

*The future
in full view*

→ *let's begin*[®]



→ Explore new horizons

“Trust your instincts. Look for a college where you will be challenged academically and also find a balanced lifestyle outside of class. Clemson is that place for me.”

— Emily Martin, senior health science major

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Clemson University is a place where community is encouraged. Our students are always talking about how connected they feel to the campus, the town, the faculty and the people they interact with every day.

Throughout these pages, we want you to discover pieces of our campus life, academics and the University spirit from the students who live it every day.

Being here offers a sense of belonging very quickly. Whether it's driving onto campus on a road painted with our trademark Tiger Paws, seeing the names of alumni memorialized on brick walkways, or getting the chance to talk to faculty during a tour, Clemson offers a different kind of "feel" than anywhere else.

We embrace who you are and who you want to be through clubs, organizations and the 80+ majors offered among seven distinct colleges. We ensure you have every resource necessary, whether in the library, lab or common rooms in the dorms. And we encourage you to bring your own personality into everything you do on and off campus.

Clemson embodies more than a great education. We are the deafening cheers of 80,000 fans as the Tigers run into Death Valley. We are the applause at each award ceremony celebrating innovations and excellence.

We are a part of something bigger, and we want you to be a part of it, too.

Let's get started — together.

"Clemson really is a family, and a family is able to sit all together and accept that we aren't all the same, but we still love each other. I want every student to know they have a spot at the table."

— Jainada Williams, junior marketing major

Top-ranked national public university for 13 straight years.
— U.S. News & World Report, 2021

No. 5 Their Students Love These Colleges
— The Princeton Review, 2021

Finding yourself Finding your home

No. 1 Town-Gown Relations
are Great
— *The Princeton Review*, 2021

No. 4 Students Pack the
Stadiums
— *The Princeton Review*, 2021

“Clemson is like home. It’s that place where you can retreat to, where you spend four years of your life and you have so many memories, but it’s also a platform for launching forward into a new chapter.”

— Alyxandria Farkas, marketing and graphic communications '20



Clemson's campus will become your home away from home. Our front yard is Bowman Field, where you'll find students throwing a Frisbee or playing Spike Ball anytime the sun is shining — and even when it isn't.

And the campus is your neighborhood. A place where feeling at home comes as easily as a walk to the shores of Lake Hartwell for a fall sunset or a stop at your favorite pizzeria for a slice. It's where, moment by moment, you connect to this place that will be part of you forever.

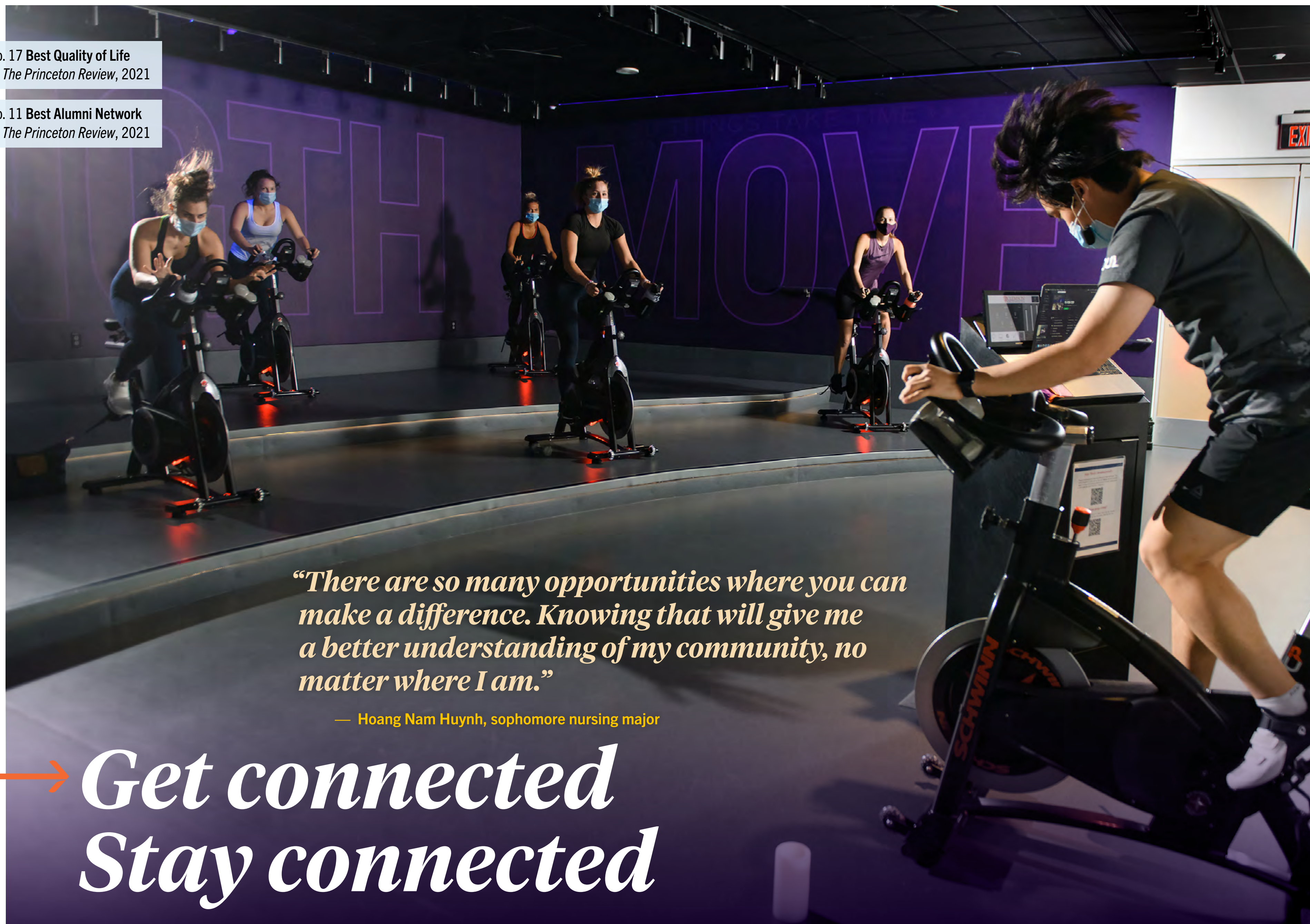
Whether you are meeting your roommate for the first time in one of our 19 Living-Learning Communities, making a family recipe for our annual International Festival, or sitting with friends at a movie in the Hendrix Student Center, becoming a part of Clemson is as easy as walking through the front door.

Let's create our community.



No. 17 Best Quality of Life
— The Princeton Review, 2021

No. 11 Best Alumni Network
— The Princeton Review, 2021



“There are so many opportunities where you can make a difference. Knowing that will give me a better understanding of my community, no matter where I am.”

