

C. FIRST-TIME, FIRST-YEAR ADMISSION

C1. Applications: First-time, First-year Students

Provide the number of degree-seeking, first-time, first-year students who applied, were admitted, and enrolled (full- or part-time) in Fall 2023.

- Include early decision, early action, and students who began studies during summer in this cohort.
- Applicants should include only those students who fulfilled the requirements for consideration for admission (i.e., who completed actionable applications) and who have been notified of one of the following actions: admission, non-admission, placement on waiting list, or application withdrawn (by applicant or institution).
- Admitted applicants should include wait-listed students who were subsequently offered admission.
- Since the total may include students who did not provide gender data, the detail need not sum to the total.
- If your institution collects and reports non-binary gender data, please use the "Another Gender" category.
- Note that recent high school graduates and other students without prior postsecondary experience will still be considered "first-time students" for fall enrollment reporting purposes even if they enrolled in the summer prior to fall enrollment.

	Men	Women	Another Gender
Total first-time, first-year students who applied in Fall 2023	2,263	3,552	519
Total first-time, first-year students admitted in Fall 2023	1,589	2,713	419
Total first-time, first-year students enrolled in Fall 2023	195	289	69

Full-time , first-time, first-year students enrolled in Fall 2023	195	289	69
Part-time , first-time, first-year students enrolled in Fall 2023	0	0	0

	In-State	Out-of-State	International	Total
Total first-time, first-year (degree seeking) who applied	629	5,130	575	6,334.0
Total first-time, first-year (degree seeking) who were admitted	459	4,066	196	4,721.0
Total first-time, first-year (degree seeking) enrolled	75	440	38	553.0

C2. Applications: First-time, First-year Wait-Listed Students

Students who met admission requirements but whose final admission was contingent on space availability.

Do you have a policy of placing students on a waiting list?
Select from the dropdown menu.

If yes, please answer the questions below for Fall 2023 admissions:

Number of qualified applicants offered a place on waiting list:	471
Number accepting a place on the waiting list:	143
Number of wait-listed students admitted:	26

Is your waiting list ranked?
If yes, do you release that information to students?
If yes, do you release that information to school counselors?

C3. Admission Requirements: High School Completion Requirement

Does your institution require high school completion for degree-seeking entering students? *Select from dropdown.*

C4. Admission Requirements: General College-Preparatory Program

Does your institution require OR recommend a general college-preparatory program for degree-seeking students? *Select from dropdown.*

C5. Admission Requirements: High School Units Required/Recommended

Specify the distribution of academic high school course unites required and/or recommend of all or most degree-seeking students using Carnegie units (one unit equals one year of study or its equivalent). If you use a different system, please convert to Carnegie.

	Units Required	Units Recommended
Total Academic Units		
English		4.0
Mathematics		4.0
Science		3.0
of Science Units, how many units must be lab		2.0
Foreign language		2.0
Social Studies		3.0
History		
Computer Science		
Visual/Performing Arts		1.0
Academic Electives		

Other Elective Units required (please specify):

Other Elective Units recommended (please specify):

C6. Basis for Selection: Open Admission Policy

Does your institution have an open admission policy, under which virtually all secondary school graduates or students with GED equivalency diplomas are admitted without regard to academic record, test scores, or other qualifications? *Select the most applicable response from the dropdown options.*

If "Other" is selected, please include detail in the textbox below:

C7. Basis for Selection: Relative Importance of Factors in Admission Decisions

Please indicate the relative importance of each of the following academic and non-academic factors in your first-time, first-year degree-seeking general admission decisions (not including programs with specific criteria): *select from the dropdown menus.*

ACADEMIC

Rigor of secondary school record

Class rank

Academic Grade Point Average (GPA)

Recommendations

Standardized test scores

Application essay

Very Important
Considered
Very Important
Important
Not Considered
Important

NONACADEMIC

Interview

Extracurricular activities

Talent/ability

Character/personal qualities

First generation

Alumni/ae relation

Geographical residence

State residency

Considered
Important
Important
Important
Considered
Not Considered
Considered
Not Considered

Religious affiliation/commitment
 Volunteer work
 Work experience
 Level of applicant's interest

Not Considered
Important
Important
Considered

Please provide additional information if the importance of any specific academic or nonacademic factors differ by academic program:

C8. SAT and ACT Policies

Does your institution make use of SAT or ACT scores in admissions decisions for first-time, first-year, degree-seeking applicants?

