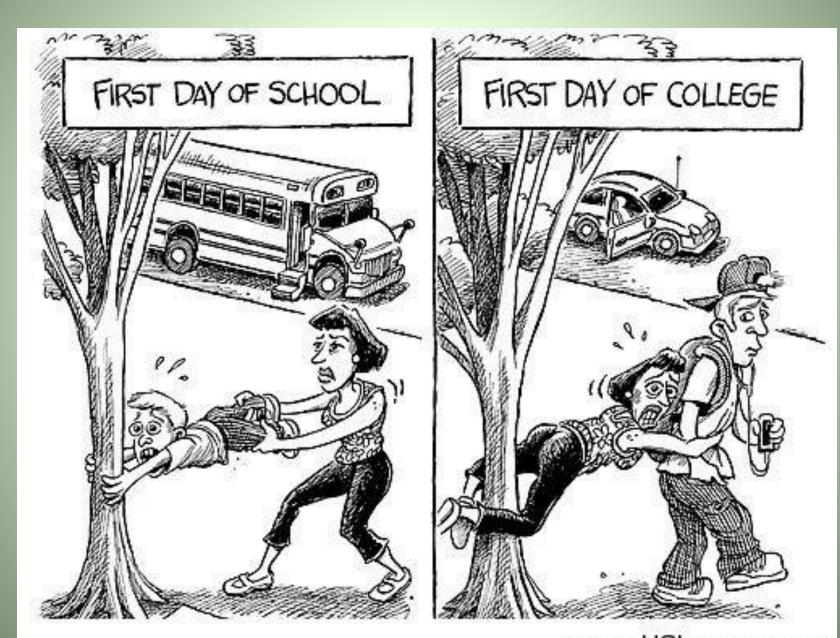
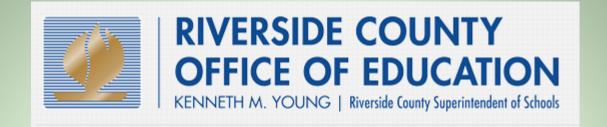
Going to College? Expect changes!





Creating Options in the College Search & How to Pay for It!



CREATING OPTIONS IN THE COLLEGE SEARCH & HOW TO PAY FOR IT



Keith Gissel Colorado Mesa University



Dennis Yan Northern Arizona University

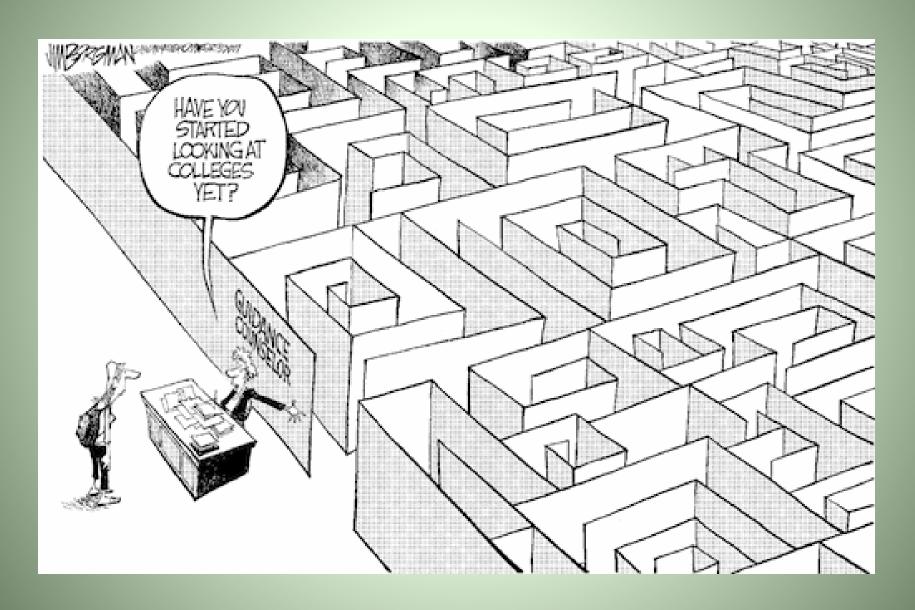


Makayla Hall University of Nevada Reno



GaryB
University of New Mexico

Going to College? It's an aMAZEing process!



Creating Options In Your College Search 3400+ Choices Outside of California!!

www.regionaladmissions.com

Providing out-of-state options for California

The Regional Admission Counselors of California (RACC) is an organization composed of over 100 admission professionals, from 86+ institutions, who work with students and counselors throughout California while representing Universities and Colleges outside of the state of California.

