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Founded October 3, 1887, Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University (FAMU) is a public, historically Black university located in Tallahassee, Florida. FAMU is currently ranked as the #1 Public HBCU (U.S. News & World Report 2019- current) for four consecutive years. FAMU offers 13 schools and colleges in which students can choose over fifty undergraduate majors. FAMU is a leader is STEM and is ranked the #1 for Research and Development by the National Science Foundation. FAMU is also a leader amongst HBCUs for Fulbright Scholars. What distinguishes FAMU from other universities is its legacy of providing access to a high-quality, affordable education with programs and services that guide students toward successfully achieving their dreams. In addition to the main Tallahassee campus, FAMU has several satellite campuses across Florida. These include the College of Law in Orlando and the College of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, Institute of Public Health, which has sites in Crestview, Tampa, Jacksonville, and Miami.

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All Applicants

Application Deadline	Application Deadline
November 1, 2024	April 1, 2025
Decision Released December 4, 2024	Rolling Admission

- Official transcript required.
- Official test scores required.
- Essay and letters of recommendation for scholarship only.



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Florida Atlantic University calls to the innovative and ambitious as a leader in research and opportunity. Strategically located in the entrepreneurial heart of South Florida, our main Boca Raton campus connects students to resume-building experience, awardwinning internships, and cutting-edge research along the coast. At our Wilkes Honors College, students dive into an all-honors curriculum, tackling real-world challenges with the scientific institutes on our Jupiter campus. Florida Atlantic ranks in the nation's Top 50 Universities in Washington Monthly, top 30 for Social Mobility in U.S. News & World Report, and a Best Value School by College Consensus.

Early Action Non-Binding

All Applicants

Application Deadline November 1, 2024	Application Deadline March 14, 2025
Decision Released December 6, 2024	Rolling Admission
Academic Scholarships for those who qualify	January 15, 2025

- **SSAR**
- ➤ Self-Report Test Scores
- ► Applicants for the College of Nursing must submit official test scores







Florida Gulf Coast University (FGCU), located in beautiful Southwest Florida, has approximately 16,000 students. FGCU is one of the best values in U.S. Higher Education. We have kept the cost of tuition the same for ten years! The majority of our students (59%) graduate with zero debt. We award \$118 million in financial aid & scholarships annually. We are dedicated to student success. Our 64 undergraduate majors and 22:1 student-tofaculty ratio guarantee you'll get an education with a personal touch and have the support, advising, and guidance to complete your degree on time. FGCU holds the highest employment rate for graduates getting jobs in Florida.

All Applicants Early Action Non-Binding

Application Deadline November 1, 2024	Application Deadline March 1, 2025
Decision Released January 31, 2025	Rolling Admission
Academic scholarships for those who qualify	Rolling Admission

*Freshman merit scholarships are competitive and not guaranteed. Preference is given to students who apply by the early action date of November 1st.









Florida International University is a Preeminent State Research University that drives talent and innovation in Miami and globally. Very high research (R1) activity and high social mobility come together at FIU to uplift and accelerate learner success in a global city by focusing in the areas of environment, health, and innovation. Today, FIU has two campuses and multiple centers. FIU serves a student body of more than 56,000. FIU is ranked No. 4 Best Public University by the Wall Street Journal and U.S. News and World Report places dozens of FIU programs among the best in the nation, including international business at No. 2. Washington Monthly Magazine ranks FIU among the top 20 universities contributing to the public good and Degree Choices places it among the top 20 in the nation for return on investment among public universities.

Early Action Non-Binding FL High Schools Only	All Applicants	All Applicants Final	
Application Deadline	Application Deadline	Application Deadline	
November 1, 2024	December 3, 2024	February 25, 2025	
Decision Released	Decision Released	Decision Released	
December 11, 2024	January 22, 2025	March 31, 2025	
Academic Scholarships awarded for those who qualify	Academic Scholarships awarded for those who qualify		









Florida Polytechnic University is the state's only public all-STEM university specializing in engineering and applied science education. Florida Poly offers an innovative curriculum designed to foster creativity, critical thinking, and real-world problemsolving skills. Located in Lakeland, Florida, the cutting-edge campus is equipped with state-of-the-art labs and collaborative spaces. Students benefit from small classes, personalized faculty mentorship, and hands-on experience through internships, Capstone Projects, and industry partnerships. Florida Poly is one of the most affordable universities in the state and among other STEM-focused universities in the nation. In 2024 we ranked No. 2 best value public college in the Southeast which combines affordability and academic performance (U.S. News and World Report), No. 1 for grads with lowest student debt in the state (U.S. Department of Education), and No. 1 for highest salaries with our graduates earning higher incomes one-year after graduation than all state universities (MyFloridaFuture).

