Profile: Class of 2011

NORTHWESTERN

Freshman application results

Application totals
Total applicants 21,930
Offers of admission 5,872
Percent admitted 26
Enrolling freshmen 1,981
Percent enrolled 33.7
Percent of enrolling class admitted under Early Decision 28
Percent applying online* 90

Enrollment by Northwestern school
Weinberg College of Arts and Sciences 1,081
McCormick School of Engineering and Applied Science 352
School of Communication 229
School of Music 109
School of Education and Social Policy 32

Minority background
African American 111 5
Asian American 380 19
Hispanic 146 7
American Indian 4 <1
Total 641 32.3

Relatives of alumni
Sons and daughters 155
Brothers and sisters 110
Others 167

Secondary school distribution
Public 1,438
Private 289
Parochial 91
Other 163

*Paper and online applications undergo the same review process. Applicants should use the format they prefer.

Geographic distribution (enrolled freshmen)

Middle Atlantic 347
Midwest 843
New England 93
South 192
Southwest 106
West 275
Other countries 125
(Countries most represented: Canada, China, France, India, Japan, Pakistan, Singapore, South Korea, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey, United Kingdom)

Test scores (enrolled freshmen)

SAT Verbal 670-750
SAT Math 680-770
ACT Composite 30-34
(Northwestern does not use score cutoffs.)

Gender distribution

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th></th>
<th>Applied</th>
<th>Admitted</th>
<th>Enrolled</th>
<th>Percent of Enrolled</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Male</td>
<td>10,005</td>
<td>2,846</td>
<td>925</td>
<td>46.7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Female</td>
<td>11,912</td>
<td>3,025</td>
<td>1,056</td>
<td>53.3</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Retention rate (class of 2010)
Percent of freshmen who return for sophomore year: 96.3

Graduation rates
Percent who graduate in four years: 86
Percent who graduate in five years: 94
(Northwestern offers several five-year programs.)

For additional information
If you have any questions or would like an application for admission to Northwestern, please visit www.ugadm.northwestern.edu on the web or call 847-491-7271.