APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY

http://www.appstate.edu/

Brief Description

Appalachian State University offers 95 undergraduate majors and 81 graduate majors. As a comprehensive university serving the traditional undergraduate student, Appalachian's primary mission is instruction. The University feels a special responsibility to the Appalachian region and seeks to contribute to the understanding, appreciation, and preservation of its unique culture. Appalachian State University is committed to equality of opportunity. To further racial integration, the University actively seeks to recruit and enroll a greater number of black students.

History

Founded in 1899. Known as Watauga Academy until 1903 when it became a state institution and was designated Appalachian Training School for Teachers. Name changed to Appalachian State Normal School in 1925 and again four years later to Appalachian State Teachers College. Designated Appalachian State University in 1967. Merged into the University of North Carolina in 1972.

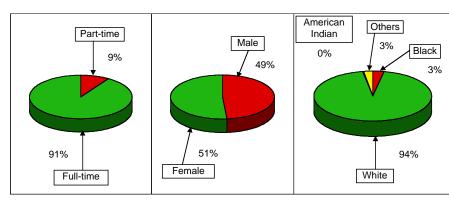
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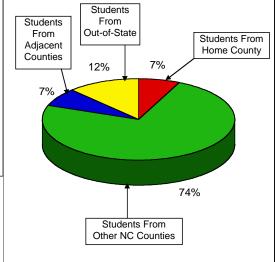
Boone (population: 14,500) is in the heart of the Blue Ridge Mountains. The area offers skiing in the winter and cool temperatures in the summer.

Academic Calendar (2000-2001)

Class Periods				Vacations/Holidays		
Fall Term	Spring Term	Summer Terms	Commencement	Fall Break	Winter Break	Spring Break
8/16-12/13	1/8-5/9	5/21-6/21, 7/2-8/2	12/16, 5/12	10/12-10/13	12/14-1/7	3/12-3/16

Undergraduate Enrollment (Fall 2000):





Student Services

Alumni Affairs Career Development Counseling Cultural Programs Discipline/Judiciary Fraternities: 12

Food Service Disabled Student Serv **Health Services** Housing Intercollegiate Athletics International Students

Intramural &Recreation Minority Student Serv Orientation Religious Affairs Research

Sororities: 9 Student Activities Student Center Student Records Testing Veterans

Est. Annual Student Costs (2000-2001)

	out-of-state	\$15,918		
	in-state	\$8,648		
Total Student Budget				
	out-of-state	\$2,400		
Other Expenses	in-state	\$2,400		
Books*		\$450		
Board	(full meal plan)	\$1,700		
Room	(double occupancy)	\$2,110		
Required Fees		\$1,006		
	out-of-state	\$8,252		
Tuition	in-state	\$982		

^{*}Includes book rental, additional books and supplies.

Student Financial Aid, 1999-2000

% of Freshmen Receiving Any Aid 51.8% 25.5% % of Freshmen Receiving Any Need-Based Aid

% of Full-Time Undergrad. Students Receiving

Pell Grants 18.2%

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 Latest Date of Award Notification: Throughout the year

Note: Dates given above are approximate. Actual dates may vary

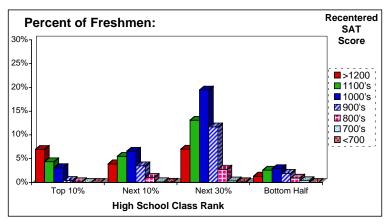
from year to year. Consult campus catalog.

Director of Student Financial Aid: Ms. Esther Captain Telephone Number: 828-262-2190

Freshman Class Profile (Fall 2000)*

Number of Freshmen:								
	Combined Recentered SAT Score							
High School			1000-	900-	800-	700-	<700	Total
Class Rank	or more	1199	1099	999	899	799		
Top 10%	164	103	73	10	3	0	0	353
Next 10%	92	129	155	82	25	3	1	487
Next 30%	165	308	458	275	65	7	3	1,281
Bottom Half	31	61	68	45	21	9	0	235
Total	452	601	754	412	114	19	4	2,356

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



Bachelor's Degree Programs Offered (1999-2000)

Bachelor's Degrees Conferred: 2,340

Discipline Area Specific Majors (Number of Bachelor's Degrees Conferred)

Agric.		

