

## Wheaton College

Norton, MA

Wheaton is a private, liberal arts college. Founded in 1834 as a seminary for women, it adopted coeducation in 1988. Its 385-acre campus is located in Norton, in southeastern Massachusetts, 35 miles from Boston.

Website: [wheatoncollege.edu/](http://wheatoncollege.edu/)



Private



Co-ed

**1,774**  
Undergraduate  
Students

(60.4%)  1,071 Women

(39.6%)  703 Men



**Not reported**  
Graduate  
Students

### Admission

Entrance Difficulty	Very difficult
Overall Admission Rate	74% of 3,460 applicants were admitted
Early Action Offered	Yes
Early Decision Offered	Yes
Regular Admission Deadline	January 15

### Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

Average GPA	3.44
SAT Math	605 average 550-660 range of middle 50%
SAT EBRW	640 average 600-680 range of middle 50%
ACT Composite	30 average 27-32 range of middle 50%

### Money Matters

Cost of Attendance	\$72,744
Tuition and Fees	\$56,366
Room and Board	\$14,378
Average Percent of Need Met	96%
Average Freshman Award	\$49,469
Average Indebtedness of 2019 Graduates	\$34,530


**Academics**

Academic Calendar System	Semester
General Education/Core Curriculum	Required for most or all students
Full-Time Faculty Teaching Undergraduates	143
Regular Class Size	<b>2-9 students: 19% of classes</b> <b>10-19 students: 49% of classes</b> <b>20-29 students: 18% of classes</b> <b>30-39 students: 8% of classes</b> <b>40-49 students: 4% of classes</b> <b>50-99 students: 2% of classes</b>


**Campus Life**

Norton Population	19,031
Nearest Metropolitan Area	Boston, MA
Freshman Housing Guarantee	Freshmen are guaranteed housing
Students in College Housing	96% of all students
Athletic Conferences	NCAA Division III
Mascot	Lyon
Sororities	Not reported
Fraternities	Not reported


**Students**

Ethnicity of Students from U.S.	<b>0.1% American Indian/Alaskan Native</b> <b>4.8% Asian</b> <b>6.0% Black/African-American</b> <b>9.3% Hispanic/Latino</b> <b>4.9% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino)</b> <b>0.0% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander</b> <b>72.5% White</b> <b>2.4% Unknown</b>
International Students	7.6%
First-Year Students Returning	83.0%
Students Graduating Within 4 Years	71.2%
Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months	Not reported
Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly	Not reported