Early Action Non-Binding	Early Action 2	All Applicants	
Application Deadline November 15, 2024	Application Deadline January 15, 2025	Application Deadline March 1, 2025	
Decision Released December 1, 2024	Decision Released March 1, 2025	Decision Released March 15, 2025	
Academic Scholarships for those who qualify	Academic Scholarships for those who qualify	Rolling after March 15	

- Unofficial transcripts and test scores may be used for initial admission decision.
- Official academic records required of all students intending to enroll.
- No essay requirement for admission.



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Designated as a Preeminent Research University, Florida State University consistently delivers an affordable, high-quality education and was named the No. 8 Best Value College among public universities according to the U.S. News & World Report. With more than 280+ degree programs and 50+ combined Bachelor's/Master's Pathway Programs, our undergraduate students have access to a robust selection of academic options. FSU is the largest research university in the country to adopt an experiential learning requirement for undergraduate students. This requirement gives students the opportunity to learn from hands-on, real-world experiences by participating in internships, servicelearning, research or creative activity, international study, and more.

Early Action Non-Binding Florida Residents Only	Priority Application	All Applicants	
Application Deadline October 22, 2024 Completed by November 1, 2024	Application Deadline December 1, 2024	Application Deadline March 1, 2025	
Decision Released February 13, 2025	Decisions released February 13, 2025	Decision Released April, 2025	
Academic Scholarships for those who qualify	Academic Scholarships for those who qualify		

Deadline for the University Honors Program and automatic scholarship consideration: December 1.

- Self-report all test scores.
- Link the SSAR.
- Upload an essay.
- Upload a list of activities.





New College of Florida was named the No. 1 Public Liberal Arts College by Washington Monthly in 2023 and is the Honors College of Florida. New College provides students with limitless, original opportunities for success through a highly individualized education that combines academic excellence, undergraduate research opportunities, and career preparation experiences. Students can choose from more than 50 undergraduate programs across a range of academic fields in the social sciences, natural sciences and humanities, or pursue a master's degree in applied data science or marine mammal science. On July 1, 2024, New College was accepted into the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) as a full member of The Sun Conference.

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Non-Binding	All Applicants

Application Deadline November 1, 2024	Application Deadline February 1, 2025	Application Deadline April 1, 2025	Application Deadline June 15	
Rolling Admission	Rolling Admission Rolling Admission		June 30, 2025	
Academic Scholarships for those who qualify	Academic Scholarships for those who qualify			

- Self-reported transcripts are acceptable for admissions. Official transcripts required for enrollment.
- ► Self-reported test scores are acceptable for admission. Official test scores required for enrollment.
- Essay required.
- No separate scholarship application is required for most NCF scholarships.

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The University of Central Florida was founded in 1963 to provide talent, research expertise, and advanced degrees for the emerging space industry. In a relatively short time, Orlando's hometown university has emerged as a major metropolitan research university with internationally recognized academic programs in engineering, science, healthcare, hospitality, and the arts. We have expanded access and learning pathways, grown our student population, and extended our physical and digital footprints to support business migration and population growth in Florida. Our student body reflects the future of Florida and America, composed of diverse, entrepreneurial, creative, and community-minded innovators. We are invested in unleashing the potential within every individual, enriching the human experience through inclusion, discovery, and innovation, and propelling broad-based prosperity for the many communities we serve.

Early Action Non-Binding

Application Deadline October 15, 2024	Application Deadline Summer - March 1 Fall - May 1
Application Completed by November 1, 2024	Summer - March 1 Fall - May 1
Decisions Released November 15, 2024, with scholarships for those who qualify	Rolling Admission

All Applicants

SPARK required.

Official test scores required.



