

# 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*

**School: Dalton State College**

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**Is the Rep a school Alum?** Yes, 2018

**Is the Rep involved in the admissions process?** No but he can answer

any questions about the admission process.

**Last year's Freshman Profile:** GPA - 2.2

SAT - 360 Math, 330 Reading

ACT -12 Math, 14 Reading

Honors program GPA -3.5 unweighted SAT -1080

ACT - 21

**GPA -How is it calculated?** Core vs. Cumulative? Weighted vs. unweighted? Cumulative, weighted GPA

**ACT/SAT – Written Portion? Super score?** They super score both tests

**Rigor - What are the average AP requirements?** none

**Extra-Curricular Activities – What does the school look for?** Holistic view of students

**Most popular majors at this school:** Biology, Chemistry, Education, Nursing, Communications

Undergrad Biology and Chemistry students are able to operate on a real cadaver.

Communications includes Film program where students are given hands-on experience at Pinewood studios

For out-of-state schools, are there any majors that would qualify for the Academic Common Market?

**Does chosen major affect decision process?** No

**Study Abroad Programs? Summer Programs, Semester-Long Programs, Foreign Language Programs?**

Study Abroad programs in Europe, Japan and China

**Internships / Co-Op Opportunities?** Several internship opportunities with the business school with Mohawk, Shaw, Engineering Flooring (all companies in the carpet business.) Also with Nursing and education partners with hospitals and schools in Georgia and Tennessee

**Research Opportunities?** Student-initiated, meaning students may approach the professors about creating/doing research.

**Special successes the school is known for:** Nursing program

**Scholarships: Are there any specific to our area or for Georgia students?**

**When are scholarship deadlines?** Oct-Dec Awarded in March. Awarded for need, merit or a combination of both. Anywhere from \$500-\$5000 awarded

**What is the Total cost of Attendance?**

|                                | <u>In-State</u> | <u>Out of State</u> |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| Tuition & Fees                 | \$2123          |                     |
| Room & Board                   | \$4725          |                     |
| Total per Year (Two Semesters) | \$13,696        |                     |

Upcoming On-Campus visit dates not to be missed? [Campus tours are offered weekly](#)

## Applications

When are application deadlines? Different decisions: Early Action, Binding, Early Decision, Regular Decision, Rolling?  
[Rolling admissions with Fall deadline July 1st](#)

Is an essay required for all decision options? [No](#)

Are letters of Recommendation required or suggested? [Not for acceptance. Two letters of recommendations from teachers needed for scholarship.](#)

Is an in-person interview required or suggested? [No](#)

What does the school look for in each “round” of decisions?

Does the school use the Common Apply? [No they have their own application available on their website](#)

How many applicants are received per year?

How much is the application fee? [\\$30](#)

Are there quotas for applicant acceptance?

## Campus Life

NCAA Criteria (Division I, II, etc.)? [Dalton is part of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics \(NAIA\) smaller association than the NCAA. 7 varsity sports ~Men’s basketball, soccer, golf Women’s cross country, track and field, soccer and golf](#)

Are sporting events free? Is there a ticket lottery? [Free](#)

Do freshmen live on campus? Are cars allowed? [Freshman are not required to live on campus at this time. Cars are allowed.](#)

What are the dorms like: hall-style, suite-style, or apartment-style? Living & Learning Dorms? [New dorm was built two years ago \(2016\). Mainly hall-style and suite style dorms](#)

Campus Life (requirements, restaurants/cafeterias, clubs/activities, etc.) [Different clubs including academic and recreational also intramural and club sports](#)

What is the undergraduate enrollment?

Total enrollment? [5500](#)

Percentage of male: female – [48:52](#)  
[growing number of students from Tennessee](#)

Percentage of in-state: out-of-state students – [Mostly GA but](#)

Percentage of students participating in Greek Life – [Just starting to incorporate Greek system. There are 2 sororities and 1 fraternity.](#)

Where is the school located? [Dalton, Georgia. Northwest corner of Georgia by the Tennessee border](#)

How far is it from Milton? [1 ½ hours](#)

Other:

[Emerging Hispanic Serving Institution with 28% Latino population](#)