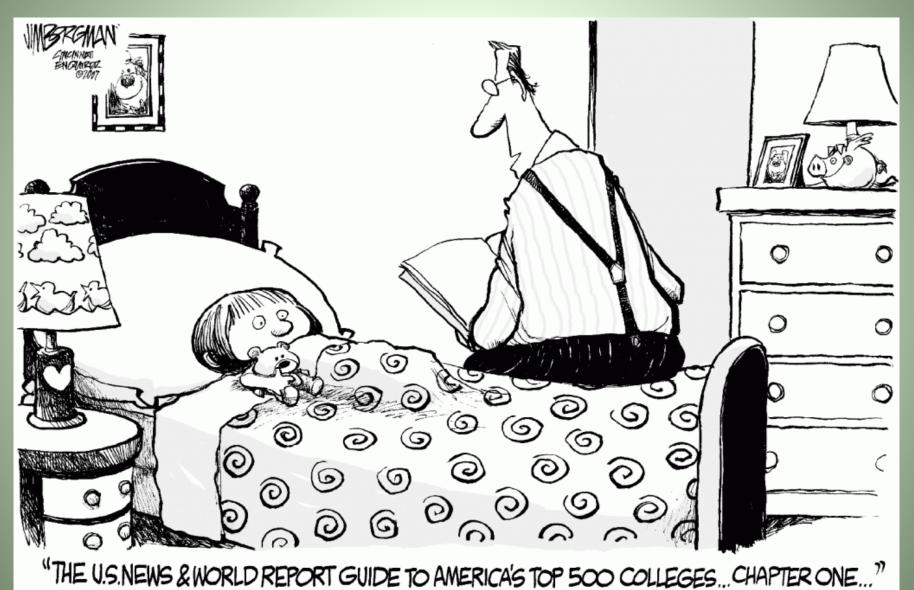
All of these out-of-state institutions are NACAC and/or WACAC members. They have dedicated the necessary resources for a regional office to serve California schools and provide information on educational opportunities out of state.

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Arizona State University ~ Bennington College ~ Colorado Mesa University ~ Columbia College Chicago ~ Connecticut College ~ Culinary Institute of America ~ Drew University ~ Drexel University ~ Grand Canyon University ~ Hawaii Pacific University ~ High Point University ~ Hillsdale College ~ Johnson and Wales University ~ Lake Forest College ~ Lasell College ~ Lawrence University ~ Loyola University Chicago ~ Loyola University New Orleans ~ Maryville University ~ Miami University ~ Michigan State University ~ Milwaukee School of Engineering ~ Northeastern University ~ Oklahoma City University ~ Oregon State University ~ Purdue University ~ Regis University ~ Saint Louis University ~ Samford University ~ Savannah College of Art and Design ~ Seton Hall University ~ Southern Methodist University ~ Southern Utah University ~ Syracuse University ~ Texas Christian University ~ University of Alabama ~ University of Arizona ~ University of Colorado-CO. Springs ~ University of Kansas ~ University of Minnesota ~ University of Nevada-Reno ~ University of New Mexico ~ University of Rochester ~ University of South Carolina ~ University of the Arts ~ University of Washington Bothell ~ University of Wyoming ~ Whitman College ~ William Woods University ~ Xavier University

Going to College? Start early!!



Students going to College are ...

Eager & Excited!
Nervous?
Conflicted!?

Conquering Your Fears!

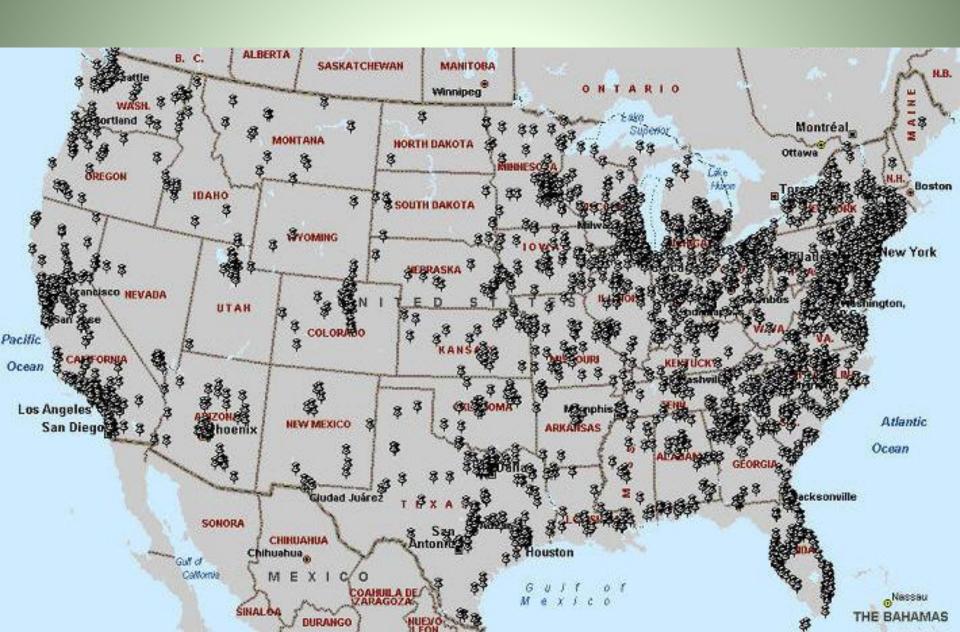


- For Students, the scariest part of College Admissions is getting into the college of their choice.
- For their Parents, the scariest part is paying for it!!!

