Meet Your Incoming Fall 2012 Freshman Class
(Census, 08/31/2012)

Class Size

Applications ................................................................. 15,234
Admitted .................................................................... 5,739
Enrolled ...................................................................... 1,551
Honors College ....................................................... 176
Academic Success Program ................................... 114

High School Academic Profile*

Average Weighted GPA ......................................... 3.63
Average SAT Combined ....................................... 1040
Average SAT Verbal ........................................... 515
Average SAT Math ............................................... 526
Average SAT Writing ........................................... 486
Average ACT ....................................................... 22

Gender

Male ............ 45%  Female ............ 55%

Ethnicity

White ................................................................. 80.4%
Black or African American .................................. 6.7%
Multiracial ......................................................... 5.1%
Hispanics of Any Race ....................................... 4.1%
Asian ................................................................. 1.5%
American Indian/Alaskan Native .................... 0.5%
International/Other .......................................... 1.2%
Did Not Disclose ............................................... 0.5%

Citizenship

US Citizens ......................................................... 98.2%
In-State ............................................................ 90.7%
Out-of-State ....................................................... 9.3%
Resident Aliens and Permanent Residents ........ 0.6%
International Citizens ..................................... 1.2%

Geography

States Represented

North Carolina (1,393) New Jersey (5) New Hampshire (3) Alabama (3)
Georgia (55) Illinois (4) Maryland (2) Tennessee (4)
South Carolina (23) Pennsylvania (4) New York (2) New Hampshire (3)
Florida (13) Ohio (6) Oregon (2) Oregon (2)
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Countries Represented

American Samoa Colombia
Canada Democratic Rep. of the Congo
Colombia Ecuador
Democratic Rep. of the Congo

Athletics

Student Athletes ...................................................... 109

Learning Communities

Honors Forum (180) Student Dev & Ldrshp - ASP (113)
Student Dev & Ldrshp - ASP (113) Band of Brothers (77)
Band of Brothers (77) Secrets of Powerful Women (73)
Secrets of Powerful Women (73) Whee Teach: Ldrshp and Teacher Ed (54)
Whee Teach: Ldrshp and Teacher Ed (54) Creative Life (49)
Creative Life (49) Freshmen Leadership Institute (48)
Freshmen Leadership Institute (48) Flourishing (25)
Flourishing (25) Going Green (25)
Going Green (25) Cultural Comp & Soc Action (24)
Cultural Comp & Soc Action (24) Global Awareness/Citizenship (24)
Global Awareness/Citizenship (24) Digital Culture (22)
Digital Culture (22)

Just for Fun

Most Popular Male Name ..................... Andrew (23)
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Most Popular Female Name ............... Jessica (24)
Most Popular Female Name ............... Jessica (24)

* Includes only SAT and ACT scores used for making admission decisions, in accordance with a new methodology employed by General Administration and the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System.
Fun Facts for 1994
(The Year the Majority of New Freshmen Were Born)

President and Vice President
President ............. William J. Clinton (42nd)  Vice President ........... Albert Gore, Jr.

Cost of Living
Average Annual Income................................. $37,070
Average Cost of a New House......................... $119,050
Average Cost of 1 Gallon of Gas..................... $1.09
Average cost of a Dozen Eggs........................ $0.86
Average Cost of a New Car........................... $12,350

Academy Awards
Best Picture ................................................ Schindler's List
Best Director .............................................. Steven Spielberg (Schindler's List)
Best Actor ................................................ Tom Hanks (Philadelphia)
Best Actress .............................................. Holly Hunter (The Piano)
Best Supporting Actor ....................... Tommy Lee Jones (The Fugitive)
Best Supporting Actress ....................... Anna Paquin (The Piano)

Grammy Awards
Album of the Year............ Tony Bennett (MTV Unplugged: Tony Bennett)
Song of the Year ......................... Bruce Springsteen (Streets of Philadelphia)
Best New Artist ........................................ Sheryl Crow
Best Alternative Music Album ........................................ Green Day (Dookie)
Best Country Album .......... Mary Chapin Carpenter (Stones in the Road)
Best R&B Album ........................................ Boyz II Men

Popular Movies
The Lion King
Forrest Gump
True Lies
The Mask
Speed

Popular Television Shows
Seinfeld
E.R.
Home Improvement
NYPD Blue
Friends

Popular Musicians/Groups
Nirvana
Sheryl Crow
Snoop Dogg
Boyz II Men
Green Day

Notable Births
Justin Bieber
Dakota Fanning
Saorise Ronan
Sierra McClain
Tallulah Belle Willis

Notable Deaths
Richard Nixon
John Candy
Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis
Burt Lancaster
Tip O'Neill

Historic Events
City of Sarajevo comes under siege by Serbian nationals.
Kurt Cobain of the rock group, Nirvana, commits suicide.
Tonya Harding instigates attack on fellow figure skater Nancy Kerrigan
For the first time since 1904, the World Series is cancelled due to a players’ strike.
The Irish Republican Army and the Ulster Protestants declare a cease fire in North Ireland.
The Channel Tunnel, 31 miles long under the English Channel, opens between London and Paris.
Nelson Mandela is elected president of South Africa in the country’s first interracial national election.
OJ Simpson is arrested for the murders of his wife Nicole Brown Simpson and her friend, Ronald Goldman.
The Federal Drug Administration approves the first genetically engineered food product, the Flavr Savr tomato.
Thousands are killed in one of modern history’s worst genocidal massacres in the African nation of Rwanda.
The North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA), between the United States, Canada, and Mexico, is established.