Howdy!
how we stack up
public university in the nation - Washington Monthly

“best value college” in Texas - U.S. News and World Report

most affordable university in the state - College Affordability Guide

most students studying abroad - Institute of International Education

most graduates who are CEOs of Fortune 100 companies - Fortune
1st public institution of higher learning in Texas, opening October 4th, 1876

92.6% first-year student retention rate

20:1 student/teacher ratio
25% of entering freshmen are first-generation - among the best rates in the nation

3rd largest university in the country (68,000 students)

$168 million financial aid awarded to the latest class of incoming freshman
2019 freshman class

Total Applicants: 49,777

- 13,090: Top 10% admits
- 5,440: Academic admits
- 5,400: TEAM, TEAB, Gateway, GV/HECM
- 2,410: Full admits from holistic review
BRAZOS VALLEY

STARTED APP: 1,454

COMPLETED: 1,344

ADMITTED: 826

ENROLLED: 592
Corpus Christi

Started App: 849
Completed: 762
Admitted: 503
Enrolled: 276
DFW and EAST TEXAS

- Started App: 11,536
- Completed: 10,101
- Admitted: 5,829
- Enrolled: 2,539
HOUSTON

STARTED APP: 12,991
COMPLETED: 11,607
ADMITTED: 6,630
ENROLLED: 3,072
Rio Grande Valley

- Started App: 2,804
- Completed: 2,206
- Admitted: 1,398
- Enrolled: 455
what’s NEW
NEW and NOTEWORTHY

APPLICATION
SELF REPORTED ACADEMIC RECORD (SRAR)
Takes the place of the high school transcript

ESSAY
New essay prompt is the same for both applications

ACADEMIC ADMIT
Discontinued beginning with Fall 2021 applicants

NEW MAJORS
B.S. ARCHITECTURAL ENGINEERING
Mechanical Systems for Buildings

B.S. ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

CONTINUING
LOCATION PREFERENCE
Preferred location for majors will be considered during the admission process.
attracting THE BEST
Attend a recognized public or private high school in Texas

Rank in the top 10% of graduating class

Ensure all required documents are received by the admissions deadline

Meet Uniform Admission Policy requirements

Graduate under the foundation curriculum with the distinguished level of achievement

55% of the 2019 freshman class was in the Top 10%
Complete all required coursework

Rank in the top quarter of graduating class

ACHIEVE SAT or ACT SCORE MINIMUMS

SAT: Total score of at least 1360 with at least 620 Math and 660 Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW)

ACT: Composite score of at least 30 with at least 27 Math and 27 English

Ensure all required documents are received by the admissions deadline

Meet Uniform Admission Policy requirements

23% of the 2019 freshman class was from Academic Admit
22% of the 2019 freshman class was from Holistic Review

**ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT**
- High School Academic Record
- SAT / ACT score
- Recommended coursework

**PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENT**
- Extracurricular Activities
- Community Service
- Talents / Awards / Honors

**ALSO CONSIDERED**
- Unique Opportunities
- Challenges / Hardships
- Resourcefulness
Admissions Application

Essay A

Application fee or fee waiver
$75 Domestic | $90 International

Official SAT / ACT score

Self-Reported Academic Record (SRAR)
1. APPLY ——— app opens July 1
   app and scholarship app
   deadline: Dec. 1

2. SUBMIT ——— additional required documents

3. FAFSA ——— Texas A&M priority date: Dec. 15

4. DEADLINE ——— all required documents: Dec. 15

5. ACCEPT ——— decision due: May 1

6. TRANSCRIPT ——— Final transcript due: Aug. 15
NOTICE of DECISIONS

TOP 10% & ACADEMIC ADMITS
Notifications are posted after the complete application file is processed

HOLISTIC REVIEW
Applicants will be notified by March

STATUS UPDATES
Monitor admission status on the Application Information System (AIS) via the Howdy Portal
PATHS to an AGGIE DEGREE
ADMISSIONS to TEXAS A&M

• Main Campus in College Station
  • Admission to Selected Major (or General Business / Engineering)
  • Admission to the University, but not preferred major
  • Texas A&M Blinn TEAM
  • Summer Gateway Program

• Main Campus, but in Alternate Location
  • Higher Education Center in McAllen
  • Engineering at Galveston
  • Engineering at Blinn-Bryan

• Galveston Campus

• Qatar Campus
• Interest captured on the application
• Dual enrollment program
• Transition through change of major process
• Pathway Agreements guarantee direct entry to specific major

tap.tamu.edu/Programs/TEAM
AGGIE GATEWAY to SUCCESS

- Provisional summer admission
- Administered through Transition Academic Programs
- Students begin college career in the summer as General Studies majors
- Successful students gain full admission for fall
- Limited offers
- High success rate

tap.tamu.edu/gateway
• Four degree programs: Interdisciplinary Engineering, Multidisciplinary Engineering, Biomedical Sciences and Public Health

