

Amherst College

Amherst, MA

Location and Setting

Amherst Population	34,874
Nearest Metropolitan Area	Not reported
Campus Size	1,020 acres

Weather

Temperature	21.6 average low in January, 76.3 average high in September
Rain	127 rainy days per year

Getting Around

Campus Map	https://www.amherst.edu/visiting/map
Nearest Bus Station	1 mile(s) from campus in Amherst
Nearest Train Station	1 mile(s) from campus in Amherst

Housing

College Housing	College offers housing to students
Types of Housing	Women only housing, coed housing, cooperative housing, disabled student housing
Students in College Housing	98% of all students
Housing Requirements	Freshmen are required to live on campus
Freshman Housing Guarantee	Freshmen are guaranteed housing
Students Living Off Campus/Commuting	2%
Off-Campus Housing Assistance	Assistance in locating off-campus housing is available

Security

24-Hour Emergency Phone/Alarm Devices	Available
24-Hour Security Patrols	Available
Late-Night Transport/Escort Services	Available
Electronically Operated Housing Entrances	Available
Other	

Personal Support Services

Health Service	Offered
Personal Counseling	Offered
Child Care	Not offered

Sports and Recreation
Intercollegiate Athletics

Athletic Conferences	NCAA Division III
Mascot	
School Colors	

Intercollegiate Sports Offered

Sports	Women		Men	
	Offered	Scholarships	Offered	Scholarships
Baseball			X	
Basketball	X		X	
Cross-Country Running	X		X	
Field Hockey	X			
Football			X	
Golf	X		X	
Ice Hockey	X		X	
Lacrosse	X		X	
Soccer	X		X	
Softball	X			
Squash	X		X	
Swimming And Diving	X		X	
Tennis	X		X	
Track And Field	X		X	
Volleyball	X			

Women's Club Sports	cheerleading, crew, equestrian sports, fencing, rugby, sailing, skiing (downhill), ultimate Frisbee, water polo, wrestling
Men's Club Sports	crew, equestrian sports, fencing, rugby, sailing, skiing (downhill), ultimate Frisbee, volleyball, water polo, wrestling

Recreational Sports

Intramural Sports	badminton, basketball, golf, ice hockey, rock climbing, soccer, softball, squash, tennis, track and field, volleyball
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Student Activities

Activities and Organizations	choral groups, drama theatre, radio station, student newspaper, association of amherst students, black students union, student publications (e.g., amherst student, indicator), a capella groups (e.g., zumbye's, bluestockings), amherst dance
Sororities	Not reported
Fraternities	Not reported
ROTC	Army ROTC is offered off campus, Air Force ROTC offered off campus