experience (as admission factor):</b> Special consideration given to students who have been employed
<b>Financial Aid Definitions</b>
<b>Awarded aid:</b> The dollar amounts offered to financial aid applicants.
<b>External scholarships and grants:</b> Scholarships and grants received from outside (private) sources that
<b>Financial aid applicant:</b> Any applicant who submits <b>any one of</b> the institutionally required financial aid
<b>Indebtedness:</b> Aggregate dollar amount borrowed through any loan program (federal, state, subsidized,
<b>Institutional scholarships and grants:</b> Endowed scholarships, annual gifts and tuition funded grants for
<b>Financial need:</b> As determined by your institution using the federal methodology and/or your institution's own standards.
<b>Need-based aid:</b> College-funded or college-administered award from institutional, state, federal, or other sources for which a student must have financial need to qualify. This includes both institutional and noninstitutional student aid (grants, jobs, and loans).
<b>Need-based scholarship or grant aid:</b> Scholarships and grants from institutional, state, federal, or other sources for which a student must have financial need to qualify.
<b>Need-based self-help aid:</b> Loans and jobs from institutional, state, federal, or other sources for which a student must demonstrate financial need to qualify.
<b>Non-need-based scholarship or grant aid:</b> Scholarships and grants, gifts, or merit-based aid from
<b>Note: Suggested order of precedence for counting non-need money as need-based:</b>
Non-need institutional grants
Non-need tuition waivers
Non-need athletic awards
Non-need federal grants
Non-need state grants
Non-need outside grants
Non-need student loans
Non-need parent loans
Non-need work
<b>Non-need-based self-help aid:</b> Loans and jobs from institutional, state, or other sources for which a
<b>Private student loans:</b> A nonfederal loan made by a lender such as a bank, credit union or private lender
<b>Work study and employment:</b> Federal and state work study aid, and any employment packaged by your