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COME AS YOU ARE. LEAVE AS A WARRIOR.

At Merrimack College, we are dedicated to YOUR success. Whether you are looking for a helping hand or your next big challenge, you'll get more (and become more) at Merrimack College.

We get you. We got you. Together, we are Warriors.

1 You'll love your major—and employers will, too. With over 160 innovative majors, minors and five-year master's programs designed to meet real-world market demands, Merrimack ensures a high return on investment. We prepare you for success, helping you secure the job and salary you desire.

2 Our new core curriculum = a strong foundation. Unique to Merrimack, it lets you customize your experience by selecting a path based on your interests. You'll gain a meaningful education and earn a minor or certificate at no extra cost, adding valuable credentials to your degree.

3 Top-tier education made affordable. Merrimack offers a private college education with significant financial aid. Investing over \$110 million in scholarships with 99% of students receiving merit and need-based aid, we are committed to helping you lower your cost to attend.

4 A new path of affordability and access. At just \$17,000 per year, our new Bachelor of Arts in Humanities offers an interdisciplinary approach to learning and over a dozen skills-focused concentrations from pre-law to philosophy, helping launch your career or prepare for graduate school.

5 Community and caring are at our core. Our Catholic Augustinian community fosters academic excellence, emotional well-being and social support. We meet you where you are, providing the support needed to achieve your educational and personal goals.

6 Your campus, your home. Perfectly located 25 miles north of Boston, our campus is full of energy and spirit, where you'll find your place and make lifelong friends. With DI and club sports and 70+ student organizations from arts to robotics, there's something for everyone.

OUR MISSION IS TO

ENLIGHTEN MINDS, ENGAGE HEARTS, EMPOWER LIVES.



EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING & LEARNING

Our esteemed faculty is dedicated to your unique learning needs, recognizing that everyone learns differently. They are committed to meeting you where you are and guiding you to where you want to go. Our signature programs and facilities are designed to promote collaboration between faculty and students, cultivating a community where remarkable achievements are made together.



Honors Program

Each year, our Honors Program attracts 200 of the most motivated and engaged freshmen, offering rigorous and innovative classes that promote interdisciplinary learning and creative thinking. Honors students benefit from challenging and supportive honors-only sections, access to top faculty, advanced courses, exclusive internships, honor societies, study abroad opportunities and independent study and research with faculty mentors.



Compass

A transformative learning community tailored for students who need it most. With a robust support network, academic coaching and dedicated professors, Compass equips students with the skills and tools for a successful college experience. Each year, over 150 freshmen whose high school performance may not reflect their true potential join Compass to unlock and realize their capabilities.



Austin Scholars

A close-knit community of 100 freshmen and over 300 students, Austin Scholars embodies the tradition of St. Augustine. This program unites students who are passionate about leadership, service and community. Together, they volunteer on campus and in surrounding communities, reflect on their experiences and make a lasting impact. Upperclassmen may also fulfill their service through internships, peer mentoring, service learning trips, retreats and more.



Innovative Makerspaces

We prioritize investing in diverse makerspaces to enhance the learning experience, offering opportunities to create, ideate and simulate real-world applications. Our students are always up to something amazing.

- Bloomberg Markets Lab
- Broadcast and Podcast Studios
- Business Analytics and Data Science Labs
- Compass Learning Classroom
- Computer Science Application Development Lab
- Engineering High Bay Facility
- Engineering Tool Facility
- Entrepreneurship Laboratory
- Honors Student Center
- Psychology Research Labs
- Robotics Lab
- **Shared Instrumentation and Research Facility**
- St. Augustine Center and Austin Scholar Lounge
- Student Tutoring and Success Center
- Unity House



Academic Success Center

Find workshops, programs and tutoring to help with everything from essay writing, test taking, study skills, time management, math and more—all under one roof and provided free of charge for ALL students!



Advising Centers

Whether you need to register for classes or find an internship, our school-based advising centers are your team of field experts who are cross-trained in academic support, career readiness, wellness and mental health.

Our new **Shared Instrumentation and Research Facility (SIRF)** serves as an on-campus research hub for biology, chemistry and other life science initiatives.