It's Not a Matter of If or When: Just WHERE!



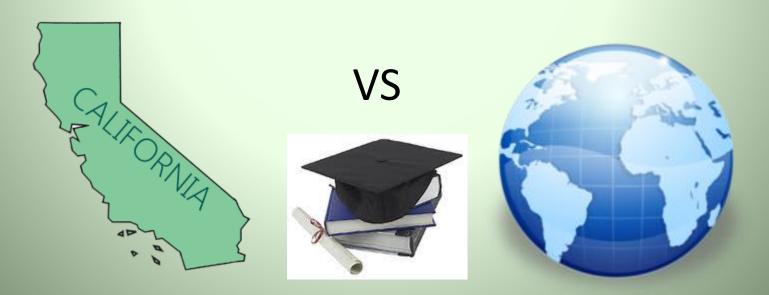
Where are US Colleges & Universities located?



Creating Options: Finding the Perfect College

5 'Systems' of Higher Education:

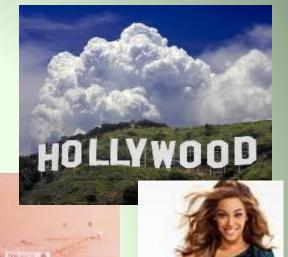
4 in California & the 5th Option!



Welcome to California!



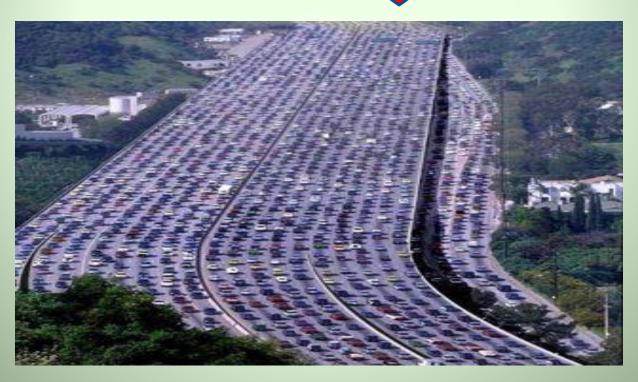






Creating Options: Finding the Perfect College

The Whole World California!



Creating Options: Finding the Perfect College

Higher Education in California!

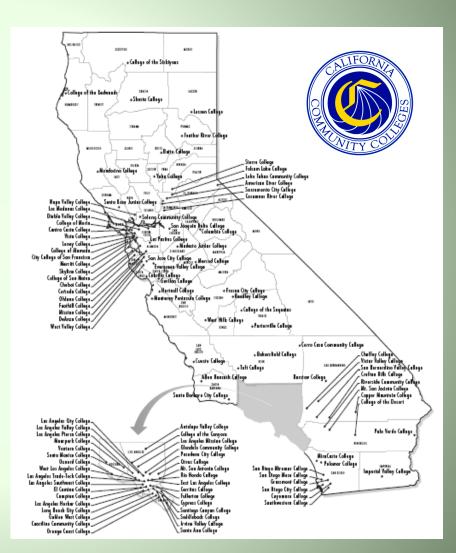


Question # 1

 Name the Higher Ed options for California students:

California Community Colleges

- 112 campuses
- Are open to any students pursuing higher education
- Provide <u>Transfer Options</u> for students seeking a B.A. / B.S.
- Offer <u>Vocational Training</u>
- November May . Plan to participate in an application workshop, English and Math assessment test, and the college's New Student Orientation.



www.cccapply.org

California State University

- 23 Campuses
- Eligibility Requirements:
 - A-G Courses
 - 2.0 GPA Minimum
 - SAT Reasoning Exam Score or ACT Exam Score
- Applications accepted from October 1st to November 30th
- Impacted Campuses will have stricter requirements



www.csumentor.edu

University of California

- 10 campuses –
 (only 9 open for undergraduates)
- Minimum eligible GPA is 3.0
- Application is based upon:
 - A-G Courses and GPA
 - SAT Reasoning or ACT with Writing
 - Extracurricular Activities and Involvement
 - Personal Statement
- Applications accepted from
 November 1st to November 30th



www.universityofcalifornia.edu/apply

UC Los Angeles

Freshman admission profile Fall 2015

Applications: 92,722

Admits: 16,027

Admit Rate: 17.3%

http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/campuses/ucla/freshman-profile/index.html

UC Santa Barbara

Freshman admission profile Fall 2015

Applications: 70,565

Admits: 23,074

Admit Rate: 32.7%

http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/campuses/santa-barbara/freshman-profile/index.html

Please be cautious in drawing conclusions from this information.

Use it as a general guide to selectivity and not as a predictor of your chance for admission to UC Irvine

Admit rate —	40.7%
Overall	
Admits	31,639
 Applicants 	77,817
 California 	
Residents	67%
(% of admits)	

Please be cautious in drawing conclusions from this information.

