# Common Data Set C: First-Time, First-Year (Freshman) Admission (2016-2017)

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Glossary of Terms

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## **Applications** C1 First-time, first-year (freshman) 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have been notified of one of the following actions: admission, nonadmission, placement on waiting list, or application withdrawn (by applicant or institution).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. \*Nonstandard field added by The Princeton Review \*\*Please fill in this field, only if you cannot provide the men/women breakdown. Total first-time, first-year (freshman) men who applied 2536 Total first-time, first-year (freshman) women who applied 3390 \*Total first-time, first-year (freshman) gender not specified who applied \*\*Total first-time, first-year (freshman) who applied Total first-time, first-year (freshman) men who were admitted 1894 Total first-time, first-year (freshman) women who were admitted 2820 \*Total first-time, first-year (freshman) gender not specifed who were admitted \*\*Total first-time, first-year (freshman) who were admitted Total full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) men who enrolled 298 Total part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) men who enrolled 0 Total full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) women who enrolled 425 Total part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) women who enrolled 0 \*Total full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) gender not specified who enrolled \*Total part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) gender not specified who enrolled Total full-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) who enrolled \* Total part-time, first-time, first-year (freshman) who enrolled \* C2 Freshman wait-listed students (students who met admission requirements but whose final admission was contingent on space availability) Do you have a policy of placing students on a waiting list? Yes No If yes, please answer the questions below for Fall 2016 admissions: Number of qualified applicants offered a place on waiting list 538 Number accepting a place on the waiting list Number of wait-listed students admitted Is your waiting list ranked? No Yes

Yes

Yes
No

No

If yes, do you release that information to students?

Do you release that information to school counselors?

| Admission Requirements |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|------------------------|---|--------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------|--|--|
| СЗ                     | C3 High school completion requirement Check the appropriate box to identify your high school completion requirement for degree-seeking entering students:   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | ✓ High school diploma is required and GED is accepted ☐ High school diploma is required and GED is not accepted   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | ☐ High school diploma or equivalent is not required   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
| C4                     | Does your institution require or recomm   | nend a general college prepa   |                       | e-seeking student                     | s?                   |  |  |
|                        |   |                                | Require               |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        |   |                                | Recommend             |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        |   |                                | O Neither require nor | recommend                             |                      |  |  |
| C5                     | <b>Distribution of high school units require</b><br>Specify the distribution of academic high<br>Carnegie units (one unit equals one year   | school course units required a |                       | alculating units, ple<br><b>Units</b> | ease convert.  Units |  |  |
|                        |   |                                | _                     | required                              | recommended          |  |  |
|                        | Total academic units  |                                |                       |                                       | 18                   |  |  |
|                        |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | English   |                                |                       |                                       | 4                    |  |  |
|                        |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Mathematics   |                                |                       |                                       | 4                    |  |  |
|                        |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Science   |                                |                       |                                       | 3                    |  |  |
|                        | O   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Of these, units that must be lab  |                                |                       |                                       | 2                    |  |  |
|                        |   |                                | _                     |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Foreign language  |                                |                       |                                       | 3                    |  |  |
|                        | 0 1 0 1   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Social Studies  |                                |                       |                                       | 4                    |  |  |
|                        |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | History   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Academic electives  |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Computer Science  |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Viewal/Darfamain v. A. t  |                                | -                     |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Visual/Performing Arts  |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Other (explain)   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
| Basis for Selection    |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        |   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
| C6                     | 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: |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | uipioillas are admitted without regard to   | o academic record, test scor   | -                     |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Open admission policy as described above for all students   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Onen admission natiouses described the  | vo for most students but       | Coloativo admississa  | for out of state -t-                  | Idonto               |  |  |
|                        | Open admission policy as described abo  | ve for most students, but      | selective admission   |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        |   |                                | selective admission   | to some program                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Other (explain)   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |
|                        | Other (explain)   |                                |                       |                                       |                      |  |  |

Common Data Set C: First-Time, First-Year (Freshman) Admission C7 Relative importance of each of the following academic and nonacademic factors in your first-time, first-year, degree-seeking (freshman) admission decisions. **Academic** Very important **Important** Considered Not considered Rigor of secondary school record Class rank Academic GPA Standardized test scores Application Essay Recommendation(s) Non-Academic Very important Considered Not considered **Important** Interview Extracurricular activities Talent/ability Character/personal qualities First Generation Alumni/ae relation Geographical residence State residency Religious affiliation/commitment Racial/ethnic status Volunteer work Work experience Level of applicant's interest

