

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 College Center*

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Is the Rep a school Alum? Yes (2013)

Is the Rep involved in the admissions process? Yes

Last year's Freshman Profile: GPA - 3.66

SAT - Subscores: reading: 26, math: 480

ACT - 24

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

ACT/SAT – Written Portion? Super score? Yes, super score the sub-categories but not the composite.

Rigor - What are the average AP requirements? Admissions looks at unweighted GPA and test scores; do not look at AP.

Extra-Curricular Activities –What does the school look for? For the Leadership Scholarship, GPA, test scores and extracurricular activities that involve helping the community and demonstrating leadership skills are assessed.

Most popular majors at this school: Nursing, Criminal Justice, Business & Education

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? No

Study Abroad Programs? Summer Programs, Semester-Long Programs, Foreign Language Programs? Various study abroad programs via their Center for Global Engagement.

Internships / Co-Op Opportunities? Yes, including on campus opportunities.

Research Opportunities?

Special successes the school is known for: • 98% pass rate (first time) on the GACE test. The GACE test is “The Georgia Assessments for the Certification of Educators®” • 91% pass rate on the HESI exam required to become a certified nurse. • Ranked 25th among public universities in the South in the 2015 edition of Best Colleges by U.S. News & World Report • Top notch ROTC program. Considered safest campus in Georgia.

Scholarships: Are there any specific to our area or for Georgia students? • Academic Scholarships are automatically awarded to new students who have the highest freshman indices of all applicants accepted for admission prior to March 1 for each summer and fall semester. • Leadership Scholarships are awarded to new students based on a combination of prior academic performance, participation in extracurricular activities, and leadership positions/awards. Each category is considered equally important. To be considered, new students are required to fill out an Admissions Scholarship Application Form. • Funding is also allocated to specific colleges and departments within the university

When are scholarship deadlines? You must complete your application for admission prior to applying for a Leadership Scholarship. The deadline to apply is: March 1 for fall admission.

What is the Total cost of Attendance? Tuition & fees vary by campus and degree sought. Dahlonge Campus tuition is \$178/per credit hour. Assuming 30 credits/year, tuition = \$5,340. Other fees apply. Visit school website for additional information: <http://ung.edu/business-office/tuition-and-fees/index.php>

Upcoming On-Campus visit dates not to be missed? Open House (Dahlonge Campus): Nov. 5, 2016

Is there a “Scholar Day” for Honors bound students? No, but an Honors Program is available.

Applications

When are application deadlines? Different decisions: Early Action, Binding, Early Decision, Regular Decision, Rolling?

Associate degree - fall semester (begins in August): • Preferred deadline: May 1st • Final deadline: July 1st

Bachelor's degree- fall semester • Early action (begins in August): November 15 • Regular admission (begins in August): February 15. Rolling Admission to February 15th.

Completed application for admission and all supporting documents must be received prior to the deadline. Should the school meet capacity BEFORE the deadline, they will immediately stop accepting students. Completing your application earlier is better.

Is an essay required for all decision options? No Is an in-person interview required or suggested?

Are letters of recommendation required or suggested?

What does the school look for in each "round" of decisions? Freshman Index = $GPAX500 + (ACTx42) + 88$

• Bachelor's Degree: Admission to a bachelor's degree program is selective, and meeting minimum scores does not necessarily guarantee acceptance.

- SAT 480 Critical Reading, SAT 440 Math
- ACT 20 English, ACT 18 Math

Some bachelor's degree programs have additional requirements that you must complete before you can enroll in that major. Examples include Teacher Education, Athletic Training, Exercise Science, and Nursing. Please contact the academic department of your desired major to determine whether there are additional requirements. Admission to UNG doesn't guarantee you admission to a specific major.

Does the school use the Common App?

How many applicants are received per year? 6,000 at the Dahlonega Campus with a 48% acceptance rate.

How much is the application fee? \$30

Are there quotas for applicant acceptance?

Campus Life

NCAA Criteria, (Division I, II, etc.)? Division II Are sporting events free? Is there a ticket lottery?

Do freshmen live on campus? Yes Are cars allowed? Freshmen are allowed to have a car on campus (no additional charge). School also offers a free shuttle service.

What are the dorms like: hall-style, suite-style, or apartment-style? Living & Learning Dorms? Various accommodations ranging from traditional dorms, suite style and apartment style. If living in apartment style, no need to purchase meal plan.

Campus Life (requirements, restaurants/cafeterias, clubs/activities, etc.) Over 200 different clubs

What is the undergraduate enrollment? 7,000 on Dahlonega Campus Total enrollment? 17,500 all campuses

Percentage of male: female – 44% female: 56% male Percentage of in-state: out-of-state students – 5%

Percentage of students participating in Greek Life – Only available on Dahlonega campus. About 70% of female students and about 40% of male students participate in Greek life. 9 fraternities and 6 sororities, including PanHellenic. Freshman can "rush" second semester – not first semester.

Where is the school located? There are 4 campuses. Dahlonega and Gainesville campuses are the largest with the most offerings. Only Dahlonega has on-campus housing.

How far is it from Milton? 40 miles to Dahlonega Campus. 37 miles to Gainesville Campus. 63 miles to Oconee Campus.

Other:

- Strong nursing program: Roughly 1,000 apply and 200 are accepted.
- Average class size is 21 students.
- Website: <http://ung.edu/>