

The Citadel

Charleston, SC

Freshman Admission Requirements
Entrance Difficulty

Not reported

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	4	
Science	3	
Foreign Language	2	
Social Studies	2	
History	1	
Academic Electives	1	

Examinations

Exam	Required Units	Scores Due in Admissions Office
SAT or ACT	Required	Not reported
SAT Only		
ACT Only		
SAT and SAT Subject Tests, or ACT		
SAT Subject Tests Only		
SAT Essay Component Policy	Not Reported	
ACT Writing Test Policy	Accepted with or without writing component	
Use of SAT/ACT Essay	SAT: Not used ACT: Not used	

Applying for Admission
Admissions Office

Address	171 Moultrie Street
City, State, Zip	Charleston, SC 29409
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Application Dates and Fees

Regular Admisson Deadline	Rolling
Application Fee	\$40
Application Fee Waiver	Available
Regular Admission Notification	Rolling
Accept Offer of Admission	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	No
Early Action Deadline	
Early Action Notification	

Application Form

Common Application	Not accepted
Universal College Application	Not accepted
Electronic Application	Available

Other Application Requirements

Interview	Not Required
Essay or Personal Statement	
Letters of Recommendation	
Other	
Financial Need	Financial need is 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	75% of 2,742 applicants were admitted
Women	74% of 431 applicants were admitted
Men	75% of 2,311 applicants were admitted
Students Enrolled	720 (35%) of 2,049 admitted students enrolled
Women	87 (27%) of 318 admitted students enrolled
Men	633 (37%) of 1,731 admitted students enrolled
Early Decision Admission Rate	
Early Action Admission Rate	
Students Offered Wait List	83
Students Accepting Wait List Position	78
Students Admitted From Wait List	25

Grade Point Average of Enrolled Freshmen (4.0 scale)

Average GPA	3.78
3.75 and Above	39%
3.50 - 3.74	16%
3.25 - 3.49	18%
3.00 - 3.24	13%
2.50 - 2.99	13%
2.00 - 2.49	1%

SAT Scores of Enrolled Freshmen

SAT Math	573 average 520-610 range of middle 50%
Score of 700 - 800	6%
Score of 600 - 700	26%
Score of 500 - 600	56%
Score of 400 - 500	12%
Score of 300 - 400	0%
Score of 200 - 300	0%
SAT EBRW	580 average 530-620 range of middle 50%
Score of 700 - 800	4%
Score of 600 - 700	35%
Score of 500 - 600	53%
Score of 400 - 500	8%
Score of 300 - 400	0%
Score of 200 - 300	0%

ACT Scores of Enrolled Freshmen

ACT Composite	23 average 20-25 range of middle 50%
Score of 30 - 36	4%
Score of 24 - 29	39%
Score of 18 - 23	54%
Score of 12 - 17	3%
Score of 6 - 11	0%
Score of 5 or Below	0%

Other Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

High School Class Rank	Top tenth: 11% Top quarter: 31% Top half: 71%
National Merit Scholar	Not reported
Valedictorian	Not reported
Class President	Not reported
Student Government Officer	Not reported



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