# 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 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have been notified of one of the following actions: admission, nonadmission, placement on waiting list, or application withdrawn (by applicant or institution).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.

| subsequently offered admission.                                       |  |
|---|--|
| Total first-time, first-year (freshman) men who applied               | 4428   |
| Total first-time, first-year (freshman) women who applied             | 5924   |
|   |  |
| Total first-time, first-year (freshman) men who were admitted         | 3092   |
| Total first-time, first-year (freshman) women who were admitted       | 4223   |
|   |  |
| Total full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) men who enrolled   | 457  |
| Total part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) men who enrolled   | 0  |
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| Total full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) women who enrolled | 576  |
| Total part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) women who enrolled | 0  |
|   | Total first-time, first-year (freshman) men who applied Total first-time, first-year (freshman) women who applied  Total first-time, first-year (freshman) men who were admitted Total first-time, first-year (freshman) women who were admitted  Total full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) men who enrolled Total part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) men who enrolled  Total full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) women who enrolled |

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

|   | Yes  | No   |
|---|--|--|
| Do you have a policy of placing students on a waiting list?         |  | X  |
| If yes, please answer the questions below for Fall 2016 admissions: |  | _  |
| Number of qualified applicants offered a place on waiting list      |  |  |
| Number accepting a place on the waiting list                        |  |  |
| Number of wait-listed students admitted                             |  |  |
|   | Yes  | No   |
| Is your waiting list ranked?  |  |  |
| If yes, do you release that information to students?                |  |  |
| Do you release that information to school counselors?               |  |  |
|   | Do you have a policy of placing students on a waiting list?  If yes, please answer the questions below for Fall 2016 admissions:  Number of qualified applicants offered a place on waiting list  Number accepting a place on the waiting list  Number of wait-listed students admitted  Is your waiting list ranked?  If yes, do you release that information to students?  Do you release that information to school counselors? | Do you have a policy of placing students on a waiting list?  If yes, please answer the questions below for Fall 2016 admissions:  Number of qualified applicants offered a place on waiting list  Number accepting a place on the waiting list  Number of wait-listed students admitted  Yes  Is your waiting list ranked?  If yes, do you release that information to students? |

### **Admission Requirements**

C3 High school completion requirement

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|----|---|---|
| C3 | High school diploma is required and GED is        | Υ |
|    | accepted  | ^ |
| C3 | High school diploma is required and GED is not    |   |
|    | accepted  |   |
| 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                       |   |
| C4 | Recommend                     | X |
| 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<br>Required | Units<br>Recommended |
|----|----------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| C5 | Total academic units             | 16                | 21                   |
| C5 | English                          | 4                 | 4                    |
| C5 | Mathematics                      | 3                 | 4                    |
| C5 | Science                          | 2                 | 3                    |
| C5 | Of these, units that must be lab | 1                 | 2                    |
| C5 | Foreign language                 | 2                 | 3                    |
| C5 | Social studies                   | 2                 | 4                    |
| C5 | History                          |                   |                      |
| C5 | Academic electives               | 3                 | 3                    |
| C5 | Computer Science                 |                   |                      |

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| 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       |  |
|----|---|--|
| 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-year, degree-seeking (freshman) admission decisions.

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

**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 Used |
|     |                              |         |           |                  | Submitted   |          |
| C8A | SAT or ACT                   | X       |           |                  |             |          |
| C8A | ACT only                     |         |           |                  |             |          |
|     | 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 |
|-----|-----|------|----|---------|---------|----------|
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| X |  |
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| X                       | J                   |
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| ng component: check a   | Il that apply:      |
| SAT essay               | ACT essay           |
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| X                       | X                   |
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| sts are recommended for | r some students     |
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| X                       | -                   |
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| Х                       | 1                   |
|                         | X cademic advising? |

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 | 23% Number submitting SAT scores | 237 |
|----|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----|
| C9 | Percent submitting ACT scores | 89% Number submitting ACT scores | 922 |
|    |                               |                                  |     |

25th Percentile 75th Percentile

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| C9 | SAT Critical Reading | 520 | 630 |
|----|----------------------|-----|-----|
| C9 | SAT Math             | 530 | 650 |
|    | SAT Writing          | 510 | 610 |
|    | SAT Essay            | 8   | 9   |
| C9 | ACT Composite        | 24  | 30  |
| C9 | ACT Math             | 24  | 29  |
| C9 | ACT English          | 24  | 31  |
| C9 | ACT Writing          |     |     |

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

|    |                      |               |             | 3 -         |
|----|----------------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|
| C9 |                      | SAT Critical  |             |             |
|    |                      | Reading       | SAT Math    | SAT Writing |
| C9 | 700-800              | 7.17%         | 10.55%      | 5.49%       |
| C9 | 600-699              | 32.07%        | 36.71%      | 26.58%      |
| C9 | 500-599              | 41.35%        | 43.04%      | 47.68%      |
| C9 | 400-499              | 16.88%        | 7.59%       | 18.14%      |
| C9 | 300-399              | 2.53%         | 2.11%       | 1.69%       |
| C9 | 200-299              | 0.00%         | 0.00%       | 0.42%       |
|    | Totals should = 100% | 100.00%       | 100.00%     | 100.00%     |
| C9 |                      | ACT Composite | ACT English | ACT Math    |
| C9 | 30-36                | 26.79%        | 35.25%      | 19.85%      |
| C9 | 24-29                | 56.07%        | 46.10%      | 58.89%      |
| C9 | 18-23                | 17.03%        | 18.00%      | 19.20%      |
| C9 | 12-17                | 0.11%         | 0.65%       | 2.06%       |
| C9 | 6-11                 | 0.00%         | 0.00%       | 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).

