

Admissions Data	Class of 2019	Class of 2018	Class of 2017
Graduating Seniors	186	185	192
Attending 4 Year College	88.20%	89.10%	86.50%
Attending 2 Year College	7%	4.30%	7%
Students admitted to every school they applied	76	75	86
Students admitted directly to accelerated medical programs	0	2	2
Applications submitted by MLHS seniors	1,112	1,104	975
Total acceptances	643	732	596
Overall acceptance rate	58%	66%	61%
Acceptance rate for students with GPA's in the middle 50% at MLHS	69%	71%	70%
Applications resulted in a waitlist offer	12%	12%	13%
ED/EDII applications submitted	79 apps by 71 students	63 apps by 61 students	89 apps by 81 students
ED Acceptances (I & II)	54	43	57
Acceptance rate in ED I	70%	68%	64%
Acceptance rate in EDII	62%	-	-
Students playing a D1 Sport	11	11	-
Students playing a D2 Sport	2	N/A	-
Students playing a D3 Sport	19	13	-
Students recieved merit scholarship offers from colleges	100	127	107
Rough estimate of first year merit scholarship money awarded	\$5,219,500	\$5,431,270	\$3,450,000
Student enlisting in the military	0	1	-
Students plan to go directly to the workforce	5	6	8
Students will be attending technical or vocational school	1	2	2
Students will be take a gap year	3	3	3
College scheduled visits to MLHS	139	135	-
Seniors who had appointments with the College & Career Counselor	125 - 65%	107 - 58%	35%
Juniors who had appointments with the College & Career Counselor	92	74	48
Juniors who completed the Junior Focus session # 1	143 - 91%	N/A	N/A
Juniors who completed the Junior Focus session # 2	142 - 90%	N/A	N/A
Juniors who completed the Junior Focus session # 3	143 - 91%	N/A	N/A
Sophomores who had appointments with the College & Career Counselor	4	N/A	N/A
Sophomores who completed the Sophomore Focus session # 1	166 - 91%	N/A	N/A
Sophomores who completed the Sophomore Focus session # 2	177 - 97%	N/A	N/A
Freshmen who had appointments with the College & Career Counselor	1	N/A	N/A
Freshmen who completed the Freshman Focus session #	185 - 97%	N/A	N/A
Freshmen who completed the Freshman Focus session # 2	183 - 96%	N/A	N/A

2019 IVY LEAGUE RESULTS FOR MOUNTAIN LAKES HIGH SCHOOL

- 11 Acceptances to Ivy League Schools
- 7 Ivy league acceptances through early decision
- 74 applications submitted to Ivy League Schools
- 15% acceptance rate to Ivy League Schools
- 10 students will be attending Ivy League Schools in the fall

<u>Ivy League School</u>	<u>Applied</u>	<u>Accepted</u>	<u>Attending</u>
Brown	9	3	2
Columbia	9	0	0
Cornell	11	3	3
Dartmouth	6	2	2
Harvard	10	0	0
UPENN	12	2	2
Princeton	11	1	1
Yale	6	0	0

Class of 2022 National Admission Rates to Most Selective Schools
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<u>School</u>	<u>Class of 2023 Admission Rate</u>	<u>Class of 2022 Admission Rate</u>
Amherst College	10.8%	12.8%
Boston College	27%	27%
Brown University	6.6%	7.2%
Colby College	9.5%	13%
Columbia University	5.1%	5.5%
Cornell University	10.6%	10.3%
Dartmouth College	7.9%	8.7%
Duke University	7.4%	8.3%
Emory University	15%	-
Georgetown University	TBA	14.5%
Harvard University	4.5%	4.59%
Harvey Mudd	13.4%	14.5%
Johns Hopkins University	9.1%	9.9%
Middlebury College	15.9%	18.3%
MIT	6.6%	6.7%
New York University	16%	20.9%
Northwestern University	TBA	8.4%
Pomona College	TBA	6.9%
Princeton University	5.8%	5.4%
Stanford University	TBA	4.2%
Swarthmore College	8.7%	9.1%
Tufts University	TBA	14.6%
University of Chicago	5.9%	7.2%
University of Pennsylvania	7.4%	8.4%

