# C. FIRST-TIME, FIRST-YEAR (FRESHMAN) ADMISSION

#### Applications

C1 First-time, first-year, (freshmen) students: Provide the number of degree-seeking, first-time, firstyear students who applied, were admitted, and enrolled (full- or part-time) in Fall 2016. Include early decision, early action, and students who began studies during summer in this cohort. Applicants should include only those students who fulfilled the requirements for consideration for admission (i.e., who completed actionable applications) and who have been notified of one of the following actions: admission, nonadmission, placement on waiting list, or application withdrawn (by applicant or institution). Admitted applicants should include wait-listed students who were subsequently offered admission.

C1	Total first-time, first-year (freshman) men who applied	6378
C1	Total first-time, first-year (freshman) women who applied	11089
C1	Total first-time, first-year (freshman) men who were admitted	3465
C1	Total first-time, first-year (freshman) women who were admitted	5747
C1	Total full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) men who enrolled	1560
C1	Total part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) men who enrolled	42
C1	Total full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) women who enrolled	2324
C1	Total part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) women who enrolled	49

# C2 Freshman wait-listed students (students who met admission requirements but whose final admission was contingent on space availability)

		Yes	No
C2	Do you have a policy of placing students on a waiting list?	х	
C2	If yes, please answer the questions below for Fall 2016 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		Ĩ
		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	
	accepted	
C3	High school diploma is required and GED is not	×
	accepted	X
C3	High school diploma or equivalent is not required	

#### C4 Does your institution require or recommend a general college-preparatory program for degreeseeking students?

C4	Require	х
C4	Recommend	
C4	Neither require nor recommend	

**C5 Distribution of high school units required and/or recommended.** Specify the distribution of academic high school course units required and/or recommended of all or most degree-seeking students using Carnegie units (one unit equals one year of study or its equivalent). If you use a different system for calculating units, please convert.

C5		Units	Units
		Required	Recommended
C5	Total academic units	17	
C5	English	4	
C5	Mathematics	4	
C5	Science	4	
C5	Of these, units that must be	2	
	lab	2	
C5	Foreign language	2	
C5	Social studies	3	
C5	History		
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 with GED equivalency diplomas are admitted without regard to academic record, test scores, or other qualifications? If so, check which applies:

C6	Open admission policy as described above for all students	No
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, firstyear, degree-seeking (freshman) admission decisions.

C7		Very Important	Important	Considered	Not Considered
C7	Academic				
C7	Rigor of secondary school	х			
	record	X			
C7	Class rank				Х
C7	Academic GPA	х			
C7	Standardized test scores	Х			
C7	Application Essay			х	
C7	Recommendation(s)			х	
C7	Nonacademic				
C7	Interview				х
C7	Extracurricular activities				Х
C7	Talent/ability			Х	
C7	Character/personal qualities				Х
C7	First generation				х
C7	Alumni/ae relation				Х
C7	Geographical residence				Х
C7	State residency				X
C7	Religious				х
-	affiliation/commitment				
C7	Racial/ethnic status				X
C7	Volunteer work				X
C7	Work experience				X
C7	Level of applicant's interest				X

# SAT and ACT Policies

#### C8 Entrance exams

		Yes	No	
C8A	Does your institution make use of SAT, ACT, or SAT Subject Test			
	scores in admission decisions for first-time, first-year, degree-	х		
	seeking applicants?			l

**C8A** If yes, place check marks in the appropriate boxes below to reflect your institution's policies for use in admission for Fall 2018.

C8A			ADMISSION			
C8A		Require	Recommend	Require for Some	Consider if	Not
					Submitted	Used
C8A	SAT or ACT	х				
C8A	ACT only					
C8A	SAT only					
C8A	SAT and SAT Subject Tests or					
	ACT					
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 applicants for Fall 2018, please indicate which ONE of the following applies: (regardless of whether the writing score will be used in the admissions process):

C8B ACT with writing required

**C8B** ACT with writing recommended

C8B ACT with or without writing accepted

х

C8B	If your institution will make use of the SAT in admission decisions for first-time, first-year, degree-seeking
	for Fall 2018 please indicate which ONE of the following applies (regardless of whether the Essay score will be used
	in the admissions process:

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C8B	SAT	with	Essay	com	ponent	required

**C8B** SAT with Essay component recommended

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

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**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		
C8C	For advising		
C8C	In place of an application essay		
C8C			
	As a validity check on the application essay		
C8C	No college policy as of now	х	х
C8C	Not using essay component		

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

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х	

C8E	Latest date by which SAT or ACT scores must be received for fall-	March 1, 2017
C8E	Latest date by which SAT Subject Test scores must be received for	
	fall-term admission	

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

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

C8G	SAT	
C8G	ACT	
C8G	SAT Subject Tests	
C8G	AP	
C8G	CLEP	
C8G	Institutional Exam	х
C8G	State Exam (specify):	

## Freshman Profile

C8D

Provide percentages for ALL enrolled, degree-seeking, full-time and part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) students enrolled in Fall 2016, including students who began studies during summer, international students/nonresident aliens, and students admitted under special arrangements.