**4,000+
UNDERGRADUATE
STUDENTS**

**1,700+
GRADUATE
STUDENTS**

**14:1 STUDENT-TO-
FACULTY RATIO**

**75% OF OUR
UNDERGRADUATE
CLASSES ARE UNDER
30 STUDENTS**



- GIRARD SCHOOL OF BUSINESS**
- SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES**
- SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL POLICY**
- SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND COMPUTATIONAL SCIENCES**
- SCHOOL OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES**

AFFORDABLE INVESTMENT. LIFELONG RETURNS.

NEW!

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN HUMANITIES

Since its founding in 1947, Merrimack has been dedicated to academic innovation, affordability and student access. Designed by our exceptional liberal arts faculty, this new, cost-effective and innovative program reinvents traditional liberal arts education while still offering access to Merrimack's outstanding academic amenities and student life experiences.

Our new, path-breaking Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Humanities redefines the liberal arts degree by aligning an interdisciplinary humanities curriculum with durable and enduring skills such as critical thinking, problem-solving and adaptability. This program not only appeals to employers but also provides a strong foundation for lifelong learning.

\$17,000 Annual Tuition *for BA in Humanities*



» Exceptional Affordability and Value

- **Exceptional Value:** With an annual tuition of just \$17,000 (excluding fees, room and board)—48% less than the average U.S. private institution tuition in 2024—our BA in Humanities delivers outstanding value.
- **High Return on Investment:** Our program is designed to help you achieve your career goals or continue to graduate school after graduation.
- **Market Aligned:** Acquire essential skills in critical thinking, problem-solving and adaptability, preparing you for the job markets of tomorrow.

» A Rigorous and Innovative Learning Experience

- **Flexible Course Formats:** Enjoy a mix of lectures, seminars and hybrid courses tailored to various learning preferences.
- **Varied Concentrations:** Select from over a dozen disciplinary and skill-focused areas, such as pre-law, philosophy and leadership.
- **Community and Cohort Experience:** Advance through the program with a cohort, building peer support and forming lifelong friendships.
- **Personalized Support Network:** Benefit from a dedicated team of faculty, academic and career advisors and a supportive alumni network.

» Skills You'll Learn

Courses emphasize developing enduring skills applicable across diverse industries and careers, making graduates highly desirable to employers:

- Problem Solving
- Critical Thinking
- Ability to Work in a Team
- Written Communication
- Taking Initiative
- Strong Work Ethic
- Technical Skills
- Flexibility and Adaptability
- Attention to Detail
- Leadership Skills

» Customize Your Experience

Students can personalize their experience by engaging in activities that provide extra learning and growth opportunities:

- Warriors at Work Co-op Program or guaranteed internship
- Study abroad
- Service learning
- Undergraduate research fellow

» Choose a Concentration

Select a concentration by completing five or more courses in one of over two dozen study areas, each emphasizing essential skills. All concentrations culminate in a year-long research experience designed to refine problem-solving, data gathering and analysis and presentation skills. Additionally, students earn a minor or certificate as part of their core curriculum, adding a complementary concentration in areas such as content creation, data science or interactive design.

- Applied Artificial Intelligence
- Bioethics
- Communication
- Creativity and Imagination
- Culture and Society
- English
- Ethics
- Film Studies
- History
- Law, Ethics and Society
- Leadership
- Organizational Dynamics
- Philosophy
- Pre-Dental
- Pre-Law
- Pre-Medicine
- Race and Ethnic Studies
- Religious and Theological Studies
- Social Entrepreneurship
- Social Justice
- Social Policy and Social Change
- Sociology
- Spanish
- Women's and Gender Studies

NEW!

CORE CURRICULUM & MAJORS



NEW! CORE CURRICULUM

Merrimack's new core curriculum offers a personalized learning journey, allowing students to tailor their studies to their interests and major while gaining essential modern-world skills. By providing a broad foundation in key approaches, perspectives and skills, Merrimack's new core curriculum stands out in two fundamental ways:

1. Earn an additional credential: As part of the core curriculum students will earn a minor or certificate with over fifty options to choose from including chemistry, Catholic studies and cybersecurity. This built-in credential offers added student choice and creates greater coherence in courses outside the major field of study.

