

**Point Loma Nazarene University**

San Diego, CA

**Freshman Admission Requirements**
**Entrance Difficulty**

Moderately Difficult: More than 75% of freshmen were in the top 50% of their high school class and scored over 1010 on the SAT I or over 18 on the ACT; about 85% or fewer of all applicants accepted.

**HIGH SCHOOL PREPARATION**

High School Graduation	High school diploma required and GED is accepted
High School Program	College preparatory program is required

**High School Units Required or Recommended**

Subject	Required Units	Recommended Units
English		4
Mathematics		3
Science		3
Foreign Language		2
Social Studies		2
History		1
Academic Electives		

**Examinations**

Exam	Required Units	Scores Due in Admissions Office
SAT or ACT	Required	March 1
SAT Only	Recommended	March 1
ACT Only	Recommended	March 1
SAT and SAT Subject Tests, or ACT	Not used if submitted	March 1
SAT Subject Tests Only	Not used if submitted	
SAT Essay Component Policy	Not Reported	
ACT Writing Test Policy	Accepted with or without writing component	
Use of SAT/ACT Essay	SAT: Used for placement ACT: Used for placement	

**Applying for Admission**
**Admissions Office**

Address	3900 Lomaland Drive
City, State, Zip	San Diego, CA 92106-2899
Phone	(800) 733-7770
Fax	(619) 849-2579
E-mail	<a href="mailto:admissions@pointloma.edu">admissions@pointloma.edu</a>

**Application Dates and Fees**

Regular Admisson Deadline	February 15
Application Fee	\$55
Application Fee Waiver	Available
Regular Admission Notification	April 1
Accept Offer of Admission	By May 1 or within 2 weeks if notified after May 1
Waiting List Used	Yes
Defer Admission	Student cannot defer admission

**Transfer Admission**                      **Transfer applications accepted**

**Early Admission**

Early Decision Offered	No
Early Decision Deadline	
Early Decision Notification	
Early Action Offered	Yes
Early Action Deadline	November 15
Early Action Notification	Not reported

**Application Form**

Common Application	Accepted
Universal College Application	Not accepted
Electronic Application	Available

**Other Application Requirements**

Interview	Not Required
Essay or Personal Statement	Required for all freshmen
Letters of Recommendation	2 required for all freshmen
Other	
Financial Need	Financial need is not a consideration in the admissions process

**Selection of Students**

Factor	Very Important	Important	Considered	Not Considered
Rigor of Secondary School Record	X			
Academic GPA	X			
Standardized Tests	X			
Class Rank				X
Recommendations		X		
Essay		X		
Interview		X		
Level of Applicant's Interest			X	
Extracurricular Activities			X	
Volunteer Work				X
Particular Talent/Ability			X	
Character/Personal Qualities	X			
First Generation to Attend College			X	
State Residency			X	
Geographic Residence			X	
Relation with Alumnus			X	
Religious Affiliation/Commitment	X			
Ethnicity				X
Work Experience				X

**Profile of Fall Admission**

Overall Admission Rate	74% of 3,277 applicants were admitted
Women	68% of 2,268 applicants were admitted
Men	86% of 1,009 applicants were admitted
Students Enrolled	737 (31%) of 2,414 admitted students enrolled
Women	469 (30%) of 1,551 admitted students enrolled
Men	268 (31%) of 863 admitted students enrolled
Early Decision Admission Rate	
Early Action Admission Rate	Not reported
Students Offered Wait List	
Students Accepting Wait List Position	
Students Admitted From Wait List	

**Grade Point Average of Enrolled Freshmen (4.0 scale)**

Average GPA	<b>3.66</b>
3.75 and Above	<b>62%</b>
3.50 - 3.74	<b>18%</b>
3.25 - 3.49	<b>11%</b>
3.00 - 3.24	<b>6%</b>
2.50 - 2.99	<b>3%</b>
2.00 - 2.49	

**SAT Scores of Enrolled Freshmen**

<b>SAT Math</b>	<b>606 average</b> <b>560-660 range of middle 50%</b>
Score of 700 - 800	<b>10.6%</b>
Score of 600 - 700	<b>42.3%</b>
Score of 500 - 600	<b>42.3%</b>
Score of 400 - 500	<b>4.6%</b>
Score of 300 - 400	<b>.2%</b>
Score of 200 - 300	<b>0%</b>
<b>SAT EBRW</b>	<b>617 average</b> <b>580-650 range of middle 50%</b>
Score of 700 - 800	<b>9%</b>
Score of 600 - 700	<b>55.9%</b>
Score of 500 - 600	<b>32.8%</b>
Score of 400 - 500	<b>2.2%</b>
Score of 300 - 400	<b>0%</b>
Score of 200 - 300	<b>0%</b>

**ACT Scores of Enrolled Freshmen**

<b>ACT Composite</b>	<b>26 average</b> <b>24-29 range of middle 50%</b>
Score of 30 - 36	<b>20.6%</b>
Score of 24 - 29	<b>58.4%</b>
Score of 18 - 23	<b>20.6%</b>
Score of 12 - 17	<b>.3%</b>
Score of 6 - 11	<b>0%</b>
Score of 5 or Below	<b>0%</b>

**Other Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen**

High School Class Rank	<b>Top tenth: 40%</b> <b>Top quarter: 78%</b> <b>Top half: 96%</b>
National Merit Scholar	<b>Not reported</b>
Valedictorian	<b>Not reported</b>
Class President	<b>Not reported</b>
Student Government Officer	<b>Not reported</b>