In these hills
Getting a great education is only the beginning at Clemson University. This top-ranked public university (U.S. News & World Report, 2021) is committed to taking your talents and interests to heart as you grow into your dream job, postgraduate education or starting your own business.

From the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains and the shores of Lake Hartwell, you will forge your own path with hands-on learning experiences, interactive classes and flexible majors that encourage you to choose what’s best for you.

And if you’re not sure what you want to study, we can help. Clemson’s Center for Career and Professional Development is built to match your growing skills with internships, real-world experiences and networking opportunities specific to your interests.

“Utilizing the Clemson Family has been so important during my time here — through networking and the lifelong relationships forged with my peers and professors. You can find that at other schools, but it’s on a whole other level at Clemson.”

— Erica Wearing, junior agricultural education major

Rise to the challenge

Erica Wearing got involved early and often at Clemson University. Her goals of teaching, creating career connections and making her major more appealing to women of color, like herself, have been a driving force during her time at Clemson.

Clemson’s 80+ majors are sure to have what you are looking for to grow in your career and in life. Whether you want to double major, major-minor, find an ideal concentration or need professional certifications, we offer small class sizes within a rigorous curriculum to explore a future that fits you.

College of Agriculture, Forestry and Life Sciences
Agribusiness
Agricultural Education
Agricultural Mechanization and Business
Animal and Veterinary Sciences
Environmental and Natural Resources
Food Science and Human Nutrition
Forest Resource Management
Horticulture
Packaging Science
Plant and Environmental Sciences
Pre-veterinary Medicine*
Turfgrass
Wildlife and Fisheries Biology

Clemson University offers:
• Mentoring.
• Connections with partner companies.
• Extensive alumni network in all industries.
• Postgraduate education counseling.

College of Architecture, Arts and Humanities
Architecture
Art
Construction Science and Management
English
History
Landscape Architecture
Language and International Business
Language and International Health
Modern Languages
- American Sign Language
- Chinese
- French
- German
- Italian
- Japanese
- Spanish
Pan African Studies
Performing Arts
Philosophy
Religious Studies
Visual Arts
Women’s Leadership
World Cinema

College of Behavioral, Social and Health Sciences
Anthropology
Communication
Criminal Justice
Health Science
Nursing
Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management
Political Science
Psychology
Sociology
Sports Communication

Wilbur O. and Ann Powers College of Business
Accounting
Economics
Financial Management
Graphic Communications Management
Marketing

College of Engineering, Computing and Applied Sciences
Bioengineering
Biosystems Engineering
Chemical Engineering
Civil Engineering
Computer Engineering
Computer Information Systems
Computer Science
Electrical Engineering
Environmental Engineering
Geology
Industrial Engineering
Materials Science and Engineering
Mechanical Engineering

College of Education
Early Childhood Education
Elementary Education
Human Capital Education and Development
Mathematics Teaching
Middle Level Education
Science Teaching
Secondary Education
Special Education

College of Science
Biochemistry
Biological Sciences
Chemistry
Genetics
Mathematical Sciences
Microbiology
Physics
Pre-pharmacy*
Pre-professional Health Studies*

Ten most popular degrees
1. Management
2. Biological Sciences
3. Marketing
4. Psychology
5. Industrial Engineering
6. Mechanical Engineering
7. Nursing
8. Financial Management
9. Computer Science
10. Accounting

BACHELOR’S TO GRADUATE – A FASTER WAY TO EARN YOUR GRADUATE DEGREE
Enterprise students might want to fast track their master’s degree from the start. Clemson offers a combined bachelor’s and master’s degree plan allowing you to reduce the time typically needed to earn both degrees. There are more than 30 eligible tracks.

Find your niche
Clemson majors offer flexibility no matter your interests. There is no set path you have to take, and our faculty, staff, alumni and student mentor network will work with you and make sense of your academic pursuits. Find your path at clemson.edu/degrees.
Leading the way

Making a difference starts by doing what you love. A great way to figure that out is engaging with professors and professionals. Clemson University partners with businesses around the world for a variety of internships and co-ops including General Electric, Bosch, Vanguard, PepsiCo, Michelin, BMW and many, many more.

