

The College Visit Minute

A written account of college recruiting visits to Cambridge High School Campus for those that can't attend by *The CHS College Center*

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Is the Rep a school Alum? No Is the Rep involved in the admissions process? YES, makes recommendations for applicant to move forward in application process.

Last year's Freshman Profile: GPA - SAT - ACT – (Fall 2017) unweighted 3.8 SAT: 650-730 English 660-760 Math ACT: 30-34

GPA -How is it calculated? Core vs. Cumulative? Weighted vs. unweighted? Unweighted Core Curriculum

ACT/SAT – Written Portion? Super score? Must have writing on either ACT or SAT

Rigor - What are the average AP requirements? Look at application holistically, looking for rigor

Extra-Curricular Activities – What does the school look for? Looking for active student

Most popular majors at this school: Business, Nursing, College of Arts and Sciences

For out-of-state schools, are there any majors that would qualify for the Academic Common Market? NO

Does chosen major affect decision process? Performing arts you need a portfolio. Will have artistic review and can waive standardized test scores with this option

Study Abroad Programs? YES Summer Programs, Semester-Long Programs, Foreign Language Programs? Junior year you can study abroad for the year. Can go to other campus locations: Abu Dhabi, Shanghai, or NYC. OR any 11 campuses that they have study abroad programs

Internships / Co-Op Opportunities? YES, 98% of students

Research Opportunities? YES

Special successes the school is known for: very “hands-on” education. Lots of travel. Very global community

Scholarships: Are there any specific to our area or for Georgia students? NO. Lots of merit based scholarships offered. CSS profile for additional institutional funds.

When are scholarship deadlines? Early Decision Nov 15... Early Decision II Jan 15... Regular Decision Feb 15

What is the Total cost of Attendance? In-State Out of State Private Institution:

Tuition Fees \$50,464-\$55,424

Room & Board \$17,664

Total per Year (Two Semesters) \$73,088

Upcoming On-Campus visit dates not to be missed?

Is there a "Scholar Day" for Honors bound students?

Applications

When are application deadlines? **Early Decision (Binding) Nov. 1 Notified Dec. 15. Early Decision II(binding) Jan 1 admission around Feb 15. Regular Decision Jan 1 admission by April 1.**

Is an essay required for all decision options? **Yes, 200-500 words**

Are letters of Recommendation required or suggested ? **Yes. 2 required. 1 academic teacher and 1 counselor**

Is an in-person interview required or suggested? **No**

What does the school look for in each "round" of decisions? **GPA, test scores, holistic approach for admission**

Does the school use the Common App? **Yes** How many applicants are received per year? **67,000+**

How much is the application fee? **\$80.00** Are there quotas for applicant acceptance? **NO**

Campus Life

NCAA Criteria (Division I, II, etc.)? **NCAA Division III University Athletic Association**

Are sporting events free? **YES** Is there a ticket lottery? **NO**

Do freshmen live on campus? **guaranteed for all four years in student residences.** Are cars allowed? **Are allowed but would not recommend**

What are the dorms like: hall-style, suite-style, or apartment-style? **Living & Learning Dorms? All different styles of living from traditional dormitories to high-rise apartment buildings.**

Campus Life (requirements, restaurants/cafeterias, clubs/activities, etc.)

What is the undergraduate enrollment? **Abu Dhabi 1300-2400 maximum. NYC 20,000. Shanghai 1300-2400**

Percentage of male: female – Percentage of in-state: out-of-state students

Percentage of students participating in Greek Life – **Greek life available**

Where is the school located? **NYC, Abu Dhabi, and Shanghai**

How far is it from Milton? **14 hour drive, 2 hour plane trip**

Other:

- **Three main campuses: NYC, Abu Dhabi, and Shanghai... Can apply to 1 or all 3. Must rank schools as you apply. If you apply to Abu Dhabi.. must attend a candidate weekend and college will pay for the trip.**
- **Can double major and many students create their own major.**
- **Urban setting-around Washington Square Park near Greenwich Village**