— Hoang Nam Huynh, sophomore nursing major

→ **Get connected**
Stay connected



500+ CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS



17 INTRAMURAL SPORTS



19 NCAA ATHLETIC TEAMS

We call it the Clemson Family. It's the network of students, faculty, staff and alumni that make Clemson University all that it is. Here, we try to offer something for every passion, every interest and every discipline so that no matter what you want to do, there is an outlet to achieve it.

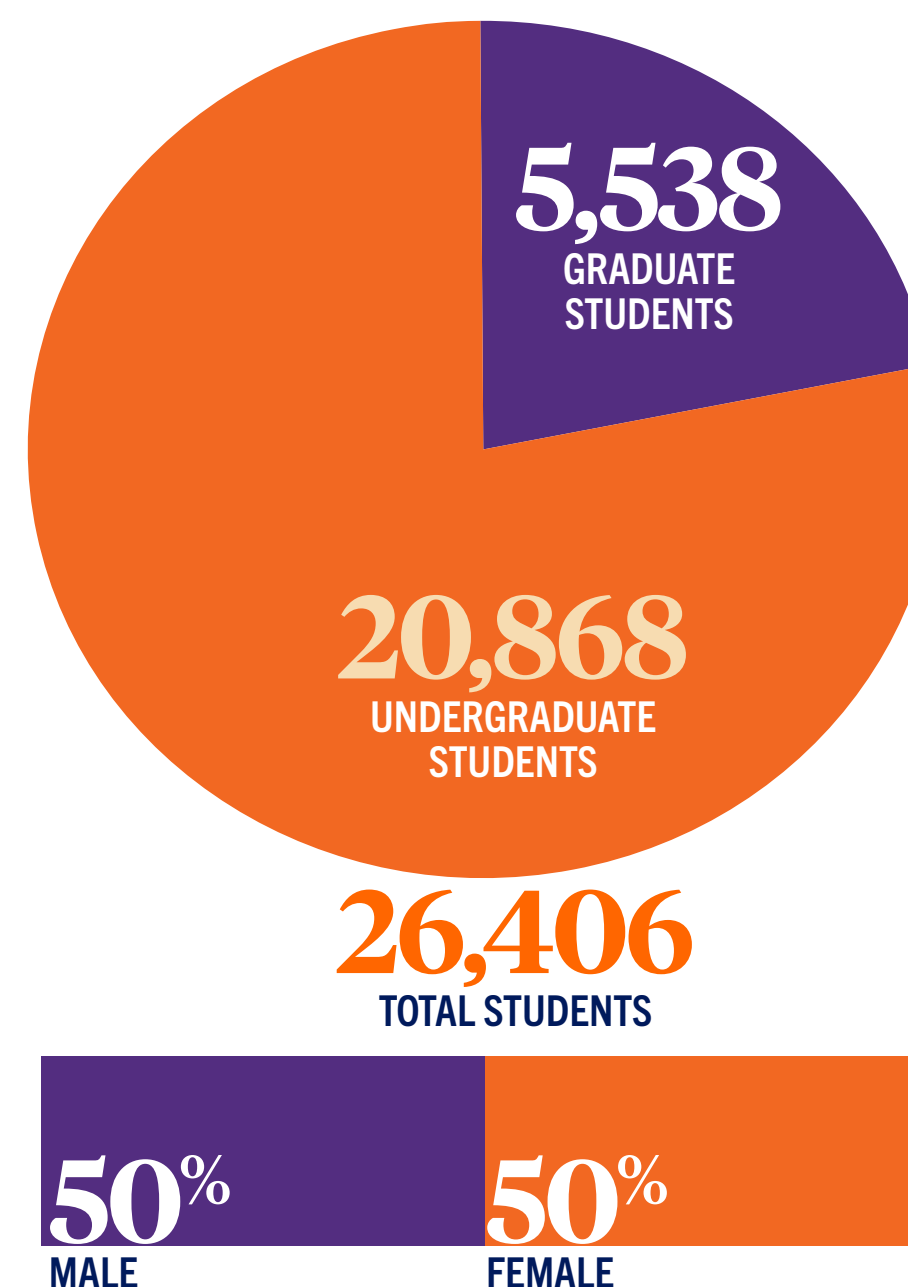
It starts with 500+ clubs and organizations that range from virtual reality and the arts to microbiology and food science. There are multicultural clubs, sports clubs, military councils and student government organizations. And if you don't find the exact club or organization for you, there are avenues to create your own.

You can make Clemson the kind of place where you will want to live, grow and thrive.

Let's join.



2020 ENROLLMENT



“Working with the Harvey and Lucinda Gantt Multicultural Center helped me see that there are so many ways to get involved and have an impact on different areas of Clemson’s campus.”

— Roann Abdeladi, junior health science major



Be prepared Gain experience

No. 2 Best Career Services
— *The Princeton Review*, 2021

No. 9 Best Schools for
Internships
— *The Princeton Review*, 2021

College is about more than just preparing you for your career. It should get you ready for everything that goes along with life after college. That comes in a lot of different forms like time management, cultural experiences, extensive networks and the kind of creative support that can only happen with continued education.

Clemson has all the tools and resources to keep you on track in school and in life.

Let's learn from each other.

"Just the ability to try all the things I have in four years at Clemson is remarkable. Learning from people who have been there and doing it alongside them has been the best kind of experience for me and my creativity."

— Ray Cummings, senior packaging science major

GET HANDS-ON

- **Clemson University Honors College:** Students here live, work, study and grow alongside each other and create bonds with professors and one another that extend beyond campus. The Honors College offers accessibility to travel grants, scholarships and the academic resources that can catapult you in your life and career.
- **Study Abroad:** We often say Clemson is everywhere, and that's especially true when it comes to the Study Abroad program. Find yourself in Japan, Australia, Germany, Britain, Italy, Poland or anywhere Tigers can learn and make a difference.
- **Creative Inquiry:** The only limit to our Creative Inquiry program is your imagination. There are more than 300 undergraduate research CI projects happening across campus at any given time, ranging from virtual reality and drones to food packaging and water conservation. Find your passion and apply it in a faculty-led, student-driven effort of your choice.

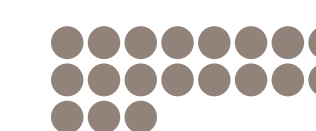


GET EXPERIENCE

- **Faculty mentors:** Office hours are important, but working with faculty goes a step further through mentorship. Our team of professors and graduate students has been instrumental in getting entrepreneurial projects off the ground and setting up major internship opportunities.
- **Career Center:** Looking forward to your career can make you excited and anxious all at the same time. Our top-ranked career services team will help guide you through uncertainty and find you amazing opportunities with alumni as well as partners in business, nonprofits and the political world.
- **Internships/Co-ops:** Whether it's on or off campus, Clemson's rich network of internships and co-op opportunities will take your resume and job search to the next level following graduation. Clemson students have worked with BMW, Disney and the United States Supreme Court showcasing what Clemson is truly about.



