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2000 Freshmen



The following data from the Admissions Office refers to all full-time, first-time freshmen. These numbers are different from the Registrar (the official Creighton figures) as the Registrar's enrollments include all students who have not yet accumulated 24 credit hours as "freshmen".

1996 - 2000 Enrolled Freshmen

The previous Bulletin reported the Yield by ACT grouping. The chart below indicates the percentage of the total class and each school/college that fall into each ACT grouping. As can be seen, in Arts & Sciences and Nursing, a higher percentage of the 2000 entering class had scores of 29 or above on the ACT (or converted SAT) than in the previous four years but a lower percentage of the freshmen in Business scored in the 29 and above range than in the previous four years. (Totals will not add to 100% as International students do not have ACT or SAT scores.)

ACT Score	Total Class	Total Arts & Sciences	Pre-Med	Business	Nursing	Year
29 and above	20.8%	22.5%		16.7%	7.4%	1996
	22.2%	23.5%		20.5%	5.9%	1997
	22.4%	24.5%		16.5%	13.0%	1998
	23.9%	24.7%	35.4%	24.4%	11.3%	1999
	22.0%	25.7%	28.3%	7.6%	15.9%	2000
25 - 28	36.1%	36.0%		40.0%	29.6%	1996
	34.0%	35.7%		27.3%	32.4%	1997
	37.5%	36.7%		43.3%	33.3%	1998
	38.7%	38.7%	43.1%	36.3%	45.3%	1999
	42.6%	44.8%	48.9%	37.6%	27.3%	2000
24 - 20	34.8%	33.6%		30.8%	59.3%	1996
	35.6%	33.4%		41.6%	50.0%	1997
	30.0%	28.8%		29.9%	44.4%	1998
	29.5%	28.8%	20.0%	30.4%	35.8%	1999
	28.5%	23.8%	19.4%	43.3%	47.7%	2000
19 and below	6.0%	6.1%		6.7%	3.7%	1996
	5.5%	4.8%		7.5%	11.8%	1997
	5.4%	5.2%		4.7%	9.3%	1998
	5.7%	5.7%	1.5%	5.9%	5.9%	1999
	5.2%	4.7%	3.4%	7.0%	6.8%	2000

The number of applications to Creighton increased 4% over 1999, the acceptance rate dropped to a five year low and our yield increased to 31%. Congratulations to the Admissions Office!

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Applied	3,369	3,356	3,268	3,112	3,239
Accepted	3,113	3,092	2,924	2,830	2,878
Enrolled	881	868	802	855	878
Acceptance Rate	92.4%	92.1%	89.5%	90.9%	88.9%
Percentage Enrolled (Yield)	28.3%	28.1%	27.4%	30.2%	31.0%

The data below indicates Yield Percentages (the number of students enrolled compared to the number accepted) over a five-year period in various categories.

Multi-Cultural Students	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
African American	24/87 27.6%	25/101 24.8%	19/84 22.6%	29/91 31.9%	24/86 27.9%
American Indian/ Native Alaskan	3/19 15.8%	6/20 30.0%	4/15 26.7%	8/16 50.0%	13/28 46.4%
Asian/Pacific Islander	126/301 41.9%	129/426 30.3%	88/336 26.2%	85/300 28.3%	72/258 27.9%
Hispanic	32/136 23.5%	27/107 25.2%	27/103 26.2%	27/111 24.3%	40/102 39.2%

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Pre-Medicine Yield (enrolled/accepts)	338/1,013 33.4%	296/998 29.7%	245/848 28.9%	260/810 32.1%	237/761 31.1%
Yield of Asian/Pacific Islanders indicating Pre-Med	94/186 50.5%	90/124 36.7%	56/201 27.9%	55/182 30.2%	35/135 25.9%
% of Total class indicating Pre- Med	338/881 38.4%	296/868 34.1%	245/802 30.5%	260/855 30.4%	237/878 27.0%

Guaranteed Admissions Update

Those students entering in the fall of 1996 were the first class “guaranteed” admission to the Medical, Dental, and Law schools if they met prescribed requirements. Did the “Guaranteed Admissions” program increase the number of Creighton undergraduates in those three professional programs? Admissions data from the Creighton Professional Schools follows. Additional historical data may be found in the Creighton Fact Book, available from the Creighton web page, under “Facts About Creighton”.

	Medicine	Dental	Law	Occ. Therapy	Phys. Therapy	Pharmacy
C.U. Applications						
1999	137	18	32	23	21	44
2000	165	38	46	21	18	38
C.U. Acceptances						
1999	54	8	24	21	13	32
2000	77	25	42	21	18	34
Acceptance Rate						
1999	39%	44%	75%	91%	62%	73%
2000	47%	66%	91%	100%	100%	89%
Enrolled						
1999	35	4	8	17	12	28
2000	68	24	24	20	15	27

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