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Averages

•	High	School	GPA	4.08

ACT Composite Score 29

• SAT Critical Reading **610**

SAT Mathematics 690

Independent Colleges and Universities

- 75 Campuses throughout California
- May provide large scholarship/financial aid packages
- Smaller class size
- Faster graduation rates
- Target students that are of good academic standing and in line with th school mission
- <u>Each schools requirements and</u>
 <u>Deadlines will VARY check online</u>

<u>www.aiccu.org</u>

Main AICCU Campuses by Region*

1. Northern California (1)

2. SF Bay Area (19)

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California College of the Arts	San Francisco
Calif. Institute of Integral Studies	
Dominican University of California	San Rafael
Golden Gate University	
Holy Names University	Oakland
Institute of Transpersonal Psychology	Santa Clara
Mills College	Oakland
Notre Dame de Namur University	
Pacific Union College,	
Palo Alto University	Palo Alto
Saint Mary's College of California	Moraga
Samuel Merritt College	
San Francisco Art Institute	
San Francisco Conservatory of Music	San Francisco
Santa Clara University	. "Santa Clara
Saybrook University	San Francisco
Stanford University	Stanford
Touro University - California	Vallejo
University of San Francisco	San Francisco

3. Central Valley (4)

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Fresno Pacific University
Humphreys College Stockton
University of the Pacific
William Jessup University Rocklin

4. Central Coast (4)

California Lutheran UniversityThousand Oa	ks
Fielding Graduate University Santa Barba	ra
Thomas Aquinas College Santa Pau	ıla
Westmont College Santa Barba	

5. Los Angeles/Kern (30)

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American Academy of Dram. Arts L.A.	Hollywood
American Jewish University	Bel Air
Antioch University Los Angeles	
Art Center College of Design	. Pasadena
Azusa Pacific University.	, Azusa
Biola University California Institute of Technology	. "La Mirada
California Institute of Technology	. "Pasadena
California Institute of the Arts	Valencia
Chicago School of Prof. Psychology	Los Angeles
Claremont Graduate University	Claremont
Claremont McKenna College	Claremont
Harvey Mudd College	
Keck Graduate University	
Loyola Marymount University	Los Angeles
Marymount College Rancho	Palos Verdes
Master's College, The	Santa Clarita
Mount St. Mary's College	Los Angeles
Occidental College Otis College of Art + Design	Los Angeles
Otis College of Art + Design	Los Angeles
Pacific Oaks College	Pasadena
Pepperdine University	Malibu
Pitzer College	Claremont
Pomona College	Claremont
Scripps College	Claremont
So. California Univ. of Health Sciences	Whittier
University of La Verne	La Verne
University of Southern California	Los Angeles
Western University of Health Sciences	Pomona
Whittier College	
Woodbury University	Burbank

6. Orange (7)

Brandman University Irvine
Chapman University Orange
Concordia University Irvine
Hope International University Fullerton
Laguna College of Art & Design Laguna Beach
Soka University Aliso Viejo
Soka University Aliso Vieja Vanguard University of Southern California Costa Mesa

7. Riverside/San Bernardino (4)

California Baptist University			ı						Riversid
La Sierra University	Ī			Ī	ì	Ī	ì		Riversid
Loma Linda University								Ĵ.	Loma Lind
University of Redlands									

8. San Diego/Imperial (5)

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National University La Jo
Point Loma Nazarene University
San Diego Christian College El Ca
University of San Diego San Die

*See schools websites for satelite location

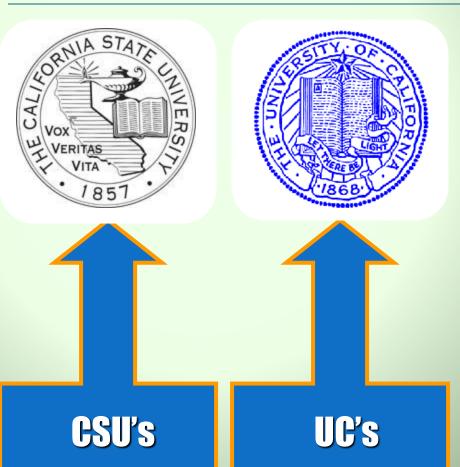


California Options Higher Education

Community College

4 Year Universities / Colleges





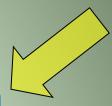


Independent Private Colleges

Out of State – 3400+ Choices!

- Out of State 49 states & International Options
- Universities & Colleges from coast to coast (and beyond) are seeking students from California
- Private Schools do NOT charge OOS Tuition!!
- Some will freeze tuition for four years
- WUE Western Undergraduate Exchange

Eligible vs. Competitive



ELIGIBLE

- Minimum A-G Completion
- Minimum GPA
- Easy 12th grade schedule w/ few A-G courses
- Few extracurricular or community activities

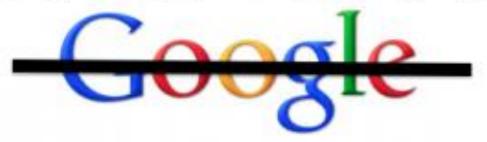
Does not mean that a student will be accepted to their 1st choice campus