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STUDENT-TO-
FACULTY RATIO



19
MEDIAN
UNDERGRADUATE
CLASS SIZE

Personalized education

Creative Inquiry has supported more than 34,000 students in 1,000+ undergraduate research projects since it started in 2005.

GET AHEAD

- **Academic Success Center:** The ASC is the place where your learning can grow and evolve. Not everything in college will come easy, and when those challenges arise, there are professionals and peers ready to mentor, tutor or simply listen.
- **Watt Family Innovation Center:** Watt is your hub for discovery, studying and absorbing the knowledge around you, and it starts with our state-of-the-art Makerspace where ideas become reality.
- **Writing Center:** Sometimes you need to focus. Maybe it's in a quiet place to get your thoughts together or with a writing tutor who can help with the next paper you have to write. The Writing Center is a full-service resource built to help you succeed at getting your thoughts on paper, in a presentation or wherever they need to go.


→ *Making an impact*


No. 2 Alumni Giving
— *U.S. News & World Report*, 2021

Named to “*The Princeton Review*
Guide to Green Colleges: 2021
Edition”

GRADUATION RATE
 **85%**
SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATE
FOR 2013 COHORT

RETENTION RATE
 **94%**
RETENTION RATE FOR
FALL 2018 CLASS


86%
INSTRUCTIONAL
FACULTY WITH PH.D. OR
EQUIVALENT


91%
FULL-TIME
INSTRUCTIONAL
FACULTY

“My instructors have helped me with internships and learning about the technicalities of music and composition. I’m uncovering my skills, making goals, and identifying a purpose for what I want to do.”

— Piper Starnes, junior performing arts major

There are so many ways to make your mark on your family, your community and those around you. At Clemson, you might discover a cure, build bridges, or create the next tech innovation, but you won’t be doing any of it alone.

Our students marvel at the fact that Clemson embraces the individual while celebrating the whole. We believe when we all work together, we accomplish amazing things. That starts with professors and continues with graduate assistants, mentors, alumni, staff members, interns and, most importantly, you.

Those relationships have created businesses, built rockets, discovered new therapies, and brought water to drought-devastated regions. The ideas you form and the relationships you build here will stick with you for the rest of your life. They will guide you to the next great thing you accomplish, and we will be right there to converse, celebrate and congratulate.

Let’s make a difference.

The brains of the operation

As important as the college experience is, the heart of any institution of higher education is the learning. Clemson is filled with some of the smartest and most accomplished students in the country looking to broaden their horizons and build on all the hard work they have put in over the years.

Researching in a lab, building in the high-tech Makerspace at the Watt Center, or just studying in the Cooper Library will add to the amazing memories you can have here.

And while our town might be small, and our campus might be cozy, our resources are big-time and have led students directly to Clemson, South Carolina.

Let's seek solutions.

“If you want to take on a project with a professor, they have the support available to help you navigate it. If you want it, it's there. All you have to do is go and take it.”

— Riley Rapert,
bioengineering '20,
M.S. bioengineering '21



2020 FIRST-YEAR STUDENT PROFILE

HIGH SCHOOL CLASS RANK			APPLIED		SAT	
57%	81%	99%	28,600	1260	MIDDLE 50% OF SCORES	
TOP 10 PERCENT	TOP 20 PERCENT	TOP 50 PERCENT	17,715	1410		
			4,199	28	ACT	
			ENROLLED	32	MIDDLE 50% OF SCORES	

Named one of the nation's most active research institutions (R1) by the Carnegie Classification of Institutions of Higher Education

Named to the *Wall Street Journal* and *Times Higher Education* list of Top U.S. Colleges (2020).

Ranked among the Most Innovative Schools — *U.S. News & World Report*, 2021

→ Stretch yourself

No. 9 Their Students Love These Colleges
— *The Princeton Review*, 2021

No. 19 Best Quality of Life
— *The Princeton Review*, 2021



Brooks Center for the Performing Arts
Enjoy student-run programs as well as traveling plays and some of the biggest names in comedy, politics and entertainment at our on-campus Brooks Center.

“Hearing the bells ringing from Tillman Hall and seeing everyone on Bowman Field on the first warm day of spring are things that feel like home and feel like family to me now.”

— Ariel Lopez, senior business management major

A successful life on campus starts with creating a good work-life balance. Clemson University has practically everything you could need, including 26 on-campus dining options and state-of-the-art housing.

Our Fike Recreation Center houses basketball and racquetball courts, fitness studios, indoor and outdoor tracks and a climbing wall. At the Snow Outdoor Fitness and Wellness Complex, located right on the shores of Lake Hartwell, enjoy volleyball, kayaking and swimming. And the Experimental Forest and South Carolina Botanical Garden are perfect spots for a challenging hike or leisurely stroll.

Clemson is also only two hours away from both Charlotte, North Carolina, and Atlanta and a short 30-minute drive from the growing cultural hub that is Greenville, South Carolina. And Clemson’s own downtown is just across the street from campus offering dozens of dining and shopping options.

Catch a show at Clemson’s on-campus Brooks Center for the Performing Arts or take in a concert or comedy performance at Littlejohn Coliseum.

Whatever you need is right around the corner, and the views to get there are amazing.

Let’s play.



Clemson Experimental Forest
The Clemson Experimental Forest’s 17,500 acres are dedicated to education, research and recreation and feature more than 100 miles of multiuse recreational trails.



Snow Family Outdoor Fitness and Wellness Complex
The Snow Family Outdoor Fitness and Wellness Complex features athletic fields and a large beach where students not only have access to Lake Hartwell but also a variety of water rentals such as kayaks and paddleboards.

