

About Bates College

Internationally recognized as a leading college of the liberal arts, Bates is dedicated to educating the whole person through creative and rigorous scholarship in a collaborative residential community. Committed to opportunity and excellence, Bates has always admitted students without regard to gender, race, religion or national origin. Cultivating intellectual discovery and informed civic action, Bates prepares leaders sustained by a love of learning and zeal for responsible stewardship of the wider world.

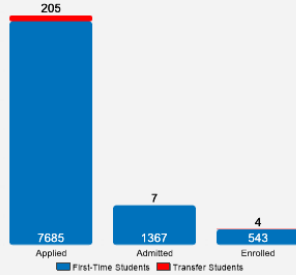
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About Our Students

About Our Graduates

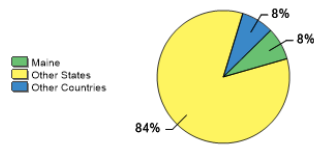
Fall 2018 Admissions



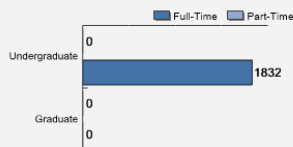
Middle 50% SAT Range For Freshman Class

Mathematics	650-740
Critical Reading	640-720

Fall 2018 Freshman Class Geographical Profile



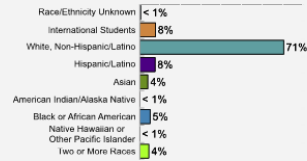
Fall 2018 Enrollment



Gender: All Undergraduates

Women	50%
Men	50%

Diversity: All Undergraduates



Freshmen Returning For Sophomore Year: 94.1%

Percentage of Students Who Graduate

Within 4 Years	86%
Within 5 Years	88%
Within 6 Years	89%

Thinking About Life After College

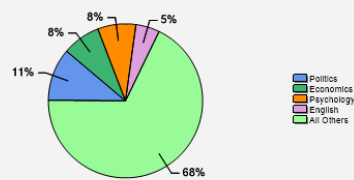
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Number of Degrees Awarded Last Year



Bachelor's Degrees Awarded Last Year



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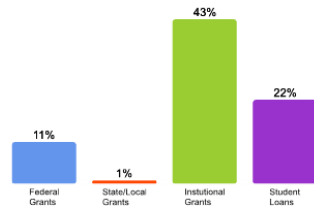
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What Students Pay

Price of Attendance in 2018-19

For its highly individualized educational experience, Bates charges a single fee that includes tuition, room, board and fees. The 2016-17 comprehensive fee is \$66,720. Costs for books, personal expenses and transportation (totaling \$2,150) are added to a student's budget for calculating financial need and awarding aid.

Percent of Freshmen Receiving Aid by Type



Use Our Net Price Calculator

To estimate your personal net price, [click here](#).

For additional information on our net price, tuition and fees, and financial aid, [click here](#).

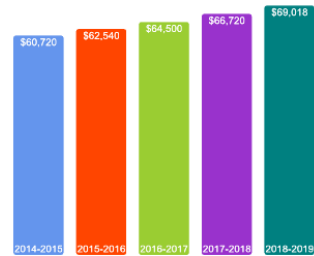
For additional information on our affordability initiatives, [click here](#).

Average Undergraduate Loans Owed At Graduation

\$21,525

Tuition and Fees History

This is a comprehensive fee. See 'Price of Attendance' text for more information.



About Our Faculty

Faculty Information

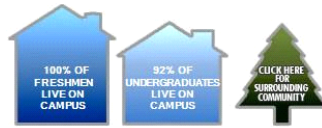
Student Faculty Ratio	10:1
Full-time Faculty with highest degree	98%

[Click Here](#) to find out more about our faculty.

About Campus Life

What it's Like on Our Campus

"In the four years at Bates, I truly gained a great education, a sense of self-identity, and most of all, a connection that links all Bates people together." "Bates fosters a great sense of community, from which I feel a special tie to every member." - Senior Survey responses



Student Life

- LECTURES & OUTSIDE LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES
- INTERCOLLEGIATE SPORTS
- STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS
- STUDY ABROAD
- INTRAMURAL & CLUB SPORTS
- SPECIALIZED HOUSING OPTIONS
- COMMUNITY SERVICES OPPORTUNITIES
- CULTURAL & ARTS OPPORTUNITIES
- RELIGIOUS & SPIRITUAL LIFE
- STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES
- STUDENT EMPLOYMENT

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Campus Safety

The Department of Security and Campus Safety is a 24-hour, 365-day service-oriented department with the mission of providing a safe, secure environment for all on our campus, and leading by example, through education, and enforcement. Our team of full-time Security Officers patrol the campus on foot, bicycles, and in vehicles.

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