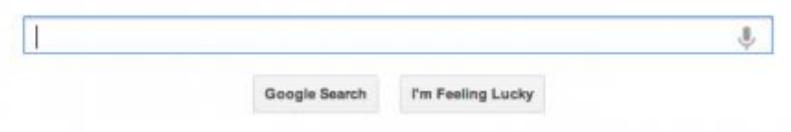
COMPETITIVE

- Taking A-G courses beyond the minimum
- Higher GPA
- Competitive 12th grade schedule w/ A-G courses
- Several, recurring extracurricular or community activities

Better chance for students to be accepted to highly competitive or oversubscribed majors

Top Reasons Students Chose Their College COLLEGE SEARCH





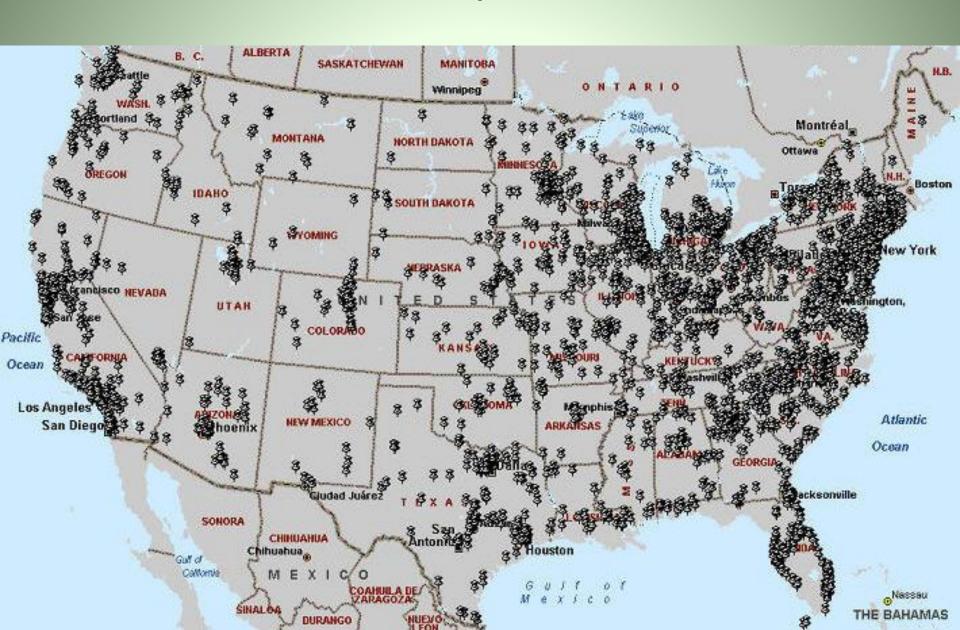
Question # 2

Top 5 reasons a student chooses a college:

Top Reasons Students Chose Their College

5) Location, Location, Location Where do you want to live? What do you like to do? Spending Free Time!

3600 Choices & Options in America!



Top Reasons Students Chose Their College

5) Location, Location, Location



Metro
Urban
Suburban
Rural



Top Reasons Students Chose Their College



4) Size Tiny **Small**

Medium

Large and GINORMOUS! ASJ



Top Reasons Students Chose Their College

3) Cost
It's more than just tuition!
Finish in 4 years?

Top Reasons Students Chose Their College

2) I got accepted You gotta get IN! or you're OUT



Top Reasons Students Chose Their College

- 5) Location, Location, Location
- 4) Size of the student body
- 3) Cost
- 2) I got accepted
- 1) It just felt right FIT!!

Question #3

The 5 primary costs of going to college:

Costs for Students Going to College (COA = Cost of Attendance) 1) Tuition and Fees Private – No out of state difference Public – Resident / Non-resident & Regional Reciprocity

Costs for Students Going to College (COA = Cost of Attendance)

2) Housing and Dining
Used to be 'Room & Board'
Now it's 'Glamorous & Gourmet'
Dorms replaced w Apartments & Suites
Meals – organic, vegetarian, vegan

Costs for Students Going to College (COA = Cost of Attendance)

3) Books and Supplies
E-books
Laptops
Mobile Phones
Tablets

Costs for Students Going to College (COA = Cost of Attendance)

4) Transportation
Planes
Trains
Automobiles
Parking

Costs for Students Going to College (COA = Cost of Attendance)



5) JJ & SB Jamba Juice. Jamba Juice **\$tarBuck\$** Pizza Popcorn **Personal Expenses**

FUN!!

Costs for Students Going to College (COA = Cost of Attendance)

- 1) Tuition and Fees
- 2) Housing & Dining
- 3) Books & Supplies
- 4) Transportation
- 5) JJ & SB



2015 -16 Estimated Costs

California Living On-Campus				
	CA Community College	California State University	University of California	California Private Colleges
Tuition and Fees	\$864	\$7,484	\$12,864	\$31,231
Housing and Dining	\$4,347	\$13,350	\$15,180	\$11,188
Books and Supplies	\$1,656	\$1,826	\$1,226	\$1,288
Personal Expenses and Transportation	\$4 ,185	\$2.754	\$4.684	\$2,609
TOTALS:	\$11,052	\$25,414	\$33,320	\$46,312



Housing and

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Supplies

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TOTALS:

Transportation

Dining

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http://www.collegedata.com/cs/content/content_payarticle_tmpl.jhtml?articleId=10064

\$9,304

\$1.146

\$2,742

\$33,650

OMG

That'\$ a lot of money!!

