The College Visit Minute

A written account of college recruiting visits to Cambridge High School Campus for those that can't attend by The CHS Center

School: Pace University

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Admissions Rep. Name: Kaleigh Osborne Email: kosborne@pace.edu Telephone: 212-346-1494 Is the Rep a school Alum? No

Is the Rep involved in the admissions process? Yes

Last year's Freshman Profile: GPA - 3.3 SAT - 1150 Reading and Math ACT - 23 (Average)

GPA -How is it calculated? Core vs. Cumulative? Weighted vs. unweighted?

ACT/SAT - Written Portion? Super score? SAT is super-scored, not ACT

Rigor - What are the average AP requirements? No AP requirement but 4 or 5's count as a college credit. MOWR classes with a grade of C or above also counts as a college credit. Extra-Curricular Activities –What does the school look for?

Most popular majors at this school: Accounting, Nursing, Communications Studies, Biological Sciences, Business Management, and Arts and Entertainment Management

For out-of-state schools, are there any majors that would qualify for the Academic Common Market? N/A

Does chosen major affect decision process? Performing Arts does require and audition. The major does not affect decision but affects which campus the student will be attending. Nursing program is on Pleasantville campus. Performing Arts and Forensic Science are in NYC. Study Abroad Programs? Summer Programs, Semester-Long Programs, Foreign Language Programs? Yes

Internships / Co-Op Opportunities? Largest internships program in NYC area. Experiential learning by the end of freshman year.

Research Opportunities? Yes, as early as freshman year

Special successes the school is known for: Started as an Accounting school. NYC campus is located in the financial district.

Scholarships: Are there any specific to our area or for Georgia students? No

When are scholarship deadlines? Merit Scholarships are incorporated with the application process. No other applications are needed.

 What is the Total cost of Attendance?
 Out of State

 Tuition & Fees
 around \$39K

 Room & Board
 varies by campus

 Total per Year (Two Semesters)
 for NYC Campus \$62K

Upcoming On-Campus visit dates not to be missed? Visits can be scheduled anytime. Campus Visit Day Oct. 27th

Is there a "Scholar Day" for Honors bound students?

Applications

When are application deadlines? Different decisions: Early Action, Binding, Early Decision, Regular Decision, Rolling? Early Action 1 ~ November 1st, Early Decision 1 ~ November 1st (binding) Early Action 2 ~ December 1st Feb 15th Rolling admission deadline Is an essay required for all decision options? Just the common app essay

Are letters of Recommendation required or suggested? Yes. 2 letters are required.

Is an in-person interview required or suggested? No.

Does the school use the Common App? Yes

How much is the application fee? \$50

Campus Life

NCAA Criteria, (Division I, II, etc.)? Division II

Are sporting events free? Is there a ticket lottery? Free shuttles between New York City and Pleasantville campus for football games.

Do freshmen live on campus? Are cars allowed? Freshmen are not allowed cars on campus.

What are the dorms like: hall-style, suite-style, or apartment-style? Living & Learning Dorms? Pleasantville campus has traditional dorms and site-style dorms, also townhomes NYC campus has "private-style" dorms with 2-3 students in a room w/ bath and common kitchens on every other floor.

Campus Life (requirements, restaurants/cafeterias, clubs/activities, etc.) Clubs sports and intramural sports. 60+ clubs including political, LGBTQ, Glee club.

What is the undergraduate enrollment? 8,000

Total enrollment? 13,000

Percentage of male: female – 41:59 Percentage of in-state: out-of-state students – over 42 states represented high percentage from California and Florida as well as NY.

Percentage of students participating in Greek Life – Small percentage. No housing for Greek system, mostly community/philanthropy based.

Where is the school located? New York City and Pleasantville, NY. Campuses are considered as one. How far is it from Milton? 14 hour drive

Other:

- Best of both worlds with big city in NYC but also the small school, quintessential experience on the Pleasantville campus. Pleasantville campus is 200 acres.
- 18 Students/class 14:1 student to faculty ratio
- Merit scholarships offered \$10K-\$28K for all four years
- 5 schools ~ College of Health Professions, College of Arts and Sciences, School of Business, School of Computer Science and Information Systems, School of Education