NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL & TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY

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Brief Description

North Carolina Agricultural and Technical (NCA&T) State University is a learner-centered community that develops and preserves intellectual capital through interdisciplinary learning, discovery, engagement, and operational excellence. A doctoral/research intensive university and a land-grant institution, NCA&T offers degrees at the baccalaureate, master's, and doctoral levels. The University's academic programs are organized into two colleges (College of Engineering and College of Arts and Sciences) and six schools (Agriculture and Environmental Sciences, Business and Economics, Education, Nursing, Technology, and Graduate Studies). To continue its efforts to enhance diversity, the University actively recruits minority students.

History

Established in 1891 as Agricultural and Mechanical College for Negroes. Temporarily located in Raleigh until moved to Greensboro in 1893. Name changed to Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina in 1915. Master's program began in 1939. Designated a regional university in 1967 and merged into the University of North Carolina in 1972. Doctoral program began in 1993. Designated as doctoral/research intensive in 2004.

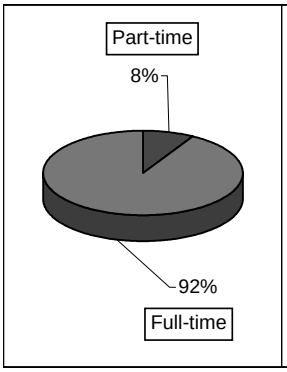
Location

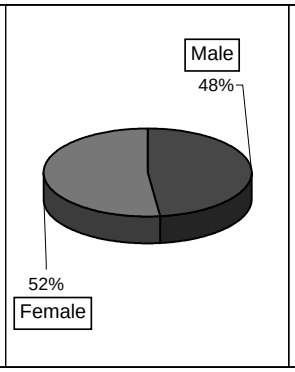
Downtown Greensboro (city population: 225,000; Guilford County population: 424,000), a major city in the piedmont region, serving as a trade and business center.

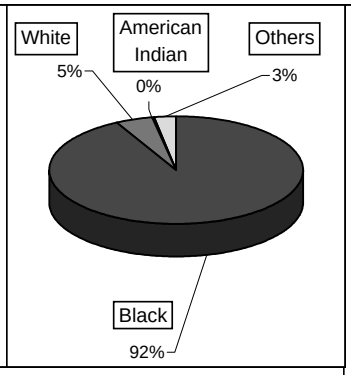
Academic Calendar (2004-2005)

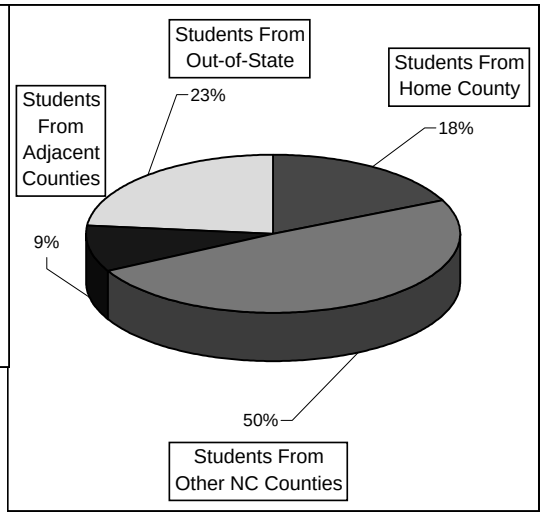
Class Periods				Vacations/Holidays		
Fall Term	Spring Term	Summer Terms	Commencement	Fall Break	Winter Break	Spring Break
8/16-12/10	1/6-5/6	5/16-6/21, 6/23-7/29	12/11, 5/7	10/11-10/12	12/11-1/5	3/7-3/11

Undergraduate Enrollment (Fall 2004):









Student Services

Career Services	Disability Support Services	Minority Student Services	Student Development
Counseling Services	Veterans Support Services	New Student Orientation	Student Records
Cultural Programs	Housing & Residence Life	Religious Affairs	University Events
First Year Experience	Intercollegiate Athletics	Research	University Testing
Food Services	Int'l Students & Scholars	Security	Health Services
Fraternities: 5	Intramural & Recreation	Sororities: 4	

Est. Annual Student Costs (2004-2005)

Tuition	in-state	$1,769
	out-of-state	$11,211
Required Fees		$1,297
Room	(double occupancy)	$2,893
Board	(full meal plan)	$2,300
Books		$1,000
Other Expenses	in-state	$2,900
	out-of-state	$2,900
Total Student Budget		
	in-state	$12,159
	out-of-state	$21,601

Student Financial Aid, 2003-2004

% of Freshmen Receiving Any Aid	**93.7%**
% of Freshmen Receiving Any Need-Based Aid	**86.4%**
% of Full-Time Undergrad. Students Receiving Pell Grants	**50.4%**

Scholarship Programs: Numerous scholarships and other forms of financial aid available; consult campus catalog and contact Financial Aid Office.

Priority Application Filing Date:	March 15
Earliest Date of Award Notification:	April 1
Latest Date of Award Notification:	Into fall semester

Note: Dates given above are approximate. Actual dates may vary from year to year. Consult campus catalog.