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How to Pay for College?

Financial Aid

How to Pay for College

Types of Financial Aid:

Need Based
Merit
Combo

believe that every is Born with

How to Pay for College

Financial Aid includes:

Scholarship
Grants
Loans
The J O B Program

How to Pay for College

Some Sources:

- 1) Student & Family
- 2) Institutional Assistance
- 3) Corporations & Foundations
- 4) Government: State & Fed

FAFSA:

www.fafsa.ed.gov

Do the FAFSA: Yes or No?

Federal Financial Aid?

State Financial Aid?

Institutional Financial Aid?

What's New for the 2017–18 FAFSA?

Basics for Parents and Students

FAFSA: Free Application for Federal Student Aid www.fafsa.ed.gov

The Filing Date is Changing

Seniors (Class of 2017)

File in October 2016!!

What's Changing for 2017–18

Change #1: Earlier FAFSA® Launch

- 2017–18 FAFSA available Oct. 1, 2016, at fafsa.gov
- Change to October 1 launch will be permanent

Change #2: Earlier Income Info Required

- 2015 tax/income information required
- (Normally would have been 2016)

Get Started: Create a FSA ID!

- The FSA ID is a username and password used by students, parents, and borrowers to:
 - login to U.S. Department of Education websites
 - electronically sign documents
- You will use it:
 - Every year you apply for federal student aid at fafsa.gov
 - To receive a federal student loan
 - To perform important activities as a federal student loan borrower, such as choosing a repayment plan or applying for a deferment

How do I create an FSA ID?

Create Your FSA ID (Username and password)

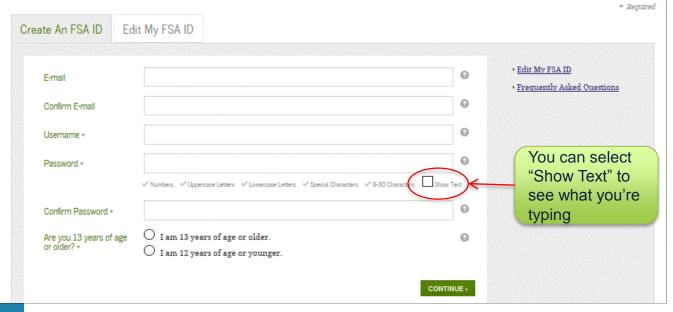
Create a New FSA ID

An FSA ID gives you access to Federal Student Aid's online systems and can serve as your legal signature.

Only create an FSA ID using your own personal information and for your own exclusive use. You are not authorized to create an FSA ID on behalf of someone else, including a family member. Misrepresentation of your identity to the federal government could result in criminal or civil penalties.

To create your own personal FSA ID, enter answers for the questions below and select CONTINUE.

Important: When you are done click the CANCEL button to clear your data, even if you did not finish creating your FSA ID. Just closing your browser window or going to another website may not be enough to prevent other people using this computer from seeing your information until the session expires.



E-mail:

- Optional but strongly recommended
- Each FSA ID must have a unique e-mail address (you and your parent cannot use the same e-mail address)
- You must have access to this e-mail account

Username:

- Don't include personal info such as date of birth or name
- If you see a message "Username taken, create a different username" then someone has already used that username

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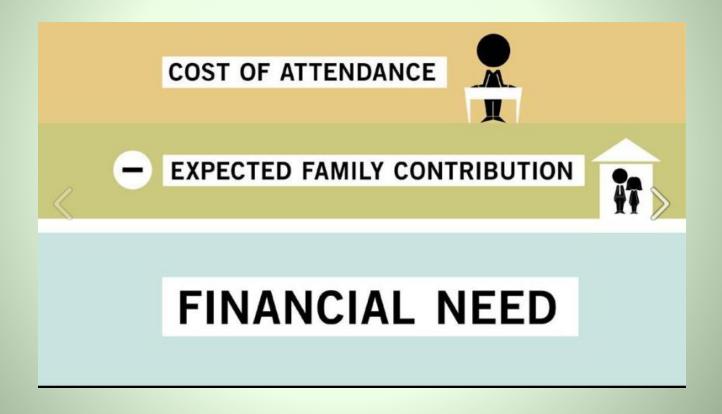
Fill out the form online

EFC (Expected Family Contribution)

Do it EVERY year! Up to 6 years!!



FAFSA: Free Application for Federal Student Aid www.fafsa.ed.gov





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NUMBER TWO Rule re: Financial Aid

- Always, always, always apply for financial aid.
 - Doesn't matter if you think that you won't qualify.
 - Will need to file to qualify for nonneed based federal loans.
 - Many schools will NOT consider you for merit or other scholarships unless you apply for federal financial aid.