• New $41 million facility

• Modern labs and classrooms

• Texas A&M faculty

• Small class sizes

• Low cost of living

mcallen.tamu.edu
TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY GALVESTON CAMPUS

- Ocean-oriented branch campus
- Includes the Texas A&M Maritime Academy
- Specialized majors in the fields of ocean sciences, engineering, transportation, business and liberal arts
- Nearly 2,600 currently enrolled
- Fall 2020 priority deadline: March 1
- Fall 2020 Deadline May 1

tamug.edu
OTHER PATHWAYS to A&M

- Program for System Admission
- Program for Transfer Admission
- Engineering Academies
- Transfer Admissions
- Articulation Agreements
PROGRAM for SYSTEM ADMISSION

- Begin college career at a Texas A&M System School
- Transition after 1 year
- Successful completion guarantees admission to specific majors at Texas A&M

admissions.tamu.edu/psa

1. PRARIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY
2. TARLETON STATE UNIVERSITY
3. TEXAS A&M CORPUS CHRISTI
4. TEXAS A&M COMMERCE
5. TEXAS A&M KINGSVILLE
6. TEXAS A&M INTERNATIONAL
7. TEXAS A&M TEXARKANA
8. WEST TEXAS A&M
Program for Transfer Admission

- Intended for students at Texas community colleges
- 65 different degree plans
- Successful completion guarantees admission to specific majors
- Cannot sign up until after high school graduation

admissions.tamu.edu/PTA
more STUFF
• Smaller classes
• Increased academic engagement
• Undergraduate research
• National scholarships

launch.tamu.edu/honors
honors ELIGIBILITY

- National Merit finalists and National Hispanic Scholars
- Indicate interest on admission application
- Supplemental application
- Continuing students

launch.tamu.edu/honors
FIT IN and STAND OUT

1,100+ student organizations

SERVICE - LEADERSHIP - ATHLETICS
TRADITIONS - GREEK LIFE - AND MORE!
CORPS OF CADETS

- Largest student organization
- 2300+ scholarships
- No military obligation

PROGRAMS
- Spend the Day/Night with the Corps
- Aggie Eagle
- Junior Cadet Accessions

corps.tamu.edu
on-campus HOUSING

- Eligible to apply after admission to the university
- Several different options – dorms and apartments
- Apply early to get one of your top choices
- Virtual tours available

reslife.tamu.edu
## Cost of Attendance

### 2019-2020 - College Station Undergraduate Fall and Spring

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*Amounts are based on 15 credit hours per semester at Texas A&M University. Tuition and fees vary by college and tuition rate code. Check https://tuition.tamu.edu.
FINANCIAL AID and SCHOLARSHIPS
$13,886
average award package

72%
Aggies receive financial assistance

10,149
student employees, graduate assistants and work study students
financial aid

FAFSA available: Oct. 1

Texas A&M FAFSA priority date: Dec. 15

Texas A&M school code: 003632

IRS Data Retrieval Tool

Check status at howdy.tamu.edu - my finances tab
Complete the scholarship section of the admissions application by Dec. 1

scholarships.tamu.edu

ACADEMIC ENDOWED
President’s Endowed
Lechner
McFadden

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT
President’s Achievement
Century Scholars

ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS
Opportunity Awards
College / Departmental
Foundation Excellence Award
regents’ SCHOLARSHIP

- Up to $20,000 ($5,000 per year for four years) scholarship for first-generation college students
- Parents do not have a bachelor’s degree
- Family income $40,000 or less
- Limited to 900 students
- Awarded on a first-come, first-served basis

$14.2M gift aid award to Regents’ Scholars
national SCHOLARS
No. 7 among public universities for National Merit Scholars enrolled

No. 2 public university for service in the nation

$905.4 M annual research and development expenditures
### Scholarships

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**Total over four years** = **$42,000**

### Additional Opportunities

- Study Abroad Stipend: $1,000
- National Merit Supplemental: $3,000 for 5th year of study

### National Scholar Days

Oct. 28 | Nov. 4 | Nov. 11
College Board Recognition Award (CBRA)

$14,000 awarded automatically upon admission
($3,500 per year)
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• Counselor Connection newsletter

admissions.tamu.edu/counselors
Admissions Events

Oct. 25
Aggie Information Day

Feb. 8
Aggieland Saturday
regional SERVICES

- School visits
- TACRAO programs
- Monthly socials
- Freshman admission sessions
- Application workshops
- Scholarship/Financial Aid workshops
THANKS &
Gig 'em!