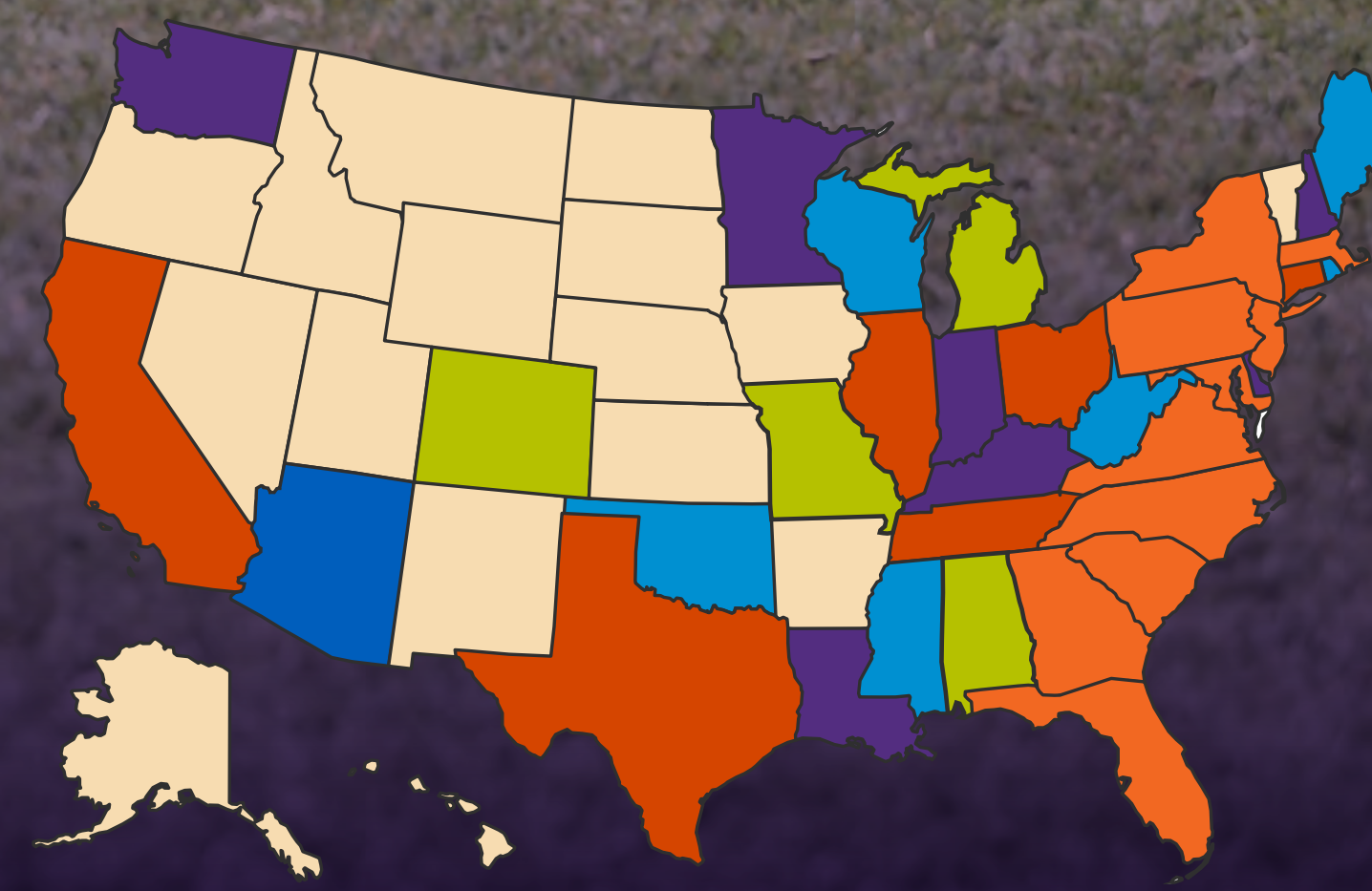


South Carolina Botanical Garden
The South Carolina Botanical Garden is a 295-acre oasis of cultivated landscape and natural woodlands. Points of interest include a variety of demonstration gardens and the Bob Campbell Geology Museum.



Downtown Clemson
Eat, drink and shop for all your Tiger essentials within walking distance of where you live.

2020 UNDERGRADUATE GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSITY

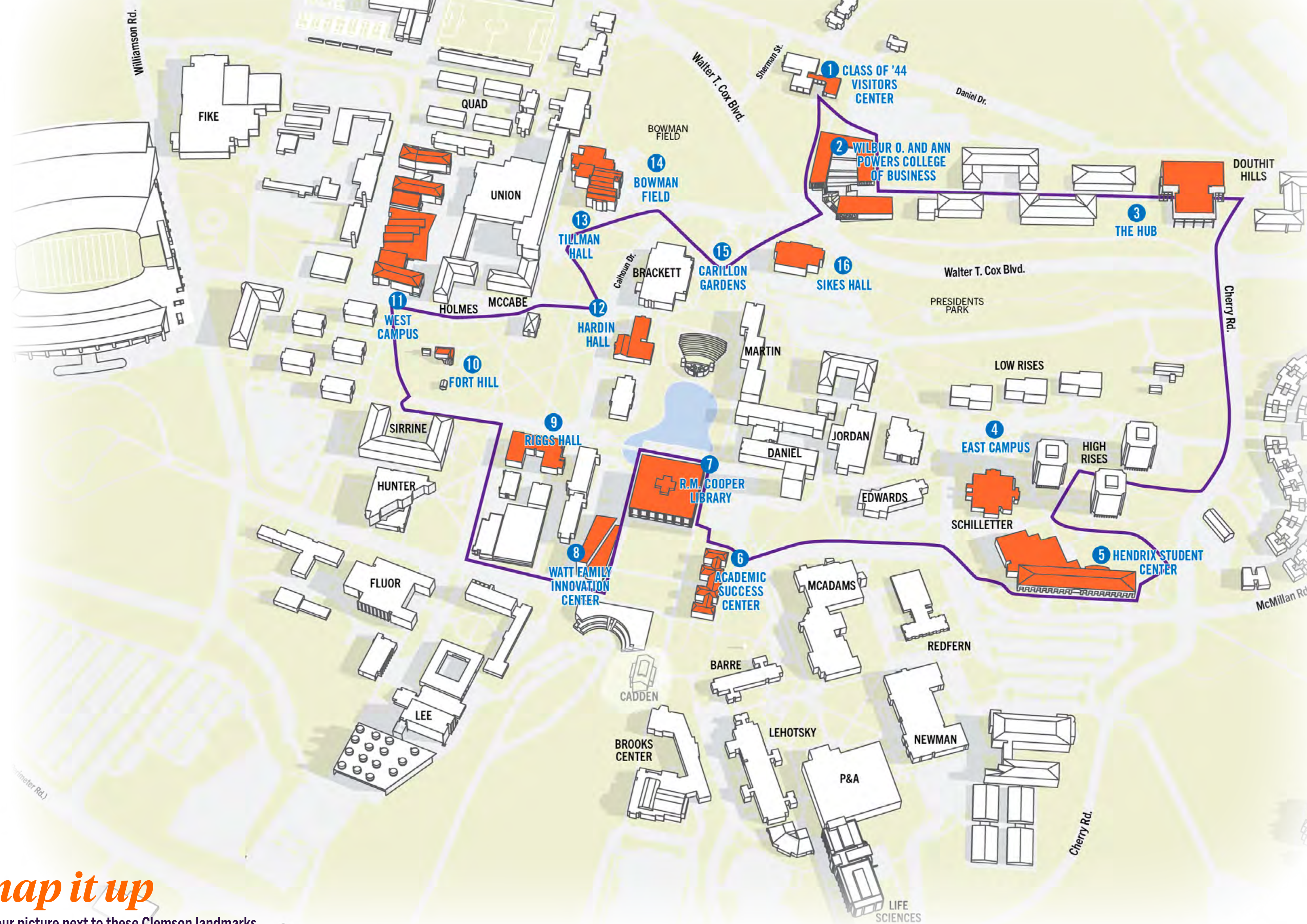


2019 FIRST-YEAR CLASS REPRESENTATION

- 58% South Carolina Residents
- 262 South Carolina High Schools
- 1,062 Out-of-state High Schools
- 43 States and the District of Columbia
- 14 Foreign Countries

