

Bucknell University

Lewisburg, PA

Bucknell University, founded in 1846, is a private university. It combines the highly personal experience of a national liberal arts college with the wide choices offered by a comprehensive university. Liberal arts are combined with preprofessional programs in engineering, education, business and music. Students are exposed to the kind of team-based learning experiences that are of increasing importance in the world of work and are encouraged to pursue independent research and study under the close supervision of the faculty. Within a beautiful campus setting in a scenic region of central Pennsylvania, students are also encouraged to pursue global connections through programming (such as the International Focus Semester), technology (e.g., satellite reception of foreign language broadcasts) and an extensive program of study abroad. The university fosters leadership through the development of the students' abilities to think broadly, cross global and ethnic boundaries and provide ethical solutions to the world's problems. Its 393-acre campus is located in Lewisburg, 55 miles from Harrisburg. Buildings on campus and in town retain 19th century architectural styles.

Website: www.bucknell.edu/



Private



Co-ed

3,611

Undergraduate
Students

(50.6%)  1,827 Women

(49.4%)  1,784 Men



67

Graduate
Students

Admission

Entrance Difficulty	Most difficult
Overall Admission Rate	31% of 10,253 applicants were admitted
Early Action Offered	No
Early Decision Offered	Yes
Regular Admission Deadline	January 15

Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

Average GPA	3.55
SAT Math	675 average 630-720 range of middle 50%
SAT EBRW	657 average 620-700 range of middle 50%
ACT Composite	30 average 28-31 range of middle 50%

Money Matters

Cost of Attendance	\$73,150
Tuition and Fees	\$56,092
Room and Board	\$13,662
Average Percent of Need Met	91%
Average Freshman Award	\$37,500
Average Indebtedness of 2016 Graduates	\$33,000


Academics

Academic Calendar System	Semester
General Education/Core Curriculum	Not required
Full-Time Faculty Teaching Undergraduates	384
Regular Class Size	2-9 students: 18% of classes 10-19 students: 39% of classes 20-29 students: 29% of classes 30-39 students: 12% of classes 40-49 students: 1% of classes 50-99 students: 1% of classes Over 100 students: 1% of classes


Campus Life

Lewisburg Population	5,763
Nearest Metropolitan Area	&nbsp;
Freshman Housing Guarantee	Freshmen are guaranteed housing
Students in College Housing	91% of all students
Athletic Conferences	NCAA Division I
Mascot	Bison
Sororities	66% of women participate
Fraternities	44% of men participate


Students

Ethnicity of Students from U.S.	0.0% American Indian/Alaskan Native 5.4% Asian 3.8% Black/African-American 7.4% Hispanic/Latino 4.3% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino) 0.0% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander 78.9% White 0.2% Unknown
International Students	6.3% from 45 countries
First-Year Students Returning	94.0%
Students Graduating Within 4 Years	86.2%
Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months	74%
Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly	20.0%