2. Share a common first-year experience: The "First Year Seminar: Who Am I?" embodies Merrimack's Augustinian values and commitment to community. It fosters self-reflection, personal growth and essential skills for success, laying a foundation for understanding oneself and engaging with the world. This seminar sets the stage for ongoing development throughout the undergraduate journey.

160+ INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS
MAJORS, MINORS, CONCENTRATIONS,
CERTIFICATES, PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMS
& FIVE-YEAR MASTER'S DEGREES



NEW! DISCOVER YOUR PATH THROUGH NEW MAJORS

Are you passionate about physics but interested in a business career? Or enthusiastic about the environment yet intrigued by data science? These unique, innovative majors allow you to explore multiple academic areas, expand your career opportunities and stay on track for graduation.

- Applied Physics
- Bioinformatics
- Business Communication
- Cyber Security and Business Administration
- Data Science and Marketing
- Data Science and Neuroscience
- Data Science and Psychology
- Data Science and Public Health
- Economics, Environment and Sustainability
- English and Communication
- Entrepreneurship and Graphic Design
- Environmental Data Science
- Forensic Science
- Health Science and Spanish
- Interactive Design
- International Policy Studies
- International Studies and Business Administration
- International Studies and Economics
- Leadership and Political Science
- Leadership and Management
- Music, Business Marketing and Management
- Public Health and Communication
- Public Health and Spanish
- Self-designed
- Sociology and International Studies
- Sociology and Political Science
- Sport Management and Communication
- Sports Analytics
- Strategic Marketing and Analytics

UNLIMITED POSSIBILITIES

"It's the welcoming sense of community that we all share that sets us apart. Whether it's helping move people in, attending a service trip or getting involved in clubs and leadership opportunities, we're all united by our shared Augustinian values and school spirit."

TOM GERACI '25



"During my accounting co-op, I was able to take what I learned in the classroom and put it into real-life experience during 'busy season'. It not only helped me grow but also helped me get a full-time job offer after I graduated."

KAITLYN NG '24



"The relationships I've created with my professors are by far the most important part of the Merrimack experience. They're here to problem solve with you, help you and make sure you understand all the material. They know you by name, which is really important."

ALEXIS BYRNE '25



CO-OP

"I believe that engineers are problemsolvers of the world. And I've been solving people's problems my whole life. So I thought, why not do that at Merrimack? I started the Let's Innovate Club which helps give students the resources and expertise to get their engineering ideas off the ground."

SAM BARRESI '24



"I enjoy sharing my knowledge and experiences of my journey in the finance sector and creating courses and programs where I can infuse industry practices. Our students come out with relevant skills and certifications needed for present careers while preparing them for future jobs that do not exist today."

**MARY PAPAZIAN, Managing Director,
Mucci Capital Markets Lab**

"I have grown in many different ways into a better version of myself primarily due to Austin Scholars. What makes Austin Scholars special is how well the community comes together. Being able to live, serve and learn together is something you won't see at other colleges."

CONNOR DERDERIAN '25

"Compass gave me priceless resources that helped me comprehend and actively participate in my coursework. I gained a fresh enthusiasm for learning by discovering how to analyze difficult reading assignments and developing useful note taking techniques that formed the foundation of my success in my other classes."

ALEX COLLINS '27



AUSTIN SCHOLAR



COMPASS



HONORS

"The Honors Program provides the opportunity to challenge myself and be with other students who work hard and enjoy learning. It's a close-knit community that has helped me make connections and get involved on campus!"

KATRINA TOZIER '27



"I co-led a SEND Trip to South Dakota during Spring Break, serving the people of the Lakota community. No matter what your major is, it's such a life-changing experience to live in other people's shoes and help out their communities."

JACOB SYMMES '25



"What makes Merrimack unique is that our faculty are amazing educators and innovative researchers. We put students in a lab with cutting-edge instrumentation. And we are starting them with faculty who will teach them how to have a role in research."

APRIL BOWLING, Vice President of Research

Where great begins



and the fun never ends.



“Merrimack’s campus is the perfect size and I always see a mix of familiar and new faces walking to class. Coming from a small town I was worried I’d feel lost in the crowd, but Merrimack feels like home.”

JILL BESSER '24

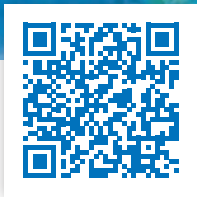


**90% OF STUDENTS PARTICIPATE
IN EXPERIENTIAL EDUCATION**

BEYOND THE CLASSROOM



» **WATCH** a day in the life with Sedona!



Biology major Sedona Gilliard '24 interned at the **New England Aquarium**. Diving 2-3 times a day and 3 days a week in the giant ocean tanks, she got the hands-on experience needed to tackle her next chapter: earning a master's in marine vertebrate ecology and conservation at the University of Exeter in London!



» **GUARANTEED INTERNSHIPS AND CO-OPS**

Through the O'Brien Center for Career Development, 90% of our students gain valuable work experience and connections with leading companies through guaranteed internships and the Warriors at Work co-op program. Our strong industry partnerships offer exceptional opportunities, while dedicated career advisors provide personalized coaching and career planning to help you carve your unique path to success and fulfillment.

» **STUDY ABROAD**

Our global programs offer transformative experiences through semesters abroad, faculty-led trips and international internships. Explore health sciences in the Dominican Republic, study environmental science in Iceland or immerse yourself in cities like Dublin, Madrid or Rome. Experience a semester at sea or intern in vibrant cities like London or Paris. With over 30 opportunities, Merrimack helps you gain a global perspective.

» **SERVICE LEARNING**

Community and service are at the heart of our Augustinian mission. Over 1,000 students work together to engage in hands-on service learning projects each year, supporting our communities and those in need. This commitment not only enriches your academic experience but also deepens your understanding of societal issues and fosters meaningful connections.

» **RESEARCH WITH FACULTY**

Through various areas including life sciences, engineering, business, computational sciences and social sciences, undergraduate students can collaborate with faculty on research projects that can lead to presentations and publications. With access to cutting-edge tools, such as those in our Shared Instrumentation and Research Facility and Mucci Capital Markets Lab, students sharpen their analytical and problem-solving skills.

GET CAREER READY

Discover your passion—and what you're not passionate about—through paid co-ops and guaranteed internships. You will be assigned a dedicated career coach to help you design your personalized career plan (and pivot with you along the way). The result? You will gain the skills, perspectives and resume boosters to land your ideal job, start your own venture or get accepted to your dream graduate school.

Example Internship and Co-op Locations



96% CAREER OUTCOMES RATE

For 2023 graduates 9 months after graduating

\$120,300

Median salary of Merrimack graduates who are 10-15 years into their careers
Payscale College Salary Report, 2023

MERRIMACK GRADUATES' EARNINGS IN TOP 2%

Ranked 90 out of 4,500 colleges and universities on 10-year earnings
Georgetown University's Ranking 4,500 Colleges by ROI Report, 2022



Through attending Merrimack's Professional Development Retreat, **Abigail Shea '23** turned an internship at John Guilfoil Public Relations (JGPR) into a full time gig. After a year at JGPR, she secured a job as an Email Marketing Specialist for the Boston Bruins at TD Garden.



WARRIORS AT WORK

Warriors at Work is an exclusive opportunity offering ambitious students a unique chance to engage in a full-time, six-month, paid co-op with top-tier companies while staying on track to graduate in four years. Warriors at Work students have higher job placement rates and competitive starting salary offers. Benefits include:

Paid Co-op

Earn up to \$20,000 during your six-month co-op placement.

Concierge Service

Priority course registration through our concierge service, which handles the process for you.

Mentorship

You will be paired with a mentor in your chosen field who will act as your champion.

Flexibility

During your co-op, you may adjust your housing and meal plans to accommodate your co-op schedule.

Guaranteed Parking

During your co-op semester you will receive guaranteed campus parking.



