Princeton University is a vibrant community of scholarship that blends the strengths of a major research institution with the qualities of an outstanding liberal arts college.

Undergraduates Are Our Focus
At Princeton, every faculty member teaches, usually in small class settings. We prepare undergraduates to address the challenges of the future, enrolling exceptional students from around the globe and equipping them with the knowledge, skills and experience to become leaders in whatever they choose to do.
The academic options at Princeton are boundless. You can chart your course across a diverse curriculum that covers engineering, humanities, natural sciences and social sciences. You may choose among 36 fields of concentration and 50 interdisciplinary areas of proficiency. Or, if you prefer, you may craft your own area of study by designing an independent concentration.

Academic Choice

**THE A.B. DEGREE**
Programs of study in the humanities, the natural sciences and the social sciences lead to the degree of Bachelor of Arts. Students select a concentration from the following academic departments:

- African American Studies
- Anthropology
- Architecture
- Art and Archaeology
- Astrophysical Sciences
- Chemistry
- Classics
- Comparative Literature
- Computer Science
- East Asian Studies
- Ecology and Evolutionary Biology
- Economics
- English
- French and Italian
- Geosciences
- German
- History
- Mathematics
- Molecular Biology
- Music
- Near Eastern Studies
- Neuroscience
- Philosophy
- Physics
- Politics
- Psychology
- Religion
- Slavic Languages and Literatures
- Sociology
- Spanish and Portuguese Languages and Cultures
- Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs

**THE B.S.E. DEGREE**
Programs of study in the School of Engineering and Applied Science lead to the degree of Bachelor of Science in engineering. Students select a concentration from the following six academic departments:

- Chemical and Biological Engineering
- Civil and Environmental Engineering
- Computer Science
- Electrical Engineering
- Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
- Operations Research and Financial Engineering

**CERTIFICATES OF PROFICIENCY**
The following programs offer certificates of proficiency to students interested in pursuing focused study that supplements the primary work of their concentrations.

- African American Studies
- African Studies
- American Studies
- Applications of Computing
- Applied and Computational Mathematics
- Architecture and Engineering
- Biophysics
- Cognitive Science
- Contemporary European Politics and Society
- Creative Writing
- Dance
- East Asian Studies
- Engineering and Management Systems
- Engineering Biology
- Engineering Physics
- Environmental Studies
- Ethnographic Studies
- European Cultural Studies
- Finance
- Gender and Sexuality Studies
- Geological Engineering
- Global Health and Health Policy
- Hellenic Studies
- History and the Practice of Diplomacy
- Humanistic Studies
- Jazz Studies
- Judaic Studies
- Language and Culture
- Latin American Studies
- Latino Studies
- Linguistics
- Materials Science and Engineering
- Medieval Studies
- Musical Performance
- Near Eastern Studies
- Neuroscience
- Planets and Life
- Quantitative and Computational Biology
- Robotics and Intelligent Systems
- Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies
- South Asian Studies
- Statistics and Machine Learning
- Sustainable Energy
- Teacher Preparation
- Technology and Society
- Theater
- Translation and Intercultural Communication
- Urban Studies
- Values and Public Life
- Visual Arts
A liberal arts education is about discovery. In the sciences and humanities, Princeton gives you the time, resources and opportunity to test yourself and discover new intellectual interests. Beginning in your freshman year, you will participate in small class seminars with professors known around the world for their scholarship. In your junior year, you will complete a substantial paper or project and begin to pursue original research in a topic of your choosing. Your research will culminate in a senior thesis or a substantial research project. Along the way, you will have opportunities to work one-on-one with a faculty member who serves as your intellectual guide and mentor.
SMALL RESIDENTIAL COMMUNITIES

All freshmen are randomly assigned to a residential college. The residential colleges—six in all—become the locus for most social and academic pursuits. You will dine, study and relax with others where you live; have access to faculty assigned to your college who serve as your academic advisers; and participate in a range of extracurricular activities based at or launched from your residence. When you become a junior, you may choose to stay in the college or pursue a number of other dining and living arrangements.

A VIBRANT EXTRACURRICULAR EXPERIENCE

SELECT STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

- American Foreign Policy
- American Society of Mechanical Engineers
- Arab Society of Princeton
- Asian-American Students Association
- Astrobiology Club
- Ballet Folklórico de Princeton
- Band
- Black Student Union
- Brass Ensemble
- Bridge Club
- Bulgarian Undergraduate Society
- Canadian Club
- Caribbean Connection
- Chamber Orchestra
- Chess Club
- Entrepreneurship Club
- Environmental Action
- Gates Scholars
- Gospel Ensemble
- Healthcare Club
- Hidden Minority Council
- J Street U Princeton
- Juggling
- LGBTQ*J
- Mas Flow
- Mathematics Club
- Mock Trial
- Model Congress
- Performing Arts Council
- Persian Society of Princeton
- Philosophical Society
- Photography Club
- Premedical Society
- Princeton Votes
- Shakespeare Company
- SpeakOut
- Sports Industry Club
- Stand-Up Comedy
- Stella Art Club
- Surf Club
- Swing Club
- Tango Club
- Triangle Club
- Undergraduate Student Government
- Whig-Cliosophic Society
- Wine Tasters
- Women in Science Colloquium
- WPRB
- Yoga Club

A DIVERSE LEARNING EXPERIENCE

Princeton knows that a diverse student body significantly enhances the educational experience of all students. Nearly 45 percent of students are Americans of color; 11 percent come from outside the United States, representing nearly 100 countries around the world; and they come from a range of economic circumstances.

UNDERGRADUATE AMERICANS OF COLOR

- 22% Asian American
- 9% Hispanic/Latino
- 8% African American
- 4% Multiracial
- <1% American Indian

GENDER

- 52% Male
- 48% Female

VARSITY ATHLETICS

MEN

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### Enrolled

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#### Middle 50% SAT Scores

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<td>Independent Day</td>
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<td>Religiously Affiliated</td>
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<td>Independent Boarding</td>
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*Based on the secondary schools that provided Princeton with ranking data.
Princeton has one of the most generous financial aid policies in the country. About 60 percent of students receive financial aid. We were the first in the country to implement a no-loan financial aid policy, which means all of our financial aid packages are built on grants, not loans that have to be repaid. As a result, 83 percent of our recent seniors graduated debt free. The average debt for graduating students is $6,600.

### Financially Accessible

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### FINANCIAL AID FOR STUDENTS ADMITTED TO THE CLASS OF 2019

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<th>Family Income</th>
<th>Average Grant*</th>
<th>What It Covers</th>
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<tr>
<td>$0–65,000</td>
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<td>Full tuition, room + board</td>
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<td>$65,000–85,000</td>
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<td>$120,000–140,000</td>
<td>$44,400</td>
<td>Full tuition, 7% of room + board</td>
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<tr>
<td>$140,000–160,000</td>
<td>$41,200</td>
<td>95% of tuition</td>
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<td>$160,000–180,000</td>
<td>$37,300</td>
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<td>$180,000–200,000</td>
<td>$29,800</td>
<td>68% of tuition</td>
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<td>$200,000–250,000</td>
<td>$24,900</td>
<td>57% of tuition</td>
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<td>$250,000 and above</td>
<td>$19,000</td>
<td>43% of tuition</td>
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Most who qualify have at least two children in college.

Of those who applied for aid: 100% qualify 90% qualify 83% qualify 40% qualify

Your grant may vary from the above average based on the Financial Aid Office’s individual evaluation of your family’s resources, including assets other than the family home or retirement savings.

*A grant does not have to be repaid. Sometimes grants are referred to as “scholarships” or “gift aid.”

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