Arch. & Env. Des. City/Urban, Community, & Regional Planning(8)

Area, Ethnic Studies

Biological Sciences Biology, General(31), Ecology(19)

Business & Mgmt. Bus Admin & Mgmt(91),Accounting(78),Bus Econ(0),Finance(56),Insurance & Risk(14),

Hospitality/Admin Mgmt(35),Mgmt Info Systems(101),Bus Mktg Mgmt(80),Real Estate(12)

Communications Advertising(71), Journalism(25), Public Relations(43), Radio & TV Broadcasting(56)

Computer & Info Sci Computer Science(29)

Education Special(5), Specific LD(23), Elem(165), Jr. High(23), Pre-Elem(11), Art(8), Business(4),
English(31), Health(8), Home Econ(5), Tech/Indust Arts(1), Marketing(1), Math(18),
Music(24), Physical(34), Social Studies(10), Biology(9), Chemistry(1), Drama&Dance(4),
French(0), History(25), Physics(1), Spanish(5), Teacher Ed Specific Acad & Vocat(1)

Engineering

Engineering-Related Electrical, Electronic(9), Industrial/Manufacturing Technology(33), Construction Mgmt(23)

Visual & Perf Arts Graphic Design(57), Indust Design(19), Interior Design(23), Drama/Thea Arts(7), Art, Gen(5)

Fine/Studio Arts(19), Arts Mgmt(4), Music Perf(8), Music Bus Mgmt/Merchandising(11)

Foreign Lang & Lit French Language & Literature(2), Spanish Language & Literature(25)

Health Professions Communication Disorders(39), Health Systems/Health Services Admin(17),
Medical Technology(0), Public Health Ed & Promotion(68), Music Therapy(0)

Home Economics Home Econ, Gen(0), Foods & Nutrition Studies(20), Child Growth, Care & Dev(10), Clothino/Apparel & Textile Studies(8)

Interdis. Studies

English Lang./Philos. English Lang & Lit, Gen(67), Speech & Rhetorical Studies(49), Philosophy & Religion(13)

Liberal Arts & Sci Liberal Arts & Sciences/Liberal Studies(30)

Mathematics Mathematics(15), Mathematical Statistics(2)

Physical Sciences Chemistry, General(11), Geology(11), Physics, General(6)

Psychology Psychology, General(136)

Parks, Rec. & Leisure Parks, Rec, & Leisure Facilities Mgmt(75), Athletic Training(5), Exercise Sciences(26)

Protective/Pub. Admin Criminal Justice Studies(97), Social Work(40)

Social Sciences Anthropology(41), Economics(5), Geography(30),

History, General(27), Political Science & Government(39), Sociology(42)

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Admission Information

Director of Admissions: Mr. Paul Hiatt
Telephone Number: 828-262-2120

Courses required beyond minimum requirement:

None

Application Fee: \$45

Earliest date for application to be considered for fall term:

October 15

Latest date for application to be considered for fall term:

March 15

Earliest date letters of decision for fall admission are expected to be sent out: November 15

Latest date letters of decision for fall admission are expected to be sent out:

April 15

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

Advanced Placement Accepted

Information on Advanced Placement credit granted appears in Appendix A.

Facilities

Campus Space 340 acres

Residence Halls 17

Special Features Living-learning centers in NY City and

Washington, D.C.

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

Retention Rate for Fall 1999 Freshmen:

Freshman to Sophomore 84.7%

Graduation Rates for Fall 1994 Freshmen:

After 4 Years	31.2%
After 5 Years	55.5%
After 6 Years*	59.3%

Persistence Rates for Fall 1994 Freshmen (Graduated or Still Enrolled):

After 4 Years	62.7%
After 5 Years	61.5%
After 6 Years	62.0%

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

Full-Time Faculty (Fall 2000)

With Doctorate or First Professional Degree 488

Total

561