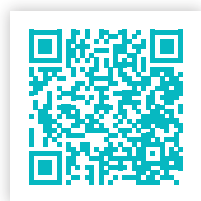
GET IN ON THE ACTION



70+ STUDENT CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

We have endless opportunities to find your fit, get involved and pursue what makes you happy—all while making lifelong friends (and memories!) in the process.

- » Anime Club
- » Association of Latinos Moving Ahead
- » Baking Club
- » Best Buddies
- » Black Student Association
- » Craft Club
- » Film Club
- » Gaming Club
- » Gender and Sexuality Alliance
- » Greek Life
- » Green Team
- » Her Campus
- » Jumpstart
- » Let's Innovate
- » Model United Nations
- » Nursing Club
- » Outdoors Club
- » Robotics
- » Society of Women Engineers
- » Student Government Association



» SCAN to see more clubs and orgs!



30+ CLUB AND INTRAMURAL SPORTS

Club sports are non-varsity and a great way to compete against other club teams at Division I and II schools. Students can try out for and are often recruited for club sports. Intramural sports are open to all and teams play once per week on campus. Intramurals are a great way to try something new, have fun and meet new people.

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| Club Sports | » Rowing | » Flag Football |
| » Baseball | » Rugby | » Floor Hockey |
| » Basketball | » Running | » Frisbee |
| » Cheerleading | » Soccer | » Futsal |
| » eSports | » Softball | » Kickball |
| » Field Hockey | » Ultimate Frisbee | » Pickleball |
| » Figure Skating | » Volleyball | » Soccer |
| » Golf | | » Softball |
| » Gymnastics | Intramural Sports | » Spikeball |
| » Ice Hockey | » Badminton | » Volleyball |
| » Lacrosse | » Basketball | |
| | » Dodgeball | |

ARTS & MUSIC

Lights! Camera! Action! Show off your talents on stage, TV, radio and more through Merrimack's many art and music programs:

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| » Art Warriors | » Merrimack College TV |
| » Concert Band | » Pep Band |
| » Concert Choir | » OnStagers Dramatic Society |
| » Dance Team | » Schola Choir and Liturgical Ensemble |
| » Figure Skating Club | » The Beacon (student newspaper) |
| » Film Club | » WMCK Radio |
| » Jazz Ensemble | |
| » Mackapella (a cappella group) | |
| » Merrimack College Marching Band | |

28 DIVISION I VARSITY SPORTS

Whether you're a part of the action or cheering from the sidelines, our one-of-a-kind school spirit is a big part of campus culture.

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Men's | Women's |
| » Baseball | » Basketball |
| » Basketball | » Bowling |
| » Cross Country | » Cross Country |
| » Football | » Dance Team |
| » Golf | » Field Hockey |
| » Ice Hockey | » Golf |
| » Indoor Track & Field | » Ice Hockey |
| » Lacrosse | » Indoor Track & Field |
| » Outdoor Track & Field | » Lacrosse |
| » Soccer | » Outdoor Track & Field |
| » Tennis | » Rowing |
| » Volleyball | » Soccer |
| | » Softball |
| | » Swimming |
| | » Tennis |
| | » Volleyball |

OUR CONFERENCES



HEALTH & WELLNESS

Your ability to thrive in college is directly tied to your mental, emotional and physical health. That's why our investment in your well-being includes services and resources that go beyond the classroom.



» Our **Counseling Center** is staffed with licensed mental health professionals and offers free, private in-person counseling as well as 24/7 access to teletherapy services.



» Our **Office of Wellness Education** hosts a variety of activities throughout the year that nurture mind and body, relieve stress and promote self-care and social connection.



» Our two **fitness centers** include workout rooms full of equipment and studio spaces with free classes like spin and yoga led by certified student instructors.



NEW 47 FITNESS

a new satellite gym steps from underclassmen housing



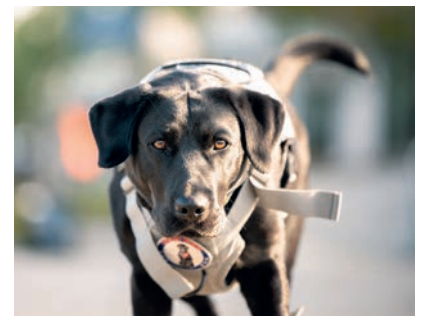
24/7 MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT



» Our dining team maintains our **Simple Zone space** free from gluten, tree nuts and other allergens while our on-site dietitian helps with special dietary needs and allergies.



