



CLASS OF 2019: ENROLLING FALL FRESHMEN

3,219 fall freshmen are expected to enroll*

- 52.4% are women; 47.6% are men
- 65.1% attended public high schools
- 17.5% are descendants of Cornell alumni
- 13.3% are first-generation college
- 7.2% are recruited athletes
- The average age is 18

ENROLLING FRESHMEN BY CORNELL COLLEGE

ENDOWED COLLEGES

College of Arts & Sciences	1,086
College of Engineering	746
School of Hotel Administration	175
College of Architecture, Art & Planning	112

CONTRACT COLLEGES

College of Agriculture & Life Sciences	669
College of Human Ecology	269
School of Industrial & Labor Relations	162

STANDARDIZED TESTS

PERCENT OF ENROLLING STUDENTS SUBMITTING SAT SCORES: 75.0%

PERCENT OF ENROLLING STUDENTS SUBMITTING ACT SCORES: 45.3%

	25 th Percentile	50 th Percentile	75 th Percentile	Mean/Average
SAT I Critical Reading	650	700	750	698
SAT I Math	680	740	780	724
SAT I Total	1,350	1,440	1,510	1,422
ACT Composite	30	32	34	32

HIGH SCHOOL CLASS RANK

PERCENT OF ENROLLING STUDENTS SUBMITTING HIGH SCHOOL CLASS RANK: 27.5%

Top tenth of graduating class	88%
Top quarter of graduating class	97%
Top half of graduating class	100%

* First-year depositors expected to enroll based on July data; this figure may differ from official 6th week registration figures.

FINANCIAL AID

Full-time first-year students	3,219	
Students who applied for aid	1,533	47.6%
Students qualified for need-based financial aid	1,457	45.3%
Students awarded need-based grant aid from Cornell sources	1,395	43.3%
Average need-based grant award from Cornell funds	\$37,392	
Average loan amount offered in aid package	\$6,076	

ETHNICITY AND RACE: INSTITUTIONAL REPORTING

Consistent with practices established by the federal government and in use across higher education, the following reporting framework counts each student within a single category. Based on these categories,

- **23.5% identify themselves as under-represented minorities (URM).** URM is defined as American Indian (U.S.), Black (U.S.), Hawaiian/Pacific Isle (U.S.) or any combination including one or more of these categories. All students of Hispanic ethnicity, regardless of race, are also considered URM.
- **46.2% identify themselves as students of color.** This group includes URM plus Asian (U.S.) and Multi Race non-URM (U.S.).

U.S. Citizens, Permanent Residents, and Refugees

Hispanic (U.S.)	452	14.0%
Non-Hispanic/Latino ethnicity, by race		
American Indian (U.S.)	15	0.5%
Asian (U.S.)	647	20.1%
Black (U.S.)	226	7.0%
Hawaiian/Pacific Isle (U.S.)	4	0.1%
White (U.S.)	1,189	36.9%
Multi Race URM (U.S.)	59	1.8%
Multi Race non-URM (U.S.)	85	2.6%
Unknown (U.S.)	238	7.4%
International, of any ethnicity and race	304	9.4%

ETHNICITY AND RACE: U.S. CITIZENS' SELF-REPORTS

To reflect the many ways in which U.S. citizens, permanent residents, and refugees self-identify combinations of ethnicity and/or race, the following figures show the proportion checking each option. The totals will sum to greater than 100%, since students may select more than one. *International students are not included.*

Total U.S. Citizens, Permanent Residents, and Refugees:	2,915	
Indicated Hispanic	452	15.5%
Indicated American Indian	51	1.7%
Indicated Asian	769	26.4%
Indicated Black	282	9.7%
Indicated Hawaiian/Pacific Isle	12	0.4%
Indicated White	1594	54.7%

GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSITY

Members of the Class of 2019 reside in 48 of the 50 United States plus Washington DC, Guam, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. International students are citizens of 44 countries.

REGIONAL REPRESENTATION (by location of school)

New York	937	29.1%
Mid-Atlantic	633	19.7%
Far West	410	12.7%
New England	359	11.2%
International	302	9.4%
Midwest	220	6.8%
Southeast	218	6.8%
Southwest	140	4.3%
Unknown	0	0.0%

CLASS OF 2019 ADMISSIONS STATISTICS

OVERVIEW	Early Decision	Regular Decision	Total
Applicants	4,560	37,340	41,900
Admits	1,196	5,119	6,315
Enrolling	1,165	2,054	3,219

WAITLIST

Number of qualified applicants offered a place on the waitlist	3,583
Number accepting a place on the waitlist	2,231
Number offered fall admission from the waitlist	81

SAT I CRITICAL READING	Applicants	Admits	Enrolling [†]
750 - 800	19%	37%	27%
700 - 740	20%	26%	26%
650 - 690	23%	21%	25%
600 - 640	17%	11%	14%
550 - 590	10%	4%	6%
500 - 540	6%	1%	2%
Below 500	4%	0.3%	0.5%

SAT I MATH	Applicants	Admits	Enrolling
750 - 800	42%	55%	47%
700 - 740	19%	20%	22%
650 - 690	17%	14%	17%
600 - 640	10%	7%	9%
550 - 590	6%	2%	4%
500 - 540	3%	1%	1%
Below 500	2%	0.1%	0.1%

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