

## Wichita State University

Wichita, KS

Wichita State University is a public, comprehensive university. Founded in 1895 as a private college, it joined the state system of higher education in 1964. It is located on a beautiful 330-acre campus in Wichita, the largest city in Kansas. Students have fantastic educational, economic and entertainment opportunities. While obtaining a degree, students can get valuable work experience at companies like Boeing, Raytheon Aircraft, Cessna Aircraft, Coleman, Bank of America, Bombardier Aerospace Learjet, Via Christi Regional Medical Center, Wesley Medical Center and Koch Industries. After attending class and studying, students enjoy going to the largest collection of malls, shops, restaurants, clubs, golf courses, amusement parks and movie theatres in the state.

Website: [www.wichita.edu/](http://www.wichita.edu/)



Public



Co-ed

**13,217**

Undergraduate  
Students

(55.1%)  7,277 Women

(44.9%)  5,940 Men



**2,835**  
Graduate  
Students

### Admission


Entrance Difficulty	Minimally difficult
Overall Admission Rate	56% of 5,947 applicants were admitted
Early Action Offered	No
Early Decision Offered	No
Regular Admission Deadline	Rolling

### Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

Average GPA	3.49
SAT Math	579 average 530-640 range of middle 50%
SAT EBRW	573 average 510-630 range of middle 50%
ACT Composite	23 average 20-27 range of middle 50%

### Money Matters

Cost of Attendance	In-state: \$25,439 Out-of-state: \$34,621
Tuition and Fees	In-state: \$8,299 Out-of-state: \$17,481
Room and Board	\$12,620
Average Percent of Need Met	65%
Average Freshman Award	\$7,956
Average Indebtedness of 2019 Graduates	\$24,839


**Academics**

Academic Calendar System	Semester
General Education/Core Curriculum	<b>Required for most or all students</b>
Full-Time Faculty Teaching Undergraduates	<b>551</b>
Regular Class Size	<b>2-9 students: 22% of classes</b> <b>10-19 students: 26% of classes</b> <b>20-29 students: 22% of classes</b> <b>30-39 students: 11% of classes</b> <b>40-49 students: 8% of classes</b> <b>50-99 students: 9% of classes</b> <b>Over 100 students: 2% of classes</b>


**Campus Life**

Wichita Population	<b>386,552</b>
Nearest Metropolitan Area	<b>Not reported</b>
Freshman Housing Guarantee	<b>Freshmen are guaranteed housing</b>
Students in College Housing	<b>13% of all students</b>
Athletic Conferences	<b>NCAA Division I</b>
Mascot	<b>WuShock</b>
Sororities	<b>4% of women participate</b>
Fraternities	<b>3% of men participate</b>


**Students**

Ethnicity of Students from U.S.	<b>0.7% American Indian/Alaskan Native</b> <b>7.8% Asian</b> <b>6.6% Black/African-American</b> <b>14.2% Hispanic/Latino</b> <b>5.1% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino)</b> <b>0.1% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander</b> <b>63.3% White</b> <b>2.3% Unknown</b>
International Students	<b>4.9% from 112 countries</b>
First-Year Students Returning	<b>71.0%</b>
Students Graduating Within 4 Years	<b>22.7%</b>
Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months	<b>Not reported</b>
Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly	<b>8.1%</b>