



HONORS PROGRAM

Whether it's presenting a paper at a national conference, taking advantage of numerous scholarship and research opportunities or hanging out in the honors residence hall, VSU honors students flourish in a challenging and tight-knit academic environment.

REQUIREMENTS:
GPA: 3.0 and ACT: 21 or SAT: 1080

FAFSA
CODE
003764

UNDENIABLE

FOUNDED: 1882

LOCATION: Petersburg, VA

SAT
CODE
5860

SIZE: Our main campus sits on more than 236 acres with Randolph Farm, our 416 acre agricultural research center less than 2 miles away.

ENROLLMENT: Fall 2016 boasted a class of approximately 4600 students from over 30 states and 12 countries.

ACT
CODE
4424

2017-2018 TOTAL COST: Virginia: \$19,606 Non-Virginia: \$30,452

FINANCIAL AID: Academic, athletic, band, ROTC and need-based scholarships are available.

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STUDENT:FACULTY RATIO

ADMITTED FRESHMAN CLASS PROFILE

Average GPA: 3.0
Average ACT: 18
Average SAT: 970

TRANSFER STUDENTS:

Minimum GPA: 2.0

17

VARSITY SPORTS

CIAA CONFERENCE

8 men's varsity sports
9 women's varsity sports

2017-2018 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS:

STEM: Tuition, fees, room and board
3.5 GPA and 26 ACT or 1250 SAT
STEM major

PRESIDENTIAL: \$10,000
3.2 GPA and 24 ACT or 1170 SAT

PROVOST: \$6,500
3.0 GPA and 21 ACT or 1080 SAT

Scholarship programs shown are for first-time freshman only, including dual-enrolled students.

GPA for scholarship eligibility is based on a recalculated weighted or unweighted 4.0 scale.



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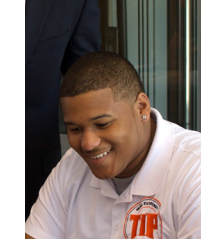
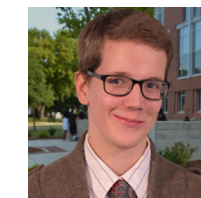
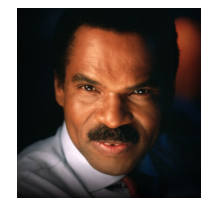
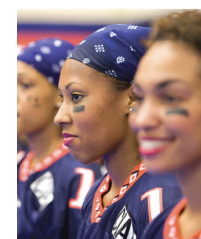
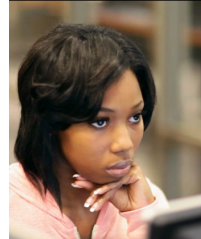
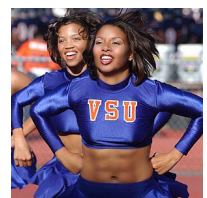
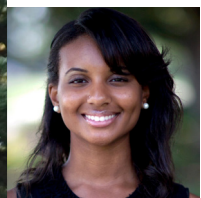
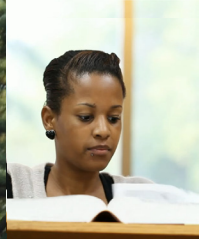
A transformative experience



THINK

about the places that stand out most in your memory: the house where you grew up, the destination of your favorite school field trip, the stadium where you saw your first ballgame or concert. The only constant in all of these unforgettable places is you.

But now there are more memories to be made, more destinations that will one day become a permanent part of you. Virginia State University can be one of these places — an unforgettable university, a *transformative* experience.



REPUTABLE

VSU creates a dynamic learning environment where you can work side-by-side with renowned scholars who will prepare you to address the real problems facing today's world. With an average class size of 25, VSU offers you the best of both worlds: the personalized attention of a small college with the resources of a nationally-ranked research institution.

GLOBAL

VSU offers a multitude of study abroad experiences including student exchange, direct enrollment, service learning, international internships, research and faculty-led programs — not to mention the Dr. George H. Bennett Office for International Education through which you can expand your knowledge of international education opportunities to reflect a global perspective in all fields of study.