### **SAT and ACT Policies** C8 Entrance exams A. Does your institution make use of SAT, ACT, or SAT Subject Test scores No in admission decisions for first-time, first-year degree-seeking applicants? If yes, please select the appropriate boxes below to reflect your institution's policies for use in admission for Fall 2018. **ADMISSIONS** Consider if Not Used Require Recommend Require for submitted some SAT or ACT

|      | ACT Only   | 0                                       |     |   | 0                                    | $\bigcirc$ | $\circ$   |  |
|------|--|---|-----|---|--------------------------------------|------------|-----------|--|
|      | SAT only   | 0                                       |     |   | $\circ$                              | $\circ$    | $\circ$   |  |
|      | SAT and SAT Subject Tests or ACT   | 0                                       |     |   | $\circ$                              | $\circ$    | $\circ$   |  |
|      | SAT Subject Tests only   | 0                                       |     |   | 0                                    | •          | $\circ$   |  |
|      | B. If your institution will make use of the ACT in adm first-time, first-year, degree-seeking applicants for Faindicate which ONE of the following applies (regard writing score will be used in the admissions process  | all 2018 please<br>less of whether the  | á   | ACT with Writ ACT with Writ ACT with or waccepted                                     | ing recommended                      |            |           |  |
| . PI | If your institution will make use of the SAT in admiss time, first-year, degree-seeking applicants for Fall 20 which ONE of the following applies (regardless of w score will be used in the admissions process):  ease indicate how your institution will use the SAT | 018 please indicate<br>hether the Essay | r   | SAT with Essa<br>equired SAT with Essa<br>ecommended SAT with or w<br>component accep | ay component<br>ithout Essay<br>oted |            |           |  |
|      | ease indicate now your institution will use the OAT  | of Ao I writing com                     | poi |   | SAT Essay                            |            | ACT Essay |  |
|      | For admission  |   |     |   |                                      |            |           |  |
|      | For placement  |   |     |   |                                      |            |           |  |
|      | For advising   |   |     |   | •                                    |            | •         |  |
|      | In place of an application essay   |   |     |   |                                      |            |           |  |
|      | As a validity check on the application essay   |   |     |   |                                      |            |           |  |
|      | No college policy as of now  |   |     |   |                                      |            |           |  |
|      | Not using essay component  |   |     |   |                                      |            |           |  |
|      | D. <b>In addition</b> , does your institution use applicants' to   | est scores for acader                   | nic | advising?  • Yes  No  |                                      |            |           |  |
|      | E. Latest date by which SAT or ACT scores must be admission:   | received for fall-term                  |     | 02/15   |                                      |            |           |  |
|      | Latest date by which SAT Subject Tests scores must term admission:   | be received for fall-                   |     |   |                                      |            |           |  |
|      | F. If necessary, use this space to clarify your test polirecommended for some students, or if tests are not students):   |   |     | Students admitte  | d to the School of A                 | Arts and S | Scien     |  |
|      | G. Please indicate which tests your institution uses the state tests):  State Exam (specify):  | for placement (e.g.,                    | ſ   | SAT ACT  ✓ SAT Subject 1 AP CLEP ✓ Institutional E                                    |                                      |            |           |  |
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### Freshman Profile

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.

The 25th percentile is the score that 25 percent scored at or below; the 75th percentile score is the one that 25 percent scored at or above.

|   |     | %           |  |              |                  |            |    |
|---|-----|-------------|--|--------------|------------------|------------|----|
| Percent submitting SAT scores   | 71  | 70          |  |              |                  |            |    |
| Percent submitting ACT scores   | 33  | %           |  |              |                  |            |    |
| Number submitting SAT scores  | 511 |             |  |              |                  |            |    |
| Number submitting ACT scores  | 237 |             |  |              |                  |            |    |
|   |     |             | 25th po  | ercentile    | 75th             | percenti   | le |
| SAT Critical Reading  |     |             | 520  |              | 630              |            |    |
| SAT Math  |     |             | 520  |              | 620              |            |    |
| O/II Maii   |     |             | 520  |              | 620              |            |    |
| SAT Writing   |     |             |  |              |                  |            |    |
| SAT Essay   |     |             |  |              |                  |            |    |
| OAI Essay   |     |             |  |              |                  |            |    |
| ACT Composite   |     |             | 23   |              | 29               |            |    |
| ACT Math  |     |             |  |              |                  |            |    |
| ACTIMAIN  |     |             |  |              |                  |            |    |
| ACT English   |     |             |  |              |                  |            |    |
|   |     |             |  |              |                  |            |    |
| A OT NALISIES   |     |             |  |              |                  |            |    |
| ACT Writing   |     |             |  |              |                  |            |    |
| ACT Writing  Percent of first-time, first-year (freshman) students with scores in each range                            | je: |             |  |              |                  |            |    |
|   | je: | Ş           | SAT Critical   | SAT M        | ath S            | SAT Writin | ng |
| Percent of first-time, first-year (freshman) students with scores in each rang  | je: |             | Reading  |              |                  |            |    |
|   | je: | 8           | Reading  | SAT M        | ath S            |            |    |
| Percent of first-time, first-year (freshman) students with scores in each rang  | je: | 8           | Reading %  |              |                  |            | (  |
| Percent of first-time, first-year (freshman) students with scores in each range 700-800                                 | je: | 3           | Reading %  | 6 30         | %<br>%           |            |    |
| Percent of first-time, first-year (freshman) students with scores in each range 700-800                                 | je: | 3           | Reading %  | 6            | %                |            |    |
| Percent of first-time, first-year (freshman) students with scores in each range 700-800                                 | je: | 3           | Reading %  | 6 30         | %<br>%           |            |    |
| Percent of first-time, first-year (freshman) students with scores in each range 700-800 600-699 500-599                 | je: | 3<br>4      | Reading         3       %         41       %         3       %         6       %                                     | 6 30 45 17   | %<br>%<br>%      |            |    |
| Percent of first-time, first-year (freshman) students with scores in each range 700-800 600-699                         | je: | 3           | Reading         3       %         41       %         3       %         6       %                                     | 30           | %<br>%           |            |    |
| Percent of first-time, first-year (freshman) students with scores in each range 700-800 600-699 500-599                 | je: | 3<br>4      | Reading         3       %         41       %         3       %         6       %                                     | 6 30 45 17 2 | %<br>%<br>%      |            |    |
| Percent of first-time, first-year (freshman) students with scores in each range 700-800 600-699 500-599 400-499 300-399 | Je: | 3<br>4<br>1 | Reading         3       %         41       %         3       %         6       %         %       %         %       % | 6 30 45 17 2 | %<br>%<br>%<br>% |            |    |

