

Boston University

Boston, MA

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Private



Co-ed

18,080

Undergraduate
Students

(60.1%)  10,863 Women

(39.9%)  7,217 Men



15,275

Graduate
Students

Admission

Entrance Difficulty	Very difficult
Overall Admission Rate	25% of 60,825 applicants were admitted
Early Action Offered	No
Early Decision Offered	Yes
Regular Admission Deadline	January 2

Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

Average GPA	3.66
SAT Math	700 average 660-760 range of middle 50%
SAT EBRW	680 average 640-720 range of middle 50%
ACT Composite	31 average 29-32 range of middle 50%

Money Matters

Cost of Attendance	\$72,618
Tuition and Fees	\$53,948
Room and Board	\$15,720
Average Percent of Need Met	92%
Average Freshman Award	\$47,702
Average Indebtedness of 2016 Graduates	\$40,089


Academics

Academic Calendar System	Semester
General Education/Core Curriculum	Required
Full-Time Faculty Teaching Undergraduates	1,839
Regular Class Size	2-9 students: 15% of classes 10-19 students: 43% of classes 20-29 students: 12% of classes 30-39 students: 8% of classes 40-49 students: 7% of classes 50-99 students: 10% of classes Over 100 students: 4% of classes


Campus Life

Boston Population	625,087
Nearest Metropolitan Area	Boston
Freshman Housing Guarantee	Freshmen are guaranteed housing
Students in College Housing	75% of all students
Athletic Conferences	NCAA Division I
Mascot	Terrier
Sororities	15% of women participate
Fraternities	5% of men participate


Students

Ethnicity of Students from U.S.	0.1% American Indian/Alaskan Native 18.0% Asian 5.1% Black/African-American 14.0% Hispanic/Latino 4.6% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino) 0.1% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander 49.8% White 8.3% Unknown
International Students	21.3% from 118 countries
First-Year Students Returning	93.0%
Students Graduating Within 4 Years	81.5%
Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months	65%
Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly	14.0%