- 250+ students
- 100-250+ students
- 50-99+ students
- 25-49 students
- 10-24 students
- less than 10 students

Explore our campus



- 1 Class of '44 Visitors Center**
Get the lay of the Clemson University landscape from the Visitors Center and start your journey across campus.
- 2 Wilbur O. and Ann Powers College of Business**
The new five-story, 176,000-square-foot Wilbur O. and Ann Powers College of Business building is a dynamic think tank environment that brings together students, faculty and industry in a centrally located, collaborative space.
- 3 Douthitt Hills: The Hub**
Part of the new Douthitt Hills residential living community, The Hub is a mixed-use space with retail dining options, a recreation center and the campus bookstore.
- 4 East Campus**
This section of campus includes the Bryan Mall community, which consists of a "low-rise" (Mauldin) and the "high-rises" (Byrnes, Manning and Lever). Hendrix Student Center and Schilleter Dining Hall are just a short walk away from these residence halls. The nearby Barnes Center offers students a space to unwind, make new friends and attend late-night programming such as game and movie nights.
- 5 Hendrix Student Center**
One of the main social spots on campus, The Hendrix Student Center is home to the East Side Food Court, a movie theater, student media organizations, our top-ranked career center and meeting rooms. Stop in the '55 Exchange and get a scoop of Clemson's famous student-made ice cream.
- 6 Academic Success Center**
Located near Cooper Library, the ASC helps students significantly improve their grades and maintain their academic scholarships through a better understanding of difficult class material. Free services include peer-assisted learning, academic coaching and tutoring.
- 7 R.M. Cooper Library**
Cooper Library, a six-floor building in the heart of campus, is Clemson's main library. Here you will find media and technology to check out, spaces for late-night and group study, the Adobe Digital Studio and a technology support center. Cooper also holds events throughout the academic year, including fun activities to help students destress during exam week and talks from professors and guest speakers.
- 8 Watt Family Innovation Center**
Established in 2016, The Watt Family Innovation Center utilizes advanced information technology and special facilities to inspire collaboration and project development. Students can create virtual and augmented reality applications in

- 9 Riggs Hall**
One of the main engineering classroom and lab buildings on campus, Riggs Hall houses the Holcombe Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering. According to Clemson lore, the stone figures that adorn the front of the building depict former University professors.
- 10 Fort Hill**
Fort Hill was home to South Carolina statesman John C. Calhoun from 1825–1888. His daughter, Anna Maria Calhoun Clemson, and her husband, University founder Thomas Green Clemson, lived at Fort Hill throughout their married life.
- 11 West Campus**
This section of campus includes a 260,000-square-foot mixed-use facility that is a great spot to stop and grab a snack while you're visiting. It houses three residence halls, a dining hall and fast-casual dining options. This facility is also home to the Honors Residential College at Cribb and DesChamps halls. Other housing in West Campus includes the "shoeboxes" (Benet, Cope, Geer, Sanders and Young), Mickel Hall and the fraternity and sorority quad.
- 12 Hardin Hall**
Originally built in 1890 to serve as the chemistry building, Hardin Hall is now home to the Department of History and Department of Philosophy and Religion. With a façade containing brick from three different centuries, this building proudly unites the University's past and present.
- 13 Tillman Hall**
Originally constructed in 1893, Tillman Hall houses the Eugene T. Moore School of Education. The three-story building, which overlooks Bowman Field, has an iconic clock tower and a 48-bell carillon that rings throughout campus.
- 14 Bowman Field**
The "front lawn" of campus, Bowman Field is a popular spot for students to play, relax and hold outdoor events such as the annual Homecoming float build and International Festival.
- 15 Carillon Garden**
The Carillon Garden is a picturesque green space used for a variety of outdoor events. The space was dedicated by the Class of 1943 as a tribute to those who lost their lives during World War II.
- 16 Sikes Hall**
A hub of academic and administrative activity, Sikes Hall is home to the Registrar's Office, the Office of Undergraduate Admissions, Student Financial Aid and the President's Office.

Snap it up

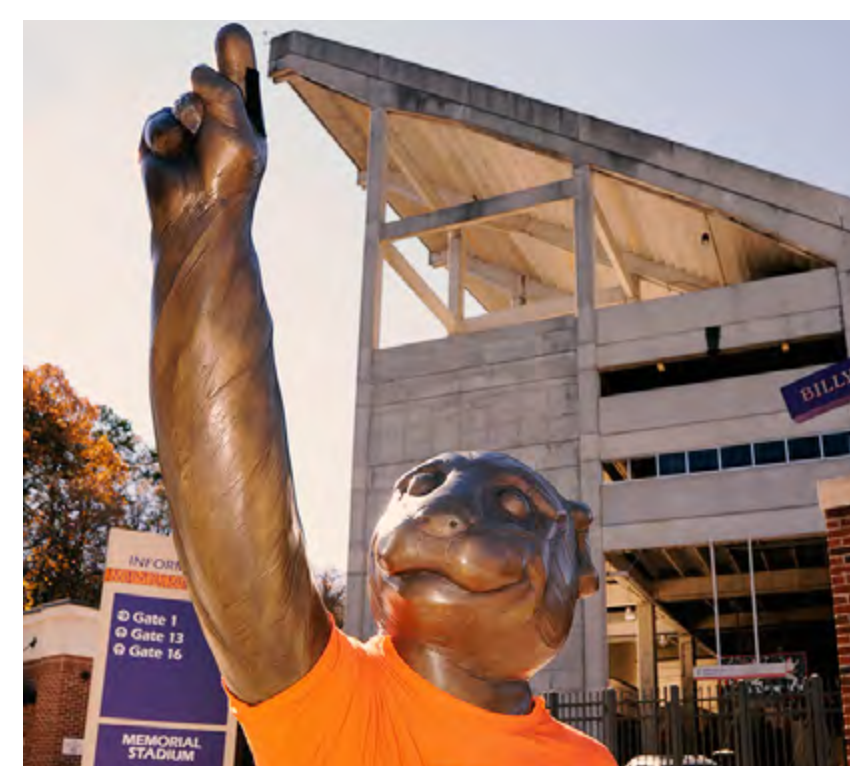
Get your picture next to these Clemson landmarks.



Clemson Mural (Downtown)
Located on the wall outside of Tiger Sports Shop (364 College Ave.), this mural design is inspired by the look of a vintage postcard and captures the close-knit town-gown relationship.



Steps of Sikes
The steps of Sikes Hall are a popular spot among students for senior portraits, graduation pictures and other group photos.



Tiger Mascot Statue
Show your Solid Orange pride by posing next to the Tiger statue located outside Gate 1 of Memorial Stadium.



Carillon Garden
With the Outdoor Amphitheater, reflection pond and Cooper Library all in view, you'll be hard-pressed to find a more picturesque spot on campus.



Memorial Stadium
Memorial Stadium, also known as Death Valley, is home to the three-time National Football Champions and located right on campus.