Scholarships:

- Merit / Need / Combo
- APPLY! ... APPLY! ... APPLY!
- Good Grades and Good SAT / ACT scores . . .
- There is a lot of money available that goes unclaimed
 - **Scholarship Tips:**
 - Create a Resume
 - 2. Get active in the community:
 - 1. Clubs
 - 2. Community Service
 - **Document your community service**
 - <u>Preview Write Review</u> your essays
 - Finish the application and turn it in on time



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Free Search on the Net

There are several online website that can assist you in finding scholarships:



CollegeBoard www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search



Scholarships for High School Juniors | Scholarships for High School Seniors







Scholarships: Merit / Need / Combo



Many Websites & FREE Searches!!

http://scholarship.unm.edu/scholarships/general.html

Be Looking for Niche Scholarships!



Scholarships: Merit / Need / Combo



Many Websites & FREE Searches!!

Be Careful of SCAMS!





Scholarships: Merit / Need / Combo





ROTC









า Dates

Fall 2016	Entrance	Exam
Sent / Oct	Oct / Nov	

December

September 10, 2016

October 22, 2016

December 10, 2016

ACT Test

Regular Registration by August 05, 2016

Regular Registration by September 16, 2016 **Regular Registration by November 04, 2016**

CollegeBoard

October 01, 2016

November 05, 2016

Regular Registration by November 04, 2016

December 03, 2016

SAT Tests

Regular Registration by September 02, 2016 **Regular Registration by October 07, 2016**

WUE: Western Undergraduate Exchange $(WUE = pronounced\ Woo\ E)$ What is it?? Tuition Reduction!!

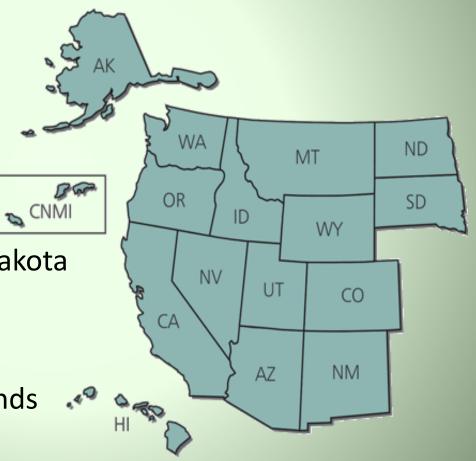
- Students in Western states may enroll in participating two-year and four-year public college programs at a reduced tuition level
- up to 150% of the institution's regular resident tuition
- WUE tuition is considerably less than nonresident tuition



WUE: Western Undergraduate Exchange

• 15 Western Participating States & 1 US Territory:

- Alaska Arizona
- California Colorado
- Hawaii Idaho
- Montana Nevada
- New Mexico
- North Dakota South Dakota
- Oregon Washington
- Utah Wyoming
- Northern Mariana Islands



WUE: Western Undergraduate Exchange Plus Financial Aid & Scholarships

Resident Tuition	\$6,000
Non-Resident Tuition	\$20,000
WUE Tuition (150% of In State Tuition)	\$9,000 (Save \$44,000 over 4 years!)
Financial Aid (Need based)	Must do the FAFSA
Merit Scholarship (Amount varies)	Will stack on top of WUE
WUE Tuition, Fin Aid & Merit Scholarship	\$BIG Money to pay for College

Important Tips...

- Tour the campuses you are interested in.
- Begin compiling a list of scholarships
- Attend <u>college fairs</u> and <u>parent nights</u>
- Contact university representatives

- Keep choices open
- Take the SAT's/ACT early
- Meet deadlines

Create a professional email for college purposes

TALK TO YOUR PARENTS / GUARDIANS ABOUT EVERYTHING!

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Thank Your





Keith Gissel
Southern California
Regional Admissions Counselor

CMU at a Glance



Fast Facts:

- Grand Junction, CO
- 9,600 Student population
- 46 States; 30 Countries
- 160+ Clubs and Organizations
- 24 NCAA Division II Athletics
- 37 Club Sports
- 22:1 Student to Faculty Ratio





Personalized Education

- 100+ Areas of Study
- Experiential Learning
- Participation in Research and Internships
- Study Abroad Opportunities









A Great Education at a Great Price

Member of Western Undergraduate Exchange (WUE)

Out of State Total Cost: \$28,988

WUE Eligible Total Cost: \$21,270

Merit Scholarships up to \$6,000

75% of students receive financial aid









Dennis Yan – Recruitment Coordinator



PLEDGEto you

no increases, guaranteed.

student tuition rates 2015-16

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Non-Resident \$22,452 \$22,452 \$22,452





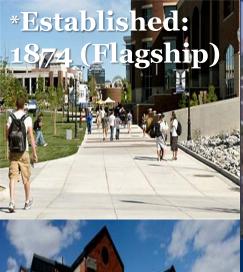
Makayla Hall

Senior Coordinator, Regional Admissions & Recruitment (Southern California)

















A National Tier I University





*Student Body: 22,000 (18,000

undergrad)

*No Impacted programs, students graduating in 4 yrs.

