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College Corner University of Georgia (Athens, Georgia)



In 1785, the University of Georgia became the first state-chartered university in America, located just 60 miles from Atlanta, Georgia. The University of Georgia is known as one of the “public ivies” and a top 10 best value in higher education. The university is most notably recognized for its commitment to student excellence, rigorous learning experiences both in and out of the classroom, hands-on research, and leadership opportunities. The university offers more than 170 fields in 17 colleges/schools with many diverse major options including risk management, real estate, dietetics, wildlife, and broadcast news. First-year students have the opportunity to work with faculty from the start, either through the first-year odyssey, the freshman summer experience, and of course, first-year learning communities. With UGA’s retention rate at over 95%, you can be assured that it’s a true community that you will be joining. There are also hundreds of ways to get involved at UGA with either one of 700 clubs, Division I athletics, intramurals, research, and much more. Attending a UGA football game is definitely a must on this campus! The city of Athens, nationally known for its music scene, also offers students the quintessential college town with tons of restaurants, shopping, and lots of annual events like the Parade of Lights and the Twilight Criterium. If you are considering schools in the south and want a lot of tradition and school spirit, then UGA needs to be on your list.

Admissions at a Glance:

- 1220-1360 SAT range
- 28-32 ACT range
- 3.8-4.13 GPA range
- Most admitted students have 6-10 AP/Honors courses
- \$45,688 tuition with room/board & fees

University of Georgia at a Glance:

- 27,951 undergraduate students
- 18:1 student to faculty ratio
- 88% of classes have fewer than 50 students
- First-year students are required to live on campus in one of 22 residence halls

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