

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 Center*

School: Appalachian State University

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Is the Rep a school Alum? Yes

Is the Rep involved in the admissions process? No

Last year's Freshman Profile: GPA - 3.9 to 4.4 on 6 pt scale

SAT - 1130 to 1300 (Middle 50%) Evidence-based reading, writing, math

ACT - 23 to 28 (Middle 50%)

GPA -How is it calculated? Core vs. Cumulative? Weighted vs. unweighted? 3.9 to 4.4 on 6 pt scale

The weighted GPA will be used to determine if the student satisfies the minimum GPA requirement.

ACT/SAT – Written Portion? Super score? Super score, no written portion.

Rigor - What are the average AP requirements? Not listed.

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

Most popular majors at this school: Biology, Business, Communication, Education, Health & Exercise Science, Music, Nursing, Psychology & Sustainable Tech. Also, self-designed majors to create your own degree.

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

Does chosen major affect decision process? No.

Study Abroad Programs? Summer Programs, Semester-Long Programs, Foreign Language Programs? Yes, primarily English Speaking Countries in all of these programs.

Internships / Co-Op Opportunities? Yes.

Research Opportunities? Not discussed.

Special successes the school is known for: Sustainability - 1st in Climate Leadership, Highest percentage of sustainability courses. 3rd among top regional public universities in the South. 35 countries represented by international students on campus.

Scholarships: Are there any specific to our area or for Georgia students? Scholarships are merit-based. Does not matter if you are in-state or out-of-state, they are open to everyone. Requires 2 essays and 2 letters of recommendation. Essays are very important in the decision. Big scholarships include stipends. Grants, loans, employment, scholarships.

When are scholarship deadlines? November 15, 2018 - Fall 2019 first-year scholarship application deadline & Fall 2019 Access Scholars application deadline. This application will open in August. If you applied for first-year scholarship opportunities you will also be considered for this scholarship.

March 15, 2019 - Transfer Student Scholarship application for Fall 2019 entry, Appalachian Warrior Fund Scholarship application for Fall 2019 entry, Nancy H Jolly Scholarship application for Fall 2019 sophomores, and Harry & Mary Meinhardt Memorial Scholarship for Student Veterans for Fall 2019 entry

What is the Total cost of Attendance?	<u>In-State</u>	<u>Out of State</u>
Tuition & Fees	\$14,836	\$29,643
Room & Board	Included	Included
Total per Year (Two Semesters)		

Upcoming On-Campus visit dates not to be missed? **October 6, 2018**

Is there a "Scholar Day" for Honors bound students? **Not discussed.**

Applications

When are application deadlines? Different decisions: Early Action, Binding, Early Decision, Regular Decision, Rolling? **Your early action application for admission must be submitted by November 1 and complete by November 15, decision January 25th. Your regular decision application for admission must be submitted by February 1, 2019 and complete by February 15, decision March 15th.**

Is an essay required for all decision options? **2 Essays required for Scholarship opportunities.**

Are letters of Recommendation required or suggested? **2 Recommendations required for Scholarship opportunities.**

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

What does the school look for in each "round" of decisions? **High School transcript, GPA, activities, SAT and/or ACT.**

Does the school use the Common App? **Yes** How many applicants are received per year? **3000 Freshmen this year.**

How much is the application fee? **\$65** Are there quotas for applicant acceptance? **Not sure.**

Campus Life

NCAA Criteria (Division I, II, etc.)? **Div 1 in football and varsity sports.**

Are sporting events free? Is there a ticket lottery? **Sporting events are free.**

Do freshmen live on campus? Are cars allowed? **Yes, and yes.**

What are the dorms like: hall-style, suite-style, or apartment-style? **Living & Learning Dorms? Traditional and suite learn and lead dorms.**

Campus Life (requirements, restaurants/cafeterias, clubs/activities, etc.) **Mountains surrounding campus, 400 clubs, greek life, college town, Self-design degrees, Hiking trails nearby, etc. There are 400 clubs to join, Sports, Greek life, etc.**

What is the undergraduate enrollment? **3000 Freshmen, 17,000 undergrad** Total enrollment? **19,000**

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

Percentage of students participating in Greek Life –

Where is the school located? **Boone, North Carolina**

How far is it from Milton? **Approximately 5 hours.**

Other: