

## Boston College

Chestnut Hill, MA

Boston College, founded in 1863, is a church-affiliated, liberal arts institution. Programs are offered through the Schools of Education and Nursing; the College of Arts and Sciences; and the Carroll School of Management. Its 240-acre campus is located in Chestnut Hill, overlooking the city of Boston.

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



Private



Co-ed

**9,358**

Undergraduate  
Students

**(52.9%)**  4,955 Women

**(47.1%)**  4,403 Men



**4,638**

Graduate  
Students

### Admission

Entrance Difficulty	<b>Very difficult</b>
Overall Admission Rate	<b>32% of 28,454 applicants were admitted</b>
Early Action Offered	<b>Yes</b>
Early Decision Offered	<b>No</b>
Regular Admission Deadline	<b>January 1</b>

### Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

Average GPA	<b>Not reported</b>
SAT Math	<b>660-730 range of middle 50%</b>
SAT EBRW	<b>660-760 range of middle 50%</b>
ACT Composite	<b>31-33 range of middle 50%</b>

### Money Matters

Cost of Attendance	<b>\$70,462</b>
Tuition and Fees	<b>\$55,464</b>
Room and Board	<b>\$14,478</b>
Average Percent of Need Met	<b>100%</b>
Average Freshman Award	<b>\$41,768</b>
Average Indebtedness of 2016 Graduates	<b>\$20,481</b>


**Academics**

Academic Calendar System	<b>Semester</b>
General Education/Core Curriculum	<b>Required</b>
Full-Time Faculty Teaching Undergraduates	<b>821</b>
Regular Class Size	<b>2-9 students: 11% of classes</b> <b>10-19 students: 38% of classes</b> <b>20-29 students: 20% of classes</b> <b>30-39 students: 18% of classes</b> <b>40-49 students: 7% of classes</b> <b>50-99 students: 4% of classes</b> <b>Over 100 students: 2% of classes</b>


**Campus Life**

Chestnut Hill Population	<b>19,440</b>
Nearest Metropolitan Area	<b>Boston</b>
Freshman Housing Guarantee	<b>Freshmen are guaranteed housing</b>
Students in College Housing	<b>84% of all students</b>
Athletic Conferences	<b>NCAA Division I</b>
Mascot	<b>Eagle</b>
Sororities	
Fraternities	


**Students**

Ethnicity of Students from U.S.	<b>0.0% American Indian/Alaskan Native</b> <b>10.5% Asian</b> <b>4.1% Black/African-American</b> <b>11.3% Hispanic/Latino</b> <b>3.5% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino)</b> <b>0.0% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander</b> <b>66.4% White</b> <b>4.1% Unknown</b>
International Students	<b>6.8% from 65 countries</b>
First-Year Students Returning	<b>95.0%</b>
Students Graduating Within 4 Years	<b>Not reported</b>
Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months	<b>70%</b>
Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly	<b>17.8%</b>