» Our **CARE Team** identifies students who may be struggling on their own and will proactively offer support and guidance so no one falls through the cracks.



» Our **campus comfort dog**, Merri, provides comfort and community engagement. Follow her on Instagram @merri_mcpd.

HOME AWAY FROM HOME

HOUSING AT MERRIMACK

Living On Campus

Merrimack's wide range of campus residences means you're sure to find an ideal place to call your home away from home.

- Singles
- Doubles
- Triples
- Suites
- Townhouses
- Apartments

11 Residence Halls

- Deegan East
- Deegan West
- Monican Centre
- O'Brien Hall
- Ash Centre
- South Residential Village
- North Residential Village
- Royal Crest
- Townhouses
- St. Ann Apartments
- St. Thomas Apartments



**FREE
LAUNDRY**



**24/7 CAMPUS
SECURITY**



» **SCAN** to see a virtual tour of Merrimack's housing options.



DINING AT MERRIMACK

Merrimack's campus dining provides a variety of nutritious options, including the allergen-friendly Simple Servings entrée station, to accommodate all dietary preferences. From breakfast to late-night snacks, our delicious and convenient dining choices will fuel your day and satisfy your cravings.

Meal Plan Options:

Our dining program offers flexibility and options to meet different needs, allowing students to use meal swipes at dining locations across campus.

- **19 meal swipes per week (all-access)**, \$50 dining dollars per semester and 5 guest swipes per semester
- **14 meal swipes per week**, \$200 dining dollars per semester and 5 guest swipes per semester
- **7 meal swipes per week**, \$400 dining dollars per semester and 5 guest swipes per semester (only available to students living in apartments)
- **Off campus meal plans** for non-residents, including options for 2, 3 or 5 meals per week plus dining dollars to use

» **NEW Residence Halls: Coming Soon!**
Merrimack is adding two new buildings that will include traditional residence-style rooms, suite-style accommodations and new academic space.



FOOD VENUES:

- **Sparky's Place:** The main dining hall with everything you can imagine.
- **Monica's Kitchen:** Cafe-style serving Starbucks, all-day breakfast, signature paninis, Bird N' Brine chicken, salad bar, personal pizzas, pub fare and more.
- **Warrior's Den:** Home to natural! (the best acai bowls) and SubConnection. Also serves Atomic coffee, homemade desserts and pastries, and a variety of Pick N' Roll sushi, snacks and beverages.
- **Augie's Pub:** A favorite hangout spot for the 21+ crowd. Try our very own beer: *Mack Attack!*
- **East Campus Eats:** Features breakfast sandwiches, personal pizzas, salad and a build-your-own deli station.
- **Mack Mart & Mack Mart East:** Offers a variety of snacks, candy, beverages, grab-and-go meals, ice cream, health and beauty products and household/dorm necessities.
- **Dunkin':** Merrimack runs on Dunkin'! Use dining dollars for your caffeine fix before class.
- **Majors & Minors:** Outdoor, late-night eatery offering a variety of entrees, sides and fountain drinks.
- **McQuade Cafe:** Proudly serves Starbucks and snacks to refuel.
- **Merrimack Food Truck:** Pop-up events with special, seasonal offerings.



YOU'RE GONNA LOVE IT HERE

At Merrimack, you'll find a fun, friendly culture and vibrant campus community that has something for everyone!



WARRIOR SHUTTLE

Whether you're looking to go across campus or across town, our Warrior Shuttle can help get you there!

STUDENT UNION

The perfect place to hang with friends—bowl a few frames, take some swings in the golf simulator, grab a bite at Monica's Kitchen or game in our eSports Center!



SCAN HERE to explore our Student Union virtually!



eSports Center in the Student Union





BELOVED TRADITIONS

Homecoming, Spring Concert, Block Party, Mack Gives Back (and so many others!) bring our community together in fun and interesting ways.