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		SUMMER SEMESTER					
	NAME OF INSTITUTION	Total Enrollment	Total Undergraduate Enrollment (2023)	Anticipated class size	Average or middle 50% FTIC GPA	Middle 50% Admit FTIC SAT	Middle 50% Admit FTIC ACT
FAMU	FLORIDA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL UNIVERSITY	9,742	8,011	348	3.47	1025	19.88
FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY	FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY	30,854	23,458	1,150	3.33 – 4.0	1030 – 1090	20 – 24
Florida Gulf Coast University	FLORIDA GULF COAST UNIVERSITY	16,230	14,243	400	3.16 – 4.21	1030 – 1160	19 – 24
FIU	FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY	54,037	38,715	3,600	3.9 – 4.4	1090 – 1190	21 – 24
FLORIDA POLY	FLORIDA POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY	1,618	1,569	200	3.96	1130	23
FSU	FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY	43,234	32,217	2,600	4.1 – 4.5	1280 – 1360	28 – 30
New College of Florida The Honor College	NEW COLLEGE OF FLORIDA	383	361	8	3.36	1045	23
UCF UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA	UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA	69,316	59,547	3,400	3.91 – 4.38	1180 – 1240	24 – 26
UF FLORIDA	UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA	60,489	38,347	1,800	4.5 – 4.7	1240 – 1400	27 – 32
UNIF UNIVERSITY NORTH FLORIDA	UNIVERSITY OF NORTH FLORIDA	16,575	13,897	1,500	3.63 – 3.96	1000 – 1160	19 – 25
SOUTH FLORIDA	UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA	48,732	36,452	3,211	3.61 – 4.15	1100 – 1190	22 – 25
UNIVERSITY of WEST FLORIDA	UNIVERSITY OF WEST FLORIDA	14,343	9,646	40	3.51 – 4.1	1000 – 1210	19 – 25

This matrix was produced by Florida International University.

	FALL SEMESTER							
Middle 50% FTIC CLT	Anticipated class size	Average or middle 50% FTIC GPA	Middle 50% Admit FTIC SAT	Middle 50% Admit FTIC ACT	Middle 50% FTIC CLT	SSAR/SPARK	Self-Reported Test Scores	2+2 Program
	1,100 – 1,400	3.84	1120 – 1150	21 – 23	76	YES	NO	IGNITE
78 – 91	4,250	3.73 – 4.34	1090 – 1270	22 – 28	76 – 90	YES	YES	Link2FAU
54 – 68	2,400	3.80 – 4.54	1070 – 1230	21 – 26	63 – 67	NO	NO	Destination FGCU
63 – 78	1,650	4.1 – 4.7	1250 – 1390	26 – 31	83 – 94	NO	NO	Connect4Success
N/A	330	4.35	1160 – 1360	25 – 31	81	YES	YES	N/A
84 – 86 (6 students)	3,400	4.2 – 4.6	1360 – 1470	30 – 33	92-97 (4 students)	YES	YES	Aspire Transfer Programs through Tallahassee State College (Traditional, Elite, Honors, Online)
53	230	3.96	1170	24	82	YES	YES	Guaranteed Admission Program
81 – 88	4,900	4.01 – 4.55	1300 – 1420	29 – 31	92 – 100	YES	NO	Direct Connect to UCF
N/A too few	5,400	4.5 – 4.7	1380 – 1510	31 – 34	N/A too few	YES	YES	Gator Engineering @ Santa Fe; Gator Design and Construction @ Santa Fe
58 – 65	1,500	4.14 – 4.57	1130 – 1300	24 – 29	71 – 86	YES	NO	Transfer2UNF
67 – 82	4,068	4.07 – 4.55	1250 – 1400	27 – 31	81 – 91	YES	NO	FUSE
	1,460	3.69 – 4.24	1040 – 1240	20 – 27		YES	NO	2UWF



As a preeminent research institution, the University of Florida (UF) pushes the world forward by challenging convention and ourselves. Our 11 colleges offer more than 120 undergraduate and 200 graduate degrees. We also offer training within our five professional schools: dentistry, law, medicine, pharmacy, and veterinary medicine. With limitless opportunities for undergraduate research, involvement with over 1,000 student organizations, mentoring from world-class faculty, and residential living-learning communities, students can create a college experience as unique as they are.

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Application Deadline November 1, 2024

Decision Released January 24, 2025

Applicants

Application Deadline January 15, 2025

Decision Released March 14, 2025









The University of North Florida (UNF) is situated on a beautiful 1,381-acre campus between Jacksonville's beaches and downtown, with an enrollment of around 17,000 students. Dedicated to seeing our students thrive, UNF offers high-quality academics, personalized attention, robust resources, and a vibrant student life. Diverse learning experiences that include internships, research, and study abroad opportunities, which UNF students participate in at twice the national average, lead to strong job placement for graduates. And did we mention that The Wall Street Journal ranked Jacksonville the 2nd hottest job market in America in 2024?

