Providence College
Providence, RI

Providence College is a church-affiliated, liberal arts college. Founded in 1917, it adopted coeducation in 1971. Intellectual zeal, high standards, shared values, a sense of community and a willingness to help others are the qualities that shape the character of the college. Providence is the only college in the United States under the stewardship of the Dominican Friars, a Roman Catholic order whose intellectual heritage dates back to the 13th century. Some of the college's special attractions are the Liberal Arts Honors Program and an acclaimed two-year Development of Western Civilization Program, opportunities to pursue research and independent study with faculty scholars, strong prelaw and premedical advisory programs and the Feinstein Institute for Public Service, offering the first known major and minor in public and community service studies. Students receive the quality and rigor of an education that prepares them to succeed in any profession and to make a meaningful contribution to the world in which they live and work. Its 105-acre campus is located in downtown Providence.

Website: www.providence.edu/

Private Co-ed

4,379 Undergraduate Students

2,416 Women (55.2%)
1,963 Men (44.8%)

543 Graduate Students

Admission

Entrance Difficulty
Moderately difficult

Overall Admission Rate
49% of 11,421 applicants were admitted

Early Action Offered
Yes

Early Decision Offered
Yes

Regular Admission Deadline
January 15

Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

Average GPA
3.45

SAT Math
600-690 range of middle 50%

SAT EBRW
610-670 range of middle 50%

ACT Composite
26-30 range of middle 50%

Money Matters

Cost of Attendance
$69,730

Tuition and Fees
$52,438

Room and Board
$15,140

Average Percent of Need Met
87%

Average Freshman Award
$37,542

Average Indebtedness of 2018 Graduates
$39,370
### Academics

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| Regular Class Size | 2-9 students: 16% of classes  
10-19 students: 39% of classes  
20-29 students: 39% of classes  
30-39 students: 3% of classes  
40-49 students: 1% of classes  
50-99 students: 2% of classes  
Over 100 students: 1% of classes |

### Campus Life

| Providence Population | 178,432 |
| Nearest Metropolitan Area | Boston |
| Freshman Housing Guarantee | Freshmen are guaranteed housing |
| Students in College Housing | 81% of all students |
| Athletic Conferences | NCAA Division I |
| Mascot | Friar |
| Sororities | |
| Fraternities | |

### Students

| Ethnicity of Students from U.S. | 0.2% American Indian/Alaskan Native  
1.1% Asian  
3.8% Black/African-American  
9.9% Hispanic/Latino  
1.9% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino)  
0.4% Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander  
78.6% White  
4.2% Unknown |
| International Students | 1.8% from 24 countries |
| First-Year Students Returning | 93.0% |
| Students Graduating Within 4 Years | 83.1% |
| Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months | 71% |
| Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly | 21.0% |