From First Class Bash and Big Prize Bingo to Community Coffee and Friday night trivia, with over **850 student programs** there really is something for everyone on campus.



A HOME FOR EVERYONE

Merrimack's founding values of teaching, learning and serving inform our unwavering commitment to diversity, equity and inclusion. Together, we are committed to building and nurturing a culturally and racially diverse community, anchored in justice and respect for all.



STUDENTS FROM 43 STATES AND 42 COUNTRIES

26% STUDENT DIVERSITY *Incoming Class of 2028*

29% FIRST GENERATION *Incoming Class of 2028*

MAKING A TOP-TIER EDUCATION AFFORDABLE

We are committed to making your college education affordable and accessible by helping you to lower your cost to attend by offering:



Extensive Institutional Aid

Merrimack invests more than \$110 million annually in institutional financial aid, averaging \$25,000 per student.



Broad Eligibility

99% of students receive merit and need-based aid, with awards ranging from 25% to 100% of tuition.



Guaranteed Support

Every family receives financial assistance customized to their needs and the student's academic achievements.



Guaranteed Tuition and Housing Scholarships

Merrimack provides guaranteed tuition and housing scholarships for 8 semesters, with amounts varying based on income, academic performance and living arrangements.



Disrupting Traditional Costs **NEW!**

At an **annual tuition of \$17,000** (excluding fees, room and board), our new BA in Humanities offers exceptional value, matching in-state college tuition while providing the benefits of a private education.

2024-2025 ESTIMATED COST: Tuition & Fees: **\$53,962** | Housing: **\$21,525**

Average Financial Aid Award*

Family income	Average annual financial aid award
<\$50k	\$41,635
\$51k-\$150k	\$35,059
\$151k-\$250k	\$32,110
\$250k+	\$29,912

*The average total Merrimack College financial aid awarded by family income bands for the incoming fall 2024 class. Merrimack scholarship and grant aid may include **housing grants of up to \$5,000** for those students living in on-campus housing based upon demonstrated financial need and academic ability.

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BEST VALUE SCHOOLS
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**99% OF STUDENTS
RECEIVE A GRANT
OR SCHOLARSHIP**



FILE THE FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA)

Merrimack's federal school code is **002120**



Estimate your cost with our
Net Price Calculator

www.merrimack.edu/aid

Costs may be further reduced with federal assistance, including Pell Grants, Direct Loans and State Financial Aid, based on eligibility determined by completing the FAFSA. This can potentially save up to an additional \$15,000.

WARRIORS WANTED.

FRESHMAN DEADLINES

	Admission Plan	Application Deadline	Admission Decision
Fall	Early Decision	November 15	Mid-December
	Early Action I	November 15	Mid-December
	Early Decision II	January 15	February 1
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	Regular Decision	February 15	Weekly starting on March 1
	Rolling	February 16–August 15	Within a week of application completion
Spring	Early Action	November 15	Starting late-October and then within a week of application completion
	Rolling	November 16–January 6	Starting late-November and then within a week of application completion

NO APPLICATION FEE

NO TEST SCORES

Incoming class academic profile

GPA on a weighted 4.0 scale:



■ 3.5 and above: 51%

■ 3.0–3.4: 29%

■ 2.5–2.9: 14%

■ Below 2.5: 6%



APPLY TODAY!

TRANSFER DEADLINES

	Admission Plan	Application Deadline	Admission Decision
Fall	Early Action	March 15	Within a week of application completion
	Rolling	March 16–August 15	Within a week of application completion
Spring	Early Action	November 15	Starting late-October and then within a week of application completion
	Rolling	November 16–January 6	Starting late-November and then within a week of application completion

» ROLLING ADMISSION

is a flexible option where admission decisions are released on a weekly basis.

» MANY STUDENTS BEGIN IN THE SPRING,

which still provides full access to housing, scholarships and financial aid as well as orientation and advising before the start of classes.



» **YOU CAN APPLY** for either a fall (August) or spring (January) start. Visit www.merrimack.edu/apply for first-year, nursing, transfer and international application requirements.