Priority Application	All Applicants
Application Deadline November 1, 2024	Application Deadline April 1, 2025
Decision Released November 13, 2024	Rolling Admission
Academic Scholarships for those who qualify	Rolling Admission Applications must be completed by April 15

- Self-reported transcripts are acceptable for admissions. Official transcripts required for enrollment.
- Official test scores required for admissions and enrollment.





The University of South Florida is located in the vibrant and diverse Tampa Bay region, with campuses in Tampa, St. Petersburg, and Sarasota-Manatee. Together, our campuses serve approximately 50,000 students pursing undergraduate, graduate, specialist, and professional degrees. Across our 13 colleges, undergraduates choose from more than 200 majors, minors, and concentrations, from business and engineering to arts and USF Health.

U.S. News & World Report has ranked USF as one of the nation's top 50 public universities for five consecutive years, and in 2023 USF earned its highest ranking ever among all universities public or private. Also in 2023, USF became the first public university in Florida in nearly 40 years to be invited to join the Association of American Universities (AAU), a prestigious group of leading universities in United States and Canada. High-impact global research is central to USF's mission as one of only four Preeminent Research Universities in Florida.

Priority Application Date	To be considered for scholarships	All Applicants			
Application Deadline November 1, 2024	Application Deadline January 15, 2025	Academic Application Deadline March 1, 2025			
Decision Released December 10, 2024	Decision Released Rolling Admission	Rolling Admission			
Academic Scholarships for those who qualify	Academic Scholarships for those who qualify				

SSAR required.

Official test scores required.



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The University of West Florida promotes an innovative, student-centered culture. Ranked among the "Best Regional Universities South" by U.S. News & World Report, the 1,600-acre Pensacola campus serves a student body of 14,000, with more than 100,000 alumni, and offers 70 undergraduate programs. UWF provides a personalized and engaging experience through small class sizes, supportive faculty, and active student organizations, and promotes undergraduate research and scholarly activities in the classroom and beyond. UWF offers an affordable, high-quality education and generous scholarship opportunities that enable students from varied backgrounds to meet their career and life goals.

All Applicants

Application Deadline April 1, 2025

Decisions Released October 15, 2024 Rolling Thereafter

- SSAR required.
- Official test scores required.

Scholarship Consideration

Scholarship Consideration Deadline December 1, 2024





U.S. News & World Report ranks Florida's Higher Education #1 in the country! With 12 members of the State University System and 28 members of the Florida College System. Florida offers a wide range of programs, degrees and experiences. Please visit floridashines.org.

The Talented Twenty Program: The Talented Twenty Program is part of the Governor's Equity in Education Plan. The purpose is to guarantee admission to students who succeed in their respective K-12 public schools, and to encourage students to strive for better grades and a rigorous curriculum. The Florida Department of Education and Florida Board of Governors has created a frequently asked questions document to assist public school counselors with navigating the process. Please visit www.fldoe.org/schools/family-community/activities-programs/talented-twenty-program/ for details and step-by-step instructions.

Florida Student Scholarship & Grant Programs: Students must submit a completed Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) to the Office of Student Financial Assistance for programs such as the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program, Jose Marti Scholarship and Scholarships for Children and Spouses of Deceased or Disabled Veterans. Please visit *floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org.*

AA degrees for graduating seniors: A high school student earning dual enrollment credit and/or an AA degree in high school is considered a first-time in college student and should submit an application as a first-year student, not as a transfer. Earning the AA while in high school does not guarantee admission into a specific state university.



RESOURCES:

Florida Shines: floridashines.org

Florida Counseling for Future Education Handbook: dlss.flvc.org/florida-counseling-for-future-education-handbook