Reflection Pond
Located just outside of Cooper Library, the reflection pond provides a scenic backdrop during any season.

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MARIA COLON, JUNIOR
SECONDARY EDUCATION MAJOR

A new state of mind

A WILLINGNESS TO EMBRACE a new state — both physically and mentally — changed more than Maria Colon’s pursuit of a college degree. It turned it into a newfound ability to advocate for students across cultures.

The junior secondary education major from New Jersey found her calling for teaching there. But her family’s move to South Carolina showed where that passion could grow.

“Clemson felt like home from the beginning,” she says. “It is such a beautiful, heartwarming place, and I fell in love with it.”

It didn’t hurt that Clemson offers a top-ranked college experience, especially within the College of Education. And that students engage here as much as they learn.

Maria worked closely with advisers and professors to make the most impact. She became an Orientation Ambassador and served as a peer mentor for first-generation students. And she found her niche as an education advocate for minority students.

“Clemson has made me more aware of cultural divides,” Maria says. “I want to apply that knowledge to my teaching and broach those issues in my classroom.”

She also learned the kind of teacher she wants to be. One that is both educator and mentor.

One that tells her students, “You can do it!”

RYAN SWEENEY, SENIOR MANAGEMENT AND MARKETING MAJOR

Saying, “yes,” to unexpected opportunities



ON ANY GIVEN DAY, management and marketing major Ryan Sweeney can be found flying an airplane over Death Valley, running operations for Tigervision in Hendrix Student Center, or practicing sales strategies in the Wilbur O. and Ann Powers College of Business. He says his method of finding his path comes down to trial and error, but his Clemson journey has included plenty of triumphs.

“In high school, I had my area, right? In college, my area all of a sudden became whatever was really cool that day,” he says. “It definitely changed my view of college.”

Ryan’s willingness to jump into new experiences had a large impact on his future and the University. After three years broadcasting with Tigervision, he was uniquely positioned to facilitate the first-ever virtual Tigerama his senior year, a feat that kept the 64-year tradition alive and is one of his proudest accomplishments.

After graduation, Ryan plans to work in logistics or pursue a master’s degree while facilitating more virtual events at Clemson. He says he plans to solve interesting problems during his co-op year at BMW, take the last few classes on his Clemson bucket list, and continue saying, “Yes,” to unexpected opportunities on campus.

MARCUS CRAWFORD, SENIOR MARKETING MAJOR

Guided toward greatness

MARCUS CRAWFORD has a lot of great ideas about his future. He knows it involves sports, business and mentoring. But when he first transferred to Clemson, he wasn't exactly sure how to get there. Thankfully, he says, Clemson had some ideas.

Marcus was playing basketball at a small North Carolina school when he and a friend had the idea to apply for transfer to Clemson. When the acceptance letter came for both of them, decisions had to be made.

"It took me awhile to acclimate to college, and when I got accepted to transfer to Clemson, I was actually enjoying the school I was at," Marcus says. "But by the time I got on campus and took the tour, I fell in love with this place and had that moment where I knew I could find my niche."

Melonee Wolfe, an assistant recruiter with the William O. and Ann Powers College of Business, helped Marcus in his transition and showed him what it meant to be a part of the Clemson Family. She advised him, talked him through the process, and even became someone he could call a friend.

"Knowing there was someone here that cared and would support me made things so much easier," Marcus says. "It showed me that even though Clemson is a bigger school, the staff still cares about you in and out of the classroom or the office."

That and Marcus's experience as a Clemson tour guide have put him in a position where he can help others understand the joy that comes from listening to your heart and finding what you truly want to do in life. It can be hard, but, he says, Clemson makes it a lot easier.

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PAIGE HOLMAN, SENIOR PARKS, RECREATION AND TOURISM MANAGEMENT MAJOR

Asking for help and getting ahead

PAIGE HOLMAN looks back on her two years before starting college a bit differently than most people.

Paige was diagnosed with complex regional pain syndrome (CRPS) in 2009 and experienced a relapse in high school. While managing a rare condition, she worked hard to earn the necessary credits to graduate with her class. Through it all, one thing she knew was that she wanted to leave the comforts of Massachusetts and find a place where support services were encouraged.

When Clemson popped up on her radar, all it took was seeing the campus and experiencing the "feel" of Clemson for Paige to know it would become her home.

She quickly found success academically and socially thanks to the dozens of resources the University offers. Resources like the Academic Success Center, the Clemson University Honors College and accommodations for extended medical absences have allowed Paige to thrive at Clemson.

"I have always been passionate about working with kids but didn't realize that was an option outside of typical [youth-driven] jobs," she says. "After talking to Career Services, I discovered that there was so much more for me out there."

That led Paige to a major in parks, recreation and tourism management with a minor in youth development. It touches on everything she wants to accomplish and everything that



brings joy to her life — especially those connections she makes with friends, faculty and her future.

"The Clemson Family and that sense of belonging is something I will take from here and will guide my career," Paige says. "I can't wait to see how I will use these skills I've learned to help others."

"After talking to Career Services and learning more about myself, I discovered that there was so much more for me out there."



"The memories and things I've learned here make me feel particularly connected to Clemson."

SHAONI DASGUPTA, SENIOR BIOLOGY MAJOR

The search for answers

CLEMSON UNIVERSITY is a place to foster passions. Senior biological sciences major Shaoni Dasgupta grew her passion for science by growing research in the lab.

With guidance from biochemistry professor Kerry Smith, Shaoni took over a research project that examines the propagation of pathogens found in fungal meningitis and how they can prevent the illness in immunocompromised people. As the fungus propagated, so did her drive to discover more about the pathogens.

"The spores for fungal meningitis can be found almost everywhere," she says. "It's easy for our immune systems to fight it off. Others with deficient immune systems, however, aren't able to."

Shaoni, who is minoring in genetics, took on this project as a sophomore, and she credits the opportunity to the strong relationship she forged with Smith. She approached Smith after class to ask about joining his lab. Smith agreed, and that simple request led to Shaoni's most valued mentor relationship on campus.

"Dr. Smith has always been someone who has pushed me to challenge myself and is so supportive of me," she says. "His encouragement has helped develop my interest in genetics and has created a great, open environment in the classroom."

This open, friendly academic setting created by Clemson's faculty is just one reason Shaoni remains engaged in classes and research. Once the "shy one" in high school, her experiences at Clemson have given her the confidence to speak up in class and even get a question wrong if it means learning something new.

As Shaoni wraps up her undergraduate journey, she knows Clemson has grown her passion for science — but this is only the beginning.

"The memories and things I've learned here make me feel particularly connected to Clemson," she says. "I know I'll take that with me wherever I go next."



"In my major, I'm often making an existing process or product more efficient. It's the same approach I've tried to take in my life and my leadership style."

