

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: Georgia Gwinnett College **Date: 09/27/18**

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Is the Rep a school Alum? No

Is the Rep involved in the admissions process? N/A - Not subjective

Required Scores for Admission: GPA -2.0, SAT - Math 440, Reading Test 24 ACT – English 17, Math 17 : If you do not meet these testing minimum requirements, you can register to take the ACCUPLACER test and they will use it for admission instead

GPA -How is it calculated? Only Core Classes; they do not recalculate; use exactly as grades are on the transcript

ACT/SAT – Written Portion? Super score? No written portion required

Rigor - What are the average AP requirements? None

Extra-Curricular Activities – What does the school look for? Extra-Curricular Activities are only looked at for scholarships. If you meet the minimum GPA & test scores, you are admitted

Most popular majors at this school: Information Technology, Nursing and Teaching Programs

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? None

Study Abroad Programs? Yes- they have faculty led study abroad programs but you can also participate through other Georgia State College abroad programs.

Internships / Co-Op Opportunities? No Co-Op but many internship opportunities. They have a Career Services Department. In addition, every student is assigned a faculty mentor in his or her major. They serve as an academic advisor but also provide connections for internships.

Research Opportunities? Yes, and you can participate in research all 4 years since there are no graduate students

Special successes the school is known for: Both their Nursing and Education program have 100% job placement; voted most ethnically diverse Southern College for past 4 years.

Scholarships: Are there any specific to our area or for Georgia students? Hope, Zell

When are scholarship deadlines? You can't apply for scholarships until admitted; Check website for details.

What is the Total cost of Attendance?

	<u>In-State</u>
Tuition & Fees	\$6000
Room & Board	\$8000-\$12000
Total per Year (Two Semesters)	\$14,000-\$18,000

Upcoming On-Campus visit dates not to be missed? [Preview Day is October 13, 8am – 1pm](#)

Is there a “Scholar Day” for Honors bound students? [Honors Program requires a 3.5 GPA; separate application](#)

Applications

When are application deadlines? [Rolling Admissions; July 6 is deadline for fall semester](#)

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

Are letters of Recommendation required or suggested? [no](#)

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

What does the school look for in each “round” of decisions? [only that you meet the minimum GPA/ test requirements](#)

Does the school use the Common App? [No. they have their own internal application](#)

How much is the application fee? [\\$20 but waived Oct 13 and following week](#)

Campus Life

NCAA Criteria (Division I, II, etc.)? [No, they are in the NAIA Conference](#)

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

Do freshmen live on campus? Are cars allowed? [80% of students are commuter students but freshman are guaranteed housing if they want to live on campus](#)

What are the dorms like: hall-style, suite-style, or apartment-style? [Apartment style living; private bedroom and share bathroom with 1 person; share kitchen & common area with 4 people](#)

Campus Life (requirements, restaurants/cafeterias, clubs/activities, etc.) [Over 130 Clubs & Organizations](#)

What is the undergraduate enrollment? [13,000](#)

Total enrollment? [13,000](#)

Percentage of male: female – [54% F, 46% M](#)

Percentage of in-state: out-of-state students – [90% in-state](#)

Percentage of students participating in Greek Life – [N/A no Greek Life](#)

Where is the school located? [Lawrenceville, GA](#)

How far is it from Milton? [about 1 hour drive from Milton \(with traffic\); 30 minutes from downtown Atlanta](#)

Other:

[Because the college is so new \(founded in 2005\), they were able to look at industries in the area, and determine jobs needs for developing their curriculum so although they do not offer a lot of majors, the ones that are offered are highly employable. Although Engineering is not a major offered, you may still take the core classes here and transfer to another Georgia state college through their Pathways program. Many students do this to save money.](#)

[All class sizes are very small. They average 20-25 students and largest class is 35 students. Since classes are small, they are more discussion and project based versus lecture hall style and you really get to know your professors.](#)