LIVABLE

With more than 65 student organizations, a Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association (CIAA) conference affiliation and a safe residential campus that boasts state-of-the-art residence halls, a wellness and fitness center and a recreational lounge and game room, you'll have no problem meeting new friends and contributing to the VSU community. That is why, in an effort to maintain student success at the university, all freshmen admitted for the fall or spring are required to live on campus.

The historic Petersburg area offers you additional recreational and cultural opportunities, including a variety of museums, galleries, and theatres. Centrally located, VSU is just 30 minutes south of Richmond, VA, two hours south of Washington, DC, two hours north of Raleigh-Durham, NC and two hours west of Virginia Beach.



VSU was recently awarded **Best Business Program** and **Male President of the Year** at the Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) Awards presented by the Thurgood Marshall College Fund.

VALUABLE

VSU offers one of the most extraordinary values in higher education. Virginians benefit from among the least expensive in-state tuition and fee rates in the United States, even before in-state grants are taken into consideration. Out-of-state and international students — especially those from the Northeast and Midwest — will find VSU's out-of-state tuition and fees comparable to the in-state costs at their state flagship universities. And, of course, VSU offers competitive athletic scholarships in addition to over \$25 million in academic scholarships and need-based financial aid solidifying Virginia State as "Virginia's Opportunity University."

To determine your eligibility for federal aid, you must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), available at most high school and college guidance offices and online at www.fafsa.gov. To receive aid at VSU, apply for financial aid as soon as possible after October 1 by completing the FAFSA and listing VSU as a school to receive your information. Do not wait to be admitted to VSU to apply for federal financial aid. The earlier you apply, the better chance you will have of being considered for all aid programs.

UNBEATABLE

If admitted to VSU, you don't just become a student, you become a Trojan, part of a unique and renowned family, past and present, who represent every experience. Trojans can be the first in their family to attend college, or they may come from a lineage of Trojan alumni. The university's commitment to offering a wide range of academic programs, to valuing a community formed by students from various backgrounds, and to promoting a sense of pride in Trojan Athletics contributes to the sense that "there's always something going on."

ACCESSIBLE

VSU students will say it's the family-type friendliness of students and faculty that first attracted them to become Trojans. Just as important are the programs to ensure the success of all students through mentoring, and career coaching at our Academic Center for Excellence (ACE). At VSU, you will join a supportive academic community with resources and guidance to provide a *transformative* educational experience.

PROGRAMS OF STUDY

* Indicates minor program
Concentrations in *italics*

Accounting

Africana Studies*

Agriculture

- *Agri-business & Economics*

- *Animal Science*

- *Aquatic Science*

- *Environmental Science*

Art & Commercial Art & Design*

Art History*

Biology

Chemistry

- *Biochemistry*

- *Forensics Chemistry*

Community Health*

Computer Engineering

Computer Science

Criminal Justice

Cyber Security & Forensics*

Dance*

Drama*

Economics

Electronics Engineering Tech.

English

Family & Consumer Sciences

- *Dietetics*

- *Family, Child & Comm. Svcs.*

- *Textile, Apparel & Merc. Mgmt.*

Film Studies in Literature*

Finance*

French*

German*

Health & Physical Education

Health Promotion*

Health Science*

History

Hospitality Management

Industrial & Logistics Tech.

Information Systems*

International Business*

Management

- *Human Resources Management*

Management Information Sys.

Manufacturing Engineering

Marketing

Mass Communications

- *Print Media*

- *Public Relations*

- *Radio & Television*

Mathematics

- *Actuarial Science*

- *Statistics*

Mechanical Engineering Tech.

Military Science*

Music

- *Instrumental Performance*

- *Sound Recording Technology*

- *Vocal Performance*

Philosophy*

Photography*

Political Science

Psychology

Public Health*

Recreation*

Secondary Education*

Social Work

Sociology

Spanish*

Sport Management*

Teacher Education Program

(**Interdisciplinary Studies**)

- *Community Based Education*

- *Elementary Education - PreK-6*

- *Special Education - K-12*

Visual Arts

- *Animation*

- *Graphic Design*

- *Studio Art*

- *Web Design*

Writing*

Pre-Professional Programs

Pre-Law

Pre-Medicine

Pre-Pharmacy

Pre-Veterinary Medicine