KENNETH SLOANE, SENIOR INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING MAJOR

Growth and leadership

GROWING UP IN CHARLESTON, South Carolina, Kenneth Sloane saw industry, engineering and culture all around him. The coastal city has always been a hub of commerce and manufacturing while combining that with a rich history and a growing community of multiculturalism.

But industrial engineering at Clemson brought something even more to his education.

"In my major, I'm often making an existing process or product more efficient. It's the same approach I've tried to take in my life and my leadership style," Kenneth says.

During his senior year of high school, Kenneth tried to change the "normal" way things were organized. He worked to make fundraisers and annual events easier to accomplish through meticulous notes, growing the number and scope of sponsors, and believing that bigger things could be done.

He brought those efforts to Clemson as a senator with the Clemson University Student Government and a member of the Asian Student Association.

"Being a part of the Student Senate gave me a glimpse of how Clemson works, from the inside," Kenneth says.

As an engineering student, Kenneth enjoys the challenges that come from even the smallest obstacles, including those outside his major. During his time as treasurer, vice president and, for his senior year, president, of the Asian Student Association, Kenneth has worked to advance a group that is gaining more visibility on campus while fostering increased interaction among the members and the students at large.

"I have always wanted everyone's voices to be heard and appreciated," he says. "Hopefully, the way I have tried to lead will help grow those interactions and everyone will feel comfortable raising their voices."



SYDNEY TINDALL, SENIOR LANGUAGE AND INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MAJOR

The show must go on

SEEING THE ORANGE TIGER PAWS that line the road leading to Clemson's campus was the first sign for Sydney Tindall that she was somewhere special. Coincidentally, her high school in Chattanooga, Tennessee, had red tiger paws on the road to welcome students.

It was a small connection that immediately sparked a feeling of being right at home.

"I couldn't get Clemson out of my mind and off my heart," Sydney says. "It was just something that stuck with me so much,

and I knew I had the potential to really be a part of this special place."

Sydney has seen firsthand how powerful the connections made at Clemson can be. Her older sorority sisters inspired her to give back to the campus community and spread the Clemson Spirit wherever she goes. As a sophomore, she became a student tour guide, and, in 2019, she was

the assistant director of Tigerama, one of the nation's largest student-run pep rallies that is held during Homecoming Week.

Sydney's role as the director of Tigerama in 2020 was one of her most challenging and rewarding college experiences. Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, traditional Homecoming Week events, like float building on Bowman Field and the Miss Homecoming Pageant, all had to be reimaged on an abbreviated timeline. Thanks to the help of University officials and advisers, Sydney and her team of student organizers were able to successfully deliver a 64th consecutive Tigerama — this time in a 100 percent virtual format broadcasted on Facebook and YouTube.

"We decided as student leaders to make it happen and adapt and still provide that sense of a Clemson Family that we were all longing for so much," Sydney says. "But we were still Clemson in that moment, which is something I am very proud of and thankful for."

GIANCARLO SILVA, SENIOR CRIMINAL JUSTICE MAJOR

For love of country and Clemson

"Clemson pulled me out of my comfort zone. I found my best friends in ROTC. I spend a majority of my time in ROTC, so it forced us to be close."

SINCE HE WAS A KID, Giancarlo Silva knew that he wanted to join ROTC and eventually serve in the military. It was Clemson's ROTC program that made him want to enroll, and the University's military history drew him even closer.

Giancarlo's decision to come to Clemson was a surprise to his family. Growing up in Dallas, North Carolina, his sights had always been set a little closer to home. However, his path changed when he witnessed how Clemson's military heritage is visible across campus.

"Seeing all the landmarks and the symbolism behind Clemson changed the atmosphere for me," he says. "To walk by the Scroll of Honor, it's so special to me. It's nurtured my passion and desire for wanting to be in the military."

Giancarlo joined the ROTC program on campus and quickly found his Clemson community. He discovered that a love for Clemson and the desire to serve was a common thread among his fellow cadets.

In addition to ROTC, Giancarlo has found his calling in his major: criminal justice. His interest in the FBI and CIA initially drew him to the major, and he hopes to one day join the federal or homeland security sector.

In pursuit of that goal, Giancarlo has been able to take master's classes as an undergraduate. He will graduate in May 2021 with 12 hours of master's classes in public administration, and after graduation, he hopes to balance additional graduate school classes as an active member of the Army.

When asked about his favorite Clemson memory, Giancarlo recalls the sights and sounds of the annual Military Appreciation Day home football games. It's in these moments, he says, that he really understands the interwoven nature of patriotism and the Clemson Spirit.

"Seeing the support from the rest of Clemson for the troops during that game was amazing," Giancarlo says. "When we came into the stadium, we got a standing ovation. It showed me what a uniform represents."



Celebrating traditions

In more than 100 years of history, it's fair to say that Clemson has its share of traditions. As we forge into the future, we also look back on those people, places and events that make us who we are today.

MILITARY HERITAGE
More than 100 years of rich military stories are told throughout Clemson's campus.



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Your decision made easier

Choosing a major is a huge decision, but it's not necessarily set in stone. Clemson University wants you to consider your major as something flexible that gives you the opportunity to study, learn and grow in whatever field, discipline or concentration you desire.

Whether you have a major picked out or you might want some help, we are here to guide you to whatever future fits you. Visit clemson.edu/degrees to explore our 80+ undergraduate degree programs.



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
- Preveterinary Medicine*
- Turfgrass
- Wildlife and Fisheries Biology



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



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- 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
- Prepharmacy*
- Preprofessional Health Studies*

*University preprofessional programs

TEN MOST POPULAR UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

Determined by degrees awarded by department for 2018-19

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**



→ Financial aid

Questions about financial aid?
Talk with a member of our staff. Phone hours are 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Monday through Friday, and online chat hours are 2-4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Visit clemson.edu/financial-aid or call 864-656-2280. You can also email questions to finaid@clemson.edu.

Making an investment in a great education is just one way Clemson will make an impact on you, your family and your community. Getting a great deal on that investment makes you savvy, smart and thoughtful.

Clemson University is among the top schools in the country for best value according to both *U.S. News & World Report* (2021) and *The Princeton Review* (2021). Additionally, *Money* magazine (2019) and *Best Value Schools* (2020) ranked Clemson among their top value universities.

There are multiple avenues for you to use this investment to your benefit including scholarships, federal aid, grants and so much more. Let Clemson guide you through the process from application to disbursement and get you on the future path you're looking for.



51%
FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS RECEIVED AN INSTITUTIONAL RECRUITING SCHOLARSHIP, FALL 2020

Clemson First-year Scholarships

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 and official high school transcripts need to be received by Clemson by December 31 for scholarship consideration. 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.

Private loans and scholarships are also available. For more information, visit clemson.edu/finaid.

Federal Aid

The first step to receiving federal aid is to fill out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) online (fafsa.gov). This must be completed to receive any federal aid (grants, loans, work study). The FAFSA priority deadline is January 2, 2022. The 2022-23 FAFSA can be completed beginning October 1, 2021.