Florida College Access Network: floridacollegeaccess.org

2024-2025 State University System (SUS) Admissions Matrix

Universities		FAMU RATTLERS	FAU	Flends Suff Coust University	FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY	FLORIDA POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY	IB51	New College	University of Central Florida	UF FLORIDA	UNF UNIVERSITY of NORTH FLORIDA.	USF UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA	UNIVERSITY of West Florida
Location		Tallahassee	Boca Raton	Ft. Myers	Miami	Lakeland	Tallahassee	Sarasota	Orlando	Gainesville	Jacksonville	Tampa	Pensacola
Undergraduate Enrollment		8,011	23,458	14,243	38,715	1,569	32,217	361	59,547	38,347	13, 897	36,452	9,646
	GPA	S: 3.47 F: 3.84	S: 3.33 – 4.0 F: 3.73 – 4.34	S : 3.16 – 4.21 F : 3.80 – 4.54	S: 3.9 – 4.4 F: 4.1 – 4.7	S: 3.96 F: 4.35	S: 4.1 – 4.5 F: 4.2 – 4.6	S: 3.36 F: 3.96	S : 3.91 – 4.38 F : 4.01 – 4.55	S: 4.5 – 4.7 F: 4.5 – 4.7	S: 3.63 – 3.96 F: 4.14 – 4.57	S: 3.61 – 4.15 F: 4.07 – 4.55	S : 3.51 – 4.1 F : 3.69 – 4.24
Middle 50% of Admitted FTIC 2024	SAT	S : 1025 F : 1120 - 1150	S : 1030 – 1090 F : 1090 - 1270	S: 1030 - 1160 F: 1070 - 1230	S: 1090 - 1190 F: 1250 - 1390	S: 1130 F: 1160 - 1360	S : 1280 - 1360 F : 1360 - 1470	S : 1045 F : 1170	S: 1180 - 1240 F: 1300 - 1420	S: 1240 - 1400 F: 1380 - 1510	S: 1000 - 1160 F: 1130 - 1300	S: 1100 - 1190 F: 1250 - 1400	S: 1000 - 1210 F: 1040 - 1240
(S=Summer) (F=Fall)	ACT	S : 19.88 F : 21 - 23	S : 20-24 F : 22-28	S : 19 - 24 F : 21 - 26	S : 21 - 24 F : 26 -31	S : 23 F : 25 - 31	S : 28 - 30 F : 30 - 33	S : 23 F : 24	S : 24 - 26 F : 29 - 31	S : 27 - 32 F : 31 - 34	S : 19 - 25 F : 24 - 29	S : 22-25 F : 27-31	S : 19 - 25 F : 20 - 27
	CLT	S: Not Reported F: 76	S : 78 - 91 F : 76 - 90	S : 54 - 68 F : 63 - 67	S : 63 - 78 F : 83 -94	S: Not Reported F: 81	S: 84 – 86 F: 92 - 97	S: 82	S: 81 - 88 F : 92 - 100	Not reported Too few	S : 58 – 65 F : 71 - 86	S : 67 – 82 F : 81 - 91	Not Reported
Type of Applications Accepted		Institutional OR Common App	Institutional OR Common App	Institutional OR Common App	Institutional OR Common App	Institutional OR Common App	Institutional OR Common App	Institutional OR Common App	Institutional OR Common App	Common App	Institutional OR Common App	Institutional OR Common App	Institutional OR Common App
Application Fe	ee	\$35	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$0	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30
Application Fee Waivers Accepted		SAT, ACT, NACAC, Common App Fee Waivers	SAT, ACT, NACAC, Common App Fee Waivers	SAT, ACT, NACAC, Common App Fee Waivers	SAT, ACT, Common App Fee Waivers	SAT, ACT, NACAC Common App Fee Waivers	SAT, ACT, NACAC Common App Fee Waivers	Application Fee waived for all students	SAT, ACT, NACAC or Common App Fee Waiver; Documentation showing eligibility for a Free/Reduced Lunch; most recent tax return	Common App Fee Waiver	SAT, ACT, NACAC, Common App Fee Waivers	SAT, ACT, Common App Fee Waivers	SAT, ACT, NACAC Common App Fee Waivers or Letter of financial hardship
Essay		Required 500 words	NA	Required	NA	NA	Required	Required	Optional (strongly encouraged)	Required and Supplemental Question	NA	NA	Optional
Recommendati Letter	ion	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Optional – see website for specifics	NA	NA	NA	NA	Optional
Transcript Or SSAR		SSAR or Official transcript sent through FASTER	SSAR – submit application first, link will appear on status page	Official transcript sent through FASTER	Official transcript sent through FASTER	SSAR – link within admissions portal or email SSAR Code to admissions@flo ridapoly.edu	SSAR	SSAR or Official transcript sent through FASTER	SPARK – find link in Future Knight Portal	SSAR – submit application first, link will appear on Gator Portal	SSAR – submit application first, link will appear on status portal	SSAR – submit application first, link will appear on applicant portal	SSAR or Official transcript sent through FASTER
Super Score SAT/ACT		SAT-Yes ACT-Yes	SAT-Yes ACT-Yes	SAT-Yes ACT-Yes	SAT-Yes ACT-Yes	SAT-Yes ACT-Yes	SAT-Yes ACT-Yes	SAT-Yes ACT-Yes	SAT-Yes ACT-Yes	SAT-Yes ACT-Yes	SAT-Yes ACT-Yes	SAT-Yes ACT-Yes	SAT-Yes ACT-Yes
Test Score Report Deadline		Official EA: Nov 1 RD: April 1	Self-Report Priority: 11/1/24 Final: 3/14/25	Official EA: Nov 15 RD: Mar 1	Official EA: Nov 1 RD: Dec 3	Official or Point Click Send email or text scans/pics of scores to admissions csl	Self-Report 1 score by application deadline; updated by 2/2025	Official or Self-Reported EA: Nov 1 Feb 1 & April 1	Official EA: Nov 1 RD: Sum Mar 1 RD: Fall May 1	Self-Report in Gator Portal or send Official EA: Nov 15 RD: Jan 31	Official Priority: Nov 1 RD: April 15	Official Priority: Nov 15 Rolling: Mar 15	Official Priority: Dec 1 Rolling: April 1