School	Class of 2023 Admission Rate	Class of 2022 Admission Rate
University of Southern California	11%	12.8%
University of Virginia	11%	26.4%
Vanderbilt University	TBA	10.9%
Washington & Lee University	18%	21%
Washington University	14%	15%
Wellesley College	20%	19%
Williams College	12.4%	12/1%
Yale University	5.9%	6.3%

TRENDS IN COLLEGE ADMISSIONS 2019
FAST FACTS

- ***Early admissions options continue to rise in popularity (ED & EA)***
 - Colleges say Early Decision applications increased by 4% on average, with Early Action applications increasing by 9%.
 - Colleges are reporting a 5% increase in ED admits and 10% increase in EA admits.
 - Average yield rate, or the percentage of admitted students who actually enroll, for colleges continues to decline to 33.6% from 36.2% four years ago.
 - As colleges find it harder to predict their yield, they rely more on early application rounds, especially early decision rounds where acceptance is binding.
- ***Increase in number of colleges each student applies to***
 - Students are applying to a greater number of college of varying competitiveness. Online college application platforms like the Common App and the Coalition make it much easier and quicker for students to apply to several colleges at once.
- ***Decline in average yield rate for freshmen continues***
 - 12% average increase in the number of students placed on the waitlist. Deferrals are also being utilized more.
 - Colleges are trying to manage their yields.
- ***Wait List Activity Increases and WaitList Acceptance Remains Low***
 - Since there is a decline in yield, many colleges have reported a lack of need to go to their waitlist. If they are, it is very few students.
- ***Admission Offices Identify Grades, High School Curriculum, and Test Scores as Top Factors for First-Time Freshmen***
 - Grades, the classes you take and your standardized testing scores are the most important components of your college application.
 - These weigh more heavily than other factors like the short answer essay, extracurricular activities or your teacher recommendation letters.
- ***Zoning in on the essay***
 - 75% of colleges indicate the essay as a high level of importance to that application element.
 - The application process should be holistic where there are strong factors (grading/tests) and then soft factors - the essay (highlighting you personally).

SENIOR EXIT INTERVIEW DATA

On a scale of 1-5, rate the level of support you received from the School Counseling Department in the college admissions process.

- 5: 62% (116 students)
- 4: 28.9% (54 students)
- 3: 5.3% (10 students)
- 2: 2.1% (4 students)
- 1: 1.6% (3 students)

On a scale of 1-5, rate your level of excitement about the college you will be attending:

- 5: 71.1% (133 students)
- 4: 15.5% (29 students)
- 3: 7% (13 students)
- 2: 1.6% (3 students)
- 1: 4.8% (9 students)

Suggestions from graduating Seniors (96 Comments):

- Majority of comments were recommending the college discussion/process occur prior to their junior/senior year
- Reaching out to students more throughout the year
- Making attempts to decrease the stigma around college and expectations associated
- Reach out to other people about their experiences at the schools and their applications
- More in school help with completing the Common App & essays
- Assist in diversifying a student's list
- More assistance finding and completing scholarships
- Workshops regarding college application process
- Easier methods of scheduling appointments in the counseling office
- Get parents more involved
- Structured assemblies on financial aid for parents

Class of 2019 - College Admission Fact Sheet

Acceptance numbers are subject to change as students hear back from schools where they have been waitlisted.

College	# of Applicants	# of Accept	# of Attending
The University of Alabama	2	1	1
Albright College	1	1	
American International College	1	1	
American University	4	4	1
Amherst College	3	2	1
Arizona State University	3	2	1
The University of Arizona	4	2	
Auburn University	1	1	1
Barnard College	1	0	
Baruch College of the CUNY	1	0	
Bates College	2	1	
Bay Path University	1	0	
Berklee College of Music	1	1	1
Binghamton University	3	3	
Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania	7	7	3
Bluefield College	1	1	
Boston College	16	12	5
Boston University	14	2	
Bowdoin College	2	1	1
Brandeis University	1	1	
Brown University	9	3	2
Bucknell University	6	3	1
Caldwell University	1	0	
California College of the Arts (San Francisco)	1	1	
California Institute of Technology	1	0	
University of California, Berkeley	5	1	
University of California, Los Angeles	7	2	
University of California, San Diego	5	3	1
University of California, Santa Barbara	2	1	
Carleton College	1	0	
Carnegie Mellon University	2	0	
Case Western Reserve University	8	1	
The Catholic University of America	4	3	
College of Charleston	3	2	1
Chatham University	1	0	
University of Chicago	4	1	1
University of Cincinnati	1	0	
Clemson University	10	6	1
Coastal Carolina University	3	2	
Colby College	1	0	
Colby-Sawyer College	1	1	1
Colgate University	5	3	1
University of Colorado at Boulder	11	9	2
University of Colorado at Denver	1	1	
Colorado College	1	1	1
Colorado School of Mines	1	1	
Colorado State University	1	1	
Columbia University	9	0	
Concordia University - Seward	1	1	1
Connecticut College	2	2	
University of Connecticut	8	4	1
The Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science & Art	2	1	
Cornell University	11	3	3
County College of Morris	15	15	14
The Curtis Institute of Music	1	0	
Dartmouth College	6	2	2
Davidson College	1	1	1
Delaware Valley University	1	1	1
University of Delaware	9	6	

