

**Virginia State University Benchmark Institutions
(Peer and Aspirant Groups)**

Institution	Location	Size Total Headcount	FT/PT	Size /Setting	UG/GM	Carnegie Classification	Level	Control	HBCU / PWI	Accredited	Faculty # and Student to Faculty	Athletic Conference	UG on Federal Financial Aid	In-State/ Out-State	Retention Enter 2015, return 2016	Graduation cohort 2010	ACT/ SAT (75 th percentile, critical reading/math)	Default Rate 2014	
PEER INSTITUTIONS	Virginia State University	Petersburg, VA	5025 (4584)	97%/3%	98% Four-year, medium, highly residential	90%/8% Very high undergraduate	Master's Colleges & Universities: Medium Program	4-year	Public	HBCU	SACSCOC	307 13:1	CIAA	67%	66/32%	74%	44%	19/450/450	17.6
	Winston-Salem State University	Winston-Salem, North Carolina	5151	87% /13 %	55% Four-year, medium, highly residential	Very high undergraduate	Master's Colleges & Universities: Medium Programs	4-year	Public	HBCU	SACSCOC	302 14:1	CIAA	77%	92/7%	77%	47%	19/470/470	14.3
	Delaware State University	Dover, Delaware	4328	90% /10%	Four-year, medium, highly residential	Very high undergraduate	Master's Colleges & Universities: Medium Programs	4-year	Public	HBCU	Middle States Commission on Higher Education (MSCHE)	273 16:1	MEAC	61%	63/32%	73	43%	21/480/490	13
	SUNY at Fredonia	Fredonia, New York	4603	97%/3%	Four-year, medium, highly residential	Very high undergraduate	Master's Colleges & Universities: Medium Programs	4-year	Public	PWI	Middle States Commission on Higher Education (MSCHE)	257 14:1	Div III	42%	95/4%	79%	62%	27/570/550	4.9
	Norfolk State University	Norfolk, Virginia	5421	84%/16%	Four-year, medium, primarily residential	High undergraduate	Master's Colleges & Universities: Medium Programs	4-year	Public	HBCU	SACSCOC	243 17:1	MEAC	74%	68/30%	77%	35	20/430/430	13.5
	Louisiana State University-Shreveport	Shreveport, Louisiana	4186	64%/36%	Four-year, small, primarily residential	High undergraduate	Master's Colleges & Universities: Medium Programs	4-year	Public	PWI	SACSCOC	113 22:1	NAIA – Red River	49%	90/9%	61%	36%	25/533/533	9.3
	West Virginia State University	Charleston, WV	3514	52%/42%	Four-year, small, primarily nonresidential	Very high undergraduate	Baccalaureate Colleges: Arts & Sciences Focus	4-year	Public	PWI	Higher Learning Commission	108 14:1	Mountain East	56%	71/26%	58%	29%	22/520/490	18.5
	East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania	Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania	6822	92/8	Four-year, medium, primarily residential	Very high undergraduate	Master's Colleges & Universities: Medium Programs	4-year	Public	PWI	Middle States Commission on Higher Education (MSCHE)	276 21:1	PSAC – Penn, State Ath Conf	40%	74/25	72%	57%	24/520/520	8.7
	University of North Carolina at Pembroke	Pembroke, NC	6268	82%/18%	Four-year, medium, primarily residential	Very high undergraduate	Master's Colleges & Universities: Larger Programs	4-year	Public	PWI	SACSCOC	284 15:1	ECAC	62%	99/1%	67%	36%	21/520/490	11.7
ASPIRANT INSTITUTION	Christopher Newport University	Newport News, VA	5042	98%/2%	Four-year, medium, highly residential	Very high undergraduate	Master's Colleges & Universities: Small Programs	4-year	Public	PWI	SACSCOC	276 15:1	CAC	15%	92/6%	86%	75%	28/630/620	3.1
	North Carolina Central University	Durham, NC	8094	85%/15%	Four-year, medium, primarily residential	High undergraduate	Master's Colleges & Universities: Larger Programs	4-year	Public	HBCU	SACSCOC	388 16:1	MEAC	77%	79/20%	81%	43%	19/470/470	10.2
	Hampton University	Hampton, VA	4646	95%/5%	Four-year, medium, highly residential	Master's Colleges & Universities: Medium Programs	Master's Colleges & Universities: Medium Programs	4-year	Private	HBCU	SACSCOC	305 11:1	MEAC - Changing in 2018	44%	21/75%	81%	55%	24/510/530	8.1
	Florida A&M University	Tallahassee, FL	9616	85%/15%	Four-year, medium, primarily residential	High undergraduate	Doctoral Universities: Higher Research Activity	4-year	Public	HBCU	SACSCOC	619 15:1	MEAC	72%	78/20%	83%	41%	24/550/530	12.6
	University of Mary Washington	Fredericksburg, VA	4726	89%/11%	Four-year, medium, highly residential	Very high undergraduate	Master's Colleges & Universities: Larger Programs	4-year	Public	PWI	SACSCOC	250 14:1	Div III	15%	88/11%	83%	72%	27/620/590	2.9
	Longwood University	Farmville, Virginia	4884	87%/13%	69% Four-year, medium, highly residential	90%/10% Very high undergraduate	Master's Colleges & Universities: Medium Programs	4-year	Public	PWI	SACSCOC	252 16:1/17:1	Big South	27%	94/5%	80%	65%	23/540/530	4