Director of Student Financial Aid: Mrs. Sherri Avent
Telephone Number: 336-334-7973

Freshman Class Profile (Fall 2004)*

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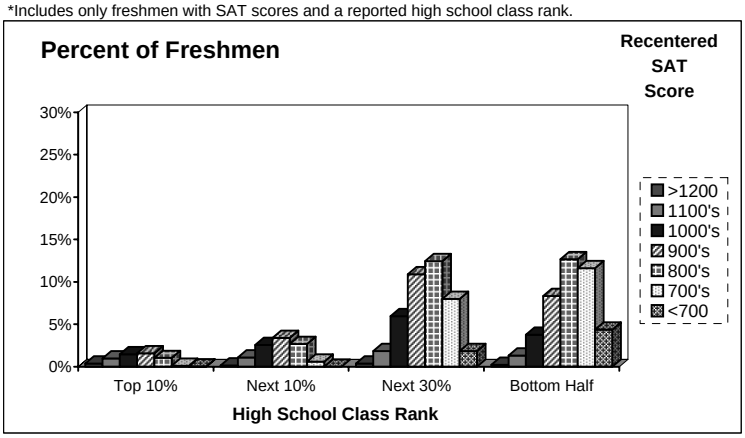
Number of Freshmen:

High School Class Rank	Combined Recentered SAT Score: 1200 or more	1100-1199	1000-1099	900-999	800-899	700-799	<700	Total
Top 10%	7	18	27	29	19	2	1	103
Next 10%	3	20	47	62	49	11	0	192
Next 30%	7	34	109	199	227	146	34	756
Bottom Half	4	24	69	152	231	212	80	772
Total	21	96	252	442	526	371	115	1,823

*Includes only freshmen with SAT scores and a reported high school class rank.



Bachelor's Degree Programs Offered (2003-2004)

Bachelor's Degrees Conferred: 920

Discipline Area	Specific Majors (Number of Bachelor's Degrees Conferred)
Agriculture, Ag Operations	Agriculture, General(4), Agricultural Economics(2), Animal Sciences, General(8), Animal Sciences, Other(13)
Architecture	Landscape Architecture(7)
Area, Ethnic Studies	
Biological Sciences	Biology/Biological Sciences(20)
Business, Mgmt., Mktg.	Bus Admin & Mgmt, General(64), Transportation Mgmt(14), Accounting(49), Finance, General(8), Marketing/Marketing Management(39)
Communication, Journ.	Mass Communication(59), Journalism(0), Radio & Television(3), Public Relations(3)
Computer & Info Science	Computer Science(45)
Education	Special Ed(4), Elementary(16), Kindergarten(1), Agricultural(5), Art(0), Business(4), English(0), Family & Consumer Sci(2), Technology/Indust Arts(0), Math(0), Music(1), Physical Ed Teaching & Coaching(3),Biology(1),Chemistry(0),History(0),Spanish(0)
Engineering	Agricultural(4), Architectural(26), Chemical(19), Civil(9), Electrical,Electronics(48), Engineering Physics(2), Mechanical(24), Industrial(14)
Engineering Technologies	Electrical, Electronic(67), Industrial Technology(15), Engineering Tech, Other(6)
English Language & Lit	English Language & Literature, General(8), Speech & Rhetorical Studies(10)
Family & Consumer Sci.	Family & Consumer Sciences(8), Foods, Nutrition, & Wellness Studies(4), Child Development(21)
Foreign Languages, Lit.	Romance Languages, Literatures, & Linguistics, Other(0)
Health Professions	Nursing(47), Occupational Health & Industrial Hygiene(13)
History	History, General(6)
Liberal Arts & Sciences	Liberal Arts & Sciences/Liberal Studies(0)
Mathematics & Statistics	Mathematics, General(0), Applied Mathematics(8)
Multi/Interdisciplinary	
Parks, Rec., Leisure & Fit	Parks, Rec. & Leisure Facilities Mgmt(7), Health & Physical Education, General(8)
Philosophy & Religious St	
Physical Sciences	Chemistry, General(4), Physics, General(1)
Psychology	Psychology, General(41)
Public Admin & Social Ser	Social Work(19)
Security & Protective Serv	Criminal Justice/Safety Studies(0)
Social Sciences	Economics, General(6), Political Science & Government(27), Sociology(14)
Visual & Performing Arts	Graphic Design(42), Drama & Dramatics(7), Art/Art Studies(8), Music, General(2)

Admission Information

Director of Admissions: **Mr. Lee Young**
Telephone Number: **336-334-7946**
Courses required beyond minimum requirement: **None**
Application Fee: **$45**
Earliest date for application to be considered for fall term: **January 1**
Latest date for application to be considered for fall term: **June 1**
Earliest date letters of decision for fall admission are expected to be sent out: **February 1**
Latest date letters of decision for fall admission are expected to be sent out: **June 1**

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Advanced Placement Accepted

Information on Advanced Placement credit granted appears in Appendix A.

Facilities

Campus Space 800 acres
Residence Halls 3 men's, 2 women's, 3 coed dorms
Special Features University Galleries, Greensboro Four Memorial

Rates of Retention, Graduation, and Persistence for Fall First-Time Full-Time Freshmen

Retention Rate for Fall 2003 Freshmen:

Freshman to Sophomore	73.1%

Graduation Rates for Fall 1998 Freshmen:

After 4 Years	23.6%
After 5 Years	38.8%
After 6 Years*	42.5%

Persistence Rates for Fall 1998 Freshmen (Graduated or Still Enrolled):

After 4 Years	52.0%
After 5 Years	48.8%
After 6 Years	46.5%

*As required by the Student Right to Know and Campus Security Act of 1990.

Full-Time Faculty (Fall 2004)

With Doctorate or First Professional Degree	281
Total	339

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