College	# of Applicants	# of Accept	# of Attending
DeSales University	2	1	
Dickinson College	2	2	2
Drew University	2	2	1
Drexel University	8	7	
Duke University	14	3	2
East Carolina University	1	1	
East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania	3	3	1
Eastern Kentucky University	1	1	
Eastman School of Music of the U of Rochester	1	0	
Elon University	5	4	
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University - Daytona Beach	1	0	
Emerson College	4	4	1
Emory University	7	5	1
Endicott College	1	1	
Fairfield University	7	4	3
Fashion Institute of Technology	1	1	1
Florida State University	1	0	
University of Florida	3	1	
Fordham University	17	9	
Franklin & Marshall College	3	2	
Franklin Pierce University	1	0	
George Mason University	1	1	
The George Washington University	8	7	1
Georgetown University	6	1	1
Georgia Institute of Technology	8	2	1
University of Georgia	2	1	
Hamilton College - NY	1	1	
Harvard College	10	0	
Haverford College	4	2	1
High Point University	3	3	
Hobart and William Smith Colleges	3	3	1
Hofstra University	2	1	
College of the Holy Cross	3	0	
Hult International Business School - London	2	1	
Hunter College of the CUNY	1	1	
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	1	0	
Indiana University at Bloomington	13	13	3
Iowa State University	2	2	1
The University of Iowa	1	1	
Ithaca College	3	2	
Jacksonville University	1	1	
James Madison University	8	6	
Jefferson (Philadelphia University + Thomas Jefferson University)	1	1	1
Jefferson College of Health Sciences	1	1	
Johns Hopkins University	9	3	1
Johnson & Wales University (Providence)	1	1	
The Juilliard School	1	0	
Kean University	4	3	1
University of Kentucky	1	1	
Kenyon College	2	1	
King's College	2	1	
La Salle University	1	0	
Lafayette College	10	6	1
Lehigh University	7	4	1
Lewis & Clark College	1	1	
LIM College (Laboratory Institute of Merchandising)	1	1	
Loyola Marymount University	1	0	
Loyola University Chicago	1	1	1
Loyola University Maryland	5	5	
Lycoming College	1	1	
Lynn University	1	1	
Maine College of Art	1	1	1
University of Maine	1	1	
Manhattan College	1	0	
Manhattan School of Music	1	1	
Manhattanville College	1	0	
Marist College	11	7	3
Marquette University	1	1	