Yes No

\$55.00

Does your institution have an application fee?

C13 Application Fee

Amount of application fee

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|---------------------|---|---|
|                     | Can it be waived for applicants with financial need?  | Yes     No                                    |
|                     | If you have an application fee and an on-line application option, please inc  | dicate policy for students who apply on-line: |
|                     | Same fee:   | Yes  ○ No                                     |
|                     | Free:   | ○ Yes ○ No                                    |
|                     | Reduced:  | ○ Yes ○ No                                    |
|                     | Can on-line application fee be waived for applicants with financial need?   | Yes    No                                     |
| C14                 | Application Closing Date  |   |
|                     | Does your institution have an application closing date?   | Yes       No                                  |
|                     | Application closing date (Fall):  | 01/15   |
|                     | Priority date:  |   |
| C15                 |   |   |
|                     | Are first-time, first-year students accepted for terms other than the fall?   | Yes       No                                  |
| C16                 | Notification to applicants of admission decision sent (fill in one only)  |   |
|                     | On a rolling basis beginning (date):  | 03/15   |
|                     | By (date):  |   |
|                     | Other:  |   |
| C17                 | Reply policy for admitted applicants (fill in one only)   |   |
|                     | Must reply by (date):   | 05/01   |
|                     |   | No set date                                   |
|                     | Must reply by May 1 or within   | 2 weeks if notified thereafter                |
|                     | Other:  |   |
|                     | Deadline for housing deposit (MMDD):  | 05 /01  |
|                     | Amount of housing deposit:  | \$500   |
|                     | Refundable if student does not enroll?  | ○ Yes, in full ○ Yes, in part ● No            |
| C18                 | Deferred admission:   |   |
|                     | Does your institution allow students to postpone enrollment after admission?  | Yes       No                                  |
|                     | If yes, maximum period of postponement:   | 1 year  |
| C19                 | Early admission of high school students:  |   |
|                     | 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? | ○ Yes   No                                    |
|                     | why Decision and Foult Action Blanc   |   |
| Ea                  | arly Decision and Early Action Plans  |   |
|                     |   |   |

## C21 Early decision

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?

If "yes," please complete the following:

|     | First or only early decision plan closing date:   | 11/15                   |
|-----|---|-------------------------|
|     | First or only early decision plan notification date:  | 12/20                   |
|     | Other early decision plan closing date:   |                         |
|     | Other early decision plan notification date:  |                         |
|     | For the Fall 2016 entering class:   |                         |
|     | Number of early decision applications received by your institution:   | 76                      |
|     | Number of applicants admitted under early decision plan:  | 65                      |
|     | Please provide significant details about your early decision plan.  | Initiated for Fall 2016 |
| C22 | Early action:   |                         |
|     | 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? | Yes       No            |
|     | If "yes," please complete the following:  |                         |
|     | Early action closing date:  | 11/1                    |
|     | Early action notification date:   | 12/20                   |
|     | Is your early action plan a "restrictive" plan under which you limit students from applying to other early plans?   |                         |
|     | Early action II closing date:   |                         |
|     | Early action II notification date:  |                         |
|     |   |                         |

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