Princeton University
is a vibrant community that blends the strengths of a major research university 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.

Explore our campus today by taking our virtual tour, available in four languages, at admission.princeton.edu/virtualtour.
Affordable for All

Princeton has one of the most generous financial aid policies in the country. About 60% of students receive financial aid. We provide financial aid in the form of grants, which do not have to be repaid. Our aid program does not require any borrowing, so students may graduate debt free. As a result, 82% of our recent seniors graduated debt free. The average debt of graduating students who choose to borrow is $9,000.

### FINANCIAL AID FOR STUDENTS ADMITTED TO THE CLASS OF 2023

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Room + board = $17,150

Shown above are average grant figures for students whose families reside in the United States. Your grant may vary from the above averages based on the Financial Aid Office’s evaluation of your individual family’s resources, including assets other than the primary family home and retirement funds.

In the Nation’s Service and the Service of Humanity

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PRINCETON AT A GLANCE
Academic Choice

The academic options at Princeton are boundless. You can chart your course across a diverse curriculum that covers engineering, humanities, natural sciences, social sciences and creative arts. You may choose among 37 fields of concentration and 55 interdisciplinary areas of proficiency. Or, if you prefer, you may craft your own area of study by designing an independent concentration.

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 Architecture
- 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
- 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 may supplement the primary work of their concentration. Students may earn more than one certificate.

- African American Studies
- African Studies
- American Studies
- Applications of Computing
- Applied and Computational Mathematics
- Archaeology
- Architecture and Engineering
- Asian American Studies
- Biophysics
- Cognitive Science
- Contemporary European Politics and Society
- Creative Writing
- Dance
- East Asian Studies
- Engineering and Management Systems
- Engineering Biology
- Engineering Physics
- Entrepreneurship
- 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
- Journalism
- Judaic Studies
- Language and Culture
- Latin American Studies
- Latino Studies
- Linguistics
- Materials Science and Engineering
- Medieval Studies
- Music Performance
- Music Theater
- 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
Freedom to Explore

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 first 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.

SELECT SENIOR THESIS TITLES

Sonia Sotomayor ’76 
Supreme Court justice

Michelle Obama ’85 
former First Lady of the United States
“Princeton-Educated Blacks and the Black Community”

Ethan Coen ’79 
filmmaker
“Two Views of Wittgenstein’s Later Philosophy”

Mohsin Hamid ’93 
novelist
“Sustainable Power: Integrated Resource Planning in Pakistan”

Wendy Kopp ’89 
Teach for America founder
“An Argument and Plan for the Creation of the Teachers Corporation”

John Thompson III ’88 
basketball coach and broadcaster
“Black Separatists and Black Nationalists in the 1980s”

Ellie Kemper ’02 
actress
“Isn’t It Ironic?”

Jodi Picoult ’87 
novelist
“Developments”

Chris Young ’02 
former Major League Baseball pitcher
“The Integration of Professional Baseball and Racial Attitudes in America: A Study in Stereotype Change”

Denny Chin ’75 
federal judge
“The Old Ones of Chinatown: A Study of the Elderly Chinese”
Princeton at a Glance

Small Residential Communities

First-year students and sophomores are required to live on campus and are randomly assigned to a residential college. The residential colleges — six in all — are like a home away from home. 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. In your junior year you may choose to stay in the college, or pursue a number of other dining and living arrangements on campus.

A Diverse Learning Experience

Princeton knows that a diverse student body significantly enhances the educational experience of all students. Approximately 45% of students are Americans of color; nearly 12% come from outside the United States, representing more than 100 countries around the world; and they come from a range of economic circumstances.

Varsity Athletics

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A Vibrant Extracurricular Experience

SELECT STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

- Aikido Club
- American Foreign Policy
- Arab Society of Princeton
- Asian-American Students Association
- Ballet
- Band
- Black Student Union
- Bulgarian Undergraduate Society
- Canadian Club
- Caribbean Connection
- Chess Club
- College Democrats
- College Republicans
- Entrepreneurship Club
- First-Generation Low Income Council
- Gospel Ensemble
- J Street U Princeton
- Juggling
- Mas Flow
- Mathematics Club
- Mock Trial
- Model Congress
- Premedical Society
- Pride Alliance
- Princeton Student Veterans Alliance
- Princeton Tonight
- Public Health Review
- Quipfire! Improv Comedy Club
- Rocketry Club
- Tango Club
- Triangle Club
- Undergraduate Student Government
- Whig-Cliosophic Society
- Woke Wednesdays Podcast
- Women in Computer Science
- WPRB
- Yoga Club

All information current as of July 23, 2019
Class of 2023 Profile
(as of July 23, 2019)

Applicants
Total Applicants 32,804
Total Admits 1,896
Total Enrolled 1,343

Enrolled
% of Class
Male 49
Female 51
Asian American 24.5
Hispanic/Latino 11
African American 7
Multiracial 6.5
American Indian <1
First-Generation College Students 16
International Citizens 11

Middle 50% SAT Scores
(test the new SAT)
Test Score Range
Math 750–800
Evidenced-based Reading 710–770
Writing

Middle 50% ACT Scores
Composite Scores 33–35

Secondary School Type % of Class
Public 60.7
Independent Day 17
Religiously Affiliated 13
Independent Boarding 9
Home Schooled <1
Military <1
Non-U.S. Schools 12.5

NUMBER OF STUDENTS IN THE CLASS OF 2023 FROM THE UNITED STATES

U.S. Citizens Abroad 32

[Map showing the number of students from each state and country]