

## Abilene Christian University

Abilene, TX

Abilene Christian is a church-affiliated university. It was founded in 1906, became a senior college in 1919, and gained university status in 1976. Its 208-acre campus is located in Abilene, 150 miles west of Fort Worth.

Website: [www.acu.edu/](http://www.acu.edu/)



Private



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**3,670**

Undergraduate  
Students

(58.4%)  2,145 Women

(41.6%)  1,525 Men



**1,479**  
Graduate  
Students

### Admission

Entrance Difficulty	Moderately difficult
Overall Admission Rate	51% of 10,252 applicants were admitted
Early Action Offered	Yes
Early Decision Offered	No
Regular Admission Deadline	February 15

### Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

Average GPA	3.62
SAT Math	515-600 range of middle 50%
SAT EBRW	566 average 510-620 range of middle 50%
ACT Composite	24 average 21-26 range of middle 50%

### Money Matters

Cost of Attendance	\$51,957
Tuition and Fees	\$36,300
Room and Board	\$11,065
Average Percent of Need Met	71%
Average Freshman Award	\$26,051
Average Indebtedness of 2018 Graduates	Not reported


**Academics**

Academic Calendar System	Semester
General Education/Core Curriculum	<b>Required for most or all students</b>
Full-Time Faculty Teaching Undergraduates	<b>266</b>
Regular Class Size	<b>2-9 students: 13% of classes</b> <b>10-19 students: 30% of classes</b> <b>20-29 students: 32% of classes</b> <b>30-39 students: 10% of classes</b> <b>40-49 students: 7% of classes</b> <b>50-99 students: 7% of classes</b> <b>Over 100 students: 1% of classes</b>


**Campus Life**

Abilene Population	<b>118,117</b>
Nearest Metropolitan Area	
Freshman Housing Guarantee	<b>Freshmen are guaranteed housing</b>
Students in College Housing	<b>47% of all students</b>
Athletic Conferences	<b>NCAA Division I</b>
Mascot	<b>Wildcats</b>
Sororities	<b>35% of women participate</b>
Fraternities	<b>28% of men participate</b>


**Students**

Ethnicity of Students from U.S.	<b>0.3% American Indian/Alaskan Native</b> <b>1.2% Asian</b> <b>9.1% Black/African-American</b> <b>17.8% Hispanic/Latino</b> <b>5.0% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino)</b> <b>0.1% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander</b> <b>66.3% White</b> <b>0.2% Unknown</b>
International Students	<b>3.9% from 42 countries</b>
First-Year Students Returning	<b>76.5%</b>
Students Graduating Within 4 Years	<b>48.1%</b>
Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months	<b>55%</b>
Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly	<b>33.0%</b>