

Swarthmore College Admissions

	1970	1980	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020*	2021	2022
ADMISSIONS (Fall):															
# completed applications	2,332	1,866	3,233	3,483	3,956	4,085	6,041	7,818	7,717	9,382	10,749	11,442	11,630	13,012	14,707
# admitted	533	752	1,045	1,200	933	917	974	976	988	1,004	1,020	1,022	1,054	1,013	1,019
# New First-Time attending in Fall	303	333	354	354	367	389	388	407	415	392	414	417	374	454	433
% admitted of those applying (admit rate)	23%	40%	32%	34%	24%	22%	16%	12%	13%	11%	9%	9%	9%	8%	7%
% enrolling of those admitted (yield rate)	57%	44%	34%	30%	39%	42%	40%	42%	42%	39%	41%	41%	35%	45%	42%
 High School Class Standing															
% of matriculants in top 10% of class	62%	75%	80%	87%	88%	88%	84%	88%	91%	91%	90%	87%	93%	90%	89%
(% reporting High School rank				63%	59%	52%	47%	40%	33%	35%	40%	38%	36%	35%	36%)

NOTES:

"Completed applications" are those for which all the requirements for consideration (including payment or waiver of fees) have been fulfilled. This includes applications that were subsequently withdrawn by either the applicant or the College.

Students who *defer* their admission for a year are counted among applicants and admitted in the year that they applied, and as matriculants in the year that they enrolled.

Percentages for high school class standing are based on the number of students providing rank.

*Enrollment impacted by COVID

SOURCE: Annual Admissions Reports, Office of Admissions, 1970 - 1999; SXBALLA; EIS