

## Bluffton University

Bluffton, OH

Bluffton, founded in 1899, is a church-affiliated, liberal arts college. Its 65-acre campus, with some buildings dating from 1900, is located in Bluffton, 15 miles from Lima.

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


Private



Co-ed

**748**

 Undergraduate  
Students

**(49.6%)**  371 Women

**(50.4%)**  377 Men

**76**

 Graduate  
Students

### Admission

Entrance Difficulty	<b>Moderately difficult</b>
Overall Admission Rate	<b>49% of 1,767 applicants were admitted</b>
Early Action Offered	<b>No</b>
Early Decision Offered	<b>No</b>
Regular Admission Deadline	<b>Rolling</b>

### Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

Average GPA	<b>3.30</b>
SAT Math	<b>Not reported</b>
SAT EBRW	<b>Not reported</b>
ACT Composite	<b>21 average</b> <b>18-24 range of middle 50%</b>

### Money Matters

Cost of Attendance	<b>\$47,566</b>
Tuition and Fees	<b>\$32,766</b>
Room and Board	<b>\$10,800</b>
Average Percent of Need Met	<b>74%</b>
Average Freshman Award	<b>\$26,786</b>
Average Indebtedness of 2016 Graduates	<b>\$36,796</b>


**Academics**

Academic Calendar System	<b>Semester</b>
General Education/Core Curriculum	<b>Required</b>
Full-Time Faculty Teaching Undergraduates	<b>50</b>
Regular Class Size	<b>2-9 students: 13% of classes</b> <b>10-19 students: 21% of classes</b> <b>20-29 students: 10% of classes</b> <b>30-39 students: 5% of classes</b> <b>40-49 students: 2% of classes</b> <b>Over 100 students: 50% of classes</b>


**Campus Life**

Bluffton Population	<b>4,027</b>
Nearest Metropolitan Area	<b>Dayton</b>
Freshman Housing Guarantee	<b>Freshmen are guaranteed housing</b>
Students in College Housing	<b>80% of all students</b>
Athletic Conferences	<b>NCAA Division III</b>
Mascot	<b>Beavers</b>
Sororities	
Fraternities	


**Students**

Ethnicity of Students from U.S.	<b>0.3% American Indian/Alaskan Native</b> <b>0.5% Asian</b> <b>8.8% Black/African-American</b> <b>3.9% Hispanic/Latino</b> <b>3.8% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino)</b> <b>0.0% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander</b> <b>80.4% White</b> <b>2.3% Unknown</b>
International Students	<b>1.3% from 8 countries</b>
First-Year Students Returning	<b>67.0%</b>
Students Graduating Within 4 Years	<b>45.2%</b>
Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months	<b>77%</b>
Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly	<b>25.0%</b>