No

If yes, please select the appropriate response from the dropdown menus for each possible option below for admission for Fall 2025.

SAT and/or ACT

Not considered for admission, even if submitted

ACT Only

SAT Only

Does your institution use applicants' test scores for academic advising?

No

What is the latest date by which SAT or ACT scores must be received for fall-term admission?

1/15/2024

Please use the following format: MM/DD/YYYY

If necessary, please use this space to clarify your test policies (e.g., if tests are recommended for some students, or if tests are not required of some students due to differences by academic program, student academic background, or if other examinations may be considered in lieu of the SAT and ACT.)

Please indicate which tests your institution uses for placement (e.g. state tests):

- SAT CLEP
 ACT Institutional Exam
 AP State Exam

If you selected State Exam, please specify:

C9. First-time, first-year profile: National standardized test scores (SAT/ACT)

Provide information for all enrolled, degree-seeking, full-time and part-time, first-time, first-year students enrolled in Fall 2023, including students who began studies during summer, international students/nonresidents, and students admitted under special arrangements. Report the percent and number of first-time, first-year students enrolled in Fall 2023 who submitted national standardized (SAT/ACT) test scores.

1. Include information for ALL enrolled, degree-seeking, first-time, first-year students who submitted test scores.
2. Do not include partial test scores (e.g., mathematics scores but not critical reading for a category of students) or combine other
3. Do not convert SAT scores to ACT scores and vice versa.
4. If a student submitted multiple sets of scores for a single test, report this information according to how you use the data.
For example: If you consider the highest scores from either submission, use the highest combination of scores (e.g., verbal from one submission, math from the other). If you average the scores, use the average to report the scores.

	Percent	Number
Submitting SAT Scores	10%	55
Submitting ACT Scores	4%	21

For each assessment listed below, report the score that represents the 25th percentile (the score that 25 percent of the first-time, first-year population scored at or below) and the 75th percentile score (the score that 25 percent scored at or above).

Assessment	25th Percentile Score	50th Percentile Score	75th Percentile Score
SAT Composite (400 - 1600)	1230	1310	1390
SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (200 - 800)	620	680	720
SAT Math (200 - 800)	590	630	670
ACT Composite (0 - 36)	28	29	31
ACT Math (0 - 36)	25	27	28
ACT English (0 - 36)	31	32	35
ACT Reading (0 - 36)	30	34	35
ACT Science (0 - 36)	25	26	29
ACT Writing (0 - 36)			

Percent of first-time, first-year students with scores in each range:

Sum of each column should equal 100%.

Score Range	SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing	SAT Math
700-800	44%	22%
600-699	44%	49%
500-599	9%	22%
400-499	3%	7%
300-399	0%	0%
200-299	0%	0%
<i>Total</i>	100%	100%

Score Range	SAT Composite
1400-1600	18%
1200-1399	60%
1000-1199	18%
800-999	4%
600-799	0%
400-599	0%
<i>Total</i>	100%

Score Range	ACT Composite
30 - 36	42%
24 - 29	48%
18 - 23	10%
12 - 17	0%
6 - 11	0%
Below 6	0%
<i>Total</i>	100%

Score Range	ACT English	ACT Math	ACT Reading	ACT Science
30 - 36	76%	10%	76%	24%
24 - 29	14%	66%	14%	57%
18 - 23	10%	24%	10%	19%
12 - 17	0%	0%	0%	0%
6 - 11	0%	0%	0%	0%
Below 6	0%	0%	0%	0%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

C10. Class Rank Ranges

Percent of all degree-seeking, first-time, first-year students who had high school class rank within each of the following ranges (report information for those students from whom you collected high school rank information).

Class Rank Range	Percent
Percent in top tenth of high school graduating class	
Percent in top quarter of high school graduating class	
Percent in middle half of high school graduating class	
Percent in bottom quarter of high school graduating class	
Percent of total first-time, first-year students who submitted high school class rank	

Due to the small number of students whose high schools supply this information, Lewis & Clark College no longer reports on HS class rank

C11. High School Grade Point Ranges

Percentage of all enrolled, degree-seeking, first-time, first-year students who had high school grade-point averages within each of the following ranges (using 4.0 scale).

