COUNSELOR BREAKFAST
2018
8,708 New Students
5,869 Freshmen
417 Gamecock Gateway
1,543 Transfers
344 System Transfers
535 Non-Degree
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<th>Cohort</th>
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<td>All Freshmen</td>
<td>30,886</td>
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<td>Honors College</td>
<td>4,550</td>
<td>567</td>
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<td>Capstone Scholars</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>1,368</td>
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NEW STUDENT FACTS

5,104 South Carolinians
59% In-State Students
22% Underrepresented
1,672 First Generation
$4.7M in Pell Grants
163 Gamecock Guarantee
2,164 Life Scholars
692 Palmetto Fellows
STUDENT SUPPORT

17:1 Student-Faculty Ratio

83% of classes have 50 or fewer students

1 of 32 public universities to receive the Carnegie Foundation’s “Highest Research Activity” and “Community Engagement” classifications.
STUDENT HEALTH CENTER
TOP FRESHMAN MAJORS

- BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES
- PRE-NURSING
- BUSINESS UNDECLARED
- UNDECLARED
- PRE-INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS
- SPORT & ENTERTAINMENT MANAGEMENT
- EXERCISE SCIENCE
- MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
- PSYCHOLOGY
- FINANCE
AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

- Structural Health Monitoring
- Novel Materials Development
- Future Fuels
- Flight Mechanics
- Composite Structure Design and Manufacturing
- Energy, Power and Propulsion
- Condition-Based Maintenance
- Aerodynamics and Aerospace Systems
- Thermo-Fluids
DIRECT ADMIT OPTIONS

NURSING  •  INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS  •  PHARMACY
(Honors only)  (Honors only)

All progression requirements must be met to maintain direct admission
APPLYING TO USC

APPLICATIONS
• Students may apply from the admissions home page or the Coalition application
• Students must list two majors on the application
• Honors College application is separate
• Honors applicants must first apply for general admission

SELF-REPORTED TRANSCRIPTS
• Students may upload an unofficial transcript to the application
• Official is only necessary in initial evaluation if requested by USC

SELF-REPORTED TEST SCORES
• Students may self-report scores on application
• Official scores required by June 1

FEE WAIVERS
• College Board, ACT, NACAC, TRIO and Coalition fee waivers accepted
REQUIRED COURSES

English: 4 units
Mathematics: 4 units
Laboratory Science: 3 units
Social Studies: 3 units
Foreign Language: 2 units
Fine Arts: 1 unit
Academic Elective: 2 units
FRESHMAN DEADLINES

October 15  Early Answer Application (nonbinding)
November 15 Honors College & Top Scholars Application
December 1  Regular Application
February 1  Credentials (including self-reported scores)
      May 1  Enrollment Deposit
      June 1  Official SAT/ACT Score(s)
            Upon Graduation  Send Official Final High School Transcript
NOTIFICATION TIMELINE

Early Answer
Mid-December

Honors First Round
Mid-December

Honors Final Round
Late February

General University Scholarship
Early March

Regular Notifications
Mid-March
“BEST VALUE IN PUBLIC COLLEGES”
Kiplinger 2018

96% of all freshmen received financial aid in 2017-2018

1/3 More than one-third of the freshman class typically receives a merit scholarship.

“AMERICA’S BEST VALUE COLLEGES”
Forbes 2018
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