

# Carnegie Mellon

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"School, friends, food, sleep: Choose three. That's Carnegie Mellon," according to the "incredibly intelligent engineer types" and "flamboyant drama majors" at this "rigorous" school. Excellent programs include engineering, computer science, business, architecture, and a well-respected School of Drama with several famous alums including Ted Danson.

## Student Body

**Enrollment:** 5, 998  
**% Out Of State:** 80%  
**% Male/Female:** 57/43

## SAT® & ACT™

SAT I or ACT required, SAT II required  
 ACT Composite: 29-33

SAT Critical Reading: 620-720	SAT Math: 670-780	SAT Writing: 620-710
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## Acceptance & Retention

H.S. diploma required, GED accepted  
 Percent applicants accepted: 38% applicants accepted.  
 45% of first-year students had H.S. GPA of 3.75 or higher  
 95% return for sophomore year.

## High School Preparation

### Required units:

Academic electives	3
English	4
Foreign language	2
Mathematics	3
Science units that must be lab	3
Science	3

### Recommended units:

Academic electives	4
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## College Cost (Fall 2009)

	Living on-campus	Living at home	Commuting, not living at home
In-state tuition and fees:	\$40,920	\$40,920	\$40,920
Out-of-state tuition and fees:	\$40,920	\$40,920	\$40,920
Room and board:	\$10,340	\$1,670	\$9,240
Books and supplies:	\$990	\$990	\$990
Estimated personal expenses:	\$1,356	\$1,356	\$1,356
Transportation expense:		\$640	
<b>Total cost (in-state)</b>	<b>\$53,606</b>	<b>\$45,576</b>	<b>\$52,506</b>
<b>Total cost (out-of-state)</b>	<b>\$53,606</b>	<b>\$45,576</b>	<b>\$52,506</b>



Overlook



Flagstaff Hill



Mudge Garden



Gesling Stadium



College of Fine Arts



University Center



Hunt Library

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