Our No. 2-ranked Career Services and No. 3 Top 20 Best Schools for Internships (public schools) designations from The Princeton Review (2021) highlight a commitment to the future and growing a network of Tigers anywhere you might go.

Academic Success Center
The heart of campus includes the Cooper Library, Watt Family Innovation Center and our renowned Academic Success Center (ASC). Students who take advantage of these services improve their grades, maintain their scholarships and work one-on-one with mentors to understand difficult class material. From Peer-Assisted Learning (PAL) to academic coaching and tutoring, the success you build at ASC will make you more appealing to employers and graduate schools down the road.

Within an average of six months after graduation, 90 percent of graduates are employed, continuing or planning to continue their education or are not currently seeking employment.

Seventy percent of co-op graduation candidates in May 2020 had already accepted a full-time position at a company or had been accepted into graduate school.

YOU PICK WITH UPIC
Clemson offers real-world experience right on campus with our expansive UPIC program. We offer hundreds of on-campus internships in every field while earning course credit. And, of course, you get paid while doing it.

Alejandro Pardo found a passion for leadership and helping others during his time at Clemson through early interactions with a student tour guide and the University’s renowned career services department. He intends to use those lessons in the workforce and the community he hopes to serve.

“Clemson puts so much emphasis on their career services because they know how important it is for a student to enjoy and love what they will do every day for the rest of their lives.”
— Alejandro Pardo, junior industrial engineering major
The sheer tenacity of spirit and pride in what we do puts Clemson University in a class of its own. We are designated an R1 Research Institution, the highest rank bestowed by Carnegie Classification of Institutions of Higher Learning.

Our Clemson University Honors College brings specialized courses in smaller classes taught by top faculty. Students are encouraged to participate in global engagement opportunities and pursue innovative research.

We offer a robust Creative Inquiry undergraduate research program featuring more than 500 projects across every field available at Clemson. Since 2005, the program has engaged more than 50,000 undergraduate students in 1,000+ projects ranging from drought-resistant crops and infrastructure development to rocket propulsion and food waste recovery.
College is meant to be a new exploration of life, independence and self-discovery. To do that, you will want to push yourself away from the known and into the unknown. When graduating seniors are asked what they would tell their first-year selves, without hesitation, they say some form of “get outside your comfort zone and get involved.”

Clemson makes that easy with 500+ clubs and organizations highlighting cultural diversity, sports, sustainability efforts, religion, dance, technology and so much more. And if you don’t find the club you want, you can start one.

Clemson’s campus is great, but you might not realize that includes 17,500 acres of Experimental Forest for hiking and biking. It sits along the Lake Hartwell shoreline, making it ideal for kayaking, canoeing or wading at the Snow Outdoor Fitness and Wellness Complex.

**Living large**

Residence halls and apartment complexes at Clemson are all within a 10- to 15-minute walk to class. We also have multiple Living-Learning Communities where undergraduates with common academic interests and life experiences can come together to discuss classes or the next trip downtown.

Choices include suite-style living in the center of campus, traditional high rises on Bryan Mall and the Douthit Hills East Neighborhood.
Clemson by the numbers

2020 ENROLLMENT

- 5,538 Graduate Students
- 20,868 Undergraduate Students
- 26,406 Total Students

2020 FIRST-YEAR STUDENT PROFILE

- 28,600 Applied
- 17,715 Accepted
- 4,199 Enrolled

2020 UNDERGRADUATE GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSITY

- 50% Male
- 50% Female

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2020 FIRST-YEAR STUDENT CLASS REPRESENTATION

- 56% South Carolina Residents
- 266 South Carolina High Schools
- 50 States and the District of Columbia

2020 FINANCIAL AID

- 82% Students receive some type of financial assistance, including state, federal and university awards

RECOMMENDED HIGH SCHOOL CURRICULUM

- English: 4 credits
- Mathematics: 4 credits
- Laboratory Science: 3 credits
- Foreign Language (Same language): 3 credits
- Social Sciences: 2 credits
- U.S. History: 1 credit
- Fine Arts: 1 credit
- Physical Education/ROTC: 1 credit

AP/IB CREDIT

Clemson strongly endorses both the Advanced Placement (AP) Program and the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme. Use our credits awarded charts to see how many hours your AP class or IB scores will earn here.