VISIT MERRIMACK

Our 220-acre New England campus features spacious grassy landscapes, tree-lined pathways and sunny patios equipped with Adirondack chairs for ultimate comfort. No matter the season, our walkable campus is worthy of a visit.

You'll snag some swag and get a t-shirt during your visit. And bring your sweet tooth for our on-site candy bar!

Make a trip out of it—there's opportunity in every direction. Ski the slopes of New Hampshire, walk the beaches of Cape Cod or explore the sights and sounds of Boston.



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YOUR VISIT!***





ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS AND PROGRAMS

Accounting
Applied Economics and Finance
Applied Physics*
Athletic Training (5-year master's)
Biochemistry
Bioinformatics*
Biology
Business Communication*
Chemistry
Civil Engineering
Communication and Media
Computer Engineering
Computer Science
Construction Management
Criminology and Criminal Justice
Cyber Security and Business Administration*
Data Science
Data Science and Marketing*
Data Science and Neuroscience*
Data Science and Psychology*
Data Science and Public Health*
Economics, Environment and Sustainability*
Education
- *Early Childhood Education (PreK-2)*
- *Elementary Education (1-6)*
- *Middle School (5-8) and High School (8-12)*
- *Moderate Disabilities (PreK-8)*
Electrical Engineering
Electrical-Mechanical Engineering*
English
English and Communication*
Entrepreneurship
Entrepreneurship and Graphic Design*
Environmental Data Science*
Environmental Sciences and Sustainability
Exercise Science
- *Rehabilitation Sciences*
- *Strength and Conditioning*
Finance
Forensic Science*
Graphic Design
Health Science and Spanish*
Health Science
- *Pre-Occupational Therapy*
- *Pre-Physical Therapy*
- *Pre-Physician Assistant*
- *Public Health*
History
Human Development and Human Services
- *Speech Pathology*
Humanities*
Information Technology
Interactive Design*
International Policy Studies*
International Studies
International Studies and Business Administration*
International Studies and Economics*
Law and Policy*
Leadership and Political Science*
Leadership and Management*
Management
- *Hospitality Management*
- *Human Resource Management*
- *Sport Management*
Marketing
Mathematics
Mechanical Engineering
Music
Music, Business Marketing and Management*
Neuroscience
Nursing
Nutrition and Human Performance (5-year master's)
Nutritional Sciences
Political Science
Pre-Dental
Pre-Law
Pre-Medical
Psychology
Public Health
Public Health and Communication*
Public Health and Spanish*
Religious and Theological Studies
School Counseling (5-year master's)
Self-designed
Social Justice
Social Work (5-year master's)
Sociology and International Studies*

Sociology and Political Science*
Sport Management
Sport Management and Communication*
Sports Analytics*
STEM Education
Strategic Marketing and Analytics*
Studio Art*
Theatre Arts
Women's and Gender Studies

UNDERGRADUATE MINORS

Accounting
Actuarial Science
Art History
Artificial Intelligence
Bioethics
Biology
Business Administration
Business Economics
Catholic Studies
Chemistry
Communication Abilities Across the Lifespan
Communication and Media
Computer Engineering
Computer Science
Criminology and Criminal Justice
Cyber Security
Dance
Data Science
Digital Media Production
Economics
Education
Electrical Engineering
English
Entrepreneurship
Environmental Sciences and Sustainability
Ethics
European History
Film Studies
Finance
Forensic Science
Graphic Design
Health Science
Hospitality Management
Human Development and Human Services

Human Resource Management
Information Technology
International Studies
Interreligious Relations
Law, Ethics and Society
Leadership
Management
Marketing
Mathematics
Music
Philosophy
Philosophy in Ethics
Physics
Political Philosophy
Political Science
Pre-Law
Psychology
Public Health
Public Relations
Race and Ethnic Studies
Religious and Theological Studies
Science and Religion
Science, Technology and Values
Social Justice
Sociology
Spanish
Sport Management
Studio Art
Theatre Arts
U.S. History
Visual Storytelling
Women's and Gender Studies
World History

UNDECIDED?

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