| C10 | Percent in top tenth of high school graduating class                        | 35%         |                    |
|-----|---|-------------|--------------------|
| C10 | Percent in top quarter of high school graduating class                      | 70%         |                    |
| C10 | Percent in top half of high school graduating class                         | 91%         | Top half +         |
| C10 | Percent in bottom half of high school graduating class                      | 9%          | bottom half = 100% |
| C10 | Percent in bottom quarter of high school graduating class                   | 1%          |                    |
| C10 | Percent of total first-time, first-year (freshmen) students who submitted h | high school |                    |
|     | class rank:   |             | 45%                |

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    | 57.88%  | 58 |
|-----|---|---------|----|
| C11 | Percent who had GPA between 3.50 and 3.74 | 18.02%  | 18 |
| C11 | Percent who had GPA between 3.25 and 3.49 | 11.17%  | 11 |
| C11 | Percent who had GPA between 3.00 and 3.24 | 7.25%   | 7  |
| C11 | Percent who had GPA between 2.50 and 2.99 | 5.09%   | 5  |
| C11 | Percent who had GPA between 2.0 and 2.49  | 0.59%   | 1  |
| 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: | 3.76   |
|-----|--|--------|
| C12 | Percent of total first-time, first-year (freshman) students who  |        |
|     | submitted high school GPA:   | 98.84% |

## **Admission Policies**

| C13 | 3 Application Fee                              |         |    |  |  |  |
|-----|--|---------|----|--|--|--|
| C13 |  | Yes     | No |  |  |  |
|     | Does your institution have an application fee? | X       |    |  |  |  |
| C13 | Amount of application fee:                     | \$40.00 |    |  |  |  |
| C13 |  | Yes     | No |  |  |  |

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| C13 | Can it be waived for applicants with financial need?  | Х                    |                      |                      |                 |
|-----|---|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------|
|     | If you have an application fee and Same fee:  | d an on-line applic  | ation option,        |                      |                 |
|     | Free:<br>Reduced:   | X                    | <u> </u><br> <br>    |                      |                 |
| C13 |   | Yes                  | No                   | I                    |                 |
| C13 | Can on-line application fee be waived for applicants with financial need?                   |                      |                      |                      |                 |
|     | Application closing date  |                      | T.                   | <del>,</del>         |                 |
| C14 | Does your institution have an   | Yes                  | No                   |                      |                 |
| C14 | application closing date?   | X                    |                      |                      |                 |
| C14 | Application closing date (fall):  | 2/15                 |                      | 1                    |                 |
| C14 | Priority date:  | 12/1                 |                      |                      |                 |
| C15 |   |                      |                      | Yes                  | No              |
|     | Are first-time, first-year student  | ts accepted for te   | erms other than      | X                    |                 |
|     |   |                      |                      |                      |                 |
| C16 | Notification to applicants of ad  | mission decision     | sant (fill in one on | (v)                  |                 |
|     | On a rolling basis beginning  |                      |                      | iy)                  |                 |
|     | (date):   | 11/1                 |                      |                      |                 |
|     | By (date):  |                      |                      |                      |                 |
| C16 | Other:  |                      |                      |                      |                 |
|     | <u>I</u>  |                      | 4                    |                      |                 |
|     | Reply policy for admitted applie  | cants (fill in one o | nly)                 |                      |                 |
|     | Must reply by (date): No set date:  |                      | _                    |                      |                 |
|     | Must reply by May 1 or within   |                      | _                    |                      |                 |
| •   | weeks if notified   | 2                    |                      |                      |                 |
|     | thereafter  |                      |                      |                      |                 |
| C17 | Other:  |                      |                      |                      |                 |
| C17 | Deadline for housing deposit (MM  | 1/DD):               | 5/1                  | ]                    |                 |
|     | Amount of housing deposit:  | ,                    | 100.00               |                      |                 |
| -   | Refundable if student does not er   | roll?                | <u> </u>             |                      |                 |
| C17 | Yes, in full<br>Yes, in part  |                      | _                    |                      |                 |
| C17 | No  | Х                    | 1                    |                      |                 |
|     |   | •                    | 4                    |                      |                 |
|     | Deferred admission  |                      |                      | l Vaa                | Nie             |
| C18 | Does your institution allow studen  | nts to postpone en   | rollment after       | Yes                  | No              |
|     | admission?  | ,                    |                      | X                    |                 |
| C18 | If yes, maximum period of postpo  | nement:              |                      |                      |                 |
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| C19 | Early admission of high school  | students             |                      | Yes                  | No              |
|     | Does your institution allow high so first-time, first-year (freshman) stuschool graduation? |                      |                      |                      | X               |
|     | <u> </u>  |                      |                      |                      |                 |
| C20 | Common Application  | Question remove      | d from CDS.          | (Initiated during 20 | 006-2007 cycle) |
| C21 | Early Decision and Early A  | Action Plans         |                      |                      |                 |
| C21 |   |                      |                      | Yes                  | No              |

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C21 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? 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 2016 entering class:

| C21 | Number of early decision applications received by your institution | 1 |
|-----|--|---|
| C24 | Number of applicants admitted under early decision plan            |   |

C21 Please provide significant details about your early decision plan:

### C22 Early action

| C22 |   | 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? | Х   |    |
|     |   |     |    |

| 22 If "ves." please complete the | following: |  |
|----------------------------------|------------|--|
|----------------------------------|------------|--|

| C22 | Early action closing date      | 11/1    |
|-----|--------------------------------|---------|
| C22 | Early action notification date | rolling |

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

| C22 | Yes | No |
|-----|-----|----|
| C22 |     | X  |

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