C9 Percent and number of first-time, first-year (freshman) students enrolled in Fall 2016 who submitted national standardized (SAT/ACT) test scores. Include information for ALL enrolled, degree-seeking, first-time, first-year (freshman) students who submitted test scores. Do not include partial test scores (e.g., mathematics scores but not critical reading for a category of students) or combine other standardized test results (such as TOEFL) in this item. *Do* not convert SAT scores to ACT scores and vice versa. *Do* convert New SAT scores (2016) to Old SAT scores using the College Board's concordance tools and tables (sat.org/concordance).

C9	Percent submitting SAT scores	77% Number submitting SAT scores	3066
C9	Percent submitting ACT scores	51% Number submitting ACT scores	2045

C9		25th Percentile	75th Percentile
C9	SAT Critical Reading	480	590
C9	SAT Math	470	590
	SAT Writing	460	570
	SAT Essay		
C9	ACT Composite	20	26

C9	ACT Math	19	26
C9	ACT English	20	26
C9	ACT Writing		

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C9		SAT Critical		
		Reading	SAT Math	SAT Writing
C9	700-800	3.29%	3.85%	1.35%
C9	600-699	19.80%	17.78%	14.52%
C9	500-599	46.12%	42.63%	43.78%
C9	400-499	29.52%	34.70%	35.93%
C9	300-399	1.21%	1.04%	4.39%
C9	200-299	0.07%	0.00%	0.03%
	Totals should = 100%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
C9		ACT Composite	ACT English	ACT Math
C9	30-36	6.21%	9.84%	5.53%
C9	24-29	37.31%	31.44%	37.17%
C9	18-23	52.76%	49.80%	44.42%
C9	12-17	3.72%	8.67%	12.88%
C9	6-11	0.00%	0.24%	0.00%
C9	Below 6	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
	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 within each of the following ranges (report information for those students from whom you collected high school rank information).

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C10 Percent in top half of high school graduating class 82% Top half +	
C10 Percent in bottom half of high school graduating class 18% bottom half = 100	)%
C10 Percent in bottom quarter of high school graduating class 3%	_
C10 Percent of total first-time, first-year (freshmen) students who submitted high school	
class rank: 48%	)

C11 Percentage of all enrolled, degree-seeking, first-time, first-year (freshman) students who had high school grade-point averages within each of the following ranges (using 4.0 scale). Report information only for those students from whom you collected high school GPA.

C11	Percent who had GPA of 3.75 and higher	20.93%
C11	Percent who had GPA between 3.50 and 3.74	24.54%
C11	Percent who had GPA between 3.25 and 3.49	24.11%
C11	Percent who had GPA between 3.00 and 3.24	19.23%
C11	Percent who had GPA between 2.50 and 2.99	10.73%
C11	Percent who had GPA between 2.0 and 2.49	0.46%
C11	Percent who had GPA between 1.0 and 1.99	0.00%
C11	Percent who had GPA below 1.0	0.00%
	Totals should = 100%	100.00%

-	Average high school GPA of all degree-seeking, first-time, first-year (freshman) students who submitted GPA:	3.43
-	Percent of total first-time, first-year (freshman) students who submitted high school GPA:	99.42%

## **Admission Policies**

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C13	Application Fee		
C13		Yes	No
C13	Does your institution have an application fee?	x	
C13	Amount of application fee:	\$60.00	
C13		Yes	No
C13	Can it be waived for applicants with financial need?	х	

C13 If you have an application fee an<u>d an on-line application option</u>,

C13 Same fee:

x

C13 Reduced:

C13 Free:

C13	Yes	No		
C13 Can on-line application fee be waived for applicants with financial need?		x		
C14 Application closing date				
C14	Yes	No		
C14 Does your institution have an				
application closing date?	х			
C14 Application closing date (fall):	3/1			
C14 Priority date:				
C15			Yes	N
C15 Are first-time, first-year stude	ents accepted for terr	ms other than	х	

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

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

## C17 <u>Reply policy for admitted applicants (fill in one only</u>)

C17	Must reply by (date):	7/15	
C17	No set date:		
C17	Must reply by May 1 or within		
	weeks if notified		
	thereafter		
C17	Other:		
C17	Deadline for housing deposit (MM	//DD):	
C17	Amount of housing deposit:		350.00
C17	Refundable if student does not en	nroll?	
C17	Yes, in full		
C17	Yes, in part		
C17	No	х	

## C18 Deferred admission

C18			Yes	No
	<b>18</b> Does your institution allow students to postpone enrollment after admission?		x	
C18	If yes, maximum period of postponement:	2 terms		

# C19 Early admission of high school students

C19		Yes	No	
	Does your institution allow high school students to enroll as full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) students one year or more before high school graduation?	x		

## C20 Common Application

Question removed from CDS.

(Initiated during 2006-2007 cycle)

# Early Decision and Early Action Plans

1	Yes	No
1 Does your institution offer an early decision plan (an admission plan that permits students to apply and be notified of an admission decision well in advance of the regular notification date and that asks students to commit to attending if accepted) for first-time, first- year (freshman) applicants for fall enrollment?		x
I If "yes," please complete the following:		
1 First or only early decision plan closing date		
1 First or only early decision plan notification date		
1 Other early decision plan closing date		
1 Other early decision plan notification date		

C21	For the Fall 2016 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:	

	Yes	No
Do you have a nonbinding early action plan whereby students are notified of an admission decision well in advance of the regular notification date but do not have to commit to attending your college?	x	
If "yes," please complete the following:		
Early action closing date	11/15	
Early action notification date	1/30	

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

 C22
 Yes
 No

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 X

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