

## About Rochester

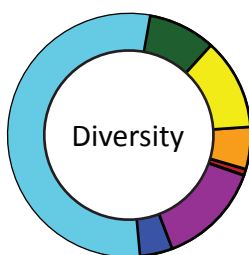
The University of Rochester, founded in 1850, is one of the country's leading private research universities. Rochester operates on a personal scale, creating exceptional opportunities for interdisciplinary study and close work with faculty. The University consistently ranks among the top in federally financed science, engineering, medical, and other research. The unique Rochester Curriculum invites students to learn what they love, allowing for both focus and flexibility.

## Class of 2012 Summary

Admissions	Freshmen	Transfers
Applied	11,593	792
Admitted	4,909	198
Enrolled	1,157	100

### Class of 2012 Diversity

African American/Black	5.5 %
Asian American	13.9 %
Hispanic/Latino	4.6 %
Native American	0.6 %
White	54.4 %
International	8.8 %
Unreported	12.2 %



### Middle 50% Range for Admitted Students

SAT Critical Reading	620 – 730
SAT Math	670 – 760
SAT Writing	620 – 720
ACT Composite	30 – 32

### Class of 2012 Academic Profile

Top 10% of high school class	75 %
Top 25% of high school class	94 %
Percent reporting class rank	39 %
Average GPA	3.7

### Class of 2012 Demographics

Female	51 %
Male	49 %
In-State	45 %
Out-of-State	55 %
States Represented	44
Countries Represented	47
Aid Recipients	70 %
Students Enrolled Early Decision	236

## About Our Students & Faculty

Enrollment	Undergraduate	Graduate
Full Time	4,839	2,905
Part Time	292	1,298
Total	5,131	4,203

### Graduation & Retention Rates

Students graduating within 6 years	81 %
Freshmen returning for sophomore year	96 %

### Faculty Information

Student-Faculty Ratio	9:1
Full-time Faculty with Highest Degree	97 %

### Class Size

	2-19	20-39	40-99	100+
Number of Students				
Number of Classes	534	184	118	29

### Student Life

Student-run organizations	220+
Varsity sports teams	22
Intramural & club sports	40+
Fraternities/sororities	17/13
Students affiliated with Greek system	20 %
Students studying abroad	30 %
Students involved in research	75 %
Students living on campus all 4 years	86 %
Students participating in internships	90 %

### Number of Degrees Awarded

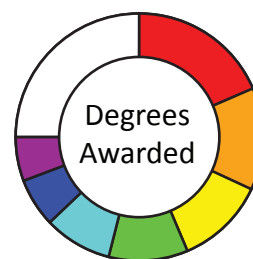
(July 06 – June 07)

Bachelor's	1,149
Master's	793
First Professional	83
Doctoral	239

### Bachelor's Degrees Awarded

(July 06 – June 07)

Social Sciences	18.7 %
Biological/Life Sciences	13.2 %
Psychology	11.6 %
Visual & Performing Arts	10.4 %
Health Professions & Related Sciences	8.9 %
Engineering	6.4 %
Mathematics	5.7 %
Other	25.1 %



## Applying to the University of Rochester

### Required

Common Application or Universal College Application  
 Rochester Supplement  
 Combined Degree Programs Supplement (if applicable)  
 High School and all college transcripts  
 Standardized test scores (SAT or ACT)  
 Teacher and counselor recommendations

### Recommended

Interview  
 Scores from SAT-II Subject, AP, and/or IB exams  
 Original graded school paper (<500 words)

Application Deadlines	Regular Decision	Early Decision
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Completed Application	January 1*	November 1
FAFSA & CSS PROFILE	February 1	November 15
Notification Date (approx.)	April 1	December 15
Reply Date	May 1	January 15

\* Deadline for Combined Degree Program applicants is December 1.  
 Recommended deadline for international applicants is December 15.

Transfer Admissions	Fall	Spring
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Completed Application	June 1	November 1
Notification Date	July 1	December 15
Reply Date	August 1	January 1

## Undergraduate Majors Offered

**College of Arts & Sciences** – African & African-American Studies • American Sign Language • Anthropology • Archaeology, Engineering, & Architecture • Art History • Biochemistry • Biology • Brain & Cognitive Sciences • Cell & Developmental Biology • Chemistry • Classics • Comparative Literature • Computer Science • Ecology & Evolutionary Biology • Economics • Economics & Business Strategies • English • Environmental Science • Environmental Studies • Film & Media Studies • Financial Economics • French • Geological Sciences • Geomechanics • German • Health & Society • History • Interdepartmental Studies • International Relations • Japanese • Linguistics • Mathematics • Mathematics—Applied • Mathematics—Statistics • Microbiology • Molecular Genetics • Music • Neuroscience • Philosophy • Physics • Physics & Astronomy • Political Science • Psychology • Public Health • Religion • Russian • Russian Studies • Spanish • Statistics • Studio Arts • Women’s Studies

**School of Engineering & Applied Sciences** – Biomedical Engineering • Chemical Engineering • Electrical & Computer Engineering • Engineering & Applied Science • Engineering Science • Mechanical Engineering • Optics

*Additional undergraduate majors are offered through the School of Nursing and the Eastman School of Music.*

**3-2 Programs** – Business Administration • Engineering • Human Development • Optics • Physics & Astronomy • Public Health

**Certificate Programs** – Actuarial Studies • Asian Studies • Biophysics • Biotechnology • Literary Translation Studies • Mathematical Modeling in Political Science & Economics • Medphysics • Polish & Central European Studies

## Tuition & Financial Aid

### Price of Attendance in 2008-2009

Tuition & Fees	\$ 37,250
Room & Board	10,810
Books & Supplies	990
Transportation	340
Other Expenses	1,160
Total	\$ 50,550

### Percent of Freshmen Receiving Aid by Type

Federal Grant	19 %
State/Local Grant	28 %
Institutional Grant	91 %
Student Loans	58 %
Avg. Net Tuition for Aided Undergraduates	\$ 15,878
Avg. Loans Owed at Graduation	\$ 29,800

## Academic Opportunities

**Take Five Scholars Program** – This innovative program, unique to Rochester, allows students to stay for a fifth year of study, tuition-free, to pursue broader academic interests.

**Combined Undergraduate/Graduate Degree Programs** – Selective combined degree programs in medicine (REMS), business (REBS), engineering (GEAR), and education (GRADE) guarantee undergraduates’ admission to professional or graduate school. *Application deadline is December 1.*

**Kauffman Entrepreneurial Year** – The KEY program offers selected individuals a tuition-free fifth year at Rochester to pursue internships, develop a business plan, or study entrepreneurial activity.

**Undergraduate Research** – Opportunities and financing are available upon enrollment, during the academic years, and in summers. All undergraduates have opportunities to do research on their own, in teams, or as part of faculty-directed projects.

**Study Abroad** – More than 70 different Rochester-sponsored opportunities are available in 26 countries.

**Career Development** – Students have countless opportunities for early career preparation, through the Career Center, individual departments, a diverse network of alumni, and strong partnerships with local enterprises. Each year, about a third of Rochester students graduate into directed career opportunities, and almost half enter directly into graduate and professional schools.

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