What Defines Denison?


That’s the Denison difference.
You don’t have to choose between the comfort of a small town campus and the excitement of a thriving city.

WHERE
WE ARE

a location that is both/and, not either/or
Denison’s 931-acre campus rests on a hill above charming Granville and just a short drive to the cultural hub of Columbus, Ohio, home to a vibrant arts and restaurant scene, John Glenn Columbus International Airport (CMH), and internship and professional opportunities.

Your Home on the Hill
We’re a tight-knit community with a family feel, yet a buzzing city—alive with the arts, music, dining, and nightlife—is right next door.

Founded in 1831
4-Year Residential Community
2,300 Undergraduate Students
No two students leave Denison with the same experience. But all students leave Denison with a great experience.

a personal approach to education
Healthy Discussion and Hearty Debate

Our outstanding faculty focus on engagement, so our students gain critical-thinking, creative problem-solving, and exceptional communication skills. Plus, our students leave Denison with agility, tenacity, and adaptability necessary for lifelong career success.

MENTOR DRIVEN

relationship focused

Our professors are true mentors, guiding you to explore your passions and achieve your potential. Our career-readiness programs, collaborative research, intellectual engagement, global experiences, and performance opportunities offer the benefits of a small university.

92% of students find a mentor at Denison

9:1 student-faculty ratio
Denison combines the critical thought of a liberal arts education with the career-specific training employers seek.

the skills to succeed in your career
REAL-WORLD EXPERIENCE

on campus and off

Critical-thinking, creative problem-solving, and strong communication skills form the foundation of your learning, along with the relevant experience needed to step into a career or graduate school. Denison’s curriculum evolves with the times, with academic programs in data analytics, financial economics, global commerce, global health, and narrative journalism, among others.
### Hands-on Learning, Skills-Based Training

We’re preparing students for the world that awaits them, as well as for careers that may not even exist yet. In addition to critical thinking and communication skills, Denison students engage in hands-on research with the latest lab equipment; create new work from the ground up—from building sets for theatre to editing video in 4K retina editing labs; and solve problems with the campus community and outside organizations through design-thinking in the Red Frame Lab.

- **80%** of students have an off-campus experience
- **130+** summer research opportunities
- **250** off-campus opportunities

### Academic Programs

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Athletics and Campus Organizations

VARSITY SPORTS
Baseball - Men
Basketball - Women, Men
Cross Country - Women, Men
Fencing - Women
Field Hockey - Women
Football - Men
Golf - Women, Men
Lacrosse - Women, Men
Soccer - Women, Men
Softball - Women
Squash - Women, Men
Swimming & Diving - Women, Men
Tennis - Women, Men
Track & Field - Women, Men
Volleyball - Women

CLUB SPORTS INCLUDE:
Badminton
Basketball
Cheer
Crew
Equestrian
Fencing
Golf
Ice Hockey
Ju Jitsu
Lacrosse
Red Noise Pep Band
Rugby
Skiing & Snowboarding
Soccer
Swimming
Taekwondo
Tennis
Ultimate Frisbee
Volleyball
Water Polo
Yoga/Zumba

INTRAMURAL SPORTS
Badminton
Basketball 3/3 & 5/5
Battleship
Corn Hole
Dodgeball
Flag Football
Floor Hockey
Indoor Soccer
Kickball

Pickball
Sand Volleyball
Softball
Spikeball
Volleyball

CAMPUS ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDE:
22 Fraternities and Sororities
A Cappella Groups
African Student Association
Asian Culture Club
Black Student Union
Burpee’s Seedy Theatrical Company
College Democrats & College Republicans
Denison Asian Student Union
Denison Community Association
Denison Enterprises
Denison Film Society
Denison Community Governance Association
Denison International Student Association
The Denisonian (student newspaper)
The Doobie Radio Station
Hillel
La Fuerza Latina
Middle Eastern Cultural Organization
Muslim Student Association
Denison Venture Philanthropy
Global China Connection
Outlook (LGBTQA)
Women in Business
Young Life

26 varsity sports

160+ student clubs and organizations

600+ campus leadership positions

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Denison graduates build networks that propel them on to be leaders in business, technology, communications, medicine, the arts, and more.

confidence and connections for your future
NEW FRIENDS AND NEW IDEAS

Life-changing experiences

Your perspective will become part of a fabric of different perspectives from students all over the world. Wherever you go—through every friend you make—you’ll discover new ways of looking at things, and you’ll teach others what it’s like to see the world through your eyes. Life-changing learning takes place at Denison, and it’s supported through many programs, including the International Student Support Office, the Multicultural Student Association, and the Center for Religious and Spiritual Life.

A Global Campus

Top 10 Countries for Enrollment Outside the U.S.

1. Vietnam 6. Pakistan
2. China 7. United Kingdom
3. India 8. Ethiopia
4. South Korea 9. Nepal
5. Ghana 10. Canada

Incoming student data as of August 2020
You'll be ready for whatever comes next.

Denison has developed the gold standard in career readiness programs through the Austin E. Knowlton Career Exploration Center. Our students intern and begin their careers in corporate and nonprofit industries, and they attend top-tier graduate programs. They also have access to Knowlton’s signature programs, including:

**First Looks:** a career exploration program that allows students to gain insight into a profession

**OnBoard:** a professional skill-building platform, to give students practical know-how that employers want

**Career Ready Boot Camp:** a three-day intensive career-readiness program

96% of alumni are employed in their desired field or position

$600k in funded internships annually

In addition, our 16 career center coaches and powerful network of alumni and parents, who work in every field all over the world, help to get our students quickly on the path to success. And Denison’s Launch Lab in downtown Columbus provides additional career support, along with internship and co-curricular learning opportunities.
Scholarships range from $5,000 up to full tuition for all four years of study.

To apply for need-based financial aid, all U.S. citizens and permanent residents must complete the CSS Profile and the FAFSA.

For more information about financial support, visit admission.denison.edu.

2020-2021 Cost and Aid Overview

- Tuition: $55,420
- Housing: $7,600
- Meals: $6,120
- Fees: $1,260

100% OF DEMONSTRATED NEED MET through need-based financial aid and merit-based scholarships.

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A Glance at our Incoming Class

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- 28% admission rate
- ACT (middle 50%): 28-32
- SAT (middle 50%): 1220-1420

Want to learn more?

We’d love to hear from you. Here are a few opportunities to connect with us.

GENERAL INFORMATION SESSIONS
Our information sessions help you get to know us better. An admission officer and current students walk you through all things Denison—from residential life to academics to all the extras. Get your questions answered during Q&A.

VISIT CAMPUS
Visiting Denison is a great way to learn about us, so you can see how special this place is in person. We think you’ll find that our campus is as friendly and welcoming as it is beautiful!

INTERVIEW WITH US
No one is required to interview, but it’s a great chance for us to get to know you personally beyond your application. Denison is all about making personal connections—let’s start now.

For more information or to schedule a visit, go to visit.denison.edu

Denison alumni

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1220-1420 SAT (middle 50%)

28-32 ACT (middle 50%)

100% of demonstrated need met through need-based financial aid and merit-based scholarships.
Start shaping your future now

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Educational format, residential life, campus programming, and student activity offerings are subject to change in the event of exigent circumstances, including the ongoing COVID-19 situation.