1. Report information only for those students from whom you collected high school GPA.
2. If you are able to report GPA ranges separately for students that also submitted at least one test score versus those who did not submit a test score, please do so in the respective columns. If you are unable to report these data, please report the ranges for all students.

Score Range	Percent of students who submitted scores	Percent of students who did not submit scores	Percent of all enrolled students
Percent who had GPA of 4.0	We have so few students that submit test scores that we have elected to not separate the groups.		13.1%
Percent who had GPA between 3.75 and 3.99			39.3%
Percent who had GPA between 3.50 and 3.74			23.7%
Percent who had GPA between 3.25 and 3.49			14.9%
Percent who had GPA between 3.00 and 3.24			7.0%
Percent who had GPA between 2.50 and 2.99			1.8%
Percent who had GPA between 2.0 and 2.49			0.2%
Percent who had GPA between 1.0 and 1.99			0.0%
Percent who had GPA below 1.0			0.0%
Total	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%

Percent of all enrolled students was previously collected. Reporting by submitted test score is new. If available, please report all three segments of students.

C12. Average High School GPA

Average high school GPA of all degree-seeking, first-time, first-year students who submitted GPA: 3.69

Percent of total first-time, first-year students who submitted high school GPA: 98.0%

C13. Application Fee

Does your institution have an application fee?

No

If your institution has waived its application fee for the Fall 2025 application cycle, please select no.

If yes, what is the amount of the application fee:

If yes, can the fee be waived for applicants with financial need?

If you have an application fee, and have an online application option, please indicate the policy for students who apply online:

If you have an application fee for online applications, can the fee be waived for students with financial need?

C14. Application Closing Date

Does your institution have an application closing date?

Yes

If yes, please enter the dates below:

Please use the following format: (MM/DD)

Application Closing Date (Fall)

1/15

Priority Date

1/15

C15. First-time, first-year student acceptance other than Fall

Are first-time, first-year students accepted for terms other than the Fall?

Yes

C16. Admissions Notification to Applicants

Are notifications to applicants of admission decision sent on a rolling basis?

What date do rolling notifications begin? (MM/DD)

If notifications of admission decision are sent by specific date, please enter date: (MM/DD)

4/1

C17. Reply Policy for Applicants

What is your institution's reply policy for admitted applicants? (select from dropdown menu and related follow-up textbox)

Must reply by May 1st (or within set number of weeks if notified thereafter)

If you selected reply by May 1st or within a set number of weeks, please enter number of weeks:

2

If you selected specific date, please enter the date here: (MM/DD)

Please provide admitted applicant policy, if none of the above policies apply to your institution:

Deadline for housing deposits: (MM/DD)

5/1

Amount of housing deposit:

\$500.00

Are housing deposits refundable if student does not enroll?

No

C18. Deferred Admission

Does your institution allow students to postpone enrollment after admission?

Yes

If yes, what is the maximum period of postponement?

1 year

C19. Early Admissions

Does your institution allow high school students to enroll as full-time, first-time, first-year students one year or more before high school graduation?

No

C20. Common Application (Questions Removed from CDS.)

C21. Early Decision

Does your institution offer an early decision plan (an admission plan that permits students to apply and be notified of an admission decision well in advance of the regular notification date and that asks students to commit to attending if accepted) for first-time, first-year applicants for fall enrollment?

Yes

If yes, please complete the following applicable dates:

First or only early decision plan closing date: 11/1

First or only early decision plan notification date: 12/5

Other early decision plan closing date:

Other early decision plan notification date:

For the Fall 2023 entering class:

Number of early decision applications received by your institution: 64

Number of applicants admitted under early decision plan: 55

Please provide significant details about your early decision plan:

C22. Early Action

Do you have a nonbinding early action plan whereby students are notified of an admission decision well in advance of the regular notification date but do not have to commit to attending your college?

Yes

If yes, please complete the following: (MM/DD)

Early action closing date: 11/1

Early action notification date: 12/31

Is your early action plan a "restrictive" plan under which you limit students from applying to other early plans?

No

For the Fall 2023 entering class:

Number of early action applications received by your institution: 2,943

Number of applicants admitted under early action plan: 2,467

Number of applicants enrolled under early action plan: 255

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