2024-2025 State University System (SUS) Admissions Matrix

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Universities		FAMU RATTLERS	A	FLORIDA GULF COAST UNIVERSITY	FIORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY	FLORIDA POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY	1851	New College THE HOWARD STRUCTED OF Florida	University of Central Florida	UF FLORIDA	UNF UNIVERSITY of NORTH FLORIDA.	USF UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA	UNIVERSITY of West Florida
sion	Deadlines	EA: Nov 1 RD: April 1	EA: Oct 15 Rolling: Mar 14	EA: Nov 1 RD: Mar 1	EA: Nov 1 RD: Dec 3	EA 1: Nov 15 EA 2: Jan 15 RD: Mar 1	EA: Oct 15 RD: Dec 1	EA: Nov 1 Feb 1 & April 1	EA: Oct 15 RD: Sum Mar 1 RD: Fall May 1	EA: Nov 1 RD: Jan 15	Priority: Nov 1 RD: April 1	Priority: Nov 1 Rolling: Mar 1	Priority: Dec 1 Rolling: April 1
Admiss	Materials Deadline	EA: Nov 1 RD: April 1	EA: Nov 1 Rolling: Mar 14	EA: Nov 15 RD: Mar 1	EA: Nov 1 RD: Dec 3	EA 1: Nov 15 EA 2: Jan 15 RD: Mar 1	EA: Oct 22 RD: Dec 8	EA: Nov 1 Feb 1 & April 1	EA: Nov 1 RD: Sum Mar 1 RD: Fall May 1	EA: Nov 15 RD: Jan 31	Priority: Nov 1 RD: April 15	Priority: Nov 15 Rolling: Mar 15	Priority: Dec 1 Rolling: April 1
2024	Final Deadline	April 1	March 14	March 1	February 25	May 1	March 1	June 15	May 1	January 15	April 15	March 1	April 1
Fall	Priority Date for Aid & Scholarships	FAFSA: 12/1/2024 Scholarships: 10/15/24	FAFSA: 12/1/2024 Scholarships: 1/15/25	FAFSA: 12/1/2024 Scholarships: 11/1/24	FAFSA: 12/1/2024 Scholarships: 11/1/24	FAFSA: 12/1/2024 Scholarships: 11/15/24	FAFSA: 12/1/2024 Scholarships: 12/1/24	FAFSA: 12/1/2024 Scholarships: Auto w/app	FAFSA: 12/1/2024 Scholarships: 11/1/24	FAFSA: 12/1/2024 Scholarships: 11/1/24	FAFSA: 12/1/2024 Scholarships: 1/15/25	FAFSA: 12/1/2024 Scholarships: 1/15/24	FAFSA: 12/1/2024 Scholarships: 12/1/24
2+2	Transfer: Enhancement Programs	FAMU IGNITE	Link2FAU	Destination FGCU	Connect- 4Success		Aspire TCC2FSU	NCF Transform	DirectConnect to UCF	Gator Engineering Gator Design & Construction @ Santa Fe	Transfer2UNF	FUSE	2UWF
Tu	2024-2025 ition and Fees Credit Hours)	\$5,785	\$5,952	\$6,118	\$3,283	\$4,940	\$5,666	\$6,916	\$5,954	\$6,380	\$6,390	\$6,410	\$5,088
(2024-2025 On -Campus om and Board	\$11,644	\$15,860	\$11,107	\$6,540	\$14,482	\$12,740	\$13,805	\$12,070	\$12,120	\$11,810	\$14,440	\$12,432
	2024-2025 Books and Supplies	\$1,138	\$1,320	\$1,200	\$675	\$839	\$1,000	\$1,200	\$1,200	\$1,260	\$2,200	\$770	\$1,600



