



CHRISTOPHER NEWPORT UNIVERSITY

INTERNATIONAL GUIDE TO CNU



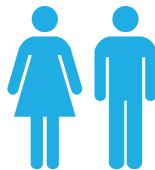
At a GLANCE



5,000 STUDENTS
ENROLLED

1,200 FRESHMEN

Representing every region
in Virginia, 28 other states
and 32 foreign countries



56%

44%

22% MINORITY
STUDENTS

FRESHMAN CLASS PROFILE*

1205 Average SAT (Evidence-Based Reading
& Writing and Math)

25 Average ACT

3.8 Average High School GPA

**As of fall 2019*

260-ACRE
campus

4-YEAR
PUBLIC
LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES
UNIVERSITY



90+ AREAS OF
STUDY

90% OF OUR FACULTY
HOLD A PhD
or highest degree in their fields



A BEAUTIFUL CAMPUS
WITH WORLD-CLASS FACILITIES
Georgian architecture with
state-of-the-art technology

400+ RENEWABLE FRESHMAN
SCHOLARSHIPS
FOR HONORS AND LEADERSHIP STUDENTS



200+ CLUBS AND STUDENT
ORGANIZATIONS

SMALL CLASSES

60% OF CLASSES HAVE 19
OR FEWER STUDENTS



ON-CAMPUS PARKING
FOR ALL STUDENTS,
INCLUDING FRESHMEN



24 VARSITY TEAMS
NCAA DIVISION III
Capital Athletic Conference



RESIDENTIAL

FRESHMEN, SOPHOMORES
& JUNIORS REQUIRED TO LIVE ON CAMPUS
OPTIONAL FOR SENIORS



GRADUATION RATES

69% FOUR-YEAR
80% SIX-YEAR



RECENT ACCOLADES

AMERICAN COUNCIL
OF TRUSTEES AND
ALUMNI (ACTA)

1 of 5 public institutions in the
nation to earn a perfect "A"
rating for the strength of its
curriculum

POETS & QUANTS

Top 50 undergraduate
business schools

FORBES

No. 4 among the top 20
colleges for minorities in the
STEM (science, technology,
engineering and math) fields

Top 5 Medium-Sized Public
Colleges in the South

KIPLINGER'S

Top 100 Best Values in
Public Colleges

THE PRINCETON
REVIEW

Best 386 Colleges

No. 14 Most Engaged
in Community Service

No. 8 Best College Dorms

No. 20 Best Quality of Life

TOP MASTER'S
IN EDUCATION

Top 5 Elementary Educa-
tion Graduate Programs

U.S. NEWS &
WORLD REPORT

No. 4 Top Public Schools
(Regional Universities in the
South)

No. 7 Regional
Universities in the South

Areas of STUDY

■ Major ▲ Minor ● Concentration  academics.cnu.edu

- Accounting
- ▲ African American Studies
- ▲ American Studies
 - Constitutional Studies
 - Humanities
 - Social Science
- ▲ Anthropology
- ▲ Applied Physics
- ▲ Asian Studies
- ▲ Art History
 - Biochemistry
- ▲ Biology
 - Biology – Cellular, Molecular and Physiological
 - Biology – Integrative
 - Biology – Organismal and Environmental
- ▲ Business Administration
- ▲ Chemistry
 - ▲ Childhood Studies
 - ▲ Civic Engagement and Social Justice
- ▲ Classical Studies
 - Classical Languages
 - Classical Studies
- ▲ Communication
 - Computer Engineering
- ▲ Computer Science
- ▲ Criminology
 - Cybersecurity
- ▲ Data Science
- ▲ Dance
- ▲ Digital Humanities
- ▲ Discrete Mathematics
- ▲ Economics
 - Mathematical Economics
 - Electrical Engineering
 - English
- ▲● Literature
- ▲● Writing
- ▲ Environmental Studies
 - ▲ Film Studies
 - Finance
- ▲ French
- ▲ German
- ▲ Greek Studies
- ▲ History
 - ▲ Human Rights and Conflict Resolution
- ▲ Information Science
 - Interdisciplinary Studies
 - ▲ International Culture and Business
- ▲ Judeo-Christian Studies
- ▲ Latin
- ▲ Latin American Studies
- ▲ Leadership Studies*
- ▲ Linguistics
- Management
- Marketing
- ▲ Mathematics
 - Mathematics – Computational and Applied
 - Biology and Life Sciences
 - Economics
 - Physics, Dynamics and Engineering
- ▲ Medieval and Renaissance Studies
- ▲ Middle East and North Africa Studies
- ▲ Military Science (ROTC)
- ▲ Museum Studies
- Music
 - Pre-Certification Choral
 - Composition
 - Creative Studies
 - Pre-Certification Instrumental
 - Music Studies
 - Performance
- Neuroscience
- Philosophy
 - Pre-Seminary Studies
 - Studies in Religion
- ▲ Philosophy and Religion
- ▲ Philosophy of Law
- ▲ Political Science
- ▲ Psychology
 - Social Work
- ▲ Sociology
- ▲ Spanish
- ▲ Studio Art
- ▲● Graphic Design
- ▲● Photography and Video Art
 - 2D and 3D Media
- ▲ Theater
 - Acting
 - Arts Administration
 - Design/Technical Theater
 - Directing/Dramatic Literature
 - Music Theater/Dance
 - Theater Studies
- ▲ U.S. National Security Studies
- ▲ Women's and Gender Studies

*Approved as a second major only

INTERVIEWS

Interviews are strongly recommended for all applicants and are required for scholarship consideration. We want to talk with you one-on-one to learn about you — your qualities, experiences and goals that aren't described by your transcript or test scores. International applicants can interview virtually.

English PROFICIENCY

English language proficiency is required for all students whose native language is not English, or whose schooling was not completed in English. Proof of English proficiency is required for both admission and the issuance of immigration documents. International applicants must meet the minimum score requirements in order to be admitted. Test scores must be submitted directly to CNU from the testing agency. Students whose native language is not English may not apply as test-optional candidates.

SCHOLARSHIPS

International freshman applicants are eligible to apply for merit-based scholarship programs for the Fall (August) semester. The priority deadline for both admission and scholarship programs is **December 15**. The final application deadline is **February 1** and final scholarship programs deadline is **February 15**.

Master's PROGRAMS

Applied Physics and
Computer Science
Environmental Science
Financial Analysis
Teaching

Advising TRACKS

Biotechnology and Management
Pre-Health
Pre-Law
Pre-Med



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THE COMMON
APPLICATION



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