

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Chapel Hill, NC

Freshman Admission Requirements
Entrance Difficulty

Very Difficult: More than 50% of freshmen were in the top 10% of their high school class and scored over 1230 on the SAT I or over 26 on the ACT; about 60% or fewer of all applicants accepted.

HIGH SCHOOL PREPARATION

High School Graduation	High school diploma required and GED is not 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	1	
History	1	
Academic Electives	1	

Examinations

Exam	Required Units	Scores Due in Admissions Office
SAT or ACT	Required	January 31
SAT Only		
ACT Only		
SAT and SAT Subject Tests, or ACT		
SAT Subject Tests Only	Considered if submitted	
SAT Essay Component Policy	Not Reported	
ACT Writing Test Policy	Accepted with or without writing component	
Use of SAT/ACT Essay	Not reported	

Applying for Admission
Admissions Office

Address	153A Country Club Road
City, State, Zip	Chapel Hill, NC 27599
Phone	
Fax	
E-mail	unchelp@admissions.unc.edu

Application Dates and Fees

Regular Admisson Deadline	January 15
Application Fee	\$85
Application Fee Waiver	Available
Regular Admission Notification	March 31
Accept Offer of Admission	May 1
Waiting List Used	Yes
Defer Admission	Student can 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	October 15
Early Action Notification	January 31

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	1 required for all freshmen
Other	Counselor's statement required for freshmen
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	23% of 42,466 applicants were admitted
Women	22% of 25,173 applicants were admitted
Men	23% of 17,293 applicants were admitted
Students Enrolled	4,474 (47%) of 9,608 admitted students enrolled
Women	2,659 (47%) of 5,655 admitted students enrolled
Men	1,815 (46%) of 3,953 admitted students enrolled
Early Decision Admission Rate	
Early Action Admission Rate	28% of 28,322 applicants were admitted
Students Offered Wait List	5,572
Students Accepting Wait List Position	3,717
Students Admitted From Wait List	156

Grade Point Average of Enrolled Freshmen (4.0 scale)

Average GPA	4.39
3.75 and Above	96%
3.50 - 3.74	1%
3.25 - 3.49	1%
3.00 - 3.24	1%
2.50 - 2.99	1%
2.00 - 2.49	

SAT Scores of Enrolled Freshmen

SAT Math	695 average 650-760 range of middle 50%
Score of 700 - 800	51.7%
Score of 600 - 700	37.9%
Score of 500 - 600	10.1%
Score of 400 - 500	.3%
Score of 300 - 400	0%
Score of 200 - 300	0%
SAT EBRW	684 average 650-730 range of middle 50%
Score of 700 - 800	47.2%
Score of 600 - 700	44.8%
Score of 500 - 600	7.8%
Score of 400 - 500	.3%
Score of 300 - 400	0%
Score of 200 - 300	0%

ACT Scores of Enrolled Freshmen

ACT Composite	30 average 27-33 range of middle 50%
Score of 30 - 36	57.5%
Score of 24 - 29	34.7%
Score of 18 - 23	7.4%
Score of 12 - 17	.4%
Score of 6 - 11	0%
Score of 5 or Below	0%

Other Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

High School Class Rank	Top tenth: 78% Top quarter: 95% Top half: 99%
National Merit Scholar	Not reported
Valedictorian	6%
Class President	Not reported
Student Government Officer	Not reported



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