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FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY Boca Raton, Florida fau.edu/admissions 661-297-3040 SAT Code 5229 ACT Code 0729



FLORIDA GULF COAST UNIVERSITY Fort Myers, Florida fgcu.edu/admissionsandaid 239-590-1000 SAT Code 5221 ACT Code 0733



FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY Miami, Florida admissions.flu.edu 305-348-7000 SAT Code 5206 ACT Code 0776



FLORIDA POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY Lakeland, Florida floridapoly.edu/admissiona 863-874-4774 SAT Code 7303 ACT Code 2869



FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY Tallahassee, Florida admissions.fsu.edu 850-644-6200 SAT Code 5219 ACT Code 0734



NEW COLLEGE OF FLORIDA Sarasota, Florida ncf.edu/admissions 941-487-5000 SAT Code 5506 ACT Code 0750



UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA Orlando, Florida admissions.ucf.edu 407-823-9000 SAT Code 5233 ACT Code 0735



UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA Gainesville, FL admissions, ufl.edu 352-392-1365 SAT Cade 5612 ACT Cade 0758



UNIVERSITY OF NORTH FLORIDA Jacksonville, FL unf. sdu/admissions 904-620-5555 SAT Code 5490 ACT Code 0711



UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA Tampa, Florida usf.edu/admissions 813-974-3350 SAT Code 5828 ACT Code 0761



UNIVERSITY OF WEST FLORIDA Pensacola, Florida uwf.adu/admissions 650-474-2230 SAT Code 5633 ACT Code 0771

A Few Important Notes/Glossary:

- EA = Early Action; RD = Regular Decision
- NA means the school does not want it.
- SSAR = Self-reported Student Academic Record the student enters all courses and grades attempted for high school and/or college credit. Must be linked to your application, link through the email from the University or through the Universities application portal. This must be accurate, best practice is to have an unofficial transcript in front of you.
- SPARK Self-Provided Academic Record. UCF's version of SSAR. Access link in Future Knight Portal. If you applied through the institutional application, you will create your Future Knight Portal then go to the application. If you applied through Common Application, you will be emailed a link and directions for creating the Future Knights Portal AFTER you submit your application.
- FASTER the state system for sending transcripts. You must visit your high school guidance office and request an electronic transcript be sent to the university. Transcripts take 5-7 business days to be received by the University.
- SAT/ACT Sent directly from agency means you must log into your SAT (collegeboard.org) or ACT (act.org) account and request your scores be sent. There will be a cost unless you used a fee waiver when registering to test.

AA degrees for graduating seniors: A high school student earning dual enrollment credit and/or an AA degree in high school is considered a First-Time In College (FTIC) student and should submit an application as a first-year/freshmen student, <u>not</u> as a transfer student. Earning the AA while in high school does not guarantee admission into a specific state university. The ONLY time you apply as a transfer student is if you have earned 12 college credit hours or more AFTER high school.

Florida Student Scholarship and Grant Programs: Students must submit a completed Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) to the Office of Student Financial Assistance for programs such as the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program, Jose Marti and Scholarships for Children and Spouses of Deceased or Disabled Veterans. Please visit www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org. Application opens October 1.

FAFSA: Free Application for Federal Student Aid: For the 2024 school year this application will not open until December. Universities request you complete as soon as possible in December to receive a complete financial award letter.

The Talented Twenty Program: The Talented Twenty Program is Part of the Governor's Equity in Education Plan. The purpose is to guarantee admission to students who succeed in their respective K-12 public schools and to encourage students to strive for better grades and a rigorous curriculum. The Florida Department of Education and Florida Board of Governors has created a Frequently Asked Questions document to assist public school counselors with navigating the process. Please visit www.fldoe.org/schools/family-community/activities-programs/talented-twenty-program/ for details and step-by-step instructions.