Admission Requirements

New Freshman:

- Avg. academic GPA 3.6 (weighted)
- Core Courses: 3.0 min.
 - English: 4 years
 - Math: 3 years (4 years recommended)
 - Natural Science: 3 years (4 years recommended)
 - Social Science: 3 years

Academic GPA waiver: Core plus 22 ACT or 1120 SAT I (reading and math only)



The University of Nevada is also a part of the **WUE** program for <u>incoming freshman</u>, students must:

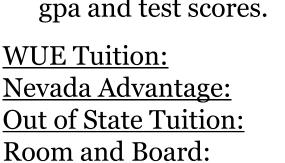
- -live on campus **AND**
- -have a **3.25** academic gpa **AND**
- Attain an **1120** SAT (CR&M only) or **26** ACT Composite
- *there are absolutely no exceptions*





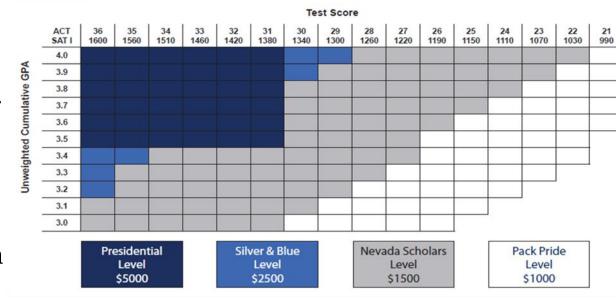
Cost to Attend

- Nevada is one of the nation's most affordable institutions. Our students also graduate with less debt.
- Automatic
 scholarships
 provided to incoming
 freshman depending on
 gpa and test scores.





New Freshmen Scholarship Award Levels



\$8,966.40 per year (15 credits per semester)

\$11,955.00 per year (15 credits per semester)

\$19,655 per year (15 credits per semester)

\$9,200 per year







Location - Location - Location

UNM – University Not close to Mom



Albuquerque

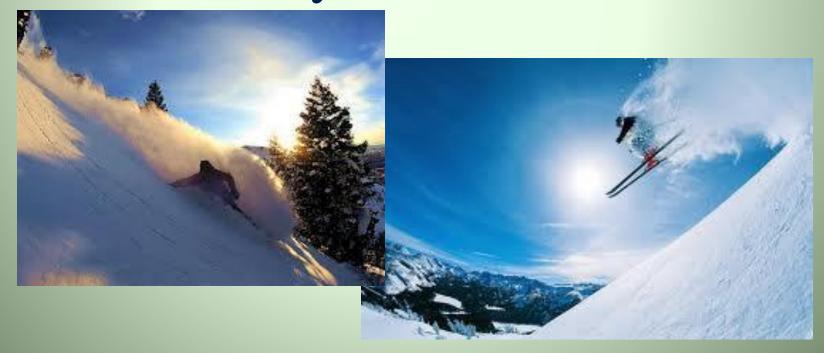
NO passport needed

Flat and HOT! We're NOT!!

Location, Location, Location UNM University Next to Mountains



Location, Location Snow? UNM! Usually Not Much



Size of the Student Body

19,000 undergraduates
University Nice Medium size

Student to Faculty Ratio 19: 1 Average Class Size 33





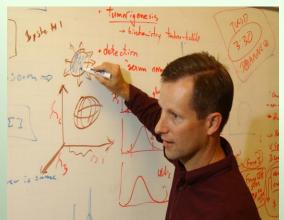




Over 220 Degree Programs









220+ Academic Programs University of Numerous Majors Architecture, Athletic Training, Business - Marketing, Engineering, Biology, Chemistry, BioChem, PreMed, Sociology, History, Psychology, Film, Music, Fine Arts & More









Cutting-Edge Research





















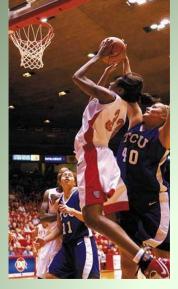
Study Abroad Options & National Student Exchange





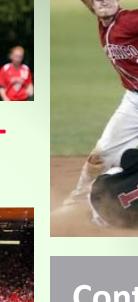








Successful Scholar-Athletes



Nationally Ranked Teams



Contagious School Spirit



State-of-the-Art Facilities







ROTC Scholarships: University of New Mexico



ROTC









New Campus Housing

Apartments and Suites

UNM

University Nice as a Marriott



Various Meal Plans

Vegan and Vegetarian

UNM

University of Nutritious Meals

Freshman 15 Guaranteed!

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\$	University of New Mexico	University of New Mexico	University of New Mexico	University of New Mexico			
Tuition and Fees	\$20,918	\$9,918 WUE	\$5,918 WUE +	\$5,918 Amigo			
Housing and Dining	\$7,962	\$7,962	\$7,962	\$7,962			
Books and Supplies	\$1,400	\$1,400	\$1,400	\$1,200			
Personal Expenses and Transportation	\$2,600	\$2,600	\$2,600	\$2,600			
TOTALS:	\$32,880	\$21,880	\$17,880	\$17,680			



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