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Maryland Institute College of Art	1	1	1
University of Maryland	6	4	
Marymount Manhattan College	1	1	
Marywood University	1	1	
Massachusetts Institute of Technology	4	0	
University of Massachusetts, Amherst	10	9	
University of Massachusetts, Boston	1	1	
McGill University	2	2	1
Merrimack College	1	0	
Messiah College	1	1	
Miami University, Oxford	2	2	
University of Miami	15	8	1
Michigan State University	5	5	2
University of Michigan	16	4	2
Middlebury College	5	2	2
University of Minnesota, Crookston	1	1	
Misericordia University	1	1	
University of Mississippi	2	2	
Monmouth University	4	4	2
Montclair State University	10	7	1
Moravian College	4	4	1
Muhlenberg College	4	3	2
University of Nebraska at Omaha	1	1	1
New England Conservatory of Music	1	0	
University of New England	1	1	
University of New Hampshire at Durham	2	2	
University of New Haven	1	1	
New Jersey City University	1	1	
New Jersey Institute of Technology	8	7	2
The College of New Jersey	15	8	4
New York Institute of Technology	2	2	
New York University	11	6	4
The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	12	3	
University of North Carolina at Charlotte	1	1	
North Carolina State University	3	3	
University of North Dakota	1	0	
Northeastern University	17	7	4
Northwestern University	8	1	
University of Notre Dame	5	1	1
Oberlin College of Arts and Sciences	2	2	
Oberlin Conservatory of Music	1	0	
University of Oregon	2	2	
Pace University	5	4	1
Pennsylvania State University	22	16	2
University of Pennsylvania	12	2	2
University of Pittsburgh	6	5	1
Pomona College	1	0	
University of Portland	1	1	
Pratt Institute	1	0	
Princeton University	11	1	1
Providence College	2	1	
Purdue University	10	10	5
Quinnipiac University	8	8	1
Radford University	1	1	
Ramapo College of New Jersey	7	6	2
Regis College	1	0	
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	4	4	
Rhode Island School of Design	1	0	
University of Rhode Island	3	3	
Rhodes College	1	1	1
Rice University	7	2	
University of Richmond	8	4	
Rochester Institute of Technology	3	3	
University of Rochester	3	2	
Rocky Mountain College	1	1	
Roger Williams University	2	2	
Rowan University	3	3	
Rutgers University (All Campuses)	33	26	4

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Sacred Heart	4	1	1
Saint Joseph's University	2	2	
University of Saint Joseph	1	1	
Saint Peter's University	2	1	
Salisbury University	1	1	
Salve Regina University	2	0	
San Diego State University	1	1	
Savannah College of Art and Design	2	2	
School of Visual Arts	1	1	
Sciences Po - Columbia University Dual BA Program	1	1	
The University of Scranton	5	3	1
Scripps College	1	1	
Seton Hall University	4	4	
Siena College	1	1	
Skidmore College	3	3	
University of South Carolina	3	3	1
University of Southern California	8	0	
Southern Connecticut State University	1	1	
Southern Methodist University	2	1	
Springfield College	1	1	1
St. John's University	1	1	
St. Lawrence University	1	1	
Stanford University	2	0	
Stevens Institute of Technology	5	3	1
Stevenson University	3	3	3
Stockton University	4	4	1
Stony Brook University	2	2	
Suffolk University	2	2	
SUNY Albany	1	1	
SUNY Oswego	1	1	
Susquehanna University	3	3	
Swarthmore College	2	0	
Syracuse University	7	5	2
The University of Tampa	3	3	2
Temple University	5	3	1
University of Tennessee, Knoxville	3	3	
Texas A&M University	1	1	
Texas Christian University	1	1	1
The University of Texas, Austin	1	0	
The Ohio State University	1	1	
University of Toronto	1	1	
Towson University	1	1	
Trinity College	1	1	1
Tufts University	10	1	1
Tulane University	18	9	3
Union College (New York)	2	1	
Union County College	1	1	1
United States Coast Guard Academy	2	1	
United States Merchant Marine Academy	1	1	1
United States Military Academy - Army	2	1	1
University at Buffalo The State University of New York	2	2	
University of St Andrews	1	1	
University of the Arts London	1	1	1
Utah State University	1	1	
Utica College	1	1	
Vanderbilt University	15	1	
Vassar College	4	1	
University of Vermont	8	6	2
Villanova University	17	7	2
Virginia Tech	12	7	3
University of Virginia	19	5	3
Wake Forest University	7	3	2
Washington and Jefferson College	2	2	
Washington and Lee University	2	1	
Washington University in St. Louis	15	3	1
University of Washington	1	0	
Wellesley College	1	0	
Wesleyan University	3	1	

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West Chester University of Pennsylvania	1	1	
West Virginia University	5	5	1
Western Connecticut State University	1	1	
Western New England University	1	0	
Whitman College	1	1	
Wilkes University	1	1	
College of William & Mary	3	1	
William Paterson University of New Jersey	10	9	
Williams College	2	1	1
University of Wisconsin, Madison	8	7	1
Worcester Polytechnic Institute	1	1	
Yale University	7	0	



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