

Becker College

Worcester, MA

Freshman Admission Requirements

Entrance Difficulty

Moderately Difficult: More than 75% of freshmen were in the top 50% of their high school class and scored over 1010 on the SAT I or over 18 on the ACT; about 85% or fewer of all applicants accepted.

HIGH SCHOOL PREPARATION

High School Graduation	High school diploma required and GED is accepted
High School Program	College preparatory program is required

High School Units Required or Recommended

Subject	Required Units	Recommended Units
English		4
Mathematics		3
Science		3
Foreign Language		2
Social Studies		2
History		2
Academic Electives		

Examinations

Exam	Required Units	Scores Due in Admissions Office
SAT or ACT	Required	August 15
SAT Only		
ACT Only		
SAT and SAT Subject Tests, or ACT		
SAT Subject Tests Only		
SAT Essay Component Policy	Not Reported	
ACT Writing Test Policy	Not reported	
ACT Writing Test Policy	SAT: No policy as of now ACT: No policy as of now	

Applying for Admission

Admissions Office

Address	61 Sever Street
City, State, Zip	Worcester, MA 01609
Phone	(508) 373-9400
Fax	(508) 831-7505
E-mail	admissions@becker.edu

Application Dates and Fees

Regular Admisson Deadline	February 15
Application Fee	No fee required
Application Fee Waiver	Not reported
Regular Admission Notification	Rolling
Accept Offer of Admission	May 1
Waiting List Used	No
Defer Admission	Student cannot defer admission
Transfer Admission	Transfer applications accepted

Early Admission

Early Decision Offered	Yes
Early Decision Deadline	November 15
Early Decision Notification	December 15
Early Action Offered	Yes
Early Action Deadline	November 15
Early Action Notification	December 15

Application Form

Common Application	Accepted
Universal College Application	Not accepted
Electronic Application	Available

Other Application Requirements

Interview	Not Required
Essay or Personal Statement	Recommended for all freshmen
Letters of Recommendation	Recommended for all freshmen
Other	
Financial Need	Financial need is not a consideration in the admissions process

Selection of Students

Factor	Very Important	Important	Considered	Not Considered
Rigor of Secondary School Record	X			
Academic GPA	X			
Standardized Tests	X			
Class Rank		X		
Recommendations			X	
Essay			X	
Interview			X	
Level of Applicant's Interest				X
Extracurricular Activities				X
Volunteer Work				X
Particular Talent/Ability				X
Character/Personal Qualities				X
First Generation to Attend College				X
State Residency				X
Geographic Residence				X
Relation with Alumnus			X	
Religious Affiliation/Commitment				X
Ethnicity				X
Work Experience				X

Profile of Fall Admission

Overall Admission Rate	69% of 4,972 applicants were admitted
Women	71% of 2,839 applicants were admitted
Men	68% of 2,133 applicants were admitted
Students Enrolled	514 (15%) of 3,451 admitted students enrolled
Women	262 (13%) of 2,010 admitted students enrolled
Men	252 (17%) of 1,441 admitted students enrolled
Early Decision Admission Rate	75% of 20 applicants were admitted
Early Action Admission Rate	88% of 800 applicants were admitted
Students Offered Wait List	
Students Accepting Wait List Position	
Students Admitted From Wait List	

Grade Point Average of Enrolled Freshmen (4.0 scale)

Average GPA	3.08
3.75 and Above	16%
3.50 - 3.74	16%
3.25 - 3.49	16%
3.00 - 3.24	20%
2.50 - 2.99	20%
2.00 - 2.49	11%

SAT Scores of Enrolled Freshmen

SAT Math	530 average 480-580 range of middle 50%
Score of 700 - 800	2%
Score of 600 - 700	15%
Score of 500 - 600	50%
Score of 400 - 500	30%
Score of 300 - 400	3%
Score of 200 - 300	0%
SAT EBRW	542 average 490-590 range of middle 50%
Score of 700 - 800	2%
Score of 600 - 700	21%
Score of 500 - 600	50%
Score of 400 - 500	26%
Score of 300 - 400	1%
Score of 200 - 300	0%

ACT Scores of Enrolled Freshmen

ACT Composite	23 average 20-26 range of middle 50%
Score of 30 - 36	8%
Score of 24 - 29	45%
Score of 18 - 23	33%
Score of 12 - 17	13%
Score of 6 - 11	0%
Score of 5 or Below	0%

Other Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

High School Class Rank	
National Merit Scholar	Not reported
Valedictorian	Not reported
Class President	Not reported
Student Government Officer	Not reported