

Drake University

Des Moines, IA

Drake, founded in 1881, is a private university. Programs are offered through the Colleges of Arts and Sciences, Business and Public Administration, Education, and Pharmacy and Health Sciences and the Schools of Fine Arts, and Journalism and Mass Communication. Its 120-acre campus is located in Des Moines.

Website: www.drake.edu/



Private



Co-ed

3,098

Undergraduate
Students

(57.3%)  1,774 Women

(42.7%)  1,324 Men



1,806

Graduate
Students

Admission

Entrance Difficulty	Moderately difficult
Overall Admission Rate	69% of 5,574 applicants were admitted
Early Action Offered	No
Early Decision Offered	No
Regular Admission Deadline	Rolling

Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

Average GPA	3.67
SAT Math	560-690 range of middle 50%
SAT EBRW	540-660 range of middle 50%
ACT Composite	24-30 range of middle 50%

Money Matters

Cost of Attendance	\$56,724
Tuition and Fees	\$41,396
Room and Board	\$10,528
Average Percent of Need Met	76%
Average Freshman Award	\$29,236
Average Indebtedness of 2016 Graduates	\$34,600


Academics

Academic Calendar System	Semester
General Education/Core Curriculum	Required
Full-Time Faculty Teaching Undergraduates	310
Regular Class Size	2-9 students: 19% of classes 10-19 students: 35% of classes 20-29 students: 19% of classes 30-39 students: 15% of classes 40-49 students: 7% of classes 50-99 students: 3% of classes Over 100 students: 2% of classes


Campus Life

Des Moines Population	207,510
Nearest Metropolitan Area	&nbsp;
Freshman Housing Guarantee	Freshmen are guaranteed housing
Students in College Housing	70% of all students
Athletic Conferences	NCAA Division I
Mascot	Bulldog
Sororities	
Fraternities	


Students

Ethnicity of Students from U.S.	0.1% American Indian/Alaskan Native 3.6% Asian 5.1% Black/African-American 5.3% Hispanic/Latino 3.0% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino) 82.1% White 0.8% Unknown
International Students	5.6% from 37 countries
First-Year Students Returning	86.7%
Students Graduating Within 4 Years	72.9%
Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months	Not reported
Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly	Not reported