AP: clemson.edu/admissions/undergraduate/documents/apcreditchart.pdf
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APPLY YOURSELF

Clemson looks for the best and brightest students from across South Carolina, the nation and around the globe. Factors most often considered for admittance include:

- Class standing
- Standardized test scores (SAT or ACT) *optional for 2022-2023 admissions cycle
- High school curriculum
- Grades
- Choice of major

The final deadline to apply for the Fall semester is May 1, with a priority deadline of December 1.

You’ll find tips, requirements and timelines about admission and acceptance at clemson.edu/admissions/undergraduate.

Recommended High School Curriculum

English: 4 credits
Mathematics: 4 credits
Laboratory Science: 3 credits
Foreign Language (same language): 3 credits
Social Sciences: 2 credits
U.S. History: 1 credit
Fine Arts: 1 credit
Physical Education/ROTC: 1 credit

*Students who have completed fewer than three credits of the same foreign language are encouraged to apply.

Select majors may have additional requirements.

Financial Aid

Clemson was named a Money magazine “Best Colleges in America, Ranked by Value” in 2020. Financial aid is usually awarded based on need to supplement the amount you and your parents can contribute to your college expenses. The University also awards some scholarships based entirely on academic merit.

The Office of Admissions automatically reviews each applicant to Clemson for scholarship eligibility (no additional scholarship application required). High school performance, test scores and financial need are all considered when awarding scholarships.

Incoming first-year students must apply for admission by December 1 to be considered. Test scores need to be received by Clemson by December 31 for scholarship consideration (optional for 2022-2023 cycle). Merit scholarship packages will be communicated to students in Spring 2022. To be eligible for federal- and state-based aid, we encourage students to complete the FAFSA located at fafsa.gov by January 2, 2022.

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Estimated Costs for 2021-2022

S.C. Resident Full Time (per year)

- Tuition and Fees*: $15,558
- Room and Board (approximate): $11,414
- Books and Supplies (approximate)**: $1,436
- Total*: $28,408

Nonresident Full Time (per year)

- Tuition and Fees*: $38,550
- Room and Board (approximate): $11,414
- Books and Supplies (approximate)**: $1,436
- Total*: $51,400

Other Expenses

- Estimated personal/transportation: $4,054
- Estimated computer cost*: $1,715

*Includes health and other mandatory fees (required for all full-time students) and average lab fees. Major enrichment fees apply to some majors and can range up to $2,500.

**All students are required to own a laptop computer. For details, go to clemson.edu/laptop.

All figures are for the 2021-2022 academic year and are subject to change.
### First-Year Student Application Timeline

#### Fall
- **Recommended time frame to submit at least one set of scores for the SAT or ACT (optional for 2022-2023 cycle).** Make sure to list Clemson to receive your scores.
  - SAT code is 5111.
  - ACT code is 3842.
- **December 1**
  - Submit the undergraduate application for Summer/Fall admission by this date to ensure notification in mid-February.*
- **December 31**
  - Deadline for submission of official transcript and standardized test scores (optional for 2022-2023 cycle). to receive priority consideration for academic recruiting scholarships for Summer/Fall semester (must submit application by December 1).

#### January 2
- Deadline for first-year students to submit FAFSA for need-based programs and consideration for loans and grants.

#### Mid-February
- Admissions decisions are mailed to students who applied by December 1; students who applied after December 1 may receive a decision at this time or shortly thereafter.*

#### May 1
- Final deadline to apply for Summer/Fall admission.*

*We will notify you by email when we receive your application and keep you updated on the status of your application while it’s under consideration.