82%
STUDENTS RECEIVE SOME TYPE OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE, INCLUDING STATE, FEDERAL AND UNIVERSITY AWARDS

Students can find more information about federal and state aid, including grants and loans, at clemson.edu/finaid.

South Carolina State Scholarships

All requirements for eligibility, renewal, scholarship funding and enhancement are under review by the South Carolina General Assembly and are subject to change. Students can qualify for only one of the state scholarships listed below.

For more information on requirements for South Carolina State Scholarships, visit go.tig.rs/statescholarships.

Palmetto Fellows Scholarship

The Palmetto Fellows Scholarship is the state's premier scholarship, valued at \$6,700 for the first year and \$7,500 for subsequent years. To receive the Palmetto Fellows Scholarship,

students must apply through their high school guidance counselor and meet specific academic requirements.

LIFE Scholarship

The LIFE Scholarship is valued at \$5,000 per year. To receive the LIFE Scholarship, students must meet specific academic requirements. There is no application process for the LIFE Scholarship. Students will automatically be reviewed and awarded the scholarship by Clemson.

Hope Scholarship

The Hope Scholarship is valued at \$2,800 and is nonrenewable. To receive the Hope Scholarship, students must graduate with a minimum 3.0 GPA on the uniform grading scale. After the initial award year, eligibility may be established for the LIFE Scholarship.

Private loans and scholarships are also available. For more information, visit clemson.edu/finaid.

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

*Assumes 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.

Apply yourself

Clemson is a top-ranked public university that has been among the best colleges for 13 straight years, so admission is highly competitive. You have been working hard your entire life to get to this moment, and now you can put all those challenges and triumphs together in an amazing application.

One of the clearest indicators of your fit at Clemson is your academic performance in high school. We examine your GPA, class rank and the rigor of the classes you took to gauge your ability to rise to academic challenges.

Most of our applicants have competitive GPAs and present transcripts with college preparatory, honors and AP coursework based on what is offered by their high school.

Other attributes that are considered include:

- Community engagement.
- Varied experiences and talents.
- Unique stories, skills, challenges and triumphs.

Recommended High School Curriculum

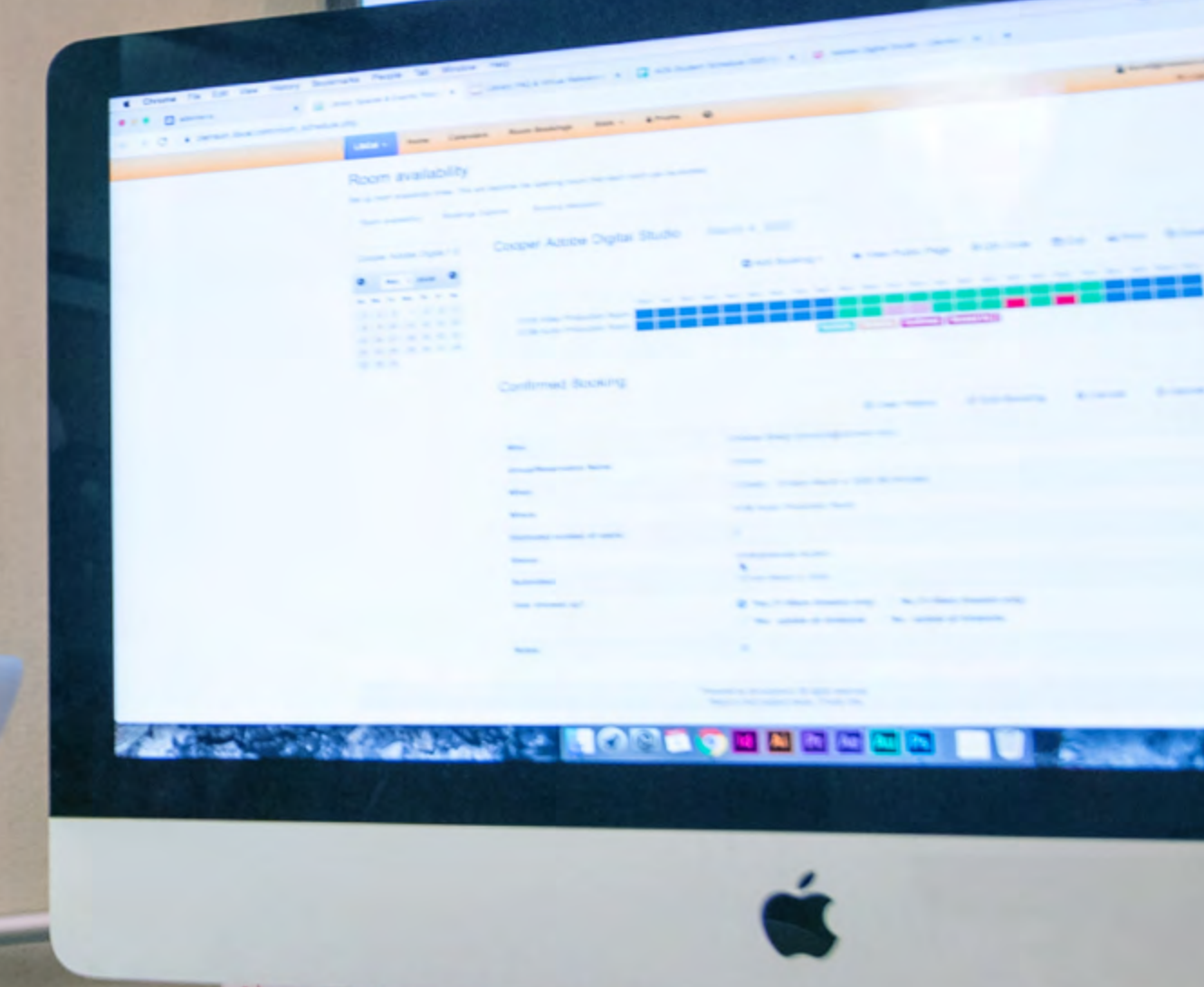
English	4 credits
Mathematics	4 credits
Laboratory Science	3 credits
Foreign Language (same language)	3 credits*
Social Sciences.....	2 credits
U.S. History	1 credit
Fine Arts.....	1 credit
Physical Education/ROTC.....	1 credit

Select majors may have additional requirements.
*Students who have completed fewer than three credits of the same foreign language are still encouraged to apply.

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: clermson.edu/admissions/documents/ap-chart.pdf
- IB: clermson.edu/admissions/documents/ib-chart.pdf



FIRST-YEAR STUDENT APPLICATION TIMELINE

Fall

Recommended time frame to submit at least one set of scores for the SAT or ACT. 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 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 released 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.

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Chat with admissions.

Admissions staff is available through Zoom from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.
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Connect with a faculty member.

Contact your department of interest directly at clemson.edu/degrees.

Apply to Clemson.


Find more information at clemson